# **PAC Capital Balanced**

Benchmark: Morningstar Balanced A\$AUD 31/10/2020

Fund Strategy

## • Portfolio Description - A diversified portfolio of securities across both defensive/income-oriented assets such as cash and fixed interest securities and growth assets such as Australian equities, property and international equities with an emphasis on growth assets over defensive assets. The mix of defensive and growth assets and the allocation between defensive and growth assets will vary according to market conditions.

• Investment Objective - The P.A.C. Balanced Portfolio aims to achieve a moderate amount of capital growth along with some income by investing in a diversified portfolio of growth and defensive assets.

• Performance Objective - to exceed the Morningstar Aus Multi-Sector Balanced TR Index (AUD)

# **Fund Performance**

# **Portfolio Weights**

- International Fixed Interest 33.85% Australian Shares 10.91%
- International Shares 30 74% Australian Fixed Interest 16.61%
- Groups < 5% 7.89%

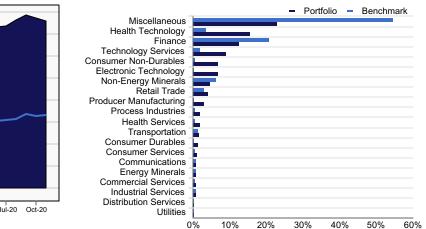
# **Fund Performance**

Performance as at 30 October 2020	1 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	Inception
Portfolio	-0.81	6.64	8.78	12.28	12.40
Benchmark	0.13	-1.03	-0.19	5.57	6.10
Excess Return	-0.93	7.67	8.96	6.71	6.30

# **Top Industry Funds**

Fund	1 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	
FirstChoice WS Inv - CFS WS Balance	0.7%	-0.2%	0.5%	5.2%	
BetaShares Diversified Balanced ETF	0.6%	-0.2%			
Lifeplan Education Bond MLC Balance	0.4%	-3.5%	-2.3%	2.3%	
IOOF WealthBuilder Moderate -IOOF M	0.3%	-0.1%	0.5%	3.4%	
AMP Capital Balanced Growth Fund-Cl	-0.2%	-3.9%	-2.2%	4.8%	
Vanguard Diversified Balanced Index	0.2%	0.1%	1.3%		
Morningstar Balanced Fund - Class A	0.2%	-3.6%	-2.7%	2.8%	
AustralianSuper Conservative Balanc	0.2%	0.2%	1.6%	5.4%	

# **Sector Weights**



 Two themes dominated October, these were the re-surging Coronavirus around the world and the US elections. Australian shares outperformed global markets rattled by the virus while US shares were dragged down by mixed earnings reports and a stalemate on further stimulus measures

- P.A.C. Capital Balanced fund returned -0.81% under-performing the Morningstar Benchmark across the month by • 0.94%
- We attribute under-performance to underweight position in Aussie shares relative to the benchmark. The outlook for Australia is improving relative to rest of world, with Covid-19 under control and labour market conditions improving over the September quarter -- we are beginning to add more exposure to Australian Shares.

# **Cumulative Performance**



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# -CAPITA

Weight (%) 17.06

16.80

16.61

9.77

7.90

4.89

4.84

3.13

3.01

2.89

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48.91

# Commentary



### **Clavton Larcombe** Managing Director Chief Investment Officer (CIO)

# What Worked

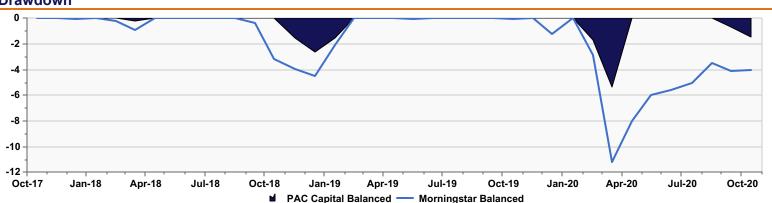
Our exposure to Emerging Markets through IAA, CNEW and IEM was the biggest contributor to performance across the month. China - the biggest Emerging Market began to relax some internal movement restrictions and their success in controlling the virus means it will likely be the only major economy to grow its GDP across 2020. We remain optimistic about China's recovery and maintain our overweight position to emerging market equities.

# What didn't

Gold was our worst performing asset class with Vaneck Gold Miners ETF (GDX) down -4.33% for the month. Gold continues to trade between tight range and we remain optimistic on the asset class going forward given global uncertainty, inflationary fears and monetary expansion.

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## Drawdown



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