

MAS Retirement Savings Scheme

Growth Fund

Monthly Fund Fact Sheet as at 31 July 2026



Market commentary

Global equity markets delivered mixed results in June, with European and domestic shares performing relatively well, while returns in the US were more subdued. While the US share market took a breather over June, it still recorded its strongest quarterly gain since late 2020. Investor sentiment improved as tensions in the Middle East eased, helping to lower oil prices. Market leadership broadened beyond technology, with investors rotating into Financials, Industrials and defensive sectors such as Health Care. While enthusiasm for AI remains strong, attention is shifting towards the sustainability of AI-related spending and earnings growth.

NZ bond yields generally declined through June, fluctuating as investors weighed ongoing global uncertainty and upcoming interest rate decisions. Falling oil prices and reduced geopolitical risks helped ease inflation concerns. For income-focused investors, yields remain attractive by recent standards.

All returns are in local currency terms unless stated.

Fund performance

	Average over past 5 years	Past year
Annual return (after deductions for charges and a PIR tax rate of 28%)	6.48%	13.71%
Annual return (after deductions for charges but before tax)	7.08%	14.69%
Market index annual return* (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)	7.44%	14.20%

*The market index comprises the benchmark index returns of each of the asset classes weighted by their benchmark asset allocations. Refer to the SIPO for more information on the market index for this Fund.

Key fund facts

Objective: The Growth Fund aims to provide strong returns over the long term. It is suitable for investors who are prepared to accept a high level of investment risk to potentially achieve a high return.

Description: The Growth Fund invests mainly in growth assets with a modest allocation to income assets.

Minimum recommended investment timeframe	10 years
Target allocation	80% growth assets / 20% income assets
Inception date	1 October 2007
Annual fund charges (estimated % of net asset value)	0.99%
Risk indicator	Potentially lower returns 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 Potentially higher returns Lower risk Higher risk

Investment managers

JBWere

Investment manager for the Scheme and International equities, Australasian equities, and Cash asset classes.



Investment manager for the International fixed interest asset class.



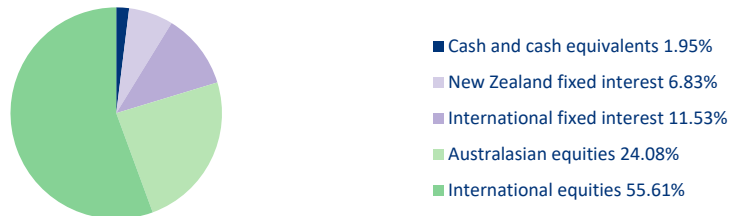
Investment manager for the New Zealand fixed interest asset class.



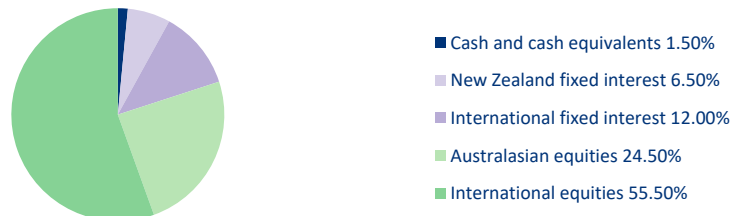
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Actual asset allocation as at 30 June 2026



Target asset allocation



Top 10 investments as at 30 June 2026

No	Asset name	% of fund net assets	Type	Country	Credit rating (If Applicable)
1	Hunter Global Fixed Interest Fund	11.53%	International fixed interest	NZ	
2	Fisher & Paykel Healthcare Ltd	3.97%	Australasian equities	NZ	
3	Infratil Ltd	3.83%	Australasian equities	NZ	
4	NVIDIA Corp	2.67%	International equities	US	
5	Apple Inc	2.20%	International equities	US	
6	Auckland International Airport Ltd	1.85%	Australasian equities	NZ	
7	Custody Call Account - NZD	1.85%	Cash and cash equivalents	NZ	
8	Alphabet Inc Class A	1.65%	International equities	US	
9	Micron Technology Inc	1.60%	International equities	US	
10	Meridian Energy Limited	1.55%	Australasian equities	NZ	

The total value of the above investments as a percentage of the net asset value of the Growth Fund is 32.70%.

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