

# NZ Equity Passive Fund Private Wealth Series

# Fund Update

# Fund Update for period to 30 September 2025

This Fund Update was first made publicly available on 29 October 2025.

# What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how the NZ Equity Passive Fund (Fund) has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the Fund with other funds. BNZ Investment Services Limited prepared this update in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. This information is not audited and may be updated.

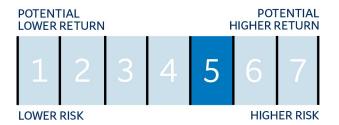
### Description of this Fund

The NZ Equity Passive Fund invests in Australasian equities listed on the New Zealand equity market. It aims to approximately replicate the performance of the benchmark index, before taking into account fees, expenses, taxes, responsible investment exclusions and tilts.

Total value of the Fund	\$50,272,440.91
Date the Fund started	25 February 2025

### What are the risks of investing?

Risk indicator<sup>1,2</sup> for the NZ Equity Passive Fund



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 (volatility). 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 **sorted.org.nz** 

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 30 September 2020 to 30 September 2025. 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 Private Wealth Series Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) for more information about the risks associated with investing in this Fund.

# How has the Fund performed?

#### Past year

Annual return (after deductions for charges and tax)	Not applicable
Annual return (after deductions for charges but before tax)	Not applicable
Market index annual return (reflects no deductions for charges and tax)	7.75%

An annual return is not available for this Fund as it has not been in existence for more than a 12-month period.

The market index (benchmark) return is currently based on the S&P/NZX50 Gross Index (including imputation credits). Additional information about the benchmark is available on the offer register (search for Private Wealth Series) at companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose

### What fees are investors charged?

Investors in the NZ Equity Passive Fund are charged Fund charges. Based on the PDS dated 14 July 2025, these are expected to be (excluding GST):

% of net asset value

Total fund charges	0.25%
Which are made up of:	
Total management and administration charges	0.25%
Including:	
Manager's basic fee	0.25%
Other management and administration charges	0.00%
Total performance-based fees	0.00%

See the Private Wealth Series PDS for more information about these fees. This can be accessed from the Disclose Register at companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose

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

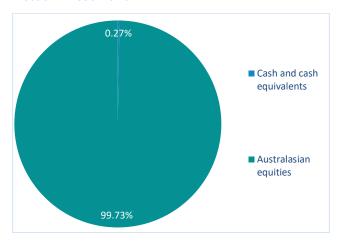
# Example of how this applies to an investor<sup>3</sup>

John had \$10,000 in the Fund on 25 February 2025 (inception date) and did not make any further contributions. At the end of September 2025, John received a return, after fund charges and 28% tax were deducted, of \$759 (that is 7.59% of his initial \$10,000).

### What does the Fund invest in?

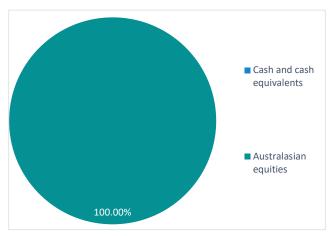
This shows the types of assets the Fund invests in.

### Actual investment mix4



This shows the mix of assets the Fund generally intends to invest in.

# Target investment mix



### Top 10 investments<sup>5</sup>

	Name	% of fund net assets	Туре	Country	Credit rating (if applicable)
1	Fisher & Paykel Healthcare Ltd	15.95%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
2	Auckland International Airport Ltd	10.09%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
3	Infratil Ltd	9.22%	9.22% Australasian equities		
4	Contact Energy Ltd	6.30%	6.30% Australasian equities N		
5	Meridian Energy Ltd	5.74%	% Australasian equities New		
6	A2 Milk Company Ltd	5.63%	% Australasian equities New Z		
7	EBOS Group Ltd	4.49%	4.49% Australasian equities		
8	Mainfreight Ltd	3.97%	Australasian equities New Zeala		
9	Mercury NZ Ltd	3.76%	Australasian equities New Zealand		
10	Spark New Zealand Ltd	3.20%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	

The top 10 investments make up 68.35% of the net asset value of the Fund.

# Key personnel

This shows the directors and employees who have the most influence on the investment decisions of the Fund.

Name	Current position	Time in current position	Previous or other position	Time in previous position
Andrew Bascand	Chair, Investment Committee	0 years, 7 months	Managing Director, Harbour Asset Management Ltd (other position)	15 years, 9 months
Richard Ansell	Member, Investment Committee	0 years, 7 months	Independent Director, BNZ Investment Services Ltd (other position)	6 years, 7 months
Louis Nel	Member, Investment Committee	0 years, 7 months	Head of External Managers & Partnerships, Harbour Asset Management Limited (other position)	1 year, 2 months
Murray Brown	Member, Investment Committee	0 years, 7 months	Independent Director, Harbour Asset Management Ltd (other position)	5 years, 7 months
Hamish Pepper [NEW]	Member, Investment Committee	0 years, 1 month	Head of Multi-Asset & Global Investments, Harbour Asset Management Ltd (other position)	0 years, 1 month

# Further information

You can also obtain this information, the PDS for the Private Wealth Series, and some additional information from the offer register at **companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose** 

### Contact details

If you have any questions about this Fund or the Private Wealth Series, please call BNZ on 0800 477 077 or visit BNZ's website at bnz.co.nz/private-banking

#### Notes

- 1. As the Fund has been operating for less than five years, we have used a mix of actual and market index returns for the five-year period to 30 September 2025 to calculate its risk indicator. This means it may provide a less reliable indicator of the potential future volatility of the Fund. The inception date for the Fund was 25 February 2025. The Fund's risk indicator is based on market index returns from 1 October 2020 to 28 February 2025 and actual returns from 1 March 2025 to 30 September 2025.
- 2. Because the risk indicator is calculated using the past 5 years' worth of returns, in periods of high return volatility the risk indicator is more susceptible to change from time to time.
- 3. As the fund started on 25 February 2025, it has not been in existence for a full scheme year. This example is based on the actual returns since inception, after deductions for charges and tax. It is not an annualised return.
- 4. The calculation of cash and cash equivalents within the actual investment mix allocation may include investor flows not yet unitised, liquidity cash and fund accruals but excludes cash and cash equivalents held by our investment managers for operational purposes which are categorised within the asset class to which they apply.
- 5. Investor flows not yet unitised, outstanding settlements, and any operating accruals, are excluded from the Top 10 investments.