

NZAS Retirement Fund

Cash option

Fund update for the year ended 30 June 2017

This fund update was first made publicly available on 27 September 2017.

What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how the Cash option (**fund**) has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. NZAS Retirement Fund Trustee Limited prepared this update in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. This information is not audited and may be updated.

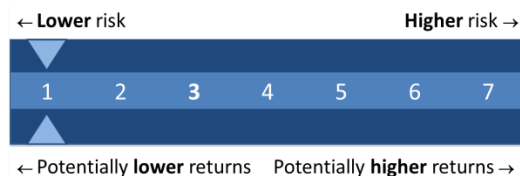
Description of this fund

The fund invests solely in cash and cash equivalents. The investment objective for the fund is to achieve returns near 90-day bank bill rates.

Total value of the fund	\$14,933,123
Number of investors in the fund	81
The date the fund started	1 July 2003

What are the risks of investing?

Risk indicator for the Cash option



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 www.sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-kickstarter.

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.

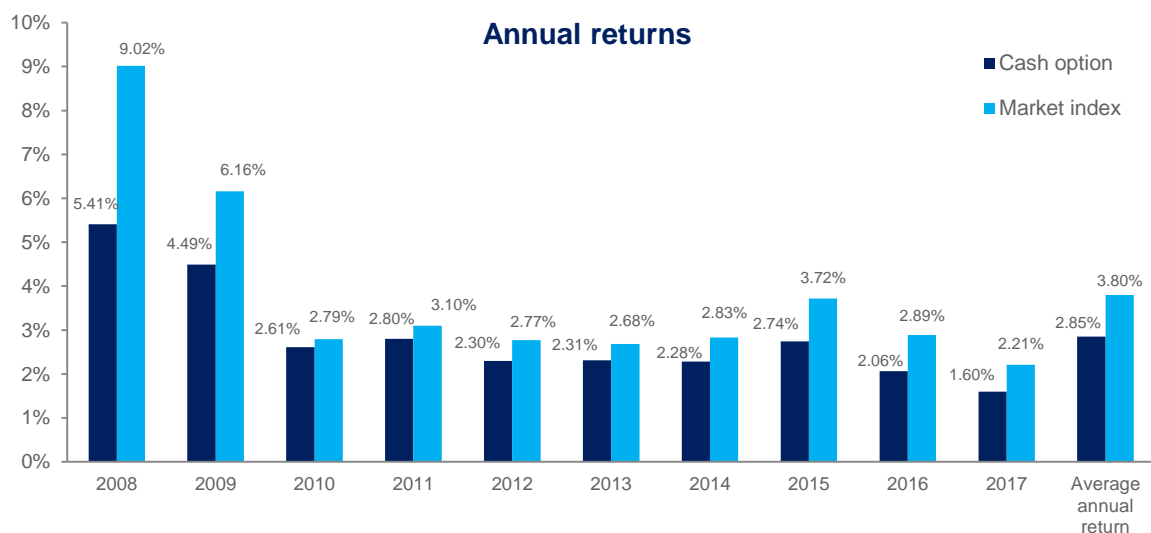
This risk indicator is not a guarantee of a fund's future performance. The risk indicator is based on the returns data for the five-year period to 30 June 2017. While risk indicators are usually relatively stable, they do shift from time to time. The risk indicator will continue to be updated in future 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)	2.20%	1.60%
Annual return (after deductions for charges but before tax)	3.05%	2.22%
Market index annual return (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)	2.86%	2.21%

The market index return is the S&P/NZX Bank Bills 90-Day Index.



This shows the return after fund charges and tax for each of the last 10 years ending 30 June. The last bar shows the average annual return for the past 10 years, up to 30 June 2017.

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

What fees are investors charged?

Investors in the Cash option are charged fund charges. In the year to 30 June 2017 these were:

	% of net asset value
Total fund charges	0.32%
Which are made up of-	
Total management and administration charges	0.32%
Including -	
Manager's basic fee	0.32%
Other management and administration charges	
Total performance-based fees	0.00%
Other charges	Description of how charge is calculated
Insurance charges	These are charges for members with death, total disablement and ill-health insurance and vary based on cover level and age. ¹

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

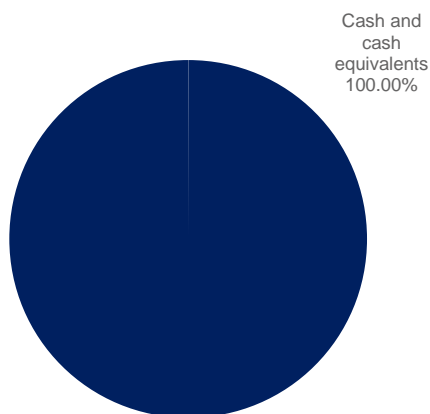
Example of how this applies to an investor

Mary 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, Mary received a return after fund charges were deducted of \$160 (that is 1.60% of her initial \$10,000). Mary paid \$0.00 in other charges (aside from insurance charges). This gives Mary a total return after tax of \$160 for the year, less insurance charges.

What does the fund invest in?

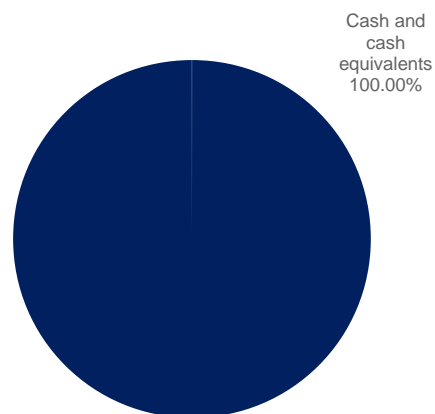
Actual investment mix

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



Target investment mix

This shows the types of assets that the fund generally intends to invest in.



Top 10 investments

	Asset name	% of fund net assets	Type	Country	Credit rating (if applicable)
1	AMP Capital NZ Cash Fund	100.00%	Cash and cash equivalents	New Zealand	

The total value of the above asset is 100% of the net asset value of the fund.

Key personnel

Name	Current position	Time in current position	Previous position	Time in previous position
Grant Cuff	Director, NZAS Retirement Fund Trustee Limited	1 year	Trustee, Rio Tinto New Zealand Retirement Fund	11 years and 2 months
Tim McGuinness	Licensed Independent Trustee director, NZAS Retirement Fund Trustee Limited	1 year	Independent Trustee, Rio Tinto New Zealand Retirement Fund	1 year and 4 months
Allan Meikle	Director, NZAS Retirement Fund Trustee Limited	1 year	Trustee, Rio Tinto New Zealand Retirement Fund	21 years and 3 months
Stephanie Pearce	Director, NZAS Retirement Fund Trustee Limited	1 year	Trustee, Rio Tinto New Zealand Retirement Fund	0 years and 6 months
Gretta Stephens	Director and Chair, NZAS Retirement Fund Trustee Limited	1 year	Trustee, Rio Tinto New Zealand Retirement Fund	3 years and 1 month

Further information

You can also obtain this information, the PDS for the NZAS Retirement Fund and some additional information from the offer register at www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose.

Notes

¹For the current standard insurance charges, go to www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose, select *Search offers*, enter NZAS and then (under *Documents*) choose *NZAS Retirement Fund OMI 1 July 2017.pdf*.