


Pendal Sustainable Australian Share Fund

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Fund facts	
Sector	Responsible Investing - Australian shares
Tax aware level	 Tax Enhanced
Inception date	21 November 2018
Investment menu code	UF39
Generation Life APIR code	ALL9466AU
Investment management costs¹	0.85% p.a.
Buy/sell spread	0.25%/0.25%
Suggested minimum investment period	5 Years
Risk level	6 - High
Underlying strategy APIR code	WFS0285AU

Investment objective

Aims to provide a return (before fees, costs and tax) that exceeds the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index over the medium to long term, whilst maximising the portfolio's focus on sustainability.

Investment approach

The fund uses an active stock selection process that combines sustainable and ethical criteria with the managers' financial analysis. The manager actively seeks out companies and industries that demonstrate leading ESG and ethical practices and excludes companies not meeting the investable criteria. The sustainability and ethical criteria employed includes factors such as environmental issues; social practices; corporate governance; and ethical practices. The fund will not invest in companies with material business involvement in the following activities: the production of tobacco or alcohol; manufacture or provision of gaming facilities; manufacture of weapons or armaments; manufacture or distribution of pornography; direct mining of uranium for the purpose of weapons manufacturing; and extraction of thermal coal and oil sands production.

About the investment manager

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Performance (after tax and fees)²

	Performance % (before administration fee)	Performance % (after administration fee) ³
1 month	-2.59	-2.64
3 months	-6.54	-6.69
6 months	-5.56	-5.86
1 year	-0.21	-0.81
3 years p.a.	4.98	4.38
5 years p.a.	-	-
Since inception p.a.	4.63	4.03

Notes

- Investment management costs include investment manager's fees, estimated investment expense recoveries and other indirect investment costs as a percentage of the total average assets of the investment option based on latest available information, but excludes indirect transaction and operational costs.
- Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.
- The administration fee is deducted directly from the investment option before unit prices are declared.

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Investment guidelines

	Range
Cash	0-10%
Australian shares	90-100%

Actual asset allocation⁴

	%
Cash	1.87
Australian shares	98.13
Total	100.00

Notes

⁴ Asset allocations are updated quarterly.

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