



Target Market Determination

NAB Platform Term Deposit

Determination Criteria	Description
Start date	16/10/2021
First and ongoing review period	The first review, and each ongoing review, must be completed within each consecutive 12 month period from the Start Date.
Product	<p>NAB Platform Term Deposit</p> <p>A NAB Platform Term Deposit with a fixed-rate, fixed-term investment that provides a secure return on funds for an agreed term made available to investors through an investment platform provider.</p>

Target Market

Target market & product attributes	Consumer needs and objectives	Product attributes
	A person investing through a Platform provider or superannuation fund seeking a term deposit as a conservative, low-risk investment option with the certainty of a fixed interest rate and return and who is comfortable locking away funds for a fixed period of time. The product is typically held by a custodian who aggregates members/investors holdings on behalf of the running the Platform provider or fund.	<p>A term deposit with the following key attributes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the ability to deposit and invest funds for a fixed term the ability to earn interest on deposited funds fixed interest rate for a fixed term no access to money during the fixed term subject to a 7 day cooling off period at the start of the term the requirement to deposit a minimum amount of funds.
	Consumer financial situation	Product attributes
	A person who will have sufficient funds to invest in the term deposit seeking: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a fixed interest rate for a fixed term. 	<p>This product requires:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> no minimum amount.
Appropriateness statement	NAB has considered that the product including its key attributes is appropriate for the target market including the likely objectives, financial situation and needs of consumers in the target market.	

Distribution Conditions

<p>Commercial compliance</p> <p>This condition applies to all conduct</p>	<p>Condition 1</p> <p>A distributor must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> hold an appropriate Australian Financial Services Licence (AFSL) or be an authorised representative of a AFSL holder unless an exemption applies covering the provision of financial services in respect of the product; and if the distributor is not NAB: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> comply with the terms and conditions of any relevant distribution agreement or arrangement with NAB
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - if applicable, comply with the terms of any licensing exemption covering the provision of financial services in respect of the product. <p>This condition is appropriate as it ensures distributors are appropriately authorised to provide the relevant regulated financial services and will comply with the commercial terms agreed between the distributor and NAB.</p>
<p>General advice</p> <p>This condition applies to general advice (including most marketing)</p>	<p>Condition 2</p> <p>A distributor must only provide general advice (such as marketing) as to the product if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a Target Market Determination (TMD) has been made and published for the product and has not been withdrawn • the distributor complies with the terms of the TMD for the product • the general advice is consistent with the consumer needs, objectives and financial situation defined in the target market for the product; and • ASIC has not issued a Product Intervention Power restricting the publication of general advice for the product by the distributor. <p>A distributor may provide general advice (such as marketing) as to the product through public channels such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • advertising available on specialist periodicals related to purchasing term deposits and investments (including relevant social media), physical banners, brochures and other marketing material • advertising through comparison sites and rating agencies • NAB Relationship Bankers • approved NAB Distributors. <p>This condition is appropriate as the target market is wide.</p> <p>It is intended that these channels may be available to persons who would not at that time qualify for the product to be issued to them in a regulated sale, for example because they are minors. This is because the issue of the product is subject to Distribution Conditions 1, 3 and 4 which will ensure that the product is only issued to persons for whom it will be appropriate.</p>
<p>Retail product distribution conduct (other than General Advice)</p> <p>These conditions apply to all retail product distribution conduct that is not general advice</p>	<p>Condition 3</p> <p>A distributor must only engage in retail product distribution conduct (other than general advice) if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a TMD has been made and published for the product and has not been withdrawn • the distributor complies with the terms of the TMD for the product • ASIC has not issued a Product Intervention Power restricting the distribution of the product for the distributor; and • the distributor has complied with Condition 4. <p>A distributor must only engage in retail product distribution conduct (other than general advice) through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NAB Relationship Bankers • approved NAB Distributors • AFSL holders that have a distribution agreement with NAB • approved superannuation funds and IDPS platforms. <p>This condition is appropriate as the issuer has distributed this product using these methods, with limited risk to consumers.</p> <p>Condition 4</p> <p>A distributor must only engage in retail product distribution conduct (other than general advice) if it has taken reasonable steps to identify:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • that the distribution of the product to the consumer is likely to be consistent with the needs, objectives and financial situation defined in the target market for the product; and • that the person is likely to be seeking access to a term deposit account with the following key

	<p>attributes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - fixed interest rate - fixed term - term deposit offered through preferred Platform provider. <p>This condition is appropriate as it requires a distributor to take reasonable steps that will likely result in the consumer being in the target market for the product.</p>
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Review Triggers

Review triggers	<p>NAB and any distributor of this product, must cease all retail product distribution conduct (except excluded conduct) in respect of this product within 10 business days of NAB identifying a review trigger unless:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NAB has determined that this TMD continues to be appropriate; or • a new TMD has been made. <p>The events and circumstances described below will trigger a review of this TMD if NAB determines it may relate to the appropriateness of the TMD having regard to NAB's internal policies.</p> <p>NAB will publish notice of a review on its website.</p>
Material complaints	NAB actively monitors consumer complaints and will review the appropriateness of the TMD where complaints in number or significance relate to consumer understanding of risks, key terms, conditions or features of this product.
Product performance	<p>NAB actively monitors product performance indicators relevant to the product and will review the appropriateness of the TMD in circumstances where:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • evidence shows that consumer usage is significantly different from original issuer expectations (e.g. a different product purpose) • evidence shows that product is no longer meeting the financial situation, needs and objectives of the target market for whom the product was designed (e.g. breaking the fixed term before the end of the fixed period) • evidence shows of substantial sales outside of the Target Market.
Feedback from distributors	<p>Reporting received from distributors, or consistent feedback from distributors which suggests that the target market or key product attributes may no longer be appropriate.</p> <p>Refer to Reporting.</p>
Substantial product change	<p>NAB makes a substantial change to the product terms, conditions or key product attributes including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • adding to, removing or changing a product attribute • a substantial pricing change which impacts the consumer value proposition of the product • significant changes to a distribution channel and distribution strategy.
Significant change to the external environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regulatory or legislative environment for this product. • Economic and market conditions
Notification from ASIC	NAB receives a notification from ASIC requiring immediate cessation of product distribution or particular conduct in relation to the product.
Significant dealings	Evidence that the distribution of the product or distributor conduct are significantly different to the expectations set out in the TMD.

Reporting

Reporting period	<p>The Reporting Period for this determination is quarterly during each calendar year:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First reporting period ending on 31 March. • Second reporting period ending on 30 June.
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Reporting information	A distributor must provide the following information in writing as soon as practicable or within 10 business days after the end of the relevant reporting period.								
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