# Australian Ethical High Conviction Fund

Fund Profile - 28 February 2022



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

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income from focusing on a relatively concentrated portfolio of Australian and NZ companies that meet the Australian Ethical Charter.

#### Price information

frequency:	Daily
Buy/Sell spread:	0.20%/0.20%
Fund facts	
Fund size:	\$2.74m
Benchmark:	S&P/ASX 300 Accumulation
Asset class:	Equity
Inception date:	01/10/2021
Minimum investment timeframe:	7 to 10 Years
Risk level:	Very High
Identifiers	

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ISIN code: AU60AUG79196
APIR code: AUG7919AU

#### **Distributions**

Management

Frequency: 2

Dates: 30/06, 30/12

#### **Fees**

costs - PDS:	
Performance fee:	15% max.
Bath to the total of	¢0E 000

Minimum initial \$25,000 investment: No minimum applies for the AEAE ETF

Additional transactional and operational costs:

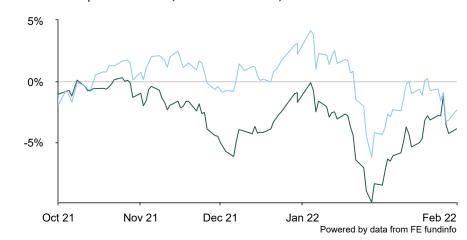
A full explanation of all the fees and costs that you may be charged for investing in the Fund is provided in the Fund's Product Disclosure Statements available from our website australianethical.com.au

\*(after tax, before bonus expense)

### Investment strategy

The Fund primarily invests in a relatively concentrated share portfolio of companies predominately drawn from the S&P ASX 300 and selected on the basis of their social, environmental and financial credentials. The Fund utilises an active bottom up stock-picking and benchmark unaware management approach.

# Cumulative performance (as at 28/02/2022)



- Australian Ethical High Conviction
- Benchmark

## Performance (as at 28/02/2022)

	1m	3m	6m	1y	Зу	5у	10y	Since inception
Fund	5.1%	0.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-3.9%
Benchmark	2.1%	-2.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-2.4%

### Calendar Performance (as at end 2021)

	CY2021	CY2020	CY2019	CY2018	CY2017
Fund	-	-	-	-	-
Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-

Source: FE fundinfo.

0.80%

0.05%

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.

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Top 10	
BANK OF QUEENSLAND LIMITED	6.8%
WESTPAC BANKING CORPORATION ORD F/PD SHARES	6.0%
SUNCORP GROUP LIMITED	5.8%
COLES GROUP LTD	5.6%
FLETCHER BUILDING LIMITED	5.0%
TELSTRA CORPORATION LTD	4.8%
TPG TELECOM LTD TPM-VHA MERGED COMPANY DEFERRED DELIVERY	4.4%
GENWORTH MORTGAGE INSURANCE	4.4%
ORORA LTD	4.2%
BENDIGO AND ADELAIDE BANK LIMITED	4.0%

# 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.

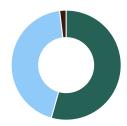
Promote human rights: We strive to avoid any investment in companies involved in the poor treatment of asylum seekers or the exploitation of workers through poor working conditions.

#### Sector allocation

Financials	34.8%
Consumer Staples	12.8%
Materials	11.9%
Health Care	10.2%
Communication Services	9.3%
Industrials	6.7%
Information Technology	5.9%
Utilities	3.9%
Consumer Discretionary	2.8%
Other	1.9%

# Asset allocation

Australian & NZ Large Cap	54.4%
Australian & NZ Small Cap	43.7%
Cash	1.9%



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