

Sestante Assertive Index Portfolio

Monthly Investment Report

As of 30/06/2025

Latest Performance*

	1-mth	3-mths	1-yr	3-yr	5-yr	Inception
Sestante Assertive Index	1.86	7.40	14.34	12.61	10.15	8.56
RBA Cash Rate + 3% p.a.	0.57	1.76	7.51	7.06	5.48	5.15

Market Review

Global equity markets delivered robust returns in June 2025, with investor optimism prevailing over a backdrop of geopolitical tensions and policy uncertainty. The U.S. stock market led the rally, powered by strength in mega-cap technology stocks and enthusiasm around artificial intelligence. The S&P 500 climbed 5.1% during the month, pushing its year-to-date return to 6.2% including dividends. The tech-heavy Nasdaq outperformed with a 6.6% monthly gain, bringing its total return for the year to 3.6%.

While mid-cap and small-cap U.S. equities posted positive monthly returns, up 3.4% and 3.9% respectively, they remained negative for the year overall. Market breadth in the S&P 500 was moderately constructive, with 340 stocks rising and 163 declining in June.

Internationally, equities also advanced, with the MSCI AC World Index gaining 3.9% in local currency terms. Emerging markets outpaced developed markets, returning 5.0%. Chinese stocks rebounded strongly on progress toward a partial trade deal, even as signs of economic softness persisted. In Asia, South Korea's KOSPI performed well following the election of a market-friendly administration, while Taiwan and Hong Kong equities were buoyed by ongoing AI-driven momentum.

Technology led all other sectors with a 9.9% monthly gain, driven by strong performance in semiconductors and technology hardware. Consumer Discretionary rose 7.3%, while Energy climbed 4.9%, helped by a temporary spike in oil prices. Consumer Staples was the only sector to fall, down 1.6% during the month.

Despite notable geopolitical developments, including a ceasefire agreement between Iran and Israel and ongoing U.S. diplomatic discussions, markets remained relatively stable. Volatility remained subdued overall, although the VIX briefly spiked above 21 mid-month amid heightened headline risk.

Australia's ASX 200 rose 1.4% in June, as expectations of further interest rate cuts supported risk sentiment. Energy (+9.0%), Financials (+4.3%), and Real Estate (+1.7%) led the gains, while Materials (-3.1%) lagged.

Bond markets saw yields decline globally, driven by expectations of monetary easing. U.S. Treasury yields fell across the curve, with the 2-year yield down 0.18%. Similarly, Australia's 10-year government bond yield dropped 0.11% to 4.16%.

In currency markets, the U.S. dollar weakened sharply, falling 2.5% in June, as measured by the DXY Index. The Australian dollar and most Asian currencies appreciated, supported by stronger local equity performance.

Despite ongoing uncertainties, markets ended the first half of 2025 on a strong footing, with technology leadership and easing interest rate expectations underpinning gains across global equities..

For a detailed market review and outlook, please refer to the Monthly Market Commentary document available on www.azsestante.com/investment-options



\$10,000 invested over time



■ Sestante Assertive Index ■ RBA Cash Rate + 3% p.a.

Portfolio information

- Investment Objective: target RBA cash rate +3.0% per annum over rolling 7-year periods after fees.
- Asset Class: Diversified
- 85% Growth / 15% Defensive
- Portfolio Inception Date: 7 February 2019

ESG Risk Score

● Sestante Assertive Index

Corporate ESG Risk Score

20.5



Sovereign ESG Risk Score



ESG Pillar Score



5.7

Environmental



9.1

Social



5.2

Governance



0.6

Unallocated

Major Index Returns

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Years
S&P/ASX 200 TR AUD	1.41	9.50	6.44	13.81	13.56
MSCI World Ex Australia GR AUD	2.49	6.09	3.65	19.11	20.93
Bloomberg AusBond Composite 0+Y TR AUD	0.75	2.63	3.95	6.81	3.88
Bloomberg Global Aggregate TR Hdg AUD	0.91	1.49	2.65	5.45	2.28
S&P Global Infrastructure NR AUD	0.00	4.64	8.56	29.06	13.29
RBA Cash Rate + 3% p.a.	0.57	1.76	3.59	7.51	7.06

Important information

*Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Performance is calculated before taxes, model management and platform fees and after underlying investment management fees. For full details of fees please refer to the relevant platform offer documents. Performance is notional in nature and an individual investor's actual performance may differ to the that of the model portfolio. Investment performance is shown from 7/2/2019 and represents modelled performance only and assumes income received is reinvested.

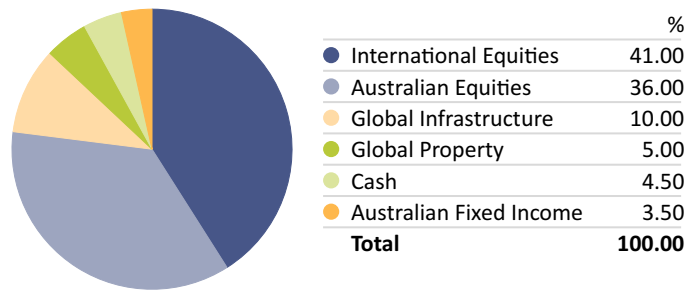
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ESG pillar scores are displayed as a number between 0 and 100 with most scores range between 0 and 25. It is the asset-weighted average of the company environmental, social, governance risk scores for the covered corporate holdings in a portfolio. The scores measure the degree to which a company's economic value may be at risk driven by environmental, social, and governance factors. The risk represents the unmanaged risk exposure after taking into account a company's management of such risks.

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Current Asset Allocation

Portfolio Date: 30/06/2025



Where your funds are invested

International Equities	41.00	—
Vanguard All-World ex-US Shares ETF	17.00	●●●●
iShares S&P 500 AUD Hedged ETF	13.00	●●●●
iShares S&P 500 ETF	11.00	●●●●
Australian Equities	36.00	—
iShares Core S&P/ASX 200 ETF	28.00	●●●●●
iShares Australian Equity Index	8.00	●●●●
Global Infrastructure	10.00	—
VanEck FTSE Gbl Infrs(AUD Hdg)ETF	10.00	●●●●
Global Property	5.00	—
VanEck FTSE Intl Prop (AUD Hdg) ETF	5.00	●●●●
Cash	4.50	—
BetaShares Aus High Interest Cash ETF	2.50	—
Cash	2.00	—
Australian Fixed Income	3.50	—
iShares Australian Bond Index	3.50	—
	100.00	

Morningstar's Globe Ratings are just one tool that can help investors work out a fund's ESG credentials. A 5 Globe Rating indicates a fund is at the top end of its peer group in terms of sustainability, while a 1 Globe Rating shows it is underperforming on sustainability issues.

Portfolio changes

There were no portfolio changes this month.