## **PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)**





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## **FUND COMMENTARY**

The Property & Infrastructure Fund returned -1.6% during the month, bringing it to a 12-month return of 3.6%.

Listed, global property and infrastructure came under pressure during the month, giving back some of the gains from May. Interest rates drifted higher again, putting pressure on valuations, particularly in Australia. In addition, as the prospect of a Trump victory seems more likely, renewable energy stocks suffered because it is widely expected that a Republican victory would lead to reduced investment in this sector in favour of Oil & Gas. Some markets experienced volatility stemming from political election uncertainty, including India and France.

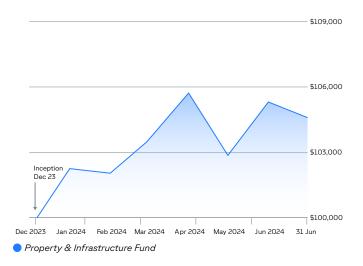
Positive contributions came from Infratil, US Real Estate operator Prologis, and Spanish listed airport operator Aena, which posted a positive trading update and upgrade. The strong performance is attributed to steady demand and an 11.4% increase in passengers at Aena airports during the first five months of 2024 compared to the same period in 2023.

On the downside, there was a pullback in some US utilities, particularly those that have had a good run, like Constellation Energy and a new position we initiated in this sector within the Fund.

We continue to believe that interest rate headwinds will turn into tailwinds over the next 6-12 months, and that demand for infrastructure will only increase. We are confident this will translate into strong long-term returns for investors in this Fund.

## **CUMULATIVE FUND PERFORMANCE**

If you had invested \$100,000 at inception, the graph below shows what it would be worth today.



FUND DETAILS				
Recommended minimum investment period	7 years			
Objective	Capital growth over a period exceeding seven years.			
Description	Invests predominantly in listed property and infrastructure securities, directly and/or through externally managed funds.			
Inception date	5 December 2023			
Standard withdrawal period	5 working days			
Risk indicator	Potentially Lower Returns	Potentially Higher Returns		

Lower Risk

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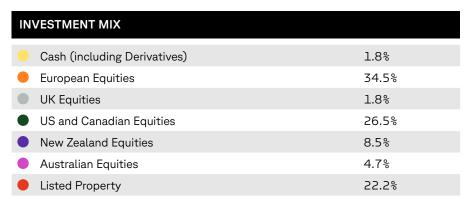
Higher Risk

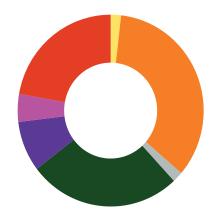
## Pie Property & Infrastructure Fund Monthly Update as at 30 June 2024

PERFORMANCE						
	1 month	1 yr	3 yrs (p.a.)	5 yrs (p.a.)	7 yrs (p.a.)	Since inception
Property & Infrastructure Fund	-1.6%					3.6%
MARKET INDEX*	-1.5%					7.3%

Returns after fees but before individual PIR tax applied

\*The market index is a composite index (70% S&P Global Infrastructure Fund Net Total Return Index (100% Hedged to NZD), 30% S&P Global REIT Total Return Index (100% Hedged to NZD))





Asset allocation is rounded to the nearest tenth of a percent; therefore, the aggregate may not equal 100%.

TOP FIVE HOLDINGS (EXCLUDING CASH)
Alexandria Real Estate Equit
Contact Energy Ltd
Infratil Ltd
Morrison & Co High Conviction Infrastructure Fund
Vonovia Se

Holdings are listed in alphabetical order and exclude cash.

UNIT PRICE

\$1.03

RETURN SINCE INCEPTION

3.6%

after fees and before tax







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