## Milford KiwiSaver Plan **KiwiSaver Conservative Fund**

### Monthly Fact Sheet as at 30 November 2025

#### **Portfolio Managers**



Mark Riggall Portfolio Manager



Paul Morris Co-Portfolio Manager

In November the Fund fell 0.7%, bringing the one-year return to 5.3%. The Fund delivered a negative return for the first time since March, dragged down by a weaker Australian share market and negative returns from NZ bonds.

Volatility in global share markets had been building in October and increased last month with global shares correcting almost 5%. This was related to fears around technology company valuations and financing of Alrelated spending going forward.

Elsewhere, the UK budget was received relatively well by investors who had braced for the worst. Our UK investments performed well last month including utility company SSE plc up 14.7% and bank NatWest Group up 8.3%. In fixed income, NZ bonds fell after the Reserve Bank of New Zealand delivered what could be the last interest rate cut in this cycle. The Fund had reduced NZ bond exposure significantly ahead of this event but NZ bond performance still weighed modestly. Going forward, the higher yields now on offer should benefit the Fund.

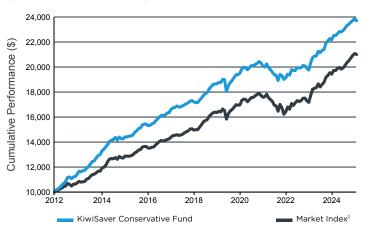
Looking ahead, we expect a stronger global economy next year as tariff impacts pass and government spending supports growth. This argues for a broader positive equity performance rather than the narrow technology rally of recent years. In fixed income, we continue to shun US bonds, instead opting for higher yielding bonds in other countries like Australia and the UK.

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For previous fund reports see milfordasset.com/fund-reports.

#### **Cumulative Fund Performance**

(after fees and before tax)



Assumes the growth of \$10,000 invested at the Fund's inception date.

#### **Key Fund Facts**

Objective <sup>2</sup>	To provide moderate returns and protect capital over the minimum recommended investment timeframe
	Diversified fund that primarily invests in fixed interest

securities, with a moderate allocation to equities. While conservative in nature, the Fund may experience short term negative returns, particularly

Description in times of heightened volatility

	Potentially lower returns Potentially higher returns			
Risk Indicator	1 2 3 4 5 6 7			
	Lower risk Higher risk			
Total Fund Fees <sup>5</sup>	0.85%			
Performance Fee	Not applicable			
Base Fund Fee 4	0.85%			
Benchmark	Not applicable			
Inception Date	1 October 2012			
Buy-sell Spread	None - swing pricing applies (See PDS for details)			
Duration	2.27 years			
Average Credit Rating	A-			
Yield <sup>3</sup>	2.58%			
Net Asset Value (NAV)	\$411.8 M			
Neutral FX Exposure	0%			
Target Allocation	82% Income Assets / 18% Growth Assets			
Minimum recommended investment timeframe	3 years +			





Unit Price: \$2.3229

#### Investment Performance after fees as at 30 November 2025 6

	1 Month	3 Months	1 year	3 years (p.a.)	5 years (p.a.)	Since inception (p.a.)
Milford KiwiSaver Conservative Fund (Gross Of Tax)	-0.70%	0.44%	5.29%	6.84%	3.62%	6.77%
After Tax 10.50%	-0.64%	0.44%	4.96%	6.30%	3.39%	6.28%
After Tax 17.50%	-0.60%	0.44%	4.73%	5.93%	3.23%	5.96%
After Tax 28.00%	-0.55%	0.43%	4.39%	5.39%	2.99%	5.48%
Market Index <sup>1</sup>	-0.35%	1.33%	6.46%	7.71%	3.91%	5.80%

#### **Top Equity Holdings**

Holdings	% of Fund
NatWest Group	0.65%
SSE	0.64%
Contact Energy	0.61%
Microsoft	0.55%
Amazon	0.54%
Bank of America	0.54%
Aena SME	0.54%
Precinct	0.46%
Segro	0.41%
National Grid	0.40%

#### **Current Asset Allocation**

	Actual Investment Mix	Neutral Investment Mix
Effective Cash#	23.17%	7%
New Zealand Fixed Interest	26.96%	25%
International Fixed Interest	31.68%	50.0%
New Zealand Equities	2.23%	1.5%
Australian Equities	5.08%	2.5%
International Equities	7.15%	9%
Listed Property	3.73%	5%
Other	0.00%	0.0%

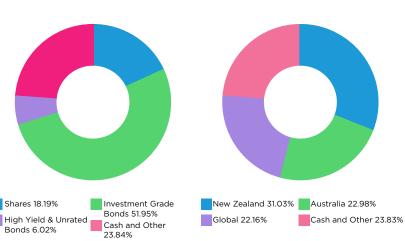
# The actual cash held by the Fund is 18.35%. Effective Cash reported above is adjusted to reflect the Fund's notional positions (e.g. derivatives used to increase or reduce market exposure).

### **Top Fixed Interest Holdings**

Holdings	% of Fund
NZ Govt. 4.5% 2035	4.45%
NZLGFA 2.25% 2031	2.73%
NZLGFA 3.5% 2033	1.62%
Housing NZ 3.42% 2028	0.95%
NZLGFA 4.5% 2030	0.94%
NZ Govt. 3.5% 2033	0.92%
Rabobank NZ Float 2028	0.83%
Enbw International Finance BV 5.197% 2031	0.70%
NZLGFA 1.5% 2029	0.69%
Westpac 4.337% 2029	0.68%

Issuer name, interest (coupon rate), maturity year.

### **Fund Portfolio Mix**



# Note: Fixed interest securities are reported in the following format:







**Region Exposure** 

1. The Fund does not have a performance benchmark, hence a market index has been included for comparison purposes. See the Statement of Investment Policy and Objectives for more details on the market index. The market index is a blend of indices that represent the Fund's neutral asset allocation. Note the Fund's investment strategy is designed to achieve its objective, which may mean that at times, the returns of the market index may not be an appropriate measure. 2. After the Base Fund Fee but before tax. 3. The yield to maturity is not an indicator of future return, but reflects the current yield to maturity of the fund's underlying holdings (before tax and after the base fund fee). 4. Where applicable, the Base Fund Fee includes an estimate of non-related underlying fund charges. 5. The Total Fund Fees comprise the Base Fund Fee and any estimated Performance Fee. Please refer to the Product Disclosure Statement for more information as to how these are calculated. 6. Please note past performance is not a guarantee of future returns.

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