

Monthly Fact Sheet as at 30 November 2023

Portfolio Managers





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The Fund returned 2.8% in November, bringing the oneyear return to 4.6%. November was a very strong month for returns, an encouraging development after a tough year for asset prices. The month saw large rallies in both bond and share markets with a rising tide lifting all boats. In a remarkably swift change in direction from the weaker markets over the three months prior, investors have rapidly embraced the notion of a soft landing, and stocks and bonds have moved to reflect this consensus.

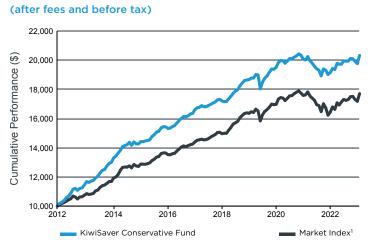
For the Fund, the strong performance of bonds has been the key driver of returns. In November, the outperformance of corporate bonds relative to government bonds was a strong tailwind, as the portfolio is heavily tilted to corporate bonds. On the stock side, falling bond yields helped performance of the interest rate sensitive names that we hold, such as Australian property group Stockland (+16.7%).

Looking ahead, we are encouraged that the cycle is evolving in a benign way, with inflation falling and economic growth remaining modestly positive. But we are concerned that investors have become a little over enamoured with the soft-landing outlook and much of the good news is already priced in. To that end, the Fund reduced exposure to both stocks and bonds at the end of the month.

To view Milford's November 2023 Market and Economic Review please see milfordasset.com/insights.

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

Cumulative Fund Performance



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

Key Fund Facts

| Objective ² | To provide moderate returns and protect capital over the minimum recommended investment timeframe | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------|-----------|----------|--|
| Description | 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 in times of heightened volatility | | | | | | | | |
| Minimum recommended investment timeframe ³ years + | | | | | | | | | |
| Target Allocation | cation 82% | | | 82% Income Assets / 18% Growth Assets | | | | | |
| Neutral FX Expos | Exposure | | 0% | | | | | | |
| Net Asset Value (| NAV) | \$225.5 M | | | | | | | |
| Yield ³ | 4.95% | | | | | | | | |
| Average Credit Ra | ating BBB+ | | | | | | | | |
| Duration | | 1.67 years | | | | | | | |
| Buy-sell Spread | | None - swing pricing applies (See PDS for details) | | 6 for | | | | | |
| Inception Date | | 1 October 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Benchmark | | Not applicable | | | | | | | |
| Base Fund Fee ⁴ | | 0.95% | | | | | | | |
| Performance Fee | | Not applicable | | | | | | | |
| Total Fund Fees ⁵ | | 0.95% | | | | | | | |
| | | Lower ris | ĸ | | | | Hig | her risk | |
| Risk Indicator | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | |
| | | Potentiall | y lowe | r returns | F | Potential | ly higher | returns | |



Investment Performance after fees as at 30 November 2023⁶

Unit Price: \$1.9959

| | 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) | 2.84% | 1.16% | 4.62% | 0.82% | 3.45% | 6.56% |
| After Tax 10.50% | 2.64% | 0.99% | 4.12% | 0.79% | 3.18% | 6.09% |
| After Tax 17.50% | 2.51% | 0.88% | 3.79% | 0.77% | 3.00% | 5.77% |
| After Tax 28.00% | 2.31% | 0.72% | 3.29% | 0.74% | 2.74% | 5.30% |
| Market Index ¹ | 3.06% | 1.08% | 5.40% | 0.71% | 3.38% | 5.25% |

Top Equity Holdings

| Holdings | % of Fund |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Contact Energy | 0.80% |
| Spark | 0.70% |
| Shell | 0.58% |
| HCA Holdings | 0.55% |
| Goodman | 0.50% |
| Telstra | 0.50% |
| Fiserv | 0.46% |
| Coca-Cola Europacific Partners | 0.44% |
| Elevance Health | 0.44% |
| Bank of Ireland Group | 0.43% |

Top Fixed Interest Holdings

Holdings

NZGBI 2% 2025

NZLGFA 4.5% 2030

NZLGFA 1.5% 2026

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Westpac 7.199% 2038

Housing NZ 3.42% 2028

GTA Finance 2.2% 2027

Contact 6.398% 2030

NAB 5.4% 2028

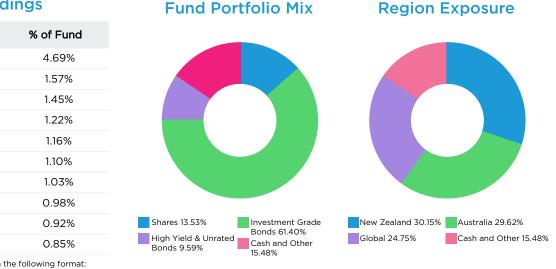
Telstra 4.9% 2028

Current Asset Allocation

| | Actual Investment Mix | Neutral Investment Mix |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Effective Cash # | 14.08% | 7% |
| New Zealand Fixed Interest | 25.40% | 25% |
| International Fixed Interest | 45.59% | 50.0% |
| New Zealand Equities | 2.55% | 1.5% |
| Australian Equities | 2.55% | 2.5% |
| International Equities | 6.49% | 9% |
| Listed Property | 1.94% | 5% |
| Other | 1.40% | 0.0% |

The actual cash held by the Fund is 6.47%. Effective Cash reported above is adjusted to reflect the Fund's notional positions (e.g. derivatives used to increase or reduce market exposure).

Fund Portfolio Mix



Note: Fixed interest securities are reported in the following format: Issuer name, interest (coupon rate), maturity year



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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