# Summer KiwiSaver Scheme Summer Balanced Selection

## Fund Update as at 30 September 2023

This fund update was first made publicly available on 27 October 2023.



# What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how Summer Balanced Selection has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. Forsyth Barr Investment Management Limited prepared this update in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. This information is not audited and may be updated.

## Description of this fund

We aim to achieve positive long-term returns by choosing a balanced mix of cash, fixed interest, equity and property investments. Investors can expect moderate to high levels of movement up and down in value and to receive longer-term returns that are higher than those of the Summer Conservative Selection (but with more risk), and lower than those of the Summer Growth Selection (but with less risk).

Total value of the fund	\$119,342,686	
Number of members in the fund	2348	
The date the fund started	19 September 2016	

## What are the risks of investing?

Risk indicator for Summer Balanced Selection:



The risk indicator is rated from 1 (low) to 7 (high). The rating reflects how much the value of the fund's assets goes up and down. A higher risk generally means higher potential returns over time, but more ups and downs along the way.

To help you clarify your own attitude to risk, you can seek financial advice or work out your risk profile at <a href="https://www.sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-kickstarter">www.sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-kickstarter</a>.

Note that even the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment, and there are other risks that are not captured by this rating.

This risk indicator is not a guarantee of a fund's future performance. The risk indicator is based on the returns data for the five years to 30 September 2023. While risk indicators are usually relatively stable, they do shift from time to time. The risk indicator will continue to be updated in future fund updates.

See the Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) for more information about the risks associated with investing in this fund.

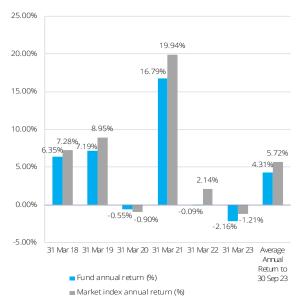
# How has the fund performed?

	Average over past 5 years	Past year
Annual return (after deductions for charges and tax)	2.46%	5.73%
Annual return (after deductions for charges but before tax)	3.04%	6.87%
Market index annual return (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)	4.26%	7.05%

The market index return is based on a composite index made up of the indices used to measure the performance of each asset class invested in, as displayed under the target investment mix.

Additional information about the market index is available on the Summer KiwiSaver scheme's entry on the offer register at <a href="https://www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz">www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz</a>.

#### Annual return graph



This shows the return after fund charges and tax for each year ending 31 March since the fund started. The last bar shows the average annual return since the fund started, up to 30 September 2023.

**Important:** This does not tell you how the fund will perform in the future.

Returns in this update are after tax at the highest prescribed investor rate (PIR) of tax for an individual New Zealand resident. Your tax may be lower.

## What fees are investors charged?

Investors in Summer Balanced Selection are charged fund charges. In the year to 31 March 2023 these were:

	% of net asset value
Total fund charges	0.90%
Which are made up of:	
Total management and administration charges, including	0.90%
Manager's basic fee	0.84%
Other management and administration charges	0.06%
Total performance-based fees	0.00%
Other charges	Dollar amount per investor
Account fee <sup>2</sup>	\$36.00

Investors may also be charged individual action fees for specific actions or decisions (for example for withdrawing from or switching funds), although these are not currently charged. See the "Other Material Information" document at <a href="https://www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz">www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz</a> for more information about those fees.

Small differences in fees and charges can have a big impact on your investment over the long term.

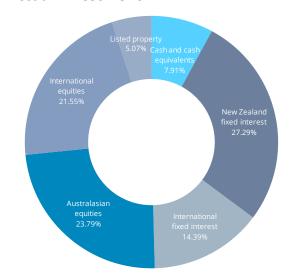
### Example of how this applies to an investor

Kim had \$10,000 in the fund at the start of the year and did not make any further contributions. At the end of the year, Kim received a return after fund charges were deducted but before tax of \$687 (that is 6.87% of her initial \$10,000). Kim also paid \$36 in other charges. This gives Kim a total return after tax of \$537 for the year.

#### What does the fund invest in?

This shows the types of assets that the fund invests in.

#### **Actual investment mix**



### **Target investment mix**

Cash and cash equivalents	10.00%
New Zealand fixed interest	22.00%
International fixed interest	13.00%
Australasian equities	25.00%
International equities	25.00%
Listed property	5.00%
Unlisted property	0.00%
Commodities	0.00%
Other	0.00%

### **Top 10 investments**

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The top 10 investments make up 31.57% of the fund.

Foreign currency exposures associated with international fixed interest are hedged to the New Zealand dollar. We actively manage the fund's foreign currency exposures associated with international and Australian equities, and listed property. As at 30 September 2023, these exposures represented 35.92% of the value of the fund. After allowing for foreign currency hedges in place, 18.16% of the value of the fund was unhedged and exposed to foreign currency risk.

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## Key personnel

Name	Current position	Time in current position	Previous or other current position	Time in previous or other current position
Christine Smith-Han	Equity and Strategy Analyst Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	1 year and 10 months	Portfolio Analyst Forsyth Barr Limited	4 years and 10 months
Paul Robertshawe	Chief Investment Officer Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	1 year and 10 months	Portfolio Manager, Forsyth Barr Limited	0 years and 8 months
Craig Alexander	Head of Fixed Interest and ESG Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	1 year and 10 months	Co-Head of Funds Management, Forsyth Barr Limited	8 years and 5 months
Jason Lindsay	Head of Equities Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	1 year and 10 months	Co-Head of Funds Management, Forsyth Barr Limited	2 years and 2 months
Neil Paviour-Smith	Director, Forsyth Barr Investment Management Limited	15 years and 7 months	Managing Director at Forsyth Barr Limited (current)	22 years and 9 months

### Further information

You can also obtain this information, the PDS for the Summer KiwiSaver scheme, and some additional information from the offer register at <a href="https://www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz">www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz</a>.

### Notes

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Summer KiwiSaver scheme was previously known as the Forsyth Barr KiwiSaver Scheme - you can find a link to historical performance information for the funds in the Forsyth Barr KiwiSaver Scheme at <a href="https://www.summer.co.nz/the-summer-scheme/performance-information/quarterly-fund-updates/">https://www.summer.co.nz/the-summer-scheme/performance-information/quarterly-fund-updates/</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The account fee is charged at \$3 per member, per month.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Octagon Asset Management Limited is responsible for the day-to-day investment decisions for the fund.