# Australian Ethical High Growth Fund

Fund Profile - 29 February 2024



Australian Ethical is one of Australia's leading ethical fund managers. By investing responsibly in well-managed ethical companies, we deliver competitive financial performance to our clients and positive change to society and the environment. Since our inception in 1986, our Ethical Charter has guided all investment decisions and underpinned our business practices. Every year 10 per cent of our profits\* are distributed to charitable organisations and social impact initiatives through The Australian Ethical Foundation.

### Investment objective

It aims to achieve returns of 4.5% p.a. above inflation (after management costs) over the long term

#### **Price information**

Pricing Daily frequency:

**Buy/Sell spread:** 0.05%/0.05%

**Fund facts** 

Fund size: \$6.70m

Benchmark: Australian Ethical High Growth Composite

Asset class: Equity
Inception date: 18/02/2010

Minimum 7 Years investment

timeframe:

Risk level: High

#### Identifiers

ISIN code: AU60AUG00085

APIR code: AUG0008AU

## **Distributions**

Frequency: 2

Dates: 30/06, 31/12

## **Fees**

Management 1.53% costs - PDS:

Minimum initial \$1,000 investment: \$500 with a Regular investor

plan
Additional 0.00%
transactional

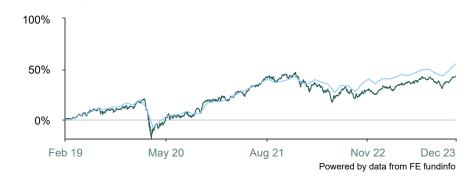
and operational costs:

A full explanation of all the fees and costs that you may be charged for investing in the Fund is provided in the Fund's Product Disclosure Statements available from our website australianethical.com.au

## Investment strategy

Investors seeking capital growth through an exposure to growth assets such as Australian and international shares, unlisted property and alternative assets. The Fund is suited to investors with alonger timeframe and higher risk tolerance.

## Cumulative performance (as at 29/02/2024)



- Australian Ethical High Growth
- Benchmark

## Performance (as at 29/02/2024)

	1m	3m	6m	1y	Зу	5у	10y	Since inception (ann.)
Fund	3.3%	9.3%	6.4%	14.4%	8.3%	8.6%	8.5%	9.1%
Benchmark	0.0%	4.3%	3.5%	10.7%	9.1%	9.2%	8.7%	8.8%

### Calendar Performance (as at end 2023)

	CY2023	CY2022	CY2021	CY2020	CY2019
Fund	14.0%	-13.4%	22.0%	7.1%	22.7%
Benchmark	14.5%	-5.0%	21.1%	2.7%	24.7%

Source: FE fundinfo.

Total returns are calculated using the sell (exit) price, net of management fees and gross of tax as if distributions of income have been reinvested at the actual distribution reinvestment price. The actual returns received by an investor will depend on the timing, buy and exit prices of individual transactions. Return of capital and the performance of your investment in the fund are not guaranteed. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Figures showing a period of less than one year have not been adjusted to show an annual total return. Figures for periods of greater than one year are on a per annum compound basis. The current benchmark may not have been the benchmark over all periods shown in the above chart and tables. The calculation of the benchmark performance links the performance of previous benchmarks and the current benchmark over the relevant time periods.

<sup>\*(</sup>after tax, before bonus expense)

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Top 10	
MICROSOFT CORP	2.0%
APPLE INC	1.9%
WESTPAC BANKING CORPORATION ORD F/PD SHARES	1.6%
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK	1.5%
NVIDIA CORPORATION	1.3%
DEXUS HEALTHCARE PROPERTY FUND ORDINARY UNITS	1.1%
SUNCORP GROUP LIMITED	1.1%
ALPHABET INC-CL A	1.1%
CSL LIMITED	1.0%
MORRISON & CO GROWTH INFRASTRUCTURE FUND - MGIF NO 2	1.0%

## Ratings and awards

#### **RIAA**

Certification:

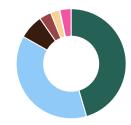


## Why invest ethically?

Portfolio diversification: Diversify your portfolio by investing in companies and sectors not well covered by other fund managers and brokers. Help build a better world: Invest in the new, low-carbon economy, fund medical and technology breakthroughs, efficient transport and more. Promote human rights: We strive to avoid any investment in companies involved in the poor treatment of asylum seekers or the exploitation of workers through poor working conditions.

#### Asset allocation

Australian & NZ Shares	45.5%
International Shares	37.7%
Alternative Assets	7.2%
Property	3.5%
International Fixed Interest	2.6%
Australian Fixed Interest	0.2%
Cash, FRN's and short	3.3%
duration fixed interest	



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