

### Fund Description

The Fiducian Capital Stable Fund is suitable for investors seeking a relatively high level of income supplemented by a modest level of capital growth. The bulk of the portfolio is held in the fixed interest and cash sector to reduce the likelihood and frequency of negative returns over a single year period. However, some exposure to shares for long-term performance is also included.

This Fund is likely to be suitable for investors who can hold investments for two to three years at least, who are relatively conservative, but are prepared to take some risk by investing a small portion of their assets in Australian and international share funds and property.

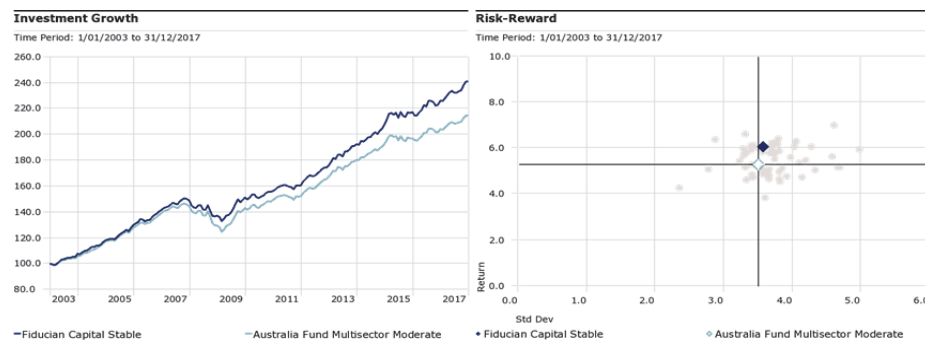
<b>Fund Classification</b>	Core/Diversified	Sector	Specialist/Satellite
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### Manager Commentary

The Fund out-performed the median manager by 0.1% with a return of 0.1% during December. Over the 2017 calendar year, the Fund out-performed the median manager by 1.6% with a return of 6.6%. During the month, both cash and bonds under-performed domestic equities including domestic listed property securities. The Fund's overweight exposure to domestic shares added to fund performance as domestic equities rose during the month. Over weight exposure to global equities, however, detracted from performance as global equities fell in AUD terms, following a 3.1% rise in the Australian Dollar against the US Dollar. Out-performances by the Fiducian Australian Shares Fund, the Fiducian International Shares Fund and the Fiducian Property Securities Fund, however, contributed to fund performance on a relative basis. Underweight exposure to defensive assets also contributed to fund performance as fixed interest sectors were negative, with the Australian 10-year Government bond yield rising by 13 basis points during the month. Energy, base metals and bulk commodities prices were broadly higher during the month, which boosted the resources sector.

An overweight exposure to international and domestic equities remains, as currently valuations for equities still appear to be more attractive than for Australian and international bonds, despite a recent fall in the bond markets. This fund was ranked 11<sup>th</sup> out of 116 multi-sector diversified growth funds surveyed by Morningstar for the 2017 calendar year, while it ranked 4<sup>th</sup> out of 106 funds over the 5 years to end-December.

### Fund Performance and Risk Analytics Summary (source: Morningstar)



#### Current Period Return (net of fees as at 31 December 2017)

	1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yrs (pa)	5 Yrs (pa)	10 Yrs (pa)
<b>Fund</b>	0.1%	2.9%	3.8%	6.6%	5.1%	6.5%	4.9%
Median	0.0%	2.2%	2.8%	5.1%	3.8%	5.2%	4.4%
Excess	0.1%	0.7%	0.9%	1.6%	1.2%	1.3%	0.5%

#### Risk Exposure

	1 Yr	3 Yrs (pa)	5 Yrs (pa)	10 Yrs (pa)
<b>Fund Volatility (Std Dev %)</b>	2.2%	3.6%	3.3%	3.9%
Median (Std Dev %)	1.9%	3.2%	3.0%	4.0%
Beta	0.96	1.00	0.99	0.98
Tracking Error (% pa)	0.5%	0.8%	0.8%	0.9%

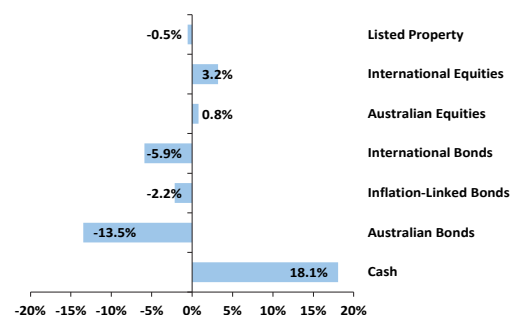
#### Calendar Year return (net of fees)

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>Fund</b>	10.3%	3.3%	2.7%	9.7%	9.3%	7.9%	4.6%	4.0%	6.6%
Median	9.4%	3.9%	2.0%	9.6%	8.2%	6.6%	2.4%	3.5%	5.1%
Excess	+0.9%	-0.6%	+0.7%	+0.1%	+1.2%	+1.1%	+2.2%	+0.5%	+1.6%

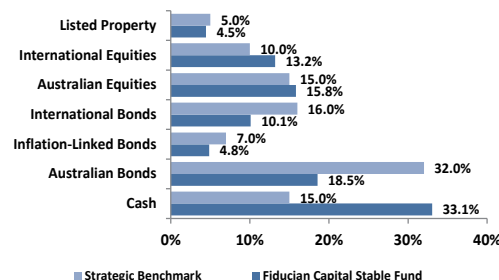
### Fund Facts

<b>Portfolio Manager:</b>	Conrad Burge
<b>Asset Sector:</b>	Diversified Assets
<b>Asset Code:</b>	SF1
<b>ARSN:</b>	093 542 879
<b>APIR Code:</b>	FPS0002AU
<b>Benchmark:</b>	Morningstar Multisector Moderate Median
<b>Inception Date:</b>	March 1997
<b>Fund Size:</b>	\$209.7 mil as at 31 December 2017
<b>Application/Exit Fee:</b>	Nil
<b>Management Fee:</b>	0.96%

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### Asset Allocation



### Top Holdings

Asset Class	Fund Manager	Weight
Australian Equities	Solaris	3.0%
	Fidelity	2.6%
	Bennelong	2.6%
	L1 Capital	3.4%
	Ausbil Dexia	2.4%
	BT	1.8%
	Franklin Templeton	3.7%
	BlackRock	0.3%
	Wellington	3.6%
	SSGA	3.5%
International Equities	State Bank of India	0.1%
	Sundaram	0.3%
	HDFC	0.1%
	Tata	0.1%
	Vanguard	0.1%
	Wellington Technology	0.6%
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	BlackRock	0.6%
	Phoenix	0.5%
	Principal	0.3%
Listed Property	BlackRock	0.6%
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Australian Bonds	BlackRock	2.5%
Inflation-Linked Bonds	BlackRock	1.3%
International Bonds	BlackRock	0.0%
Net Cash	BlackRock	17.6%
	CMT	4.8%