

# KiwiSaver Aggressive Fund

Portfolio Investment Entity

## Monthly Fact Sheet as at 31 July 2021



### Portfolio Managers



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The Fund gained 2.2% in July. The MSCI World index rose for a sixth consecutive month buoyed by a very strong second quarter earnings season, particularly in the US.

A key positive contributor for the month was US hospital operator HCA (+20.1%) after reporting strong second quarter earnings that beat expectations as patient volumes in the US recovered. Encouragingly, HCA raised its earnings guidance for the second time in 2021. Alphabet (parent company of Google) continued its strong run (+7.9%) and is up a remarkable 54.4% year-to-date. Second quarter results were very impressive with faster than expected digital advertising growth. US life sciences giant Thermo Fisher gained over 7.0% for a second consecutive month supported by robust second quarter results with management increasing organic revenue guidance for 2021.

Detractors from performance included Chinese internet titan Tencent (-18.0%), that was hurt by further regulatory tightening in China. We continue to monitor regulatory developments closely.

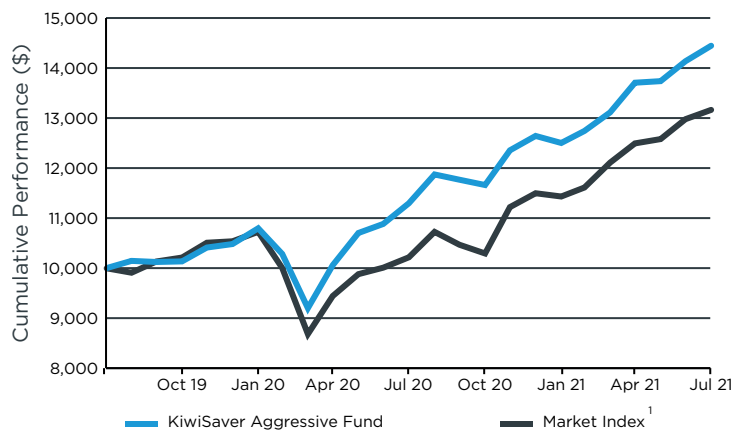
A positive contributor in Australasia was nickel and lithium miner IGO (+22.0%), a key beneficiary of the growth in electric vehicles. Australian bank Westpac (-5.0%) detracted from performance.

Overall, the backdrop remains favourable given supportive policy and accelerated vaccine rollout. In terms of risks, we continue to closely monitor the spread of the Delta variant of the virus and the effectiveness of the vaccines. The other key risk to the outlook would be an inflation surprise that forces central banks to accelerate interest rate rises. We continue to look for opportunities focused on our key investment themes.

To view Milford's August 2021 Market and Economic Review please see [milfordasset.com/fact-sheet](http://milfordasset.com/fact-sheet).

### 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>2</sup></b>	To maximise capital growth over the minimum recommended investment timeframe
<b>Description</b>	Primarily invests in international equities, with a moderate allocation to Australasian equities
<b>Minimum recommended investment timeframe</b>	10 years
<b>Target Allocation</b>	5% Income Assets / 95% Growth Assets
<b>Neutral FX Exposure</b>	24.5%
<b>Net Asset Value (NAV)</b>	\$607.7 M
<b>Buy-sell Spread</b>	None - swing pricing applies (See PDS for details)
<b>Inception Date</b>	1 August 2019
<b>Benchmark</b>	Not applicable
<b>Base Fund Fee<sup>3</sup></b>	1.15%
<b>Performance Fee</b>	The Fund may invest into related Milford funds that charge performance fees.
<b>Total Fund Fees<sup>4</sup></b>	1.15%
<b>Risk Indicator</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> <span>Lower risk</span> <span>Higher risk</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; align-items: center; gap: 10px;"> <span>1</span> <span>2</span> <span>3</span> <span>4</span> <span style="border: 2px solid blue; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px 5px;">5</span> <span>6</span> <span>7</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center; margin-top: 5px;"> <span>Potentially lower returns</span> <span>Potentially higher returns</span> </div>

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## Investment Performance after fees as at 31 July 2021<sup>5</sup>

Unit Price: \$1.4407

	1 Month	3 Months	1 year	3 years (p.a.)	5 years (p.a.)	Since inception (p.a.)
Milford KiwiSaver Aggressive Fund (Gross Of Tax)	2.19%	5.39%	27.83%	-	-	20.17%
After Tax 10.50%	2.14%	5.37%	27.13%	-	-	19.71%
After Tax 17.50%	2.11%	5.36%	26.67%	-	-	19.41%
After Tax 28.00%	2.07%	5.34%	25.97%	-	-	18.95%
Market Index <sup>1</sup>	1.43%	5.35%	28.79%	-	-	14.72%

## Top Security Holdings

Holdings	% of Fund
Microsoft	2.69%
Alphabet	2.66%
Mastercard	2.07%
Thermo Fisher	2.02%
Visa	2.00%
TSMC	1.76%
HCA Holdings	1.70%
S&P Global	1.65%
Dr Horton	1.59%
Amazon	1.49%

## Current Asset Allocation

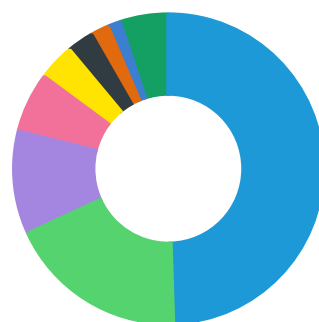
	Actual Investment Mix	Neutral Investment Mix
Effective Cash <sup>#</sup>	5.08%	5%
New Zealand Fixed Interest	0.00%	0%
International Fixed Interest	0.06%	0%
New Zealand Equities	6.16%	5%
Australian Equities	19.82%	20%
International Equities	68.88%	70%
Other	0.00%	0%

<sup>#</sup> The actual cash held by the Fund is 8.04%. Effective Cash reported above is adjusted to reflect the Fund's notional positions (e.g. derivatives used to increase or reduce market exposure).

## Sector Allocation

Allocation	Weight %
Information Technology	23.33%
Financials	14.15%
Health Care	13.21%
Consumer Discretionary	11.28%
Industrials	11.07%
Communication Services	6.89%
Materials	6.67%
Consumer Staples	3.43%
Utilities	2.96%
Real Estate	2.00%
Energy	0.90%
Cash and Other	4.11%

## Region Exposure



United States 49.51%	Australia 18.60%
Europe 10.75%	New Zealand 6.27%
Other countries 3.81%	Japan 2.76%
China 1.88%	India 1.34%
Cash and Other 5.08%	



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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 and before the performance fee. 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.

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