Consensus Fund

Pension/Investment

| Snapshot | Objective | + | Consistent second quartile managed fund performance |
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| | Style | 1 | Indexed |
| | Size | € | €6.4 billion |
| | Asset Mix | + | Equities, Property, Bonds, Cash |
| | Number of Stocks | | 3354 |
| | Volatility/Risk | 3 | Medium risk |

The Consensus Fund is a managed fund, the assets of which are invested on a consensus basis, replicating the average asset allocation of the Irish fund management industry. Having implemented the average asset allocation, the fund then pursues index tracking stock selection.

Objective

- The Consensus Fund aims to provide performance that is consistently in line with the average of all managed funds in the Irish marketplace.
- It is suited to those who want long term managed fund growth without manager and stock selection risk.

Operation

- The idea behind the consensus management is simply to consistently perform in line with the average pension managed fund.
- It achieves this by adopting the average asset allocation of all the pension funds in the market.
- Having implemented the average asset allocation, the fund then pursues index tracking stock selection.

Highlights



- Launched in 1996, the Consensus Fund with over €6 billion under management is one of the largest managed funds in the Irish market.
- It has delivered an outstanding 10.08% gross annual return on average over the 12 years since its launch in 1996.

Asset Mix

Geographical mix



^{*}Past performance may not be a reliable guide to future performance. Investments may fall as well as rise in value.