

## Commonwealth Investment Funds Annual Report

For the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

Responsible Entity of the Funds Colonial First State Investments Limited ABN: 98 002 348 352

#### Registered address:

Ground Floor Tower 1, 201 Sussex Street Sydney NSW 2000

### **Commonwealth Investment Funds**

Represented by:	ARSN
Commonwealth Income Fund	089 461 343
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	089 465 501
Commonwealth Growth Fund	089 455 210
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	089 463 865
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	089 455 185
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	089 463 383
Commonwealth International Share Fund	089 456 431
Commonwealth Bond Fund	089 462 813

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### **Directors' Report**

The Directors of Colonial First State Investments Limited, the Responsible Entity of the Funds, present their report together with the Financial Report of the Funds for the reporting period as stated below.

#### **Reporting Period**

The current reporting period for the financial report is from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023. The comparative reporting period is from 1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022.

## Date of Constitutions and Date of Registration of the Funds

The dates of the Constitutions and Registrations with the Australian Securities & Investments Commission (ASIC) are 24 May 1988 and 7 October 1999 respectively. The Funds in this financial report are presented as follows:

Commonwealth Income Fund
Commonwealth Balanced Fund
Commonwealth Growth Fund
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund
Commonwealth Share Income Fund
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund
Commonwealth International Share Fund
Commonwealth Bond Fund

#### **Principal Activities**

The principal activities of the Funds are to invest in accordance with the investment objectives and guidelines as set out in the current Product Disclosure Statements and their Constitutions.

Please refer to the current Product Disclosure Statements for more information.

## Rounding of amounts to the nearest thousand dollars

Amounts in the Directors' Report have been rounded to either the nearest dollar or the nearest thousand dollars in accordance with ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191, as indicated.

#### Comparatives

Comparative figures are, where appropriate, reclassified so as to be comparable with the figures and presentation in the current reporting period.

## **Review of Operations**

#### Income

The results of the operations for the Funds for the current and previous reporting periods are tabled below:

Name of Fund	Operating profit/(loss) Attributable to unitholders				
	Period ended 30/06/2023 \$'000	Period ended 30/06/2022 \$'000			
Commonwealth Income Fund	991	(3,872)			
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	13,136	(13,375)			
Commonwealth Growth Fund	10,037	(11,506)			
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	2,420	(2,747)			
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	6,071	(7,033)			
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund ^	602,639	(1,237,501)			
Commonwealth International Share Fund	3,616	(1,508)			
Commonwealth Bond Fund ^	63,132	(1,093,466)			

<sup>^</sup> Amounts are rounded to nearest dollar, not the nearest thousand dollars.

#### Distribution to unitholders

The total amount distributed to unitholders for the current and previous reporting period are as follows:

Name of Fund	Period ended 30/06/2023 \$'000	Period ended 30/06/2022 \$'000
Commonwealth Income Fund	73	257
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	4,483	7,988
Commonwealth Growth Fund	5,097	10,534
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	1,003	3,188
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	2,584	8,484
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund ^	150,931	88,363
Commonwealth International Share Fund	17	10
Commonwealth Bond Fund ^	2	50,968

<sup>^</sup> Amounts are rounded to nearest dollar, not the nearest thousand dollars.

Details of the income distributions for the reporting periods ended 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022 are disclosed in the "Distributions to Unitholders" note to the financial statements.

#### **Exit Prices**

The exit price is the price at which unitholders realise an entitlement in a fund and is calculated by deducting a predetermined cost of selling (commonly known as the "sell spread"), if applicable, from the net asset value per unit ("NAV unit price") of a fund. NAV unit price is calculated by taking the total fair value of all of the Funds' assets on a particular day, adjusting for any liabilities and then dividing the net fund value by the total number of units held by unitholders on that day.

The following unit prices represent the ex-distribution exit unit prices as at 30 June 2023, together with comparative unit prices as at 30 June 2022:

Name of Fund	30/06/2023 \$	30/06/2022 \$
Commonwealth Income Fund	0.9597	0.9351
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	1.8127	1.6992
Commonwealth Growth Fund	2.0537	1.9624
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	1.3358	1.2668
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	1.4860	1.4117
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	0.8759	0.8369
Commonwealth International Share Fund	3.6910	3.0269
Commonwealth Bond Fund	0.9923	0.9849

#### Responsible Entity and Directors

The Responsible Entity of the Funds is Colonial First State Investments Limited (the Responsible Entity). The Directors of the Responsible Entity in office during the period and up to the date of the report are:

Name of Director	Date of Appointment or Resignation
Murray Coble	Appointed on 30 May 2022
JoAnna Fisher	Appointed on 30 May 2022
Martin Codina	Appointed on 22 February 2023
Anthony Lane	Resigned on 16 February 2023

The Responsible Entity is incorporated and domiciled in Australia and has its registered office at Level 15, 400 George Street, Sydney, New South Wales, 2000.

#### **Scheme Information**

The Funds are registered managed investment schemes domiciled in Australia and have their principal place of business at Level 15, 400 George Street, Sydney, New South Wales, 2000.

#### **Unit Pricing Adjustments Policy**

There are a number of factors used to calculate unit prices. The key factors include asset valuations, liabilities, debtors, the number of units on issue and where relevant, transaction costs. When the factors used to calculate the unit price are incorrect an adjustment to the unit price may be required. The Responsible Entity uses a tolerance level of 0.30% (0.05% for a cash investment option) in the unit price to assess corrections.

If a unit pricing error is greater than these tolerance levels the Responsible Entity will:

- compensate unitholders' accounts balance if they have transacted on the incorrect unit price or make other adjustments as the Responsible Entity may consider appropriate, or
- where unitholders' accounts are closed the Responsible Entity will send them a payment if the amount of the adjustment is more than \$20.

These tolerance levels are consistent with regulatory practice guidelines and industry standards. In some cases the Responsible Entity may compensate where the unit pricing error is less than the tolerance levels.

## Significant Changes in the State of Affairs

In the opinion of the directors, there were no significant changes in the nature of the Funds' activities during the reporting period.

#### Matters Subsequent to the End of the Reporting Period

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the current reporting period that have significantly affected, or may significantly affect:

- (i) the operations of the Funds in future financial periods, or
- (ii) the results of those operations in future financial periods, or
- (iii) the state of affairs of the Funds in future financial periods.

## Indemnification and Insurance Premiums for Officers and Auditor

No insurance premiums are paid for out of the assets of the Funds in relation to insurance cover provided to the Responsible Entity or the auditor of the Funds. So long as the officers of the Responsible Entity act in accordance with the *Constitutions and the Corporations Act 2001*, the officers remain indemnified out of the assets of the Funds against losses incurred while acting on behalf of the Funds. The auditor of the Funds is in no way indemnified out of the assets of the Funds.

#### Likely Developments and Expected Results of Operations

The Funds are expected to continue to operate within the terms of their Constitutions, and will continue to invest in accordance with their investment objectives and guidelines.

The results of the Funds' operations will be affected by a number of factors, including the performance of investment markets in which the Funds invest. Investment performance is not guaranteed and future returns may differ from past returns. As investment conditions change over time, past returns should not be used to predict future returns.

At the time of preparing this report the Responsible Entity is not aware of any likely developments which would impact upon the future operations of the Funds.

## Fees Paid to and Received by the Responsible Entity or its Associates

Fees paid or payable to the Responsible Entity and its associates out of the Funds' assets during the reporting period are disclosed in the Statements of Comprehensive Income.

No fees were paid to the Directors of the Responsible Entity during the reporting period out of the Funds' assets.

#### Interests in the Funds

The units issued and redeemed in the Funds during the period and the number of units on issue at the end of the financial period are set out in "Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders" note to the financial statements. The value of the Funds' assets at the end of the financial period are set out in the Balance Sheets.

Any interests in the Funds held by the Responsible Entity or its associates at the end of the reporting period are disclosed in the "Related Parties Disclosures" note to the financial statements.

#### **Environmental Regulation**

The Funds' operations are not subject to any particular or significant environmental regulations under a Commonwealth, State or Territory law. There have been no known significant breaches of any other environmental requirements applicable to the Funds.

#### Single Financial Report

The Funds are of the kind referred to in ASIC Corporation Instrument 2015/839 dated 1 October 2015 issued by ASIC in accordance with that ASIC Corporation Instrument, funds with a common Responsible Entity can include the financial statements in adjacent columns in a single financial report.

Proceeds from redeeming units in a fund can be applied to acquire units in other funds included in this financial report.

#### **Auditor's Independence Declaration**

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under Section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* isset out in the following page.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors of Colonial First State Investments Limited.

JoAnna Fisher

Director

Sydney

26 August 2022



#### Auditor's Independence Declaration

As lead auditor for the audit of Commonwealth Investment Funds (each a Registered Scheme) for the year ended 30 June 2023, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- (b) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

This declaration is in respect of each Registered Scheme set out in the Directors' Report

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Sydney 28 August 2023

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#### Statements of comprehensive income for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

		Commonwealth Income Fund		Commonwealth Balance Fund		Commonwealth Growth Fund	
Investment Income	Note	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
Interest income	3	42	4	87	7	69	6
Distribution income		390	761	2,040	4,248	2,902	7,804
Net gains/(losses) on finar instruments at fair value through profit or loss	ncial	820	(4,325)	12,491	(16,011)	8,065	(8,065)
Other income		-	-	_	1	-	22
Total investment income/	(loss)	1,252	(3,560)	14,618	(11,755)	11,036	(10,413)
Expenses Responsible Entity's							
management fees	8(c)	256	308	1,464	1,606	985	985
Expenses recharged	8(d)	5	4	17	14	14	11
Other expenses		-	-	1	-	-	-
Total operating expenses		261	312	1,482	1,620	999	1,093
Profit/(Loss) for the perio	d	991	(3,872)	13,136	(13,375)	10,037	(11,506)
Other comprehensive inco for the period	me	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive inco for the period	me	991	(3,872)	13,136	(13,375)	10,037	(11,506)

The above Statements of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

		Commonwealth Australian Share Fund		Commonwe Income		Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	
Investment Income	Note	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
Interest income	3		•	•			•
	3	13	1	25	2	6,453	464
Distribution income		1,277	3,246	3,157	8,339	230,944	197,839
Net gains/(losses) on finand instruments at fair value through profit or loss	cial	1,312	(5,794)	3,335	(14,857)	444,322	(1,343,116)
Other income		-	1	_	-	2	-
Total investment income/(I	loss)	2,602	(2,546)	6,517	(6,516))	681,721	(1,144,813)
Expenses							
Responsible Entity's							
management fees	8(c)	179	198	438	510	77,969	91,632
Expenses recharged	8(d)	3	3	8	7	1,113	1,051
Other expenses		-	-	-	-	-	5
Total operating expenses		182	201	446	517	79,082	92,688
Profit/(Loss) for the period	I	2,420	(2,747)	6,071	(7,033)	602,639	(1,237,501)
Other comprehensive inconfor the period	ne	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive incomfor the period	ne	2,420	(2,747)	6,071	(7,033)	602,639	(1,237,501)

The above Statements of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Statements of comprehensive income for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

		Common International		Commonwealth Bond Fund	
Investment Income	Note	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
Interest income	3	9	1	7,321	578
Distribution income		170	734	_	50,906
Net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss Other income		3,599	(2,079) 9	116,439 -	(1,071,345)
Total investment income/(loss)		3,778	(1,335)	123,760	(1,019,861)
Expenses					
Responsible Entity's management fees	8(c)	160	171	59,687	72,767
Expenses recharged	8(d)	2	2	941	834
Other expenses		-	-	-	4
Total operating expenses		162	173	60,628	73,605
Profit/(Loss) for the period		3,616	(1,508)	63,132	(1,093,466)
Other comprehensive income for the period		-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period		3,616	(1,508)	63,132	(1,093,466)

The above Statements of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Balance sheets as at 30 June 2023

		Commonwealth Income Fund		Commonwealth Balance Fund		Commonwealth Growth Fund	
Note	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	
Cash and cash equivalents	742	1,838	2,899	3,741	2,118	3,086	
Trade and other receivables:							
<ul><li>application monies</li><li>others</li></ul>	5	6	30	30	1 21	1 20	
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	33,928	37,389	136,201	131,822	113,513	109,383	
Total assets	34,675	39,233	139,130	135,593	115,653	112,490	
Liabilities							
Trade and other payables:							
- redemption monies	20	-	320	-	86	-	
- others	1	2	8	7	5	6	
Distribution payable	61	117	1,406	2,858	3,514	5,796	
Responsible Entity - fee payable 8(c	20	23	121	119	81	80	
Total liabilities	102	142	1,855	2,984	3,686	5,882	
Net assets attributable to unitholders	34,573	39,091	137,275	132,609	111,967	106,608	
Represented by: Fair value of outstanding units based on redemption value	34,573	39,091	137,275	132,604	111,967	106,606	
Adjustment to period end accruals	-	-	-	5	-	2	
Net assets attributable to unitholders	34,573	39,091	137,275	132,609	111,967	106,608	

The above Balance Sheets should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Balance sheets as at 30 June 2023

		Commonwealth Australian Share Fund		Commonwealth Share Income Fund		Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	
Assets	lote	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
Cash and cash equivalents Trade and other receivables:		440	645	590	2,353	191,262	282,437
- others Financial assets at fair value		4	4	9	9	1,605	1,672
through profit or loss	5	26,076	25,728	63,699	65,226	8,843,168	8,983,421
Total assets		26,520	26,377	64,298	67,588	9,036,035	9,267,530
Liabilities							
Trade and other payables:							
- redemption monies		444	-	74	-	12,171	-
- others		3	1	4	4	535	511
Distribution payable		589	2,011	1,542	2,858	74,060	74,644
Responsible Entity - fee payable	8(c)	15	14	35	37	6,073	6,271
Total liabilities		1,051	2,026	1,655	5,239	92,839	81,426
Net assets attributable to unitholders		25,469	24,351	62,643	62,349	8,943,196	9,186,104
Represented by: Fair value of outstanding units based on redemption value		25,469	24,350	62,643	62,348	8,943,195	9,186,188
Adjustment to period end accruals		-	1	-	1	1	(84)
Net assets attributable to unitholders		25,469	24,351	62,643	62,349	8,943,196	9,186,104

The above Balance Sheets should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Balance sheets as at 30 June 2023

			nwealth I Share Fund	Commonwealth Bond Fund	
No	30/06/		01/07/2022- 3 0/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
Assets		-	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000
Cash and cash equivalents		411	456	204,467	302,735
Trade and other receivables: - others		3	3	1,245	1,250
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5 19,	079	16,388	7,271,326	8,002,647
Total assets	19,	493	16,847	7,477,038	8,306,632
Liabilities					
Trade and other payables:					
- redemption monies		10	-	1,550	-
- others		-	1	256	426
Distribution payable		17	10	_	23,567
Responsible Entity - fee payable 8(	c)	14	12	4,697	5,158
Total liabilities		41	23	6,503	29,151
Net assets attributable to unitholders	19,	452	16,824	7,470,535	8,277,481
Represented by: Fair value of outstanding units based on redemption value Adjustment to period end accruals	19,	453 1	16,824 -	7,470,536 1	8,277,482 1
Net assets attributable to unitholders	19,	452	16,824	7,470,535	8,277,481

The above Balance Sheets should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Statements of changes in equitys as at 30 June 2023

	Commonwealth Income Fund		Commonwealth Balance Fund		Commonwealth Growth Fund	
Note	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000
Opening equity at the beginning of the period	39,091	48,286	132,609	153,891	106,608	128,893
Profit/(Loss) for the period	991	(3,872)	13,136	(13,375)	10,037	(11,506)
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	991	(3,872)	113,136	(13,375)	10,037	(11,506)
Transactions with unitholders in their capacity as owners						
Distribution to unitholders 4	(73)	(257)	(4,483)	(7,988)	(5,097)	(10,534)
Application of units	53	95	1,422	2,019	1,221	1,756
Redemption of units	(5,577)	(5,487)	(10,504)	(7,626)	(7,611)	(8,166)
Reinvestment during the period	88	326	5,095	5,688	6,809	6,165
Closing equity at the end of the period	34,573	39,091	137,275	132,609	111,967	106,608

The above Statements of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Statements of changes in equitys as at 30 June 2023

	Commonwealth Australian Share Fund		Commonwealth Share Income Fund		Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	
Note	30/06/2023 \$′000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000
Opening equity at the beginning of the period	24,351	29,609	62,349	78,412	9,186,104	11,754,649
Profit/(Loss) for the period	2,420	(2,747)	6,071	(7,033)	602,639	(1,237,501)
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	2,420	(2,747)	6,071	(7,033)	602,639	(1,237,501)
Transactions with unitholders in their capacity as owners						
Distribution to unitholders 4	(1,003)	(3,188)	(2,584)	(8,484)	(150,931)	(88,363)
Application of units	197	324	155	497	-	322,212
Redemption of units	(2,762)	(2,069)	(8,047)	(5,853)	(810,457)	(1,575,402)
Reinvestment during the period	2,266	2,422	4,699	4,810	115,841	10,509
Closing equity at the end of the period	25,469	24,351	62,643	62,349	8,943,196	9,186,104

The above Statements of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Statements of changes in equitys as at 30 June 2023

	Commonwealth Property Securities Fund		Commonwealth Share Income Fund	
Note	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000	30/06/2023 \$'000
Opening equity at the beginning of the period	16,824	19,179	8,277,481	11,090,889
Profit/(Loss) for the period	3,616	(1,508)	63,132	(1,093,466)
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	3,616	(1,508)	63,132	(1,093,466)
Transactions with unitholders in their capacity as owners				
Distribution to unitholders 4	(17)	(10)	(2)	(50,968)
Application of units	64	259	7,624	51,188
Redemption of units	(1,042)	(1,100)	(890,697)	(1,743,243)
Reinvestment during the period	7	4	12,997	23,081
Closing equity at the end of the period	19,452	16,824	7,470,535	8,277,481

The above Statements of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Cash flow statements for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

	Common Income		Commo Balanc		Commo Growth	
Note	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023
Cash flows from operating activities	\$′000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$′000	\$′000
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments	6,010	5,961	12,470	12,892	9,954	9,781
Payments for purchase of financial instruments	(1,339)	-	(2,316)	(4,200)	(3,116)	(1,340)
Interest received / (paid)	41	4	84	7	67	6
Responsible Entity fee received/ (paid)	(257)	(312)	(1,459)	(1,620)	(983)	(1,093)
Other receipts/(payments)	(6)	(5)	(19)	(14)	(16)	10
Net cash (used in)/from operating activities 7(a)	4,449	5,648	8,760	7,065	5,906	7,364
Cash flows from financing activities						
Receipts from issue of units	53	95	1,422	2,059	1,221	1,758
Payment for redemption of units	(5,557)	(5,487)	(10,184)	(7,626)	(7,525)	(8,166)
Distribution payable	(41)	(166)	(840)	(1,007)	(570)	(584)
Net cash (used in)/from financing activities	(5,545)	(5,558)	(9,602)	(6,574)	(6,874)	(6,992)
Net movement in cash and cash equivalents	(1,096)	90	(842)	491	(968)	372
Add opening cash and cash equivalents brought forward	1,838	1,748	3,741	3,250	3,086	2,714
Closing cash and cash equivalents carried forward	742	1,838	2,899	3,741	2,118	3,086

Non-cash financing activities are disclosed in part (b) under "Cash and Cash Equivalents" note to the financial statements.

Non-cash financing and investing activities relating to the reinvestment of distributions are disclosed in the "Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders" note. The above Cash Flow Statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Cash flow statements for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

		Commonwealth Australian Share Fund		ealth Share e Fund	Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	
Note  Cash flows from operating	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
activities	, , , , ,	,	, , , ,	,	*	,
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments	2,269	2,300	8,019	8,962	871,627	1,513,000
Payments for purchase of financial instruments	(28)	-	1	-	(56,006)	(169,999)
Interest received / (paid)	12	1	24	2	6,256	464
Responsible Entity fee received/ (paid)	(177)	(200)	(439)	(517)	(77,903)	(93,240)
Other receipts/(payments)	(1)	(2)	(9)	(7)	(1,189)	(1,108)
Net cash (used in)/from operating activities 7(a)	2,075	2,099	7,596	8,440	742,785	1,249,117
Cash flows from financing activities						
Receipts from issue of units	197	323	155	2,059	-	322,212
Payment for redemption of units	(2,318)	(2,069)	(7,973)	(5,853)	(798,286)	(1,575,402)
Distribution payable	(159)	(207)	(1,541)	(1,820)	(35,674)	(3,210)
Net cash (used in)/from financing activities	(2,280)	(1,953)	(9,359)	(7,177)	(833,960)	(1,256,400)
Net movement in cash and cash equivalents	(205)	146	(1,763)	1,263	(91,175)	(7,283)
Add opening cash and cash equivalents brought forward	645	499	2,353	1,090	282,437	289,720
Closing cash and cash equivalents carried forward	440	645	590	2,353	191,262	282,437

Non-cash financing activities are disclosed in part (b) under "Cash and Cash Equivalents" note to the financial statements.

Non-cash financing and investing activities relating to the reinvestment of distributions are disclosed in the "Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders" note.

The above Cash Flow Statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Cash flow statements for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

		Commonwealth International Share Fund		Commonwealth Bond Fund	
No Cash flows from operating activities	ote	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments		1,093	1,083	1,002,725	1,772,000
Payments for purchase of financial instruments		(15)	-	(154,965)	1
Interest received / (paid)		9	1	7,149	578
Responsible Entity fee received/ (paid)		(158)	(172)	(59,971)	(74,211)
Other receipts/(payments)		(3)	7	(1,111)	(964)
Net cash (used in)/from operating activities 7	(a)	926	919	793,827	1,697,404
Cash flows from financing activities					
Receipts from issue of units		64	259	7,624	51,188
Payment for redemption of units		(1,032)	(1,100)	(889,147)	(1,743,243)
Distribution payable		(3)	(2)	(10,572)	(22,193)
Net cash (used in)/from financing activities		(971)	(843)	(892,095)	(1,714,248)
Net movement in cash and cash equivalents		(45)	76	(98,268)	(16,844)
Add opening cash and cash equivalents brought forward		456	380	302,735	319,579
Closing cash and cash equivalents carried forward		411	456	204,467	302,735

Non-cash financing activities are disclosed in part (b) under "Cash and Cash Equivalents" note to the financial statements.

Non-cask financing and investing activities relating to the reinvestment of distributions are disclosed in the "Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders" note.

The above Cash Flow Statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Notes to the financial statements for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023

## 1. Summary of significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the periods presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### (a) Basis of Preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board and the Corporations Act 2001 in Australia. The Funds are for-profit unit trusts for the purpose of preparing these financial statements.

The Balance Sheets are presented on a liquidity basis. Assets and liabilities are presented in decreasing order of liquidity and do not distinguish between current and non-current. All balances are expected to be recovered or settled within twelve months, except for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and net assets attributable to unitholders.

The Funds manage financial assets at fair value through profit or loss based on the economic circumstances at any given point in time, as well as to meet any liquidity requirements. As such, it is expected that a portion of the portfolio will be realised within 12 months, however, an estimate of that amount cannot be determined as at balance date.

The financial report was authorised for issue by the Directors of the Responsible Entity on 28 August 2023. The Directors of the Responsible Entity have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

The current reporting period for the financial report is from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023. The comparative reporting period is from 1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022.

Both the functional and presentation currency of the Funds are Australian dollars.

Comparative figures are, where appropriate, reclassified so as to be comparable with the figures and presentation in the current reporting period.

The Funds are registered schemes of a kind referred to in ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/ Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191 relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the Directors' Report and the Financial R eport. Amounts in the Directors' Report and the Financial Report have been rounded to either the nearest dollar or the nearest thousand dollars, as indicated.

## (i) Compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards

The Financial Report complies with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards ("AIFRS"). Compliance with AIFRS ensures that the financial report, comprising the financial statements and notes thereto, complies with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

## (ii) New and Amended Standards adopted by the Funds

There are no standards, interpretations or amendments to existing standards that are effective for the first time for the financial year beginning 1 July 2022 that have a material impact on the amounts recognised in prior periods or will affect the current or future periods.

## (b) Investments in Financial Assets and Liabilities at Fair Value through Profit or Loss

#### (i) Classification

#### **Assets**

The Funds classify their investments based on their business models for managing those financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets. The Funds' portfolio of financial assets is managed and performance is evaluated on a fair value basis in accordance with the Funds' documented investment strategy. The Funds' policy is for the Responsible Entity to evaluate the information about these financial assets on a fair value basis together with other related financial information.

For equity securities and derivatives, the contractual cash flows of these instruments do not represent solely payments of principal and interest.

Consequently, these investments are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

For debt securities, the contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest, however they are neither held for collecting contractual cash flows nor held both for collecting contractual cash flows and for sale. The collection of contractual cash flows is only incidental to achieving the Funds' business model objective. Consequently, the debt securities are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

#### (ii) Recognition/Derecognition

The Funds recognise financial assets and financial liabilities on the date they become party to the contractual agreement (trade date) and recognise changes in fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities from this date.

Investments are derecognised when the right to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or have been transferred and the Funds have transferred substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership.

#### (iii) Measurement

At initial recognition, the Funds measure financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value. Transaction costs of financial assets and financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in the Statements of Comprehensive Income.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss category are presented in the Statements of Comprehensive Income within 'net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss' in the period in which they arise.

For further details on how the fair values of financial instruments are determined please see "Financial Assets and Liabilities at Fair Value through Profit or Loss" note to the financial statements.

#### (iv) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Balance Sheets when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. Refer to the "Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities" note to the financial statements for further information.

#### (c) Investment Income

Interest income from financial assets at amortised cost is recognised on a time-proportionate basis using the effective interest method and includes interest from cash and cash equivalents. Interest from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is determined based on the contractual coupon interest rate and includes interest from debt securities.

Dividend and distribution income from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is recognised in the statements of comprehensive income within dividend income and distribution income when the Funds' right to receive payments is established.

Other changes in fair value for such instruments are recorded in accordance with the policies described in the "Financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss" note to the financial statements.

#### (d) Due from/to Brokers

Amounts due from/to brokers represent receivables for securities sold and payables for securities purchased that have been contracted for but not yet delivered by the end of the year. The due from brokers balance is held for collection and consequently measured at amortised cost.

These amounts are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost. At each reporting date, the Funds shall measure the loss allowance on amounts due from broker at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses if the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition. If, at the reporting date, the credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the Funds shall measure the loss allowance at an amount equal to 12-month expected credit losses. Significant financial difficulties of the broker, probability that the broker will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default in payments are all considered indicators that a loss allowance may be required. If the credit risk increases to the point that it is considered to be credit impaired, interest income will be calculated based on the gross carrying amount adjusted for the loss allowance. A significant increase in credit risk is defined by management as any contractual payment which is more than 30 days past due. Any contractual payment which is more than 90 days past due is considered credit impaired.

#### (e) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents in the Balance Sheets comprise cash at bank, deposits at call with financial institutions and short-term bank deposits with an original maturity of three months or less.

For the purposes of the Cash Flow Statements, cash and cash equivalents are as defined above, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

Derivative cash accounts comprise of margin accounts and cash held as collateral for derivative transactions and short sales. The cash is held by the broker and is only available to meet margin calls.

#### (f) Receivables

Receivables may include amounts for dividends, interest and trust distributions. Dividends and trust distributions are accrued when the right to receive payment is established. Interest is accrued at the end of each reporting period from the time of last payment in accordance with the policy set out in note 1(c) above. Amounts are generally received within 30 days of being recorded as receivables.

Collectability of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectable are written off by reducing the carrying amount directly. An allowance account (provision for impairment of trade receivables) is used when there is objective evidence that the Funds will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default or delinquency in payments (more than 30 days overdue) are considered indicators that the trade receivable is impaired. The amount of the impairment allowance is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate. Cash flows relating to short term receivables are not discounted if the effect of discounting is immaterial.

The amount of the impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss within other expenses. When a trade receivable for which an impairment allowance had been recognised becomes uncollectible in a subsequent period, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against other expenses in profit or loss.

#### (g) Payables

Payables include liabilities and accrued expenses owing by the Funds which are unpaid as at the end of the reporting period. As the Funds have a contractual obligation to distribute its distributable income, a separate distribution payable is recognised in the balance sheets as at the end of each reporting period where this amount remains unpaid as at the end of the reporting period.

#### (h) Taxation

Under current legislation, the Funds are not subject to income tax provided they attribute the entirety of their taxable income to their unitholders.

#### (i) Distributions to Unitholders

Distributions are payable as set out in the Funds' Product Disclosure Statements/Information Memorandums. Such distributions are determined by the Responsible Entity of the Funds. Distributable income includes capital gains arising from the disposal of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss. Unrealised gains and losses on financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss that are recognised as income are transferred to net assets attributable to unitholders and are not assessable and distributable until realised. Capital losses are not distributed to unitholders but are retained to be offset against any realised capital gains.

#### (j) Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders

Units are redeemable at the unitholders' option, however, applications and redemptions may be suspended by the Responsible Entity if it is in the best interests of the unitholders.

The units can be put back to the Funds at any time for cash based on the redemption price, which is equal to a proportionate share of the Funds' net asset value attributable to the unitholders.

The units are carried at the redemption amount that is payable at balance sheet date if the holder exercises the right to put the units back to the Funds. This amount represents the expected cash flows on redemption of these units.

Units are classified as equity when they satisfy the following criteria under AASB 132 *Financial instruments: Presentation:* 

- the puttable financial instrument entitles the holder to a pro-rata share of net assets in the event of the Funds' liquidation
- the puttable financial instrument is in the class of instruments that is subordinate to all other classes of instruments and class features are identical

- the puttable financial instrument does not include any contractual obligations to deliver cash or another financial asset, or to exchange financial instruments with another entity under potentially unfavorable conditions to the Funds, and it is not a contract settled in the Funds' own equity instruments; and
- the total expected cash flows attributable to the puttable financial instrument over the life are based substantially on the profit or loss.

The Funds' units have been classified as equity as they satisfied all the above criteria.

#### (k) Terms and Conditions on Units

Each unit issued confers upon the unitholder an equal interest in the respective fund, and is of equal value. A unit does not confer any interest in any particular asset or investment of the particular fund. Unitholders have various rights under the Constitutions and the Corporations Act 2001, including the right to:

- have their units redeemed;
- attend and vote at meetings of unitholders; and
- participate in the termination and winding up of the fund.

The rights, obligations and restrictions attached to each unit within each fund are identical in all respects.

#### (I) Applications and Redemptions

Applications received for units in the Funds are recorded net of any entry fees payable (where applicable) prior to the issue of units in the Funds. Redemptions from the Funds are recorded gross of any exit fees payable (where applicable) after the cancellation of units redeemed.

#### (m) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Income, expenses and assets, with the exception of receivables and payables, are recognised net of the amount of GST to the extent that the GST is recoverable from the taxation authority. Where GST is not recoverable, it is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of GST.

Reduced input tax credits (RITC) recoverable by the Funds from the Australian Taxation Office are recognised as receivables in the Balance Sheets.

Cash flows are included in the Cash Flow Statements on a gross basis. The GST component of cash flows, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as operating cash flows.

#### (n) Expense Recognition

All expenses, including responsible entity fees and custodian fees, are recognised in profit or loss on an accruals basis.

#### (o) Use of Estimates

The Responsible Entity makes estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial period. Estimates are continually evaluated and based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The Funds invest in managed investment schemes which are also managed by the Responsible Entity. For the majority of the financial instruments of these managed investment schemes, quoted market prices are readily available. However, certain financial instruments, for example, over-the-counter derivatives or unquoted securities are fair valued using valuation techniques. Where valuation techniques (for example, pricing models) are used to determine fair values, they are validated and periodically reviewed by experienced personnel of the Responsible Entity, independent of the area that created them. Models are calibrated by back-testing to actual transactions to ensure that outputs are reliable.

Models use observable data, to the extent practicable. However, areas such as credit risk (both own and counterparty), volatilities and correlations require management to make estimates. Changes in assumptions about these factors could affect the reported fair value of financial instruments.

#### (p) Unit Prices

Unit prices are determined in accordance with the Funds' Constitutions and are calculated as the net assets attributable to unitholders, divided by the number of units on issue. Financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss for unit pricing purposes are valued on a "last sale" price basis.

#### (q) Investment Entity

The Responsible Entity has determined that the Funds are investment entities under the definition in AASB 10 as they meet the following criteria:

- (i) the Funds have obtained funds from unitholders for the purpose of providing them with investment management services;
- (ii) the Funds' business purpose, which it communicated directly to unitholders, is investing solely for returns from capital appreciation and investment income; and
- (iii) the performance of investments made by the Funds are measured and evaluated on a fair value basis.

The Funds also meet all of the typical characteristics of investment entities.

#### (r) Transactions in Foreign Currencies

Items included in the Funds' Financial Statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which it operates ("the functional currency"). This is the Australian dollar, which reflects the currency of the economy in which the Funds compete for funds and is regulated. The Australian dollar is also the Funds' presentation currency.

The Funds mainly transact in Australian currency.

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded in the functional currency at the exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange prevailing at the Balance Sheets date.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items or on translating monetary items at rates different from those at which they were translated on initial recognition during the period or in a previous financial report, are recognised in the profit or loss in the period in which they arise.

The Funds do not isolate that portion of gains or losses on securities and derivative financial instruments that are measured at fair value through profit and loss and which is due to changes in foreign exchange rates from that which is due to changes in the market price of securities. Such fluctuations are included with the net gains or losses on financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss.

## (s) New Application of Accounting Standards

A number of new accounting standards, amendments to accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are effective for annual perios beginning after 1 July 2023, and have not been early adopted in preparing these financial statements. These standards, amendments or interpretations are not expected to have a material impact on the Funds in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions.

#### (t) Structured Entities

A structured entity is an entity in which voting or similar rights are not the dominant factor in deciding control. Structured entities are generally created to achieve a narrow and well defined objective with restrictions around their ongoing activities. Depending on the Funds' power over the activities of the entity and their exposure to and ability to influence its own returns, they may control the entity. However, the Funds apply the Investment Entity Exemption available under AASB10 and therefore do not consolidate its controlled entities (Note 1(q)). In other cases they may have exposure to such an entity but not control it.

An interest in a structured entity is any form of contractual or non-contractual involvement which creates variability in returns arising from the performance of the entity for the Funds. Such interests include holdings of units in unlisted trusts, including managed investment schemes. The nature and extent of the Funds' interests in structured entities are titled "managed investment schemes" and are summarised in Note 1(b), "Financial Assets Held at Fair Value through Profit or Loss" and "Related Parties Disclosures" notes where appropriate. The total size of the structured entities that the Funds have exposure to is the net assets of the "managed investment schemes", which is determined based on the percentage interest held and carrying value disclosed in the "Related Parties Disclosures" note.

#### 2. Auditor's remuneration

During the year the following fees were paid or payable, by the Responsible Entity, for services provided by PricewaterhouseCoopers Australia (PwC) as the auditor of the Funds and by PwC's related network firms.

Audit and review of the financial reports:

Name of Fund	1/07/2022 - 30/06/2023 \$'000	1/07/2021 - 30/06/2022 \$'000
Commonwealth Income Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth Growth Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth International Share Fund	2,714	4,183
Commonwealth Bond Fund	2,714	4,183

#### Other assurance services:

Name of Fund	1/07/2022 - 30/06/2023 \$'000	1/07/2021 - 30/06/2022 \$'000
Commonwealth Income Fund	346	315
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	346	315
Commonwealth Growth Fund	346	315
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	346	315
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	346	315
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	346	315
Commonwealth International Share Fund	346	315
Commonwealth Bond Fund	346	315

#### Other non-audit services:

Name of Fund	1/07/2022 - 30/06/2023 \$'000	1/07/2021 - 30/06/2022 \$'000
Commonwealth Income Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth Growth Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth International Share Fund	1,562	518
Commonwealth Bond Fund	1,562	518

Total services provided by PwC:

Name of Fund	1/07/2022 - 30/06/2023 \$'000	1/07/2021 - 30/06/2022 \$'000
Commonwealth Income Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth Growth Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth International Share Fund	4,622	5,016
Commonwealth Bond Fund	4,622	5,016

#### 3. Interest income

Interest income of the Funds is derived mainly from interest earned on bank accounts which are measured at amortised cost.

#### 4. Distributions to unitholders

The Responsible Entity adopts the policy of distributing as a minimum the net income for tax purposes. The amounts shown as "Distribution

payable" in the Balance Sheets represent the components of the distributions for the reporting period which had not been paid at balance date.

#### Quarterly and half-yearly distributing Funds:

The amounts distributed or proposed to be distributed to unitholders in cents per unit (cpu) during the period were:

Commonwealth Income Fund				
	01/07/2022-30/	06/2023	01/07/2021-30/	06/2022
Period ended:	сри	\$'000	сри	\$'000
- 30 September	-	-	0.06	27
- 31 December	0.02	8	0.07	31
- 31 March	0.01	4	0.19	82
- 30 June	0.17	61	0.28	117
Distributions to unitholders		73		257

Commonwealth Balanced Fund				
	01/07/2022- 30	/06/2023	01/07/2021-30/06/2022	
Period ended:	сри	\$'000	сри	\$'000
- 30 September	1.09	853	2 .48	1,934
- 31 December	1.47	1,136	1.81	1,410
- 31 March	1.37	1,056	2.24	1,750
- 30 June	1.86	1,438	3.67	2,894
Distributions to unitholders		4,483		7,988

Commonwealth Growth Fund				
	01/07/2022-30	/06/2023	01/07/2021-30	/06/2022
Period ended:	сри	\$'000	сри	\$'000
- 31 December	2.73	1,532	8.71	4,633
- 30 June	6.44	3,565	10.72	5,901
Distributions to unitholders		5,097		10,534

Commonwealth Australian Share Fund				
	01/07/2022-30/	06/2023	01/07/2021-30/	06/2022
Period ended:	сри	\$′000	cpu	\$'000
- 31 December	1.94	398	6.04	1,150
- 30 June	3.09	605	10.50	2,038
Distributions to unitholders		1,003		3,188

Commonwealth Share Income Fund				
	01/07/2022- 30	/06/2023	01/07/2021-30/	/06/2022
Period ended:	cpu	\$'000	сри	\$'000
- 31 December	2.26	999	7.24	3,196
- 30 June	3.66	1,585	11.79	5,288
Distributions to unitholders		2,584		8,484

Commonwealth Property Securities Fund					
	01/07/2022-30/06/2023 01/07/2021-30/0			30/06/2022	
Period ended:	сри	\$'000	cpu	\$'000	
- 31 December	0.67	73,263	0.12	13,505	
- 30 June	0.73	77,668	0.68	74,858	
Distributions to unitholders		150,931		88,363	

Commonwealth International Share Fund				
	01/07/2022- 30/	/06/2023	01/07/2021-30/	06/2022
Period ended:	сри	\$'000	сри	\$'000
- 31 December	-	-	-	-
- 30 June	0.31	17	0.18	10
Distributions to unitholders		17		10

Commonwealth Bond Fund				
	01/07/2022-30/	06/2023	01/07/2021-30	)/06/2022
Period ended:	сри	\$'000	сри	\$'000
- 30 September	-	-	0.120	8,231
- 31 December	-	-	-	-
- 31 March	-	-	0.22	19,198
- 30 June	-	2	0.28	23,539
Distributions to unitholders		2		50,968

## 5. Financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

#### (a) Fair Value Measurements

The Funds measure and recognise the following assets and liabilities at fair value on a recurring basis:

- Financial assets / liabilities at fair value through profit or loss
- Derivative financial instruments

The Funds have no assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis in the current reporting period.

Other than the financial assets and liabilities classified as fair value through profit or loss, all other financial assets and liabilities of the fund are recognised initially at fair value and are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

#### (b) Fair Value Hierarchy

AASB 13 requires disclosure of fair value measurements by level of the following fair value measurement hierarchy:

- Level 1 for quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 for inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 for inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

#### (i) Fair Value in an active market (Level 1)

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets is based on their quoted market prices at the end of the reporting period without any deduction for estimated future selling costs.

The Funds value their investments in accordance with policies set out in Note 1 to the financial statements. For the majority of these investments, the Funds rely on information provided by independent pricing services for the valuation of their investments.

The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the Funds is the current bid price; the appropriate quoted market price for financial liabilities is the current asking price. When the Funds hold derivatives with offsetting market risks, it uses mid-market prices as a basis for establishing fair values for the offsetting risk positions and applies this bid and asking price to the net open position, as appropriate.

A financial instrument is regarded as quoted in an active market if quoted prices are readily and regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service, or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis.

## (ii) Fair value in an inactive or unquoted market (Level 2 and Level 3)

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market is determined using valuation techniques. These include the use of recent arm's length market transactions, reference to the current fair value of a substantially similar other instrument, discounted cash flow techniques, option pricing models or any other valuation technique that provides a reliable estimate of prices obtained in actual market transactions.

Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimates and the discount rate used is a market rate at the end of the reporting period applicable for an instrument with similar terms and conditions.

For other pricing models, inputs are based on market data at the end of the reporting period. Fair values for unquoted equity investments are estimated, if possible, using applicable price/earnings ratios for similar listed companies adjusted to reflect the specific circumstances of the issuer.

The fair value of derivatives that are not exchange traded is estimated at the amount that the Funds would receive or pay to terminate the contract at the end of the reporting period taking into account current market conditions (volatility and appropriate yield curve) and the current creditworthiness of the counterparties. The fair value of a forward contract is determined as a net present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at appropriate market rates as at the valuation date. The fair value of an option contract is determined by applying the Black Scholes option valuation model.

Investments in other managed investment schemes are recorded at the redemption value per unit as reported by the investment managers of such funds.

Some of the inputs to these models may not be market observable and are therefore estimated based on assumptions.

The output of a model is always an estimate or approximation of a value that cannot be determined with certainty, and valuation techniques employed may not fully reflect all factors relevant to the positions the Funds hold. Valuations are therefore adjusted, to allow for additional factors including liquidity risk and counterparty risk.

#### (c) Recognised Fair Value Measurements

The Funds' financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss are unlisted managed investment schemes which are also managed by the Responsible Entity. These Funds are priced daily and offer daily applications and redemptions. The fair value of these investments are classified as Level 2.

#### (d) Transfers between Levels

There are no material transfers between levels for the Funds during the current and previous reporting periods.

## 6. Changes in net assets attributable to unitholders

As stipulated within the Funds' Constitutions, each unit represents a right to an individual share

in the Funds and does not extend to a right to the underlying assets of the Funds.

There are no separate classes of units and each unit has the same rights attaching to it as all other units of the respective Fund.

#### (a) Movements in Number of Units and Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders

Commonwealth Balanced Fund				
	01/07/2022-3	30/06/2023	01/07/2021-3	30/06/2022
	No.'000	\$'000	No.'000	\$'000
Opening balance	78,041	132,609	78,040	153,891
Applications	803	1,422	1,194	2,019
Redemptions	(6,027)	(10,504)	(4,083)	(7,626)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	2,914	5,095	2,890	5,688
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		8,653		(21,363)
	75,731	137,275	78,041	132,609

Commonwealth Growth Fund				
	01/07/2022-3	30/06/2023	01/07/2021-30/06/2022	
	No.'000	\$'000	No.'000	\$'000
Opening balance	54,325	106,608	54,502	128,893
Applications	602	1,221	896	1,756
Redemptions	(3,803)	(7,611)	(3,659)	(8,166)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	3,397	6,809	2,586	6,165
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		4,940		(22,040)
	54,521	111,967	54,325	106,608

Commonwealth Australian Share Fund				
	01/07/2022-3	0/06/2023	01/07/2021-3	0/06/2022
	No.′000	\$′000	No.'000	\$'000
Opening balance	19,221	24,351	18,828	29,609
Applications	150	197	255	324
Redemptions	(2,050)	(2,762)	(1,405)	(2,069)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	1,746	2,266	1,543	2,422
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		1,417		(5,935)
	19,067	25,469	19,221	24,351

Commonwealth Share Income Fund				
	01/07/2022-3	0/06/2023	01/07/2021-3	30/06/2022
	No.'000	\$'000	No.'000	\$'000
Opening balance	44,165	62,349	44,601	78,412
Applications	105	155	351	497
Redemptions	(5,364)	( 8,047)	(3,532)	(5,853)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	3,250	4,699	2,745	4,810
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		3,487		(15,517)
	42,156	62,643	44,165	62,349

Commonwealth Property Securities Fund				
	01/07/2022-	30/06/2023	01/07/2021-30/06/2022	
	No.'000	\$'000	No.′000	\$'000
Opening balance	10,977,011	9,186,104	12,251,879	11,754,649
Applications	-	-	384,763	322,212
Redemptions	(899,816)	(810,457)	(1,669,618)	(1,575,402)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	132,584	115,841	9,987	10,509
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		451,708		(1,325,864)
	10,209,779	8,943,196	10,977,011	9,186,104

Commonwealth International Share Fund				
	01/07/2022-3	0/06/2023	01/07/2021-3	0/06/2022
	No.′000	\$′000	No.'000	\$′000
Opening balance	5,558	16,824	5,798	19,179
Applications	19	64	86	259
Redemptions	(309)	(1,042)	(327)	(1,100)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	2	7	1	4
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		3,599		(1,518)
	5,270	19,452	5,558	16,824

Commonwealth Bond Fund				
	01/07/2022-30/06/2023		01/07/2021-30/06/2022	
	No.'000	\$'000	No.'000	\$′000
Opening balance	8,404,687	8,277,481	9,929,601	11,090,889
Applications	7,619	7,624	52,158	51,188
Redemptions	(896,847)	(890,697)	(1,598,154)	(1,743,243)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	13,039	12,997	21,082	23,081
Change in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations		63,130		(1,144,434)
	7,528,498	7,470,535	8,404,687	8,277,481

#### (b) Capital Risk Management

The Funds consider their net assets attributable to unitholders as capital. The amount of net assets attributable to unitholders can change significantly on a daily basis as the Funds are subject to daily applications and redemptions at the discretion of unitholders. Net assets attributable to unitholders are representative of the expected cash outflows on redemption.

Daily applications and redemptions are reviewed relative to the liquidity of the Funds' underlying assets on a daily basis by the responsible entity. Under the terms of the Funds' Constitutions, the Responsible Entity has the discretion to reject an application for units and to defer or adjust a redemption of units if the exercise of such discretion is in the best interests of unitholders.

#### 7. Cash and cash equivalents

## (a) Reconciliation of Net Profit/(Loss) Attributable to Unitholders to Net Cash from Operating Activities

Commonwealth Income Fund			
	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000	
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	991	(3,872)	
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	6,010	5,961	
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(1,339)	-	
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(820)	4,325	
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(390)	(761)	
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	-	
Change in receivables and other assets	1	-	
Change in payables and other liabilities	(4)	(5)	
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	4,449	5,648	

Commonwealth Balanced Fund		
	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	13,136	(13,375)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	12,470	12,892
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(2,316)	(4,200)
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(12,491)	16,011
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(2,040)	(4,248)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	-
Change in receivables and other assets	-	2
Change in payables and other liabilities	1	(17)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	8,760	7,065

#### Commonwealth Growth Fund

	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	10,037	(11,506)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	9,954	9,781
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(3,116)	(1,340)
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(8,065)	18,245
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(2,902)	(7,804)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	-
Change in receivables and other assets	(1)	1
Change in payables and other liabilities	(1)	(13)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	5,906	7,364

#### Commonwealth Australian Share Fund

	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	2,420	(2,747)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	2,269	2,300
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(28)	-
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(1,312)	5,794
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(1,277)	(3,246)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	-
Change in receivables and other assets	_	-
Change in payables and other liabilities	3	(2)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	2,075	2,099

#### Commonwealth Share Income Fund

	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	6,071	(7,033)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	8,019	8,962
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	1	-
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	(3,335)	14,857
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(3,157)	(8,339)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	-
Change in receivables and other assets	-	-
Change in payables and other liabilities	(3)	(7)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	7,596	8,440

#### Commonwealth Property Securities Fund

	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	602,639	(1,237,501)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	871,627	1,513,000
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit loss	(56,006)	(169,999)
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair ue through profit or loss	(444,322)	1,343,116
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(230,944)	(197,839)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	_	-
Change in receivables and other assets	67	34
Change in payables and other liabilities	(276)	(1,694)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	742,785	1,249,117

#### Commonwealth International Share Fund

	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	3,616	(1,508)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	1,093	1,083
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit loss	(15)	-
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair ue through profit or loss	(3,599)	2,079
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	(170)	(734)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	-
Change in receivables and other assets	-	1
Change in payables and other liabilities	1	(2)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	926	919

#### Commonwealth Bond Fund

	01/07/2022- 30/06/2023 \$'000	01/07/2021- 30/06/2022 \$'000
Net profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders	63,132	(1,093,466)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss	1,002,725	1,772,000
Payments for purchase of financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit loss	(154,965)	1
Changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities held at fair ue through profit or loss	(116,439)	1,071,345
Distribution or Dividend income reinvested	_	(50,906)
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)	_	-
Change in receivables and other assets	5	350
Change in payables and other liabilities	(631)	(1,920)
Net Cash From/(Used In) Operating Activities	793,827	1,697,404

#### 8. Related parties disclosures

#### (a) Responsible Entity

The Responsible Entity of the Funds is Colonial First State Investments Limited.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia (CBA), through intermediate holdings companies, owns a 45% interest in Colonial First State Investments Limited. The remaining 55% is held by the Asian private equity fund structure of Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. L.P. (together with its affiliates, KKR).

The Responsible Entity is incorporated and domiciled in Australia and has its registered office at Level 15, 400 George Street, Sydney, New South Wales, 2000.

#### (b) Details of Key Management Personnel

#### (i) Key Management Personnel

The Directors of Colonial First State Investments Limited are considered to be Key Management Personnel. The Directors of the Responsible Entity in office during the period and up to the date of the report are:

#### Name of Director

Date of Appointment or Resignation

#### **Murray Coble**

Appointed on 30 May 2022

#### JoAnna Fisher

Appointed on 30 May 2022

#### Martin Codina

Appointed on 22 February 2023

#### **Anthony Lane**

Resigned on 16 February 2023

#### (ii) Compensation of Key Management Personnel

No amounts are paid by the Funds directly to the Directors of the Responsible Entity of the Funds.

#### (c) Responsible Entity's Management Fees

The management fees rate charged for the current and comparative reporting periods are as follows:

Name of Fund	Period ended 30/06/2023 Management Fees %	Period ended 30/06/2022 Management Fees %
Commonwealth Income Fund	1.20	1.20
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	1.60	1.60
Commonwealth Growth Fund	1.60	1.60
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	1.60	1.60
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	1.60	1.60
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	1.60	1.60
Commonwealth International Share Fund	1.60	1.60
Commonwealth Bond Fund	1.20	1.20

The Responsible Entity's management fees charged for the reporting periods are as follows:

Name of Fund	Period ended 30/06/2023 \$	Period ended 30/06/2022 \$
Commonwealth Income Fund	256,342	307,808
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	1,464,009	1,605,513
Commonwealth Growth Fund	984,669	1,082,150
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	179,114	197,979
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	438,042	510,385
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	77,969	91,632
Commonwealth International Share Fund	159,505	170,739
Commonwealth Bond Fund	59,687	72,767

Fees due to/(refund from) the Responsible Entity as at the end of the reporting periods are as follows

Name of Fund	Period ended 30/06/2023 \$	Period ended 30/06/2022 \$
Commonwealth Income Fund	19,798	22,693
Commonwealth Balanced Fund	120,643	119,135
Commonwealth Growth Fund	81,285	80,141
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund	14,551	14,384
Commonwealth Share Income Fund	35,398	37,409
Commonwealth Property Securities Fund	6,073	6,271
Commonwealth International Share Fund	13,920	12,450
Commonwealth Bond Fund	4,697	5,158

### (d) Management Expenses Recharged

The Responsible Entity is responsible for paying the custody fees on behalf of the Funds. The amount paid is based on the overall arrangement in place with the custodian. The Responsible Entity recharges the custody fees to the Funds. The amount recharged is disclosed as "Custody Fees" in the "Statements of Comprehensive Income".

The Responsible Entity is also responsible for paying certain expenses (such as audit fees, printing and postage) for the Funds. The amount recharged is disclosed under "Expenses Recharged" in the "Statements of Comprehensive Income".

# (e) Bank and Deposit Accounts

The bank accounts and 11am deposit accounts for the Funds may be held with CBA. Fees and expenses are negotiated on an arm's length basis. Various short term money market, fixed interest securities and foreign currency transactions are from time to time transacted through CBA which receives a fee which is negotiated on an arm's length basis.

# (f) Units Held by Related Parties

Other funds managed by the Responsible Entity or its affiliates may from time to time purchase or redeem units in the Funds. Such activity is undertaken in the ordinary course of business at entry and exit prices available to all investors at the time of the transaction.

There is no interest of Colonial First State
Investments Limited and its associates in the Funds.

# (g) Related Party Transactions

The Funds may transact with other managed investment schemes, which are also managed by the Responsible Entity.

These transactions normally consist of the sale or purchase of units in related managed investment schemes and receipt and payment of distributions on normal commercial terms and conditions.

# (i) Terms and Conditions of Transactions with Related Parties

All related party transactions are made in arm's length transactions on normal commercial terms and conditions.

Outstanding balances at period end are unsecured and settlement occurs in cash.

#### (ii) Guarantees

There have been no guarantees provided or received for any related party receivables.

# (h) Investing Activities

# (i) Related Managed Investment Schemes

The following funds held investments in the following managed investment schemes which were managed by Colonial First State Investments Limited. Distributions received are immediately reinvested into additional units.

Investment Name	Units Held at Period End	Value of Investment at Period End	Interest held in Investment at Period End	Units Acquired During Period	Units Disposed During Period	Distribution Received			
	No'000	\$'000	%	No'000	No'000	\$'000			
Commonwea Units held in:	Ith Income Fund								
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Australian Bond F	und						
-2023	17,799	17,174	2.50	687	2,823	-			
-2022	19,935	18,942	3.60	111	2,206	117			
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Cash Fund							
-2023	1,233	1,243	0.02	144	381	46			
-2022	1,470	1,481	0.02	3	534	2			
Colonial First	State Wholesale	' Australian Share F	Fund - Core						
-2023	2,698	3,448	0.72	256	536	171			
-2022	2,978	3,624	0.73	337	551	461			
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Global Corporate	Debt Fund						
-2023	9,760	8,617	0.91	557	2,103	171			
-2022	11,306	9,544	1.25	156	1,888	133			
Colonial First	Colonial First State Wholesale Indexed Global Bond Fund								
-2023	3,106	3,444	0.15	75	332	2			
-2022	3,363	3,797	0.30	42	491	47			
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Commonwea Units held in:	Ith Balanced Fund	d							
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Australian Bond F	und						
-2023	14,119	13,624	1.98	78	81	_			
-2022	14,122	13,419	2.55	1,014	158	78			
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Cash Fund							
-2023	4,892	4,934	0.09	182	1,650	184			
-2022	6,360	6,406	0.08	7	_	7			
	-	Indexed Australia	∣ n Share Fund						
-2023	26,881	43,765	0.77	1,714	2,424	1,745			
-2022	27,591	41,037	0.86	2,192	3,714	3,585			
	_	Indexed Australia			3,. 21	2,000			
-2023	22,523	20,424	1.19	342	242	_			
-2022	22,423	20,131	0.45	1,309	445	326			
	-	Indexed Global Bo	l .	1,000		323			
-2023	12,316	13,659	0.59	756	395	8			
-2023	12,310	13,009	0.59	130	390	0			

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Investment Name	Units Held at Period End	Value of Investment at Period End	Interest held in Investment at Period End	Units Acquired During Period	Units Disposed During Period	Distribution Received				
	No'000	\$'000	%	No'000	No'000	\$'000				
Commonwea Units held in:	Commonwealth Balanced Fund Units held in:									
Colonial First State Wholesale Global Share Fund										
-2023	8,879	35,653	4.85	-	1,716	1				
-2022	10,595	33,504	5.55	414	1,524	-				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Property Securitie	es Fund	'	'					
-2023	3,891	4,143	1.32	177	50	102				
-2022	3,764	3,828	1.19	74	95	84				
	ı	1								
Commonwea Units held in:	Ith Growth Fund									
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Australian Bond F	und							
-2023	17,679	17,059	2.48	184	-	-				
-2022	17,495	16,624	3.16	1,041	107	95				
Colonial First State Wholesale Cash Fund										
-2023	1,248	1,259	0.02	66	1,277	67				
-2022	2,459	2,477	0.03	3	-	3				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Australian Share F	und - Core	'	'					
-2023	37,952	48,500	10.08	2,222	2,737	2,345				
-2022	38,467	46,814	9.49	4,339	2,892	5,942				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Indexed Global Sh	are Fund							
-2023	3,739	14,599	0.34	76	678	275				
-2022	4,341	14,362	0.44	351	615	1,255				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Indexed Global Bo	nd Fund							
-2023	7,709	8,549	0.37	978	109	5				
-2022	6,840	7,722	0.61	377	-	96				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Global Property S	ecurities Fund							
-2023	3,172	4,358	1.09	624	64	103				
-2022	2,612	4,002	0.95	203	510	322				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Global Share Fund	İ							
-2023	3,702	14,864	2.02	31	530	-				
-2022	4,201	13,284	2.20	_	355	-				
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Property Securitie	es Fund							
-2023	4,063	4,326	1.38	541	507	106				
-2022	4,029	4,098	1.28	80	638	91				

Investment Name	Units Held at Period End No'000	Value of Investment at Period End \$'000	Interest held in Investment at Period End %	Units Acquired During Period No'000	Units Disposed During Period No'000	Distribution Received \$'000		
Commonwealth Australian Share Fund Units held in:								
Colonial First	State Wholesale	Australian Share F	- - - - - - - - - - -					
-2023	20,405	26,076	5.42	1,037	1,773	1,277		
-2022	21,141	25,728	5.22	2,371	1,591	3,246		

Commonwealth Share Income Fund Units held in:							
Colonial First State Wholesale Australian Share Fund - Core							
-2023	49,845	63,699	13.23	2,509	6,259	3,157	
-2022	53,595	65,226	13.22	6,087	6,235	8,339	

Commonwealth Property Securities Fund^ Units held in:								
Colonial First State Wholesale Property Securities Fund								
-2023	8,306,564	8,843,168	2.82	276,658	802,482	230,944		
-2022	8,832,388	8,983,421	2.80	312,811	1,264,388	197,839		

<sup>^</sup> Amounts and units are rounded to nearest dollar and unit.

Commonwealth International Share Fund Units held in:								
Colonial First State Wholesale Indexed Global Share Fund								
-2023	2,421	9,454	0.22	48	137	170		
-2022	2,510	8,303	0.25	205	148	734		
Colonial First State Wholesale Global Share Fund								
-2023	2,397	9,625	1.31	2	162	-		
-2022	2,557	8,085	1.34	_	135	-		

Commonwealth Bond Fund^ Units held in:								
Colonial First State Wholesale Australian Bond Fund								
-2023	7,535,834	7,271,326	1.06	156,230	1,042,462	-		
-2022	8,422,066	8,002,647	1.52	47,934	1,687,465	50,906		

<sup>^</sup> Amounts and units are rounded to nearest dollar and unit.

# (ii) Related Listed Securities

The Funds did not invest in any related listed securities.

# (iii) Other related Financial Instruments

The Funds did not invest in derivatives, money market and fixed interest securities issued by the Commonwealth Bank of Australia and its associates.

# 9. Financial risk management

Investing activities of the Funds may expose them to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including price risk, foreign exchange risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The overall risk management programme focuses on ensuring compliance with its Product Disclosure Statement/Information Memorandum and seeks to maximise the returns derived for the level of risk to which the Funds are exposed. The Funds may use derivative financial instruments to alter certain risk exposures. Financial risk management is carried out by the respective investment management departments (Investment Managers) and regularly monitored by the Investment Review Services Department of the Responsible Entity.

Different methods are used to measure different types of risk to which it is exposed. These methods include sensitivity analysis in the case of interest rate, foreign exchange and other price risks and ratings analysis for credit risk.

# (a) Market Risk

# (i) Price Risk

Financial assets are either directly or indirectly exposed to price risk. This arises from investments held for which prices in the future are uncertain. They are classified on the balance sheet at fair value through profit or loss. All securities investments present a risk of loss of capital. The maximum risk resulting from financial instruments is determined by the fair value of the financial instruments.

An Investment Manager may mitigate price risk through diversification and a careful selection of securities and other financial instruments within specified limits and guidelines in accordance with the Product Disclosure Statement/Information Memorandum or Constitutions and monitored by the Investment Review Services Department of the Responsible Entity.

The table in part (b) under "Summarised Sensitivity Analysis" of the "Financial Risk Management" note to the financial statements summarises the impact of an increase/decrease of the Australian and global indexes on the Funds' net assets attributable to unitholders at the end of the reporting periods. The analysis is based on the assumptions that the relevant indexes increased or decreased as tabled

with all other variables held constant and that fair values of the Funds move according to the historical correlation with the indexes.

### (ii) Foreign Exchange Risk

The Funds contained in this Financial Report do not hold monetary or non-monetary assets denominated in currencies other than the Australian dollars and therefore are not exposed to foreign exchange risk.

### (iii) Interest Rate Risk

The exposure to interest rate risk of the Funds contained in this Financial Report is limited to its cash and cash equivalents or bank overdraft, which earns/ (charges) a floating rate of interest.

The table in part (b) under "Summarised Sensitivity Analysis" of the "Financial Risk Management" note to the financial statements, summarises the impact of an increase/decrease of interest rates on the Funds' operating profit and net assets attributable to unitholders through changes in fair value or changes in future cash flows. The analysis is based on the assumption that interest rates increase or decrease by a "predetermined basis points" from the year end rates with all other variables held constant. The impact mainly arises from changes in the fair value of debt securities. The "predetermined basis points" are disclosed in the table below.

# (b) Summarised Sensitivity Analysis

The following tables summarise the sensitivity of the Funds' operating profit or loss and net assets attributable to unitholders to interest rate risk, foreign exchange risk and other price risk. The reasonably possible movements in the risk variables have been determined based on management's best estimate, having regard to a number of factors, including historical levels of changes in interest rates and foreign exchange rates, historical correlation of the Funds' investments with the relevant benchmark and market volatility. However, actual movements in the risk variables may be greater or less than anticipated due to a number of factors, including unusually large market shocks resulting from changes in the performance of and/or correlation between the performance of the economies, markets and securities in which the Funds invest. As a result, historic variations in risk variables should not be used to predict future variations in the risk variables.

Certain funds may not be subject to all these risks and are denoted with "-" in the tables below.

# Commonwealth Income Fund

	Interest rate risk		Foreign exc	Foreign exchange risk		e risk
	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders					
	-100 basis points \$'000	50 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'000	10.00% \$′000	-12.00% \$'000	12.00% \$′000
30/06/2023	(7)	4	-	-	(4,071)	4,071
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$′000	10.00% \$′000	-12.00% \$'000	12.00% \$'000
30/06/2022	(2)	37	-	-	(4,487)	4,487

#### Commonwealth Balanced Fund

	Interest rate risk		Foreign exchange risk		Price risk	
	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributab				ole to unitholders	
	-100 basis points \$'000	50 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'000	10.00% \$'000	-5.00% \$′000	5.00% \$'000
30/06/2023	(29)	14	-	-	(6,810)	6,810
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$′000	10.00% \$′000	-5.00% \$′000	5.00% \$'000
30/06/2022	(4)	75	-	-	(6,591)	6,591

#### Commonwealth Growth Fund

	Interest r	ate risk	Foreign exc	Foreign exchange risk		Price risk	
	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders						
	-100 basis points \$'000	50 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'000	10.00% \$′000	-15.00% \$'000	15.00% \$'000	
30/06/2023	(21)	11	-	-	(17,027)	17,027	
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$′000	10.00% \$'000	-15.00% \$′000	15.00% \$′000	
30/06/2022	(3)	62	-	-	(16,407)	16,407	

#### Commonwealth Australian Share Fund

	Interest r	ate risk	Foreign ex	Foreign exchange risk		e risk	
	In	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders					
	-100 basis points \$'000	50 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'000	10.00% \$′000	-20.00% \$'000	20.00% \$′000	
30/06/2023	(4)	2	-	-	(5,215)	5,215	
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'000	10.00% \$'000	-20.00% \$'000	20.00% \$′000	
30/06/2022	(1)	13	-	-	(5,146)	5,146	

#### Commonwealth Share Income Fund

	Interest	rate risk	Foreign exc	Foreign exchange risk		Price risk	
	Ir	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders					
	-100 basis points \$'000	50 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'000	10.00% \$′000	-20.00% \$'000	20.00% \$'000	
30/06/2023	(6)	3	-	-	(12,740)	12,740	
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$′000	10.00% \$′000	-20.00% \$'000	20.00% \$'000	
30/06/2022	(2)	47	-	-	(13,045)	13,045	

# Commonwealth Property Securities Fund

	Interest rate risk		Foreign exchange risk		Price risk	
	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders					
	-100 basis points	50 basis points \$	-10.00% \$	10.00% \$	-15.00% \$	-15.00% \$
30/06/2023	(1,913)	956	-	-	(1,326,475)	1,326,475
	-10 basis points \$	200 basis points \$	-10.00% \$	10.00% \$	-15.00% \$	15.00% \$
30/06/2022	(282)	5,649	-	-	(1,347,513)	1,347,513

#### Commonwealth International Share Fund

	Interest rate risk		Foreign exchange risk		Price risk	
	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders					
	-100 basis points \$'000	50 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$′000	10.00% \$′000	-15.00% \$'000	-15.00% \$'000
30/06/2023	(4)	2	-	-	(2,862)	2,862
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$′000	10.00% \$′000	-15.00% \$'000	15.00% \$′000
30/06/2022	-	9	-	-	(2,458)	2,458

# Commonwealth Bond Fund

	Interest rate risk		Foreign exchange risk		Price risk	
	Impact on operating profit/(loss) and net assets attributable to unitholders					
	-100 basis points \$	50 basis points \$	-10.00% \$	10.00% \$	-5.00% \$	5.00% \$
30/06/2023	(2,045)	1,022	-	-	(363,566)	363,566
	-10 basis points \$'000	200 basis points \$'000	-10.00% \$'	10.00% \$'	-5.00% \$'	5.00% \$
30/06/2022	(303)	6,055	-	-	(400,132)	400,132

### (c) Credit risks

The exposure to credit risk for cash and cash equivalents is low as all counterparties have a high credit rating. The Funds' investments in managed investment schemes are subject to credit risk at the point in time it renders its investment.

However, as the Responsible Entity of the Funds are the same as the underlying investment, the credit risk is deemed to be insignificant.

# (d) Liquidity risk

The Funds are exposed to daily cash redemptions of redeemable units. The Funds primarily hold investments in managed investment schemes which are managed by the Responsible Entity.

These investments are readily disposable.

The Funds' financial liabilities, excluding derivative financial liabilities, comprise trade and other payables and are contractually due within 30 days.

#### 10. Derivative financial instruments

In the normal course of business the Funds may enter into transactions in various derivative financial instruments which have certain risks. A derivative is a financial instrument or other contract which is settled at a future date and whose value changes in response to the change in a specified interest rate, financial instrument price, commodity price, foreign exchange rate, index of prices or rates, credit rating or credit index or other variable.

The Funds contained in this Financial Report did not enter into transactions in any derivative financial instruments during the current and previous reporting periods.

# 11. Offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities

Certain funds will present the fair value of their derivative assets and liabilities on a gross basis.

Certain derivative financial instruments are subject to enforceable master netting arrangements, such as an International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) master netting agreement. In certain circumstances, for example, when a credit event such as a default occurs, all outstanding transactions under the ISDA agreement are terminated, the termination value is assessed and only a single net amount may be payable in settlement of all transactions.

The Funds do not invest in derivatives and are therefore not subject to master netting arrangements.

#### 12. Structured entities

Certain funds have exposures to unconsolidated structured entities through trading activities. These funds typically have no other involvement with the structured entities other than the securities they hold as part of trading activities and their maximum exposure to loss is restricted to the carrying value of the asset.

Exposure to trading assets are managed in accordance with financial risk management practices as set out in "Financial Risk Management" note, which includes an indication of changes in risk measures compared to prior year.

# Contingent liabilities and commitments

The Funds did not have any contingent liabilities or commitments at the end of the current and previous reporting period.

#### 14. Events after balance sheet date

No significant events have occurred since balance sheet date which would impact on the financial positions of the Funds disclosed in the Balance Sheets as at 30 June 2023 or on the results and cash flows of the Funds for the reporting period ended on that date.

#### **COMMONWEALTH INVESTMENT FUNDS**

# DIRECTORS' DECLARATION FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

In the opinion of the Directors of Colonial First State Investments Limited:

- a) the financial statements and notes to the financial statements of the Funds in this Financial Report are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
  - i) complying with Accounting Standards, the *Corporations Regulations 2001* and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
  - ii) giving a true and fair view of the Funds' financial positions as at 30 June 2023 and of their performances for the reporting period ended on that date, and
- b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Funds will be able to pay their debts as and when they become due and payable, and
- c) the financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board as stated in Note 1.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

JoAnna Fisher Director

Sydney

28 August 2023



# Independent auditor's report

To the unitholders of Commonwealth Investment Funds

#### Our opinion

In our opinion:

The accompanying financial report of Commonwealth Investment Funds (each a Registered Scheme) is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of each Registered Scheme's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its financial performance for the year then ended
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

#### What we have audited

The financial report of Commonwealth Investment Funds comprises:

- the balance sheet as at 30 June 2023
- the statement of comprehensive income for the year then ended
- the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended
- the cash flow statement for the year then ended
- the notes to the financial statements, which include significant accounting policies and other explanatory information
- the directors of the Responsible Entity's declaration.

for each of the following Registered Schemes:

- Commonwealth Income Fund
- Commonwealth Balanced Fund
- Commonwealth Growth Fund
- Commonwealth Australian Share Fund
- Commonwealth Share Income Fund
- Commonwealth Property Securities Fund
- Commonwealth International Share Fund
- Commonwealth Bond Fund

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report* section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

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#### Independence

We are independent of the Registered Scheme in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional & Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards) (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

#### Other information

The directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2023, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon through our opinion on the financial report.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# Responsibilities of the directors of the Responsible Entity for the financial report

The directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors of the Responsible Entity determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for assessing the ability of the Registered Scheme to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors of the Responsible Entity either intends to liquidate the Registered Scheme or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

# Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial report.



A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

PricewaterhouseCoopers

Partner

Sydney 28 August 2023

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