

# Milford KiwiSaver Plan

## KiwiSaver Cash Fund

### Monthly Fact Sheet as at 31 March 2023



#### Portfolio Managers



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In March, the Fund generated a return of 0.4%, in line with its objective to deliver a return in excess of the Reserve Bank of New Zealand (RBNZ) Official Cash Rate (OCR) after fees.

Short-dated NZ dollar bank bills, a reflection of interbank funding levels, continued their climb higher throughout the month of March, driven by market expectations of further OCR increases in the near term.

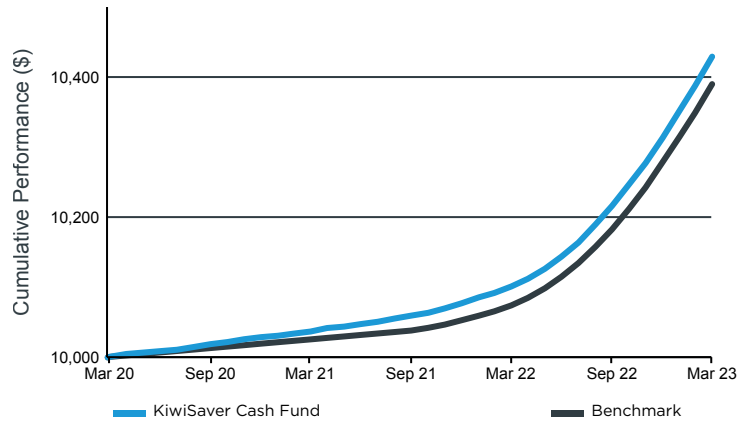
Early April's Monetary Policy Review saw the RBNZ raising the OCR by 0.5% percentage points surpassing market expectations. In the near term, this should continue to benefit the Fund by increasing the interest rates into which it can progressively reinvest maturing holdings. Our base case remains for moderately higher interest rates from here, albeit relatively elevated market expectations could be higher than what may be realised if inflation moderates and/or growth slows.

The portfolio management of the Fund remains focused on maintaining its low-risk strategy, which is built on a diversified portfolio of cash, short-dated debt securities and term deposits, so as to protect capital.

To view Milford's March 2023 Market and Economic Review please see [milfordasset.com/investor-centre](https://milfordasset.com/investor-centre).

#### Cumulative Fund Performance

(after fees and before tax)



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

#### Key Fund Facts

<b>Objective<sup>1</sup></b>	Targets a return above the New Zealand Official Cash Rate
<b>Description</b>	Primarily invests in New Zealand cash, short-dated debt securities and term deposits
<b>Minimum recommended investment timeframe</b>	N/A
<b>Target Allocation</b>	100% Income Assets / 0% Growth Assets
<b>Neutral FX Exposure</b>	0%
<b>Net Asset Value (NAV)</b>	\$119.9 M
<b>Yield<sup>2</sup></b>	4.93%
<b>Average Credit Rating</b>	A
<b>Duration</b>	0.1 years
<b>Buy-sell Spread</b>	None - swing pricing applies (See PDS for details)
<b>Inception Date</b>	27 March 2020
<b>Benchmark</b>	OCR
<b>Base Fund Fee<sup>3</sup></b>	0.20%
<b>Performance Fee</b>	Not applicable
<b>Total Fund Fees<sup>4</sup></b>	0.20%

	Lower risk						Higher risk
<b>Risk Indicator</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Potentially lower returns			Potentially higher returns			

## KiwiSaver Cash Fund as at 31 March 2023

### Investment Performance after fees as at 31 March 2023<sup>5</sup>

Unit Price: \$1.0429

	1 Month	3 Months	1 year	3 years (p.a.)	5 years (p.a.)	Since inception (p.a.)
Milford KiwiSaver Cash Fund (Gross Of Tax)	0.40%	1.12%	3.25%	1.41%	-	1.40%
After Tax 10.50%	0.36%	1.01%	2.90%	1.26%	-	1.26%
After Tax 17.50%	0.33%	0.93%	2.67%	1.16%	-	1.16%
After Tax 28.00%	0.29%	0.81%	2.33%	1.01%	-	1.01%
Benchmark	0.39%	1.08%	3.13%	1.28%	-	1.28%

### Top Security Holdings

Holdings	% of Fund
Westpac 45 Day WND	15.88%
Auckland Airport CP 2023	4.21%
ASB 5.53% 2023	3.81%
Port of Tauranga CP 2023	3.58%
Contact CP 2023	3.14%
Spark CP 2023	3.13%
Auckland Airport CP 2023	3.13%
Auckland Airport CP 2023	2.52%
Contact CP 2023	2.51%
SBS CP 2023	2.31%

### Current Asset Allocation

	Actual Investment Mix	Neutral Investment Mix
Effective Cash #	24.54%	20%
New Zealand Fixed Interest	75.46%	80%
International Fixed Interest	0.00%	0.0%
New Zealand Equities	0.00%	0.0%
Australian Equities	0.00%	0.0%
International Equities	0.00%	0.0%
Other	0.00%	0.0%

# The actual cash held by the Fund is 24.54%. Effective Cash reported above is adjusted to reflect the Fund's notional positions (e.g. derivatives used to increase or reduce market exposure).



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1. After the base fund fee but before tax. 2. Yield to maturity (before tax and after fees) for underlying investments in the Fund. 3. Where applicable, the Base Fund Fee includes an estimate of non-related underlying fund charges. 4. 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. 5. Please note past performance is not a guarantee of future returns.

Please refer to the 'Glossary for the Monthly Fact Sheet' at [milfordasset.com/fact-sheet](http://milfordasset.com/fact-sheet) for more information about the data published within this document.

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