

Key information

Bought and sold from Kernel directly or via all major wrap platforms

Structure: Portfolio Investment Entity (PIE)

Fund Inception: 11 April 2022

Number of constituents: 1800

Morningstar AU Fund code: 25300

Morningstar Code: F00001E0WV

Citi Code: UKW2

Disclose Register #: FND37639

Total fund value: \$634,141,855

Distribution frequency: Quarterly

12 month Yield¹: 2.40%

Management fee: 0.25% p.a.

Offer documents²

PDS: August 2025

SIPO: September 2025

ESG Policy: April 2024

Fund Update: September 2025

Index: Composite of Benchmark asset allocation. See SIPO for full details

Risk (index data)

Fund update risk Indicator: 5

12 month volatility³: 10.57%

Monthly returns standard deviation

	+/-1 (68%)	+/-2 (95%)
1 year	2.65%	5.31%
3 years	2.56%	5.12%
5 years	2.71%	5.42%

Range of 12 month index returns

	1 year	5 years
Worst	2.13%	-9.55%
Median	15.55%	13.72%
Average	15.56%	12.29%
Best	26.05%	33.14%

Fund overview

The High Growth Fund is made up of over 98% growth assets, such as shares and listed property. This globally diversified fund is designed to help investors build long-term wealth while lessening volatility through geographical and sector diversification. It is suitable for an investor with an investment time horizon of at least 5 years.

Benefits

The Kernel High Growth fund can be used in a variety of investment strategies:

- Portfolio core
- Low-cost global equity exposure

Performance⁴

	1 month	3 months	1 year	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a. index
Index total return	0.38%	4.09%	16.10%	19.72%	13.92%*
Fund gross return ⁵	0.34%	4.02%	15.48%	19.44%	
Gross tracking difference	-0.04%	-0.07%	-0.62%	-0.28%	
Performance (after fees at 0% PIR tax)	0.31%	3.94%	15.16%	19.02%	
Performance (after fees at 28% PIR tax)	0.22%	3.66%	13.42%	18.00%	

*Index returns do not reflect deductions for charges and taxes.

Index Calendar return

2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
18.94%	-8.69%	22.45%	10.87%	29.51%

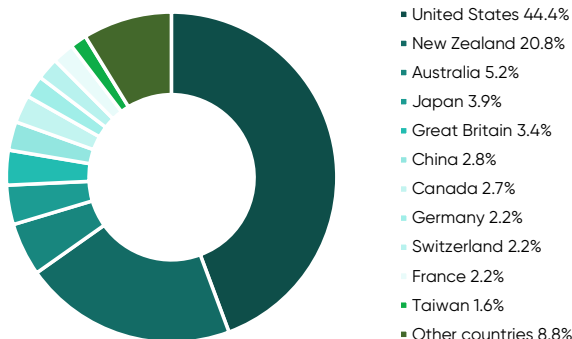
Index value chart

\$10,000 invested 5 years ago⁶: \$19,185



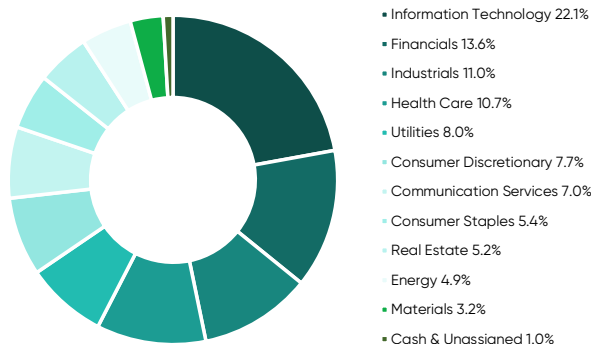
Where does the fund invest?

This shows the country weight that the fund invests in:



What does the fund invest in?

This shows the GICS⁷ weighting for the fund:



Fund breakdown

Holdings	% of fund NAV
Kernel NZ 20 Fund	18.03%
Kernel S&P Global 100 (NZD Hedged) Fund	16.45%
Kernel S&P Global 100 Fund	16.56%
Kernel World ex-US (NZD Hedged) Fund	12.52%
Kernel S&P 500 (Unhedged) Fund	12.53%
Kernel Global Infrastructure (NZD Hedged) Fund	7.59%
Kernel Emerging Markets Fund	7.09%
Kernel Australia 100 Fund	4.15%
Kernel Global Property (NZD Hedged) Fund	2.19%
Kernel NZ Small & Mid Cap Opportunities	2.06%
Kernel Cash Plus Fund	0.81%
Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.00%

Top 10 investments

Company	Country	% of fund NAV
SPDR Portfolio Emerging Markets ETF	Multinational	7.09%
Nvidia	United States	5.08%
Apple	United States	4.50%
Microsoft	United States	4.03%
Alphabet	United States	3.68%
Fisher & Paykel Healthcare	New Zealand	2.67%
Amazon	United States	2.52%
Auckland International Airport	New Zealand	2.33%
Broadcom	United States	1.83%
Infratil	New Zealand	1.79%

The Top 10 investments make up 35.52% of the fund

Further information

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1. 12 month Yield is the last 4 quarterly distributions divided by unit price 12 months ago. This is the experience an existing investor would have had.

2. The offer documents are available at www.kernelwealth.co.nz

3. 12 month volatility is the standard deviation of daily returns, annualised by multiplying by square root of number of periods.

4. Performance assumes distributions reinvested. Gross tracking difference is before fees, expenses and tax. Rounding may cause a difference of 0.01%.

5. Gross return is estimated from the 0.25% management fee.

6. Growth of a hypothetical investment in the index (no allowance for fees or taxes) and no further contributions.

7. Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS)