# MyNorth Index Moderately Defensive

Monthly update for month ending 31 March 2024

# Description

The Fund offers investors a passively managed and diversified exposure to a variety of asset classes including shares, property, fixed interest and cash. Investments are also spread across both in Australian and overseas markets. Growth assets for the MyNorth Index Moderately Defensive Fund (such as shares and property) will have an average allocation of 55% with the difference in defensive assets. Securities in the underlying asset classes will be managed to track the nominated index of that asset class.

#### Investment objective

The Fund aims to match the return (before fees, expenses and tax) of the indices of the underlying asset classes in which the Fund invests, in proportion to the Fund's strategic asset allocation (SAA) weights.

## **Key information**

IPA0181AU
AMP Investments (National Mutual Funds Management Ltd)
11 February 2016
Daily
Half-yearly
4 years
0.35% pa
0.00% pa
0.00% pa
0.06%/0.07%
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\$2,633.0

You should refer to the current PDS or other offer document for the relevant Fund (i) available at amp.com.au/investments for the latest ongoing annual fees and costs as well as member activity-related fees and costs (if applicable)

Total indirect costs are taken from the latest data available 30 June 2023 and may (ii) differ from what is disclosed in the PDS.

## **Target investor**

This product is likely to be appropriate for a consumer seeking capital growth to be used as either a satellite, core or standalone holding within a portfolio where the consumer has a medium to long investment timeframe and a high risk/return profile. The Fund provides daily access to capital.

#### Why MyNorth Index?

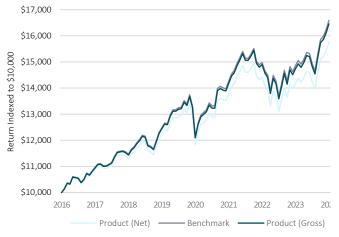
- 1. Low-cost diversified index funds.
- 2. Greater levels of diversification through exposures such as emerging market equities, property and infrastructure.

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- 3. Highly liquid underlying investments.
- 4. Dedicated and experienced multi-asset investment team.

### **Performance history**

Cumulative monthly returns net of fees Unit class L 31 March 2016 to 31 March 2024



Performance <sup>(ii)</sup>	1 month (%)	3 months (%)	1 year (%)	5 years (% pa)	Since inception (% pa)
Gross return	2.17	4.56	11.66	5.76	6.72
Net return after fees	2.14	4.46	11.12	5.22	6.15
Benchmark <sup>(i)</sup>	2.20	4.58	11.59	5.86	6.84

(i) The benchmark noted is a composite of the Fund's underlying benchmarks.

(ii) Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance

# Fund asset performance

	1 month (%)	3 months (%)	1 year (%)	5 years (% pa)
Australian shares	3.28	5.45	14.44	9.26
Global shares – hedged	3.35	10.27	25.58	11.17
Global shares – unhedged	3.02	14.17	29.29	14.39
Emerging markets shares	2.31	7.07	10.94	4.03
Australian listed property	9.56	16.14	35.36	6.04
Global listed property	2.77	-1.66	6.23	-1.18
Global listed infrastructure	3.65	2.03	1.66	2.28
Australian bonds	1.12	1.04	1.47	0.20
Global bonds	0.81	-0.37	2.49	-0.06

## Asset allocation

Asset class	Strategic asset allocation	Actual allocation
Growth assets	%	%
Australian shares	21	21.0
Global shares	24	24.9
Emerging market shares	3	3.0
Australian listed property	1	0.6
Global listed property	3	3.1
Global listed infrastructure	3	3.0
Defensive assets	%	%
Australian bonds	19	18.7
Global bonds	15	14.8
Cash	11	10.9

# Top 10 holdings

International shares	Weight (%)
Microsoft Corp	4.68
Apple Inc	3.97
NVIDIA Corp	3.52
Amazon.com Inc	2.64
Alphabet Inc	2.64
Meta Platforms Inc	1.70
Eli Lilly & Co	0.99
Broadcom Inc	0.93
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO	0.91
Berkshire Hathaway Inc	0.87

Australian shares	Weight (%)
BHP Group Ltd	9.17
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	8.23
CSL Ltd	5.69
National Australia Bank Ltd	4.41
Westpac Banking Corp	3.74
Australia & New Zealand Banking Group Ltd	3.61
Wesfarmers Ltd	3.16
Macquarie Group Ltd	2.93
Goodman Group	2.39
Woodside Energy Group Ltd	2.38

The holdings noted above are of the underlying funds which this Fund invests in.



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#### **Stephen Flegg** Senior Portfolio Manager

Stephen is the Senior Portfolio Manager for over \$20 billion of diversified index portfolios and is also responsible for the North Professional range of actively managed diversified funds. He has worked at AMP for over 10 years and holds a Bachelor of Commerce from the University of Queensland, Masters of Economics from the University of Sydney, Masters of Applied Finance from Kaplan Professional and a Graduate Diploma of Teaching.



**Jeronimo Harrison** Portfolio Manager

Jeronimo joined AMP in 2016. His responsibilities include research, risk management, portfolio construction and generating trade recommendations. Previously Jeronimo covered Australian, global and emerging markets equities across the AMP Capital single sector manager research portfolios and supported the private equity and hedge fund programs. Jeronimo holds a double degree in Commerce (Finance) and Mechanical Engineering (Hons. Class 1) from the University of Sydney and is a CFA Charterholder.

#### What you need to know

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