

ipac Income Generator

Quarterly Investment Option Update

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Aim and Strategy

To provide regular income with some capital growth over rolling 5 year periods, whilst also maintaining moderate levels of capital stability. The portfolio uses a range of specialist investment managers to invest in a diversified mix of income-producing assets, including traditional income-generating investments like fixed interest and growth assets like equities (particularly Australian shares that generally pay higher dividends and can provide franking credits).

Investment Option Performance

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Investment Option Overview

Investment category	Multi-Sector
Suggested minimum investment timeframe	5 years
Relative risk rating	Medium
Investment style	Active
Manager style	Multi-manager

Asset Allocation	Benchmark (%)
Australian Fixed Interest	N/A
Australian Shares	N/A
Cash	N/A
International Fixed Interest	N/A
International shares	N/A
Listed Property and Infrastructure	N/A
Actual Allocation	%
International Shares	18.17
Australian Shares	39.75
Australian Fixed Interest	42.09

Fund Performance

The Fund produced a solid return over the quarter and year. The strong performance over the quarter was driven by a variety of beneficial factors. The Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) cut interest rates twice over the period, reaching 1% after almost three years of stable policy. This was triggered by soft inflation, weaker housing and slowing global manufacturing. Not surprisingly, fixed income performed relatively well. In equities, Australian shares, led by banks, responded positively to rate cuts, easing lending regulations and the re-election of the Liberal government. All these developments aligned to support the fund in the quarter and round out a strong year.

Portfolio Positioning

The Fund made its final monthly distribution for the year, with the final distribution three times higher than the estimated income reserve. Income receipts outperformed forecasts, driven by higher than anticipated levels of buybacks throughout the year. Final distributions of residual income and franking are also expected to be strong. The 13th distribution is expected to provide an additional 0.8% to be reinvested in new units. Finally, franking credit receipts are also expected to exceed forecasts by a substantial margin, due to the higher level of share buybacks over the year.

Market Review

Global equities remained resilient during the quarter, despite the International Monetary Fund downgrading global growth forecasts. However, the risks around growth and the strong gains in shares this year have increased the probability of a correction. Central banks are retaining their bias towards accommodative measures as visibility on growth fades.

Despite the rise in equity values, there has been some flight-to-safety as trade war and geo-political risks increase, and this has seen bond yields fall, resulting in a positive correlation between bond and equity prices.

Despite the ongoing global trade tensions, hopes remain that a practical and sustainable resolution to the US-China dispute will be reached. However, market optimism is fragile and there remain significant risks. The US's approach appears to be widening in scope if anything, with its removal of India's preferential trade status and associated implementation of tariffs. In addition, the potential for armed conflict between the US and Iran has heightened the geo-political risk environment. There were thus great expectations for positive communications and outcomes for world trade at the G20 meeting in Japan at the tail-end of the quarter, particularly from sideline talks between country heads.

Outlook

As the new year financial begins, a familiar story is confronting investors. Lower interest rates and term deposit rates are conspiring to reduce income expectations. The Fund has maintained income production at around 4.75% gross of fees and inclusive of franking credits over the last few years and we expect to maintain close to this level for next year. The Fund retains a slightly higher exposure to Australian shares, given the increased yield advantage and we also expect to slightly increase exposure to the strongly performing Community Infrastructure Fund.

Availability

Product Name	APIR
AMP Flexible Lifetime Super	AMP1708AU
AMP Flexible Super - Retirement account	AMP1763AU
AMP Flexible Super - Super account	AMP1755AU
CustomSuper	AMP1708AU
Flexible Lifetime - Allocated Pension	AMP1716AU
SignatureSuper	AMP1735AU
SignatureSuper - Allocated Pension	AMP1742AU

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