MLC Real Return Moderate

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definition of the rating

Product Profile

Key Information	
Status	Open
Asset class	Multi-Asset
Sector	Variable Growth Assets
Sub-sector	Real Return
Product type	Wholesale

Unit Trust Legal type Fund inception October 2013 Fund size \$408M Distribution frequency Quarterly

Manager Profile

The Manager is part of the Insignia Financial Group of companies, comprising Insignia Financial Ltd and its related bodies corporate ('Insignia Financial'), which is listed on the Australian Stock Exchange (ASX code: IFL). Insignia Financial is a leading provider of wealth management services, including superannuation, platform administration, and investment management. The Manager has a long history in multi-asset investing, with a total funds under management and administration ('FUMA') of \$301.00b as at June 2024. Over recent years, the Manager has expanded their business through acquisitions...(contact the product provider for full details)

PDS Objective

Aims to deliver a return of 3.5% p.a. above inflation (after management costs), subject to limiting the risk of negative returns over five-year periods.

What is this Product?

Aiming for a particular return can help investors plan their future with more confidence. The MLC Inflation Plus portfolios don't rely just on the performance of markets to deliver returns. Instead, they're actively managed to aim for the above-inflation returns investors need, while limiting the risk of negative returns. Investing flexibly in a wide range of assets and strategies gives us many sources of return and ways to manage risk. Our portfolios also benefit from the insights of specialist investment managers from all over the world.

Growth of \$10,000 Over 10 Years



Source: FE fundinfo

Returns after fees (as at 30/06/25)

	3mth	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Total return	3.93	9.61	7.98	6.04	4.49
Income return	6.35	7.71	5.34	4.87	4.26
Growth return	-2.42	1.90	2.64	1.17	0.23
Lonsec benchmark	1.44	5.47	7.43	7.85	6.29

Benchmark Used: CPI + 3 50%

Source: FE fundinfo

Annual Fees and Costs (% p.a.) (as at 20/09/2024)

Management fees & costs	0.92
Performance fee costs	0.04
Net Transaction Costs	0.03
Buy/Sell Spread	0.10/0.10
Annual fees and costs	0.95
Source: FE fundinfo	

Asset Allocation (%) (as at 31/05/2025)

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Australian Equities	11.95
International Equities	20.45
Australian Fixed Interest	17.65
Global Fixed Interest	18.34
Alternative Assets	29.04
Cash	2.57
Total	100.00

Source: FE fundinfo

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General

Total return: 'Top line' actual return, after fees.

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- the remuneration that may be paid to us and other persons in relation to the financial services we provide;
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- · how we deal with complaints

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