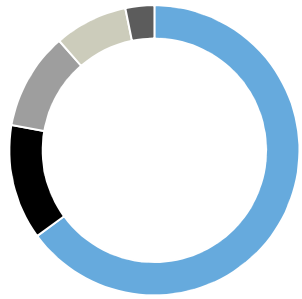
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Russell Investments Conservative Fund

Asset allocation as at 29 February 2024[3]



Fixed Int & Cash	65.0%
Int Shares	12.8%
Aust Shares	10.9%
Property	8.2%
Alternatives	3.2%

Fund objective

To provide returns over the short to medium term, with low volatility, consistent with a diversified mix of predominantly defensive assets and some growth oriented assets.

Fund strategy

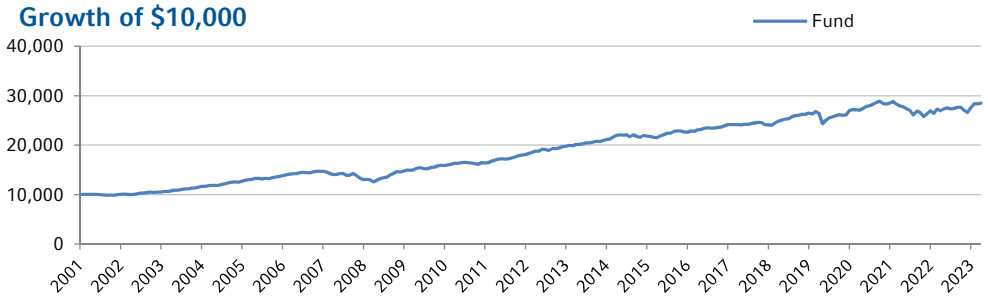
The Fund typically invests in a diversified portfolio mix with exposure to growth investments of around 30% and defensive investments of around 70%. Derivatives may be used to implement investment strategies.
For detailed information on the Fund's ESG considerations, including applicable investment exclusions, refer to 'ESG considerations' in section 5 of the Additional Information Booklet that forms part of the Fund's Product Disclosure Statement, available at russellinvestments.com/au/RFA/investing.

Performance review[1,2]

Period ending 29/02/2024	1 month %	3 months %	1 year %	3 years %p.a.	5 years %p.a.	Since inception %p.a.
Total return	0.57	3.70	5.77	1.77	2.83	4.83
Distribution	-	0.01	1.37	4.06	4.28	5.21
Growth	0.57	3.69	4.40	-2.29	-1.45	-0.38

1 Performance is net of fees and charges. Assumes reinvestment of income. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.
2 The distribution return reflects income paid from the Fund, whilst the growth return reflects changes in the capital values of the units.

Growth of $10,000



Fund commentary

The Russell Investments Conservative Fund narrowly underperformed the benchmark in February. However, the Fund did deliver positive absolute returns for the month. The Fund's 70% allocation to income assets such as Australian and global bonds and cash tends to drive returns.

Within our traditional fixed income portfolio, the Russell Investments Australian Bond Fund performed in line with its benchmark over the period; though absolute returns were slightly negative. In contrast, the Russell Investments International Bond Fund – $A Hedged underperformed its benchmark, driven by interest rate and active currency positioning, including a short Japanese yen exposure. In terms of our extended fixed income exposure, Metrics Credit outperformed cash and traditional fixed income assets over the period, with Australian loans continuing to generate income-like returns. The Russell Investments Australian Floating Rate Fund also performed well. The Fund's equity portfolio was mixed. In terms of domestic equities, both the Russell Investments Australian Shares Core Fund and the Russell Investments Australian Opportunities Fund (RAOF) delivered positive absolute and excess returns over the period. The Core Fund benefited from stock selection within the industrials space, while RAOF's outperformance was driven by stock selection amongst materials and property trusts. The Russell Investments Australian Shares Index Fund tracked the broader equity market higher. Within our global equity portfolio, the Russell Investments Tax Effective Global Shares Fund underperformed its benchmark in February; though it did record strong absolute returns for the month. The Russell Investments Multi-Asset Factor Exposure Fund also underperformed, driven in part by an overweight to the value factor. Meanwhile, a weaker Australian dollar (relative to the US dollar) boosted the returns of the Fund's assets denominated in foreign currency.

Fund facts

Share class
Class C

Inception date
30 November 2001

Fund size
AUD 45.75m

Portfolio manager
Daniel Choo

Recommended investment timeframe
3 years

Tax structure
Investment - Class C

APIR code
RIM0012AU

ARSN code
094-799-578

Management fees and costs†
0.71%

Performance fees‡
0.01%

3 Allocations may not equal 100% due to rounding.
† As a percentage of net assets. Includes management fee, indirect costs and expense recoveries. Reflects RIM's reasonable estimates of the typical fees for the current financial year. All costs reflect the actual amount incurred for previous financial year and may include RIM's reasonable estimates where information was not available or where RIM was unable to determine the exact amount. Refer to the PDS for further information.
‡ As a percentage of net assets. RIM does not charge a performance fee at the Fund level, however underlying funds and managers may charge a performance fee. This estimated fee is based on the average of actual performance fees incurred over the past 5 financial years. Refer to PDS for further information.

Russell Investments Conservative Fund (continued)

Actual asset allocation as at 29 February 2024[3]



Russell Investments Australian Bond Fund	20.3%		
Russell Investments International Bond Fund - A$ Hedged	18.4%		
Russell Investments Australian Floating Rate Fund	6.3%		
Russell Investments Global Bond Fund AUD Hedged	5.7%		
Russell Investments Australian Cash Fund	5.1%	Fixed Interest and Cash	65.0%
Metrics Credit Partners	4.7%		
Metrics Credit Partners Secured Private Debt Fund II	2.3%		
Russell Investments Extended Strategies Fund	2.1%		
Cash	-0.5%		
Fixed Interest and Cash - Derivatives	0.7%		
Russell Investments Tax Effective Global Shares Fund	8.2%		
Russell Investments Multi-Asset Factor Exposure Fund	4.8%	International Shares	12.8%
Russell Investments Global Opportunities Fund - A$ Hedged	0.3%		
International Shares - Derivatives	-0.5%		
Russell Investments Australian Shares Core Fund	6.5%		
Russell Investments Australian Opportunities Fund	4.0%	Australian Shares	10.9%
Russell Investments Australian Shares Index Fund	0.2%		
Australian Shares - Derivatives	0.3%		
Russell Investments Private Assets Fund - Property Portion	4.6%		
Vanguard International Properties Securities Fund	3.2%	Property	8.2%
Vanguard Australian Properties Securities Fund	0.4%		
Russell Investments Private Assets Fund - Infrastructure Portion	2.6%		
Vanguard Global Infrastructure Fund - A$ Hedged	0.6%	Alternatives	3.2%
Russell Investments Global Listed Infrastructure Fund	0.0%		
Amundi Absolute Volatility World Equities Fund	0.0%		

3 Allocations may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Russell Investments Conservative Fund (continued)

Portfolio structure[4]

Russell Investments Australian Opportunities Fund	
Allan Gray	Deep Value
Ausbil Investment Management	Style Neutral, 130/30
Firetrail Investments	Opportunistic, high conviction
L1 Capital (Catalyst)	Concentrated, activist
Platypus Asset Management	Aggressive growth
Russell Investments	Liquidity Reserve
Russell Investments	Positioning strategies
WaveStone Capital	Quality growth
Russell Investments Australian Shares Core Fund	
Ausbil	Core, earnings revisions focus
DFA	Deep value small cap
Liquidity Reserve	Cash
Numeric Investors	Quantitative
Platypus	Aggressive growth
Russell Investments	Active positioning strategy
Russell Investments	Systematic positioning strategy - defensive
Russell Investments Australian Shares Index Fund	
Russell Investments	Core
Russell Investments Global Opportunities Fund - $A Hedged	
J O Hambro Capital Management	UK equity dynamic
Man Numeric Investors	Core global equities, global low volatility
Nissay Asset Management	Japanese equities
Oaktree Capital	Emerging markets
PineStone Asset Management	Core global equities
Redwheel	Global emerging markets
Russell Investments	Liquidity Reserve
Russell Investments	Positioning strategies
Sanders Capital	Core global value
Wellington Management Company	Global growth equity
Russell Investments Multi-Asset Factor Exposure Fund	
Russell Investments	Core
Russell Investments Tax Effective Global Shares Fund	
J O Hambro Capital Management	UK equity
Liquidity Reserve	Cash
Morgan Stanley	Global growth
Nissay Asset Management	Japan equity
Numeric Investors	Global core, global low volatility
Oaktree Capital	Emerging markets
PineStone Asset Management	Global growth
Redwheel	Emerging markets
Russell Investments	Positioning strategies
Sanders Capital	Global value
Amundi Absolute Volatility World Equities Fund AUD Hedged	
Amundi	Volatility

Russell Investments Conservative Fund (continued)

Portfolio structure[4]

Russell Investments Global Listed Infrastructure Fund - Hedged	
Cohen & Steers	Growth, valuation sensitive
First Sentier Investors	Fundamental with growth at a reasonable price
Nuveen	Style Neutral, diversified
Russell Investments	Active risk overlay
Russell Investments Private Assets Fund	
Brookfield Premier Real Estate Partners Australia	Core plus Australian office property
Charter Hall Prime Industrial Fund	Core Australian industrial property
DEXUS Wholesale Property Fund	Core Australian diversified property, office focus
IFM Australian Infrastructure Fund	Core diversified Australian infrastructure
Morrison & Co Infrastructure Partnership	Core plus global infrastructure
Morrison & Co Utilities Trust of Australia	Core diversified Australian & UK infrastructure
Vanguard Global Infrastructure Fund (Hedged)	
Vanguard	Passive
Vanguard International Property Securities Index Fund (Hedged)	
Vanguard	Passive
Vanguard Australian Property Securities Index Fund	
Vanguard	Passive
Metrics Credit	
Metrics Credit	Australian Corporate Loans
Metrics Credit Partners Secured Private Debt Fund II	
Metrics Credit Partners Secured Private Debt Fund II	Australian Corporate Loans
Russell Investments Australian Bond Fund	
Macquarie Asset Management	Alpha seeking
Russell Investments	Positioning strategies
UBS	Alpha seeking
Western Asset Management	Alpha seeking
Russell Investments Australian Floating Rate Fund	
Perpetual	Floating rate income strategy
Russell Investments	Positioning strategies
Russell Investments Australian Cash Fund	
Russell Investments	Cash Management
Russell Investments International Bond Fund - $A Hedged	
BlueBay	Country selection
Russell Investments	Integrated Global Governments
Russell Investments	Intelligent Credit (Systematic)
Russell Investments	Liquidity
Schroders	Securitised specialist
Western Asset Management	Security selection
RIC Global Bond Fund Class AUDH	
BlueBay	Country & credit selection
Colchester	Rates & currency – value
Insight	Broad market approach, currency & rates
Russell Investments	Positioning strategies

Russell Investments Conservative Fund (continued)

Portfolio structure[4]

Schroders	Securitised specialist
Voya	Diversified alpha
Russell Investments Extended Strategies Fund	
Russell Investments	Inflation Linked Bonds

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