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# Pendal Active High Growth Fund

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# **Factsheet**

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### About the Fund

The Pendal Active High Growth Fund (**Fund**) is an actively managed diversified portfolio that invests in Australian and international shares, Australian and international listed property securities, Australian and international fixed interest, cash and alternative investments. The Fund has a significant weighting towards growth assets.

# **Investment Return Objective**

The Fund aims to provide a return (before fees, costs and taxes) that exceeds the Fund's benchmark over the medium to long term. The suggested investment timeframe is five years or more.

# Benchmark

The benchmark for the Fund is created from a range of published indices. The benchmark is based on the asset allocation neutral position and the index returns for each asset class. Details of the particular market indices used for the Fund's benchmark can be found at <a href="https://www.pendalgroup.com/Pendal-Active-High-Growth-Fund">www.pendalgroup.com/Pendal-Active-High-Growth-Fund</a>

# **Investment Process**

At Pendal, we actively manage our portfolios to meet their investment objectives by diversifying investments across both asset classes *and* strategies. We employ three main approaches to do this:

- 1. **Strategic asset allocation** weighted asset class exposures designed to meet the investment objectives over the long term investment horizon
- 2. Active management exploitation of market inefficiencies within asset classes
- Active asset allocation exploitation of market directionality across asset classes

The underlying investments in the Fund are primarily managed by specialist teams within Perpetual Group, including Pendal for alternatives, fixed interest and Australian equities, and a range of specialist managers within the Group for international equities. In respect of global listed property, we have outsourced to a specialist global property manager, AEW. The Pendal Multi-Asset team also manages an active asset allocation process designed to increase portfolio returns within a defined risk budget.

# **Investment Guidelines**

Asset allocation ranges	*Neutral	Ranges	
(%)	Position	Min	Max
Australian shares	38.5	25	55
International shares	45.0	25	55
Australian fixed interest	2.0	0	15
International fixed interest	2.5	0	15
Australian property securities	2.0	0	10
International property securities	2.0	0	10
Alternative investments	6.0	0	25
Cash	2.0	0	20

<sup>\*</sup>Neutral positions effective from 20 December 2023.

# **Investment Team**

The Fund is managed by Pendal's Multi-Asset Investments Team. The team has a diverse skill set, with deep experience in asset allocation and portfolio construction; and draws on the broader resources of Perpetual Group's other specialist teams around the world.

#### **Performance**

(%)	Total Returns		Benchmark
	(post-fee)	(pre-fee)	Return
1 month	2.42	2.50	3.15
3 months	8.26	8.52	9.66
6 months	5.75	6.27	8.47
1 year	12.72	13.84	17.63
2 years (p.a)	6.51	7.56	9.06
3 years (p.a)	7.74	8.81	9.61
5 years (p.a)	7.41	8.47	9.44
Since Inception (p.a)	7.94	9.00	9.68

Source: Pendal as at 29 February 2024

"Post-fee" returns assume reinvestment of distributions and is calculated using exit prices. "Pre-fee" returns exclude the effects of management costs and any taxes. Returns for periods greater than one year are annualised. Fund inception: June 2016.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

# Asset Allocation (as at 29 February 2024)

Australian shares	38.5%
International shares	44.9%
Australian property securities	2.2%
International property securities	1.9%
Australian fixed interest	1.7%
International fixed interest	2.3%
Alternative investments	5.9%
Cash	2.5%

# Other Information

Fund size (as at 29 February 2024)	\$23 million	
Date of inception	June 2016	
Minimum investment	\$500,000	
Buy-sell spread¹ For the Fund's current buy-sell spread information, visit www.pendalgroup.com		
Distribution frequency	Quarterly	
APIR code	BTA0488AU	
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The buy-sell spread represents a contribution to the transaction costs incurred by the Fund, when the Fund is purchasing and selling assets. The buy-sell spread is generally incurred whenever you invest or withdraw funds, and may vary from time to time without notice.

# Fees and costs

You should refer to the latest Product Disclosure Statement for full details of the ongoing fees and costs that you may be charged.

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Management fee <sup>2</sup>	0.98% pa

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This is the fee we charge for managing the assets and overseeing the operations of the Fund. The management fee is deducted from the Fund's assets and reflected in its unit price.

## Risks

An investment in the Fund involves risk, including:

- Market risk The risk associated with factors that can influence the direction and volatility of an overall market, as opposed to security-specific risks. These factors can affect one country or a number of countries.
- International investments risk The risk arising from political and economic uncertainties, interest rate movements and differences in regulatory supervision associated with international investments
- Currency risk Currency exchange rate fluctuation risk arising from investing across multiple countries.
- Credit risk The risk of an issuing entity defaulting on its obligation to pay interest/principal when due.
- Liquidity risk The risk that an asset may not be converted to cash in a timely manner.
- Counterparty risk The risk of another party to a transaction failing to meet its obligations.

Please read the Fund's Product Disclosure Statement (**PDS**) for a detailed explanation of each of these risks.

# For more information please call **1300 346 821**, contact your key account manager or visit **pendalgroup.com**



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