

# BetaShares NASDAQ 100 ETF

 **ASX: NDQ**

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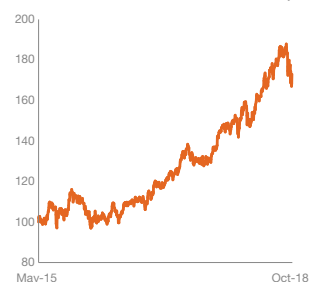
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Exchange Traded Funds

## Investment Objective

The Fund aims to track the price and income performance of the NASDAQ-100 Index (before fees and expenses).

## Performance

Value of \$100 invested since inception



PERIOD	FUND RETURN	NASDAQ 100 RETURN
1 mth	-6.75%	-6.72%
3 mth	1.15%	1.23%
6 mth	12.57%	12.75%
1 yr	21.12%	21.51%
3 yr (p.a)	15.24%	15.62%
5 yr (p.a)	-	-
Inception	17.29%	17.66%

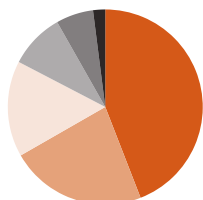
Fund returns are calculated in A\$ using net asset value per unit at the start and end of the specified period and do not reflect the brokerage or the bid ask spread that investors incur when buying and selling units on the ASX. Returns are after fund management costs, assume reinvestment of any distributions and do not take into account income tax. Returns for periods longer than one year are annualised. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance. Source: BetaShares, Bloomberg.

## Distributions

12 mth distribution yield (%) 0.5%

Yield figures are calculated by summing the prior 12 month net fund per unit distributions divided by the fund closing NAV per unit at quarter-end. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.

## Sector Allocation



Information Technology	44.1%
Communication Services	22.6%
Consumer Discretionary	15.9%
Healthcare	9.2%
Consumer Staples	6.2%
Industrials	2.0%

## Top 10 Exposures

COMPANY	WEIGHTING	COMPANY	WEIGHTING
Apple Inc	13.2%	Alphabet Inc (Class A)	4.1%
Microsoft Corp	10.2%	Intel Corp	2.7%
Amazon.com Inc	9.7%	Cisco Systems Inc	2.7%
Alphabet Inc (Class C)	4.7%	Comcast Corp	2.2%
Facebook Inc	4.6%	PepsiCo Inc	2.0%

## Trading Information

BetaShares Funds can be bought or sold during the trading day on the ASX, and trade like shares.

EXCHANGE	ASX
ASX CODE	NDQ
CURRENCY	AUD
TRADING HOURS	10:00-16:00 (AEST)
BLOOMBERG CODE	NDQ AU
IRESS CODE	NDQ.AXW

## Fund Information

DISTRIBUTIONS	SEMI-ANNUAL
MANAGEMENT COSTS	0.38% P.A
EXPENSES	ESTIMATED AT 0.10% P.A
FUND INCEPTION	26 MAY 2015

## Underlying Index Characteristics

INDEX	NASDAQ-100 INDEX
BLOOMBERG CODE	NDX INDEX
PRICE/EARNINGS RATIO	19.31 x
MARKET CAP	\$8152.0B
NUMBER OF COMPONENTS	103

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## Index Description

The NASDAQ 100 Index provides investors with exposure to the performance of the 100 largest non-financial securities listed on the NASDAQ stock market, by market capitalisation. The Index contains category defining companies across major industry groups such as technology, telecommunications and retail.

## Benefits of BetaShares NASDAQ 100 ETF

- ▶ **Access** – simple and cost effective way to access a diversified portfolio of some of the world's most revolutionary companies
- ▶ **Technology sector exposure** – Fund invests in some of the largest, most innovative companies in the global technology sector including Apple, Google & Facebook
- ▶ **US exposure** – obtain US equities and US currency exposure
- ▶ **Cost effective** – cost of Fund is lower than traditional active managers focusing on US equities
- ▶ **Reduced administration** – as an Australian domiciled fund, investors do not need to fill out W8 BEN forms, or risk any potential U.S. estate tax issues
- ▶ **Transparent** – portfolio holdings, value of the Fund's assets and net asset value per unit available daily on our website
- ▶ **Liquidity** – available to trade on the ASX like any share

## How to use the BetaShares NASDAQ 100 ETF in your portfolio

The Fund can be used to implement a variety of investment strategies. For example:

- ▶ A core component of a global equities allocation providing transparency and diversification benefits
- ▶ Tactical exposure to the global technology sector
- ▶ A low cost complement or alternative to active fund managers focussed on global equities

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