



AMP MySuper 1970s

Quarterly Investment Option Update

31 December 2022

Aim and Strategy

The strategy aims to achieve a rate of return of 3.0% pa above the inflation rate (measured by the Consumer Price Index), after fees and superannuation tax, over the suggested investment timeframe. Returns from both capital growth and income are provided through a diversified portfolio. AMP's MySuper investment option gives you an investment solution that takes you all the way through your superannuation savings journey. This approach, known as lifestages investing, delivers an investment strategy that continuously evolves to align with the changing stages of an investor's life. It takes the hard work out of deciding how to invest your savings by providing the simplicity of a single investment choice. This investment option is an age-based investment, meaning that the strategy of this investment option will change progressively over your lifetime as appropriate for the average investor born during the 1970s. This means that younger investors will have higher exposure to growth investment strategies because they have a longer period to retirement and can afford to take more risk. However, for investors closer to retirement, investments will have greater focus on seeking to preserve the capital built up and reducing risk whilst maintaining some exposure to growth assets. International investments may be partially or fully hedged back to Australian dollars. Subject to certain conditions, the underlying investments may use derivatives (such as options, futures, forwards and swaps) and engage in short selling.

Investment Option Performance

To view the latest investment performances for this product, please visit www.amp.com.au/performance

Investment Option Overview

Investment category	Multi-Sector
Suggested minimum investment timeframe	7 years
Standard Risk Measure	6/High
Investment style	Active
Manager style	Multi-manager

Asset Allocation	Benchmark (%)
Global Shares	42
Australian Shares	34
Property	7
Infrastructure	6
Alternatives	4
Fixed Interest	4
Cash	3

Actual Allocation	%
Global Shares	34.88
Australian Shares	34.04
Listed Property and Infrastructure	5.08
Unlisted Property and Infrastructure	7.60
Growth Alternatives	11.07
International Fixed Interest	3.61
Cash	3.71

Fund Performance

After what was a largely difficult year across most major markets, the final quarter of 2022 brought some relief for investors. Positive returns across most asset classes saw investment option performance end the year on an encouraging note after being constrained by higher inflation, rising interest rates and global growth concerns for most of 2022.

The 1970s investment option strategy maintains an emphasis on capital growth - investing in assets which are focused on the long term, primarily equities combined supported by allocations to alternatives, direct property and direct infrastructure as well as smaller holdings in bonds and credit. Going into year-end, the investment option was well positioned to participate in the market rebound in the December quarter with Australian equities and international equities generating a positive return as inflationary pressures showed signs of easing. Relative to the market index, international equities allocations performed broadly in line, as a strong performance in developed market allocations was offset by weakness in emerging market and private equity holdings. Australian equity gains were slightly constrained due to weaker stock selection by managers Bennelong and ECP. Allocations to alternatives, direct property, direct infrastructure generated small gains over the period although fell short of equity market gains. Bond allocations provided a modest positive return after falling for most of the year whilst the large allocation to cash also provided welcomed stability, diversifying away from falling markets in the month of December.

The investment option outperformed its CPI objective over the quarter and remains behind over 12 months, following the sharp rise in CPI in combination with broad based corrections across equity and bond markets.

As we move into 2023, the impact of higher inflation and interest rates, as well as geopolitical concerns, remain a constant threat. However, with expectations of a recession largely priced into global markets and signals of inflationary and interest rate pressures beginning to level out, we remain cautiously optimistic for the year ahead.

Market Review

The December quarter saw continued choppy conditions across many markets, similar to that experienced throughout the rest of 2022. While driven by familiar themes, broader market sentiment was pulled in contrary directions, perhaps due to differing timeframes of investor outlooks, as shorter-term traders unsurprisingly continued to focus on inflation prints and the pathway of rate rises, medium-term considerations tended to centre around the growing likelihood of recession, while many longer-term investors looked beyond impending recessionary conditions to what opportunities a post-downturn recovery in economic growth, along with potentially lower inflation, may bring. Around the globe, central bankers' comments remained generally hawkish, even towards the end of the quarter, despite a clear slowing in the pace of hikes. Amid all this, continued geopolitical and diplomatic developments added complexity to the broader global outlook, with Russia's war on Ukraine and Chinese government policy both remaining in the spotlight. In the meantime, the US unveiled its next generation stealth bomber, the B21, arguably adding significant weight to NATO's strategic and tactical deterrence. Elsewhere, long-standing political tensions continued to simmer between Greece and Turkey. Finally, China suddenly began its exit from its draconian 'COVID-zero' policy, injecting a shot of optimism into the global outlook, particularly in Asian emerging markets.

Availability

Product Name	APIR
SignatureSuper	AMP1889AU

Contact Details

Web: www.amp.com.au

Email: askamp@amp.com.au

Phone: 131 267



What you need to know

This publication has been prepared by AWM Services Pty Limited ABN 15 139 353 496, AFSL No. 366121 (AWM Services). The information contained in this publication has been derived from sources believed to be accurate and reliable as at the date of this document. Information provided in this investment option update are views of the underlying investment manager only and not necessarily the views of AMP Limited ABN 49 079 354 519 (AMP Group). No representation is given in relation to the accuracy or completeness of any statement contained in it. Whilst care has been taken in the preparation of this publication, to the extent permitted by law, no liability is accepted for any loss or damage as a result of reliance on this information.

The investment option referred to in this publication is available through products issued by N.M. Superannuation Proprietary Ltd ABN 31 008 428 322, AFSL 234654 (NM Super). Before deciding to invest or make a decision about the investment options, you should read the current Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) for the relevant product, available from the issuer or your financial planner.

Any advice in this document is of a general nature only and does not take into account your financial situation, objectives and needs. Before you make any investment decision based on the information contained in this document you should consider how it applies to your personal objectives, financial situation and needs, or speak to a financial planner. In providing any general advice, AMP Group receives fees and charges and their employees and directors receive salaries, bonuses and other benefits.

Any references to the "Fund", strategies, asset allocations or exposures are references to the underlying managed fund that the investment option either directly or indirectly invests in. The investment option's aim and strategy mirrors the objective and investment approach of the underlying fund. An investment in the investment option is not a direct investment in the underlying fund.

Neither NM Super, AWM Services, any other company in the AMP Group nor the underlying fund manager guarantees the repayment of capital or the performance of any product or particular rate of return referred to in this document, unless expressly stated in the PDS. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Any slight asset allocation deviations from 100% may be caused by rounding, asset categorisation and/or hedging.