

Superannuation Master Trust

Conservative



# Fund Update

for the period ended 30 September 2020

This fund update was first made publicly available on 18 December 2020

# What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how the Conservative fund has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. AMP Wealth Management New Zealand Limited prepared this update in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. This information is not audited and may be updated.

# Description of this fund

The fund has a well-diversified portfolio that primarily invests in lower-risk income assets with a conservative allocation to growth assets. The fund aims to achieve modest to medium returns, in exchange there may be small movements up and down in the value of your investments.

Total value of the fund	\$36,909,436		
Number of investors in the fund	698		
The date the fund started	1 March 2000		

# What are the risks of investing?

Risk indicator for the Conservative fund:

Potentially lower returns		Pot	Potentially higher returns 🛛 🗭			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Lowe	er risk				Higher	risk 📫

The risk indicator is rated from 1 (low) to 7 (high). The rating reflects how much the value of the fund's assets goes up and down. A higher risk generally means higher potential returns over time, but more ups and downs along the way.

To help you clarify your own attitude to risk, you can seek financial advice or work out your risk profile at **sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-kickstarter**. Note that even the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment, and there are other risks that are not captured by this rating.

This risk indicator is not a guarantee of a fund's future performance. The risk indicator is based on the returns data for the past 5 years. While risk indicators are usually relatively stable, they do shift from time to time. The risk indicator will continue to be updated in future fund updates.

# How has the fund performed?

	Average over past 5 years <sup>1</sup>	Past year <sup>1</sup>
Annual return (after deductions for charges and tax)	2.05%	-0.51%
Annual return (after deductions for charges but before tax)	2.32%	-0.34%
<b>Composite of market index annual return</b> (reflects no deduction for charges and tax) <b>and peer group index annual return</b> (after deductions for charges but before tax)	5.65%	3.47%

## Annual return graph<sup>1</sup>



This shows the return after fund charges and tax for each of the last 10 years ending 31 March. The last bar shows the average annual return for the last 10 years, up to 30 September 2020.

Important: This does not tell you how the fund will perform in the future.

Returns in this update are after tax at the highest prescribed investor rate (PIR) of tax for an individual New Zealand resident. Your tax may be lower.

## What fees are investors charged?

Investors in the Conservative fund are charged fund charges. In the year to 30 September 2020 these were:

	% net asset value
Total fund charges (estimated) <sup>2</sup>	2.89%
Which are made up of -	
Total management and administration charges (estimated)	2.89%
Including -	
Manager's basic fee (estimated) <sup>3</sup>	2.76%
Other management and administration charges (estimated) <sup>4</sup>	0.13%
Total performance-based fees	0.00%
Other charges	Dollar amount per investor or description of how charge is calculated
Member fee <sup>5</sup>	\$37.30

Investors may also be charged individual action fees for specific actions or decisions (for example, for withdrawing from or switching funds). Small differences in fees and charges can have a big impact on your investment over the long term.

## Example of how this applies to an investor

Craig had \$10,000 in the fund at the start of the year and did not make any further contributions. At the end of the year, Craig incurred a loss after fund charges were deducted of \$51.00 (that is -0.51% of his initial \$10,000). Craig also paid \$37.30 in other charges. This gives Craig a total loss after tax of \$88.30 for the year.

# What does the fund invest in?

# Actual investment mix<sup>6</sup>

This shows the types of assets that the fund invests in.



\*Other consists of alternative strategies (0.56%)

### Target investment mix

This shows the mix of assets that the fund generally intends to invest in.

Asset Type	Allocation
Cash and cash equivalents	23.00%
New Zealand fixed interest	25.00%
International fixed interest	28.00%
Australasian equities	6.00%
International equities	14.25%
Listed property	2.50%
Unlisted property	0.00%
Commodities	0.625%
Other**	0.625%

\*\*Other consists of alternative strategies (0.625%)

## **Top 10 investments<sup>6</sup>**

(if applicable)
AA+
AA+
А
AA+
AA+
N/A
AA+
А
А
А

The top 10 investments make up 14.35% of the fund.

## **Currency hedging**

The fund will (or will invest in underlying funds that will) hedge foreign currency exposure for all asset classes, with the exception of International equities – Emerging markets, where currency exposure will be unhedged, and Australasian equities and International equities – Developed markets, where currency exposure is actively managed.

# Key personnel

This shows the directors and employees who have the most influence on the investment decisions of the fund.

Name	Current position	Time in current position	Other current position	Time in other current position
Timothy Pritchard	Investment Committee	1 year and	General Counsel,	2 years and
	Member	6 months	AMP Wealth Management New Zealand	4 months
Jeffery Darren Ruscoe	Investment Committee	1 year and	Acting Chief Executive,	0 years and
	Member	6 months	AMP Wealth Management New Zealand	2 months
Blair Robert Vernon	Investment Committee	9 years and	Acting Chief Executive,	0 years and
	Member	3 months	AMP Australia	2 months
Mark David Ennis	Investment Committee	0 years and	Managing Director,	0 years and
	Member	2 months	AdviceFirst Limited	7 months

# **Further information**

You can also obtain this information and some additional information from the offer register at disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz.

### Notes

- 1 We have used a composite index to prepare the table and bar graph, as there was no market index available for some of the relevant assets. The composite index is calculated using the target investment mix weightings of the underlying market and peer group indices for the asset classes that the fund invests into. A composite index may be a less reliable indicator of performance than an appropriate market index. In the table and bar graph, the return for the market index reflects no deduction for fund charges, trading expenses and tax, and the return for the peer group index reflects deductions for fund charges and trading expenses, but before tax. Additional information about the market and peer group indices is available in the Statement of Investment Policy and Objectives for your product which is available on the offer register at disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz. Index disclaimers can be found on the AMP website at amp.co.nz/indexdisclaimers.
- 2 The total fund charges are inclusive of any applicable GST.
- 3 The Manager's basic fee has been estimated using the maximum amount payable by an investor. Lower fees may apply to investors depending on when they joined, whether their account is locked-in and if they negotiated an ongoing fee with their adviser. To find out what fees are applicable to you, please contact your Adviser or AMP.
- 4 The other management and administration charges include estimates of underlying fund charges provided by underlying fund managers. The balance dates of the underlying fund(s) do not align with the balance date of the fund. To estimate the charges, AMP includes the underlying fund charges as at the relevant underlying fund(s) balance date, adjusted (where required) to reflect any material changes advised to AMP by the relevant underlying manager as having occurred during the intervening period.
- 5 Member fees were charged between 1 October 2019 and 31 July 2020 but only applied to some investors. To find out whether member fees applied to you in this period, please contact your Adviser or AMP. From 1 August 2020 onwards, member fees have not been charged to any investor of the Superannuation Master Trust.
- 6 The actual investment mix and top ten investments have been calculated excluding cash and cash equivalents held for operational purposes.

Phone Email Web 0800 808 801 investments@amp.co.nz amp.co.nz

Follow Us On



#### Want to know more?

For more information about the Scheme, please visit amp.co.nz, contact us on 0800 808 801 or talk to your Adviser today. Your Adviser's disclosure statement is available from your Adviser on request and free of charge.