

## PARTNERS MEDIUM TERM PORTFOLIO

### Portfolio Performance

	1 Month	3 Months	1 Year	2 Years p.a.	Inception p.a.
<b>Partners Medium Term Portfolio</b>	<b>-2.9%</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>9.2%</b>
- Growth	-3.7%	-1.9%	0.9%	0.7%	4.7%
- Income	0.7%	1.0%	4.9%	4.7%	4.5%

Platform: BT | Source data: BT | Report Inception Date: November 1, 2023

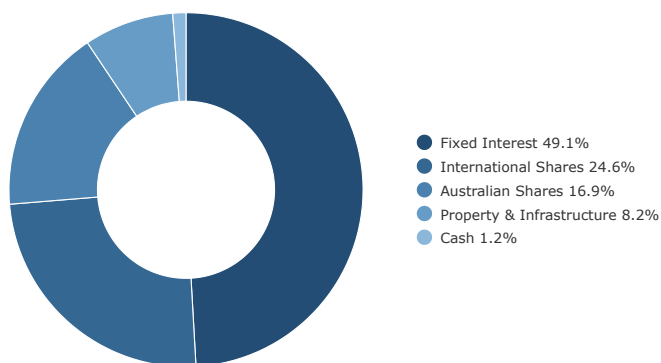
### Investment Growth (\$100,000)



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### Asset Allocation

As at March 31, 2026



	Current	Neutral	Range
Australian Shares	16.9%	19.0%	5-35%
International Shares	24.6%	25.0%	10-40%
Property & Infrastructure	8.2%	6.0%	0-20%
Fixed Interest	49.1%	40.0%	10-65%
Cash	1.2%	10.0%	1-40%

### Leading Contributors

Holding	3 Months
ClearBridge Gbl Infrs Inc H B	0.58%
GQG Partners Global Equity Z	0.13%
Realm Short Term Income Fund	0.08%
Ironbark DWS Global Property Secs	0.06%
Talaria Global Equity	0.01%

### Market Commentary

Last updated: March 31, 2026

Global share markets declined over the March quarter, with a positive start to the year reversing as conditions weakened sharply late in the period. Early support from resilient economic conditions, easing inflation in some regions and solid earnings was overtaken by escalating geopolitical tensions in the Middle East, centred on coordinated US-Israeli strikes on Iranian targets. The resulting disruption to key energy supply routes drove a sharp rise in oil prices, increasing inflation concerns and prompting a reassessment of interest rate expectations. This shift led to a broad risk-off environment, with higher yields and increased volatility weighing on markets.

Australian shares were volatile over the quarter, ultimately finishing lower, with the S&P/ASX 200 Index declining -1.6%. Early gains were supported by firmer commodity prices and strength in materials, alongside resilient earnings in financials. However, these gains were offset by a pullback in March, with weakness across most sectors, particularly growth and interest-sensitive sectors such as technology and real estate. Energy was a notable exception, benefiting from higher oil prices. Smaller companies underperformed, with the S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Index falling -10.9%, reflecting their greater sensitivity to shifts in risk appetite and economic expectations.

International shares declined across most regions, with the MSCI All Country World Index falling -5.8% unhedged and -2.7% hedged. Losses were broad-based, with the US, Europe and China all finishing lower, while Japan was a notable exception. Weakness in technology shares weighed on performance as investors reassessed AI-related valuations. Emerging markets also declined, with the MSCI Emerging Markets Index down -2.8%, reflecting weaker sentiment and higher energy prices that impacted China and India in particular. Global small companies were more resilient, with the MSCI World ex Australia Small Cap Index down -1.0%.

Property and infrastructure delivered positive returns over the quarter. Global listed property rose modestly, with the FTSE EPRA NAREIT Developed Index (hedged) up +1.0%, supported by gains earlier in the period. Infrastructure outperformed broader share markets, with the FTSE Global Core Infrastructure 50/50 Index (hedged) rising +8.3%, reflecting strong early gains and its more defensive characteristics, which helped it hold up relatively well during the March sell-off.

Fixed interest markets were relatively resilient despite volatility. Bond yields declined in February before rising again in March as higher oil prices lifted inflation expectations. Global bonds declined modestly, with the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Bond Index (hedged) down -0.3%, while Australian fixed interest also eased, with the Bloomberg AusBond Composite 0+ Yr Index down -0.3%. Credit markets were mixed, with global credit declining modestly and high yield underperforming, while Australian credit delivered positive returns, with the Bloomberg AusBond Credit FRN 0+ Yr Index up +1.0%, supported by income and relatively stable domestic conditions.

### Leading Detractors

Holding	3 Months
Vinva Global Alpha Extension B	-0.38%
Aoris International Fund	-0.33%
Fiera Atlas Global Companies Fund	-0.33%
Evidentia Quality Core Portfolio	-0.25%
iShares Hedged International Eq Idx Fd S	-0.11%

## Portfolio Commentary

Australian shares declined over the quarter. **Macquarie True Index Australian Shares (-2.0%)** tracked the local market lower. **Evidentia Quality Core Portfolio (-2.1%)** lagged the market more modestly, as an underweight position in energy and overweight exposure to industrials detracted from performance, though materials holdings and defensive positioning provided some offset.

International shares also struggled amid weaker sentiment. **GQG Partners Global Equity (+5.1%)** delivered strong outperformance, with positioning in energy, communication services, and utilities reflecting a notably defensive and contrarian approach that proved well-suited to market conditions. **Aoris International (-13.6%)** experienced a significant decline, with a high-quality growth bias and exposure to information technology and industrials detracting in a market that favoured energy and more cyclical sectors. **Vinva Global Alpha Extension (-6.0%)** achieved a near-benchmark result despite facing headwinds, as value signals and energy holdings supported returns while large-cap technology exposure and momentum signals struggled amid sentiment-driven volatility. **Acadian Enhanced Emerging Markets Equity (-1.6%)** outperformed the broader emerging markets index, with stock selection in China and Taiwan alongside an underweight position in India proving beneficial, while holdings in Brazil and select positions in Korea and South Africa detracted. **Yarra Global Small Companies (-0.7%)** outperformed global small caps, with financials and strong stock selection across the US, UK, and Germany driving relative gains, though health care holdings partially offset these contributions.

Property and infrastructure assets delivered positive returns despite late-quarter bond yield pressure. **Ironbark DWS Global Property Securities (+1.9%)** posted a positive return, supported by strong allocation and stock selection across global property markets. **ClearBridge Global Infrastructure Income (+11.1%)** delivered exceptional outperformance, supported by strong European utilities benefiting from resilient electricity demand and solid earnings growth in regulated infrastructure.

Fixed interest delivered mixed results as global yields rose. **Macquarie True Index Australian Fixed Interest (-0.3%)** tracked the local bond market lower, with credit selection providing support, offset by duration exposure. **PIMCO Global Bond (-1.5%)** underperformed global bonds as duration positioning detracted amid rising yields, though currency management and inflation-linked exposures provided partial offset. **BetaShares Inflation Protected US Treasury Bond Currency Hedged ETF (+0.3%)** delivered a modest positive return, with inflation-linked income and carry offsetting the negative impact of rising real yields. **Yarra Enhanced Income (+0.1%)** produced a modest return, supported by income generation, partly offset by widening credit spreads amid heightened market volatility.

## Portfolio Changes Commentary

No changes were made during the quarter.

## Portfolio Holdings, Weights & Performance

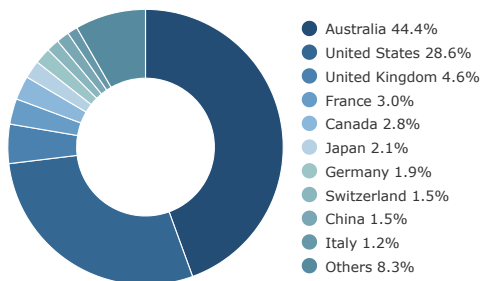
As at March 31, 2026

Holding	Weight	1M	3M	1Y	3Y pa
<b>Australian Shares</b>	<b>16.9%</b>				
Evidentia Quality Core Portfolio	11.9%	-6.3%	-2.1%	4.0%	6.4%
Macquarie True Index Australian Shares	5.0%	-7.3%	-2.0%	11.6%	9.4%
<b>International Shares</b>	<b>24.6%</b>				
Acadian Enhanced Emerging Markets Eq A	1.9%	-9.6%	-1.6%	-	-
Aoris International Fund	2.4%	-3.8%	-13.6%	-9.5%	8.6%
Fiera Atlas Global Companies Fund	2.4%	-6.1%	-13.6%	-10.5%	1.3%
GQG Partners Global Equity Z	2.6%	1.1%	5.1%	-3.2%	14.9%
iShares Hedged International Eq Idx Fd S	3.4%	-5.8%	-3.3%	17.8%	16.4%
Talaria Global Equity	3.0%	1.5%	0.4%	2.6%	7.2%
Vinva Global Alpha Extension B	6.3%	-2.4%	-6.0%	16.9%	-
Yarra Global Small Companies Fund	2.4%	-5.4%	-0.7%	20.3%	17.2%
<b>Property &amp; Infrastructure</b>	<b>8.2%</b>				
ClearBridge Gbl Infrs Inc H B	5.3%	-2.0%	11.1%	23.2%	12.1%
Ironbark DWS Global Property Secs	3.0%	-7.2%	1.9%	5.7%	5.8%
<b>Fixed Interest</b>	<b>49.1%</b>				
Betashares Infl-Prot US Trs Bd CcyH ETF	3.0%	-1.4%	0.3%	2.5%	-
iShares Global Bond Index Fund	5.5%	-1.8%	-0.3%	2.9%	2.9%
Macquarie True Index Aust Fixed Interest	15.6%	-1.4%	-0.3%	1.5%	2.1%
PIMCO Global Bond Fund	5.5%	-3.1%	-1.5%	2.8%	3.8%
Realm Short Term Income Fund	9.4%	0.2%	0.8%	4.7%	6.0%
Yarra Enhanced Income Fund	10.0%	-1.0%	0.1%	4.6%	7.0%
<b>Cash</b>	<b>1.2%</b>				
BT Platform Cash	1.2%	0.3%	0.7%	3.1%	3.4%

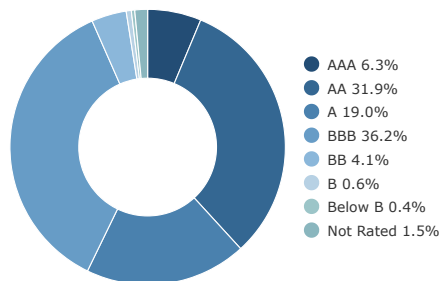
## Portfolio Changes

	Current	Last Quarter	Changes
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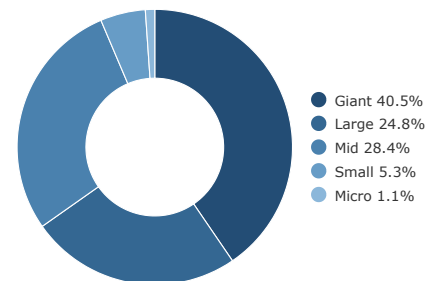
## Country Exposure



## Credit Quality



## Market Capitalisation



## Australian Shares Aggregated Top 10 Holdings

Holding	Country	Sector
BHP Group Ltd	Australia	Basic Materials
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	Australia	Financial Services
Westpac Banking Corp	Australia	Financial Services
ANZ Group Holdings Ltd	Australia	Financial Services
Macquarie Group Ltd	Australia	Financial Services
Telstra Group Ltd	Australia	Communication Services
Goodman Group	Australia	Real Estate
CSL Ltd	Australia	Healthcare
RIO Tinto Ltd	Australia	Basic Materials
Brambles Ltd	Australia	Industrials

## International Shares Aggregated Top 10 Holdings

Holding	Country	Sector
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufactu...	Taiwan	Technology
Microsoft Corp	United States	Technology
Diploma PLC	United Kingdom	Industrials
Apple Inc	United States	Technology
NVIDIA Corp	United States	Technology
Amazon.com Inc	United States	Consumer Cyclical
Visa Inc Class A	United States	Financial Services
Engie SA	France	Utilities
Entergy Corp	United States	Utilities
Johnson & Johnson	United States	Healthcare

Composition Methodology (where shown): Country exposure weights are proportionally adjusted across the total portfolio using available data. Credit quality weights apply only to ratings within the fixed interest sleeve. Sector and market capitalisation exposure weights are based on proportionally adjusted estimates derived from available data across the combined Australian and international shares, property, and infrastructure sleeves. Aggregated Top 10 Holdings (Australian & International Shares) tables show the largest positions by portfolio weight, derived from proportionally adjusted estimates based on available data across the combined Australian and international shares sleeves – incorporating the top 10 holdings from active funds (where available), all holdings within ETFs, and any direct equity sleeves.

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