# **Betashares Ethical Diversified Balanced**





29 February 2024

# **Objective**

DBBF aims to provide exposure to a cost-effective, multi-asset class portfolio, for investors whose priority is investing in a way that aligns with their values. DBBF seeks to balance income and capital growth returns over the long term, and targets an allocation of 50% defensive assets (Australian and international bonds), 50% growth assets (Australian and international shares).

## **Benefits**



### All-in-one, true to label ethical solution

DBBF is built using Betashares' true-to-label, RIAA-certified' ethical ETFs – which combine positive climate leadership screens with a broad set of ESG criteria.



## Diversified, multi-asset class exposure

DBBF provides all-in-one exposure to a range of asset classes, including equity and fixed income securities across Australian and global markets.



## **Cost-effective**

Management fees of just 0.39% p.a.\* - (or \$39 for every \$10,000 invested per year).

\*Other costs apply. Please refer to the PDS

## **Performance**

PERIOD	1 mth	3 mth	6 mth	1 yr	3 yr (p.a.)	5 yr (p.a.)	10 yr (p.a.)	Inception (p.a.)#
FUND	2.71%	8.95%	7.52%	14.95%	4.31%	-	-	3.27%

## Calendar year performance

PERIOD	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
FUND	5.15%	12.93%	-15.26%	10.50%	-	-	-	-

Value of \$100 invested since inception



Source: Betashares, Bloomberg, Past performance is not indicative of future performance.

Fund returns are calculated in AS using net asset value per unit at the start and end of the specified period and do not reflect the brokerage or bid-ask spread that investors may incur when buying and selling units on the ASX. Returns are after fund management costs, assume reinvestment of any distributions and do not take into account income tax.

\*Inception date refers to the inception of the Fund's current investment strategy on 15 December 2020. Prior to the inception date, the Fund traded

under a different investment strategy as the Betashares Diversified Balanced ETF and was subject to different management costs. Information about the Fund's performance prior to the inception date is available on request by emailing info@Betashares.com.au or calling 1300 487 577.

## **Fund information**

Betashares Funds can be bought or sold during the trading day on the ASX, and trade like shares.

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## Categorisation

ETHICAL

MULTI-ASSET CLASS EXPOSURE

CORE

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## **Asset allocation**



The target asset allocation is reviewed, and may be adjusted, annually.

## Sector allocation



## **Country allocation**



# **Underlying ETFs' index yield**

Yield (% p.a.)	2.3%
Franked yield (% p.a.)	2.4%

Source: Bloomberg. Yield is calculated by summing the 12-month trailing index yields for the underlying ETFs in the portfolio in proportion to the underlying ETF weightings. Yield does not take into account the impact of fees and costs incurred in the underlying ETFs or DBBF, or on withholding taxes on distributions received from offshore investments. Yield may differ due to these and other factors, including changes in the number of units on issue. Franked yield is inclusive of franking credits. Not all Australian investors will be able to receive the full value of franking credits. Yield will vary and may be lower at time of investment. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.

## **About Betashares Ethical Diversified ETFs**

Each Betashares Ethical Diversified ETF provides exposure to a cost-effective, 'true to label' ethical portfolio, and seeks to provide an investment return over the long term consistent with a particular risk profile (balanced, growth or high growth) through a passive blending of asset classes including Australian and international equities, and Australian and international bonds, according to the strategic asset allocation set for the relevant fund.

Each Betashares Ethical Diversified ETF's portfolio is built using a strategic asset allocation (SAA) consistent with the its risk-return profile, using varying allocations to growth assets (international and Australian shares) vs. defensive assets (international and Australian bonds). The SAA is set by applying forward-looking, long-term expected returns and risk for each asset class.

Each Betashares Ethical Diversified ETF's asset allocation and underlying exposures are reviewed regularly by the Betashares Investment Committee and adjusted periodically to ensure they remain consistent with target allocations and risk profile.

To that end, Betashares Diversified ETFs obtain their asset-class exposure using ETFs from the Betashares range of ethical ETFs.

## Who might the Fund suit?

DBBF may suit investors whose priority is investing in a way that aligns with their values, with an investment timeframe of at least 5 years, who have a 'medium' tolerance for risk<sup>2</sup> and who are therefore willing to accept some volatility in their portfolio in order to achieve their long-term objective.

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- 2 Risk profiles defined in accordance with the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority's (APRA) 'standard risk measure', or SRM. The SRM is based on industry guidance to allow investors to compare investment options that are expected to deliver a similar number of negative annual returns over any 20-year period. The SRM is not a complete assessment of all forms of investment risk, for instance it does not detail what the size of a negative return could be or the potential for a positive return to be less than an investor may require to meet their objectives. Further, it does not take into account the impact of administration fees and tax on the likelihood of a negative return. Investors should still ensure they are comfortable with the risks and potential losses associated with their chosen investment option.

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