

NUMUS HIGH CONCENTRATION PRESCIENT QI HEDGE FUND

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INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Numus High Concentration Prescient QI hedge fund aims to achieve absolute returns for investors in excess of the benchmark. The portfolio will be highly concentrated with a focus on large cap JSE listed shares. Equity exposure is likely to be around 80% of the portfolio but may increase or decrease depending on risk of loss and the cost of protection. The fund will have maximum flexibility to invest in a diversified range of instruments, including, but not limited to equities, debentures, options, warrants, convertible debt securities, debt instruments, preference shares, over the counter securities, contract for difference (CFDs), and listed and unlisted financial instruments in line with conditions as determined by legislation from time to time. Unlisted investments in these asset classes are permitted as determined by legislation from time to time. The fund will take long and short positions and may also retain amounts in cash or cash equivalents in order to maximise returns.

The portfolio may hold directional market exposure which can result in a moderate level of capital volatility over all periods.

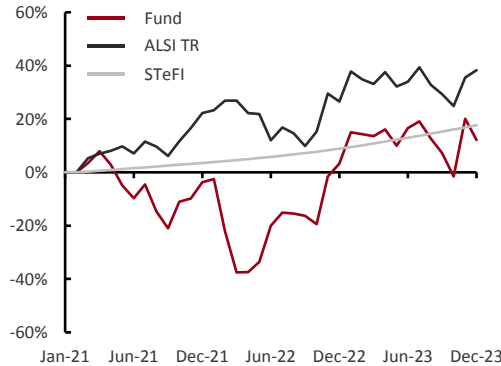
RISK INDICATOR



PERFORMANCE

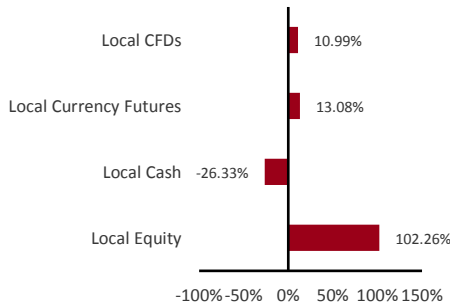
	Fund	ALSI	STeFI
Since incep. (cumulative)	12.08%	38.28%	17.67%
Since incep. (annualised p.a.)	3.99%	11.77%	5.74%
1 year	8.49%	9.25%	8.06%
Highest rolling 1 year	85.65%	20.47%	8.06%
Lowest rolling 1 year	-42.08%	3.29%	3.89%

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE



*All performance figures are net of fees. Unless stated otherwise, performance figures for 1-year or longer are annualised.

ASSET ALLOCATION



RISK AND FUND STATS

Since inception (p.a.)

	Fund
Alpha	-7.78
Standard Deviation	33.12%
Max Drawdown	-42.08%
Max Monthly Gain	22.25%
% Positive Months	51.43%

FUND INFORMATION

Fund Manager:

Isaac Benatar

Fund Classification:

SA portfolios - Long Short Equity Hedge Funds - Long Bias Equity Hedge Funds

Benchmark:

None

Fund Size:

R99.8 m

No of Units:

875,273

Unit Price:

11,397.96

Inception Date:

01 February 2021

Minimum Investment:

R1 000 000 lump-sum
R10 000 Per month

Annual Management Fee:

0.00% (excl. VAT)

Performance Fee:

None

Dealing Frequency:

Monthly

Valuation Frequency:

Daily

Fee Breakdown:

Service Charge	0.00%
Performance Fees	N/A
Other Fees*	0.01%
Total Expense Ratio	0.01%
Transaction Costs	0.12%
Total Investment Charge	0.14%

*Other fees includes underlying fee (where applicable): Audit Fees, Custody Fees, Trustee Fees and VAT

*TIC Fees are calculated in respect of 12 months ending before 30 September 2022

Prime Broker:

Standard Bank

Administrator:

Prescient Fund Services (Pty) Ltd

Auditor:

Ernst & Young Incorporated

Income Distribution:

31 March 2023 - 117.01 cpu

MONTHLY PERFORMANCE (NET OF FEES)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
2021		3.54%	4.20%	-4.68%	-7.54%	-5.01%	5.64%	-10.72%	-7.30%	12.62%	1.45%	6.75%	-3.69%
2022	1.27%	-20.24%	-19.68%	0.04%	6.22%	20.45%	6.15%	-0.40%	-1.06%	-3.70%	22.25%	4.89%	7.27%
2023	11.38%	-0.70%	-0.65%	2.23%	-5.20%	5.97%	2.15%	-5.42%	-4.87%	-8.17%	22.04%	-6.66%	8.49%

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GLOSSARY

Annualised Performance: Annualised performance shows longer term performance rescaled to a 1 year period. Annualised performance is the average return per year over the period. Actual annual figures are available to the investor on request.

Highest & Lowest Performance: The highest and lowest performance for any 1 year over the period since inception have been shown.

NAV: The net asset value represents the assets of a Fund less its liabilities.

Alpha: Denotes the outperformance of the fund over the benchmark.

Standard Deviation: The deviation of the return stream relative to its own average.

Max Drawdown: The maximum peak to trough loss suffered by the Fund since inception.

Max Gain: Largest increase in any single month.

% Positive Month: The percentage of months since inception where the Fund has delivered positive return.

High Water Mark: The highest level of performance achieved over a specified period.

Total Expense Ratio (TER%): The Total Expense Ratio (TER) is the percentage of the net asset value of the class of the Financial Product incurred as expenses relating to the administration of the Financial Product.

Performance fee incl. in TER (%) PF (%): The Performance Fee is a payment made to the Fund Manager for generating positive returns and is generally calculated as percentage of investment profits, often both realized and unrealized.

Transaction Costs (TC%): The Transaction Costs (TC) is the percentage of the net asset value of the Financial Product incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of the assets underlying the Financial Product.

Total Investment Charges TIC (%) = TER (%) + TC (%): The Total Investment Charges (TIC), the TER + the TC, is the percentage of the net asset value of the class of the Financial Product incurred as costs relating to the investment of the Financial Product. It should be noted that a TIC is the sum of two calculated ratios (TER+TC).

FUND SPECIFIC RISK

Default Risk: The risk that the issuers of fixed income instruments may not be able to meet interest payments nor repay the money they have borrowed. The issuers credit quality is vital. The worse the credit quality, the greater the risk of default and therefore investment loss.

Foreign Investment Risk: Foreign securities investments may be subject to risks pertaining to overseas jurisdictions and markets, including (but not limited to) local liquidity, macroeconomic, political, tax, settlement risks and currency fluctuations.

Currency Exchange Risk: Changes in the relative values of individual currencies may adversely affect the value of investments and any related income.

Liquidity Risk: If there are insufficient buyers or sellers of particular investments, the result may lead to delays in trading and being able to make settlements, and/or large fluctuations in value. This may lead to larger financial losses than expected.

Equity Investment Risk: Value of equities (e.g. shares) and equity-related investments may vary according to company profits and future prospects as well as more general market factors. In the event of a company default (e.g. bankruptcy), the owners of their equity rank last in terms of any financial payment from that company.

Capital Risk: The capital value of Shares of a fund may be affected by various risks to capital, including the potential risk of erosion due to the redemption of Shares and the distribution of profit in excess of the investment return. This risk can be limited by loss-mitigation, capital-protection or capital-guarantee techniques.

Leverage Risk: This means that the Fund borrows additional funds, or trades on margin, to amplify investment decisions. This means that the volatility of the hedge fund portfolio can be many times that of the underlying investments. The degree to which leverage may be employed in any given hedge fund portfolio will be limited by the mandate the client has with the Fund.

Derivatives Risk: The use of derivatives could increase overall risk by magnifying the effect of both gains and losses in a Fund. As such, large changes in value and potentially large financial losses could result.

Derivative Trading is Speculative and Volatile

Substantial risks are involved in trading futures, forward and option contracts and various other instruments in which the Fund intends to trade. Certain of the instruments in which the Fund may invest are interest and foreign exchange rate sensitive, which means that their value and, consequently, the Net Asset Value, will fluctuate as interest and/or foreign exchange rates fluctuate. The Fund's performance, therefore, will depend in part on its ability to anticipate and respond to such fluctuations in market interest rates, and to utilise appropriate strategies to maximize returns to the Fund, while attempting to minimize the associated risks to its investment capital. Variance in the degree of volatility of the market from the Fund's expectations may produce significant losses to the Fund.

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DISCLAIMER

Collective Investment Schemes in Securities (CIS) should be considered as medium to long-term investments. The value may go up as well as down and past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. CIS's are traded at the ruling price and can engage in scrip lending and borrowing. The collective investment scheme may borrow up to 10% of the market value of the portfolio to bridge insufficient liquidity. A schedule of fees, charges and maximum commissions is available on request from the Manager. There is no guarantee in respect of capital or returns in a portfolio.

A CIS may be closed to new investors in order for it to be managed more efficiently in accordance with its mandate. CIS prices are calculated on a net asset basis, which is the total value of all the assets in the portfolio including any income accruals and less any permissible deductions (brokerage, STT, VAT, auditor's fees, bank charges, trustee and custodian fees and the service charge) from the portfolio divided by the number of participatory interests (units) in issue. Forward pricing is used.

The Fund's Total Expense Ratio (TER) reflects the percentage of the average Net Asset Value (NAV) of the portfolio that was incurred as charges, levies and fees related to the management of the portfolio. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER cannot be regarded as an indication of future TER's. During the phase in period TER's do not include information gathered over a full year. Transaction Costs (TC) is the percentage of the value of the Fund incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of the Fund's underlying assets. Transaction costs are a necessary cost in administering the Fund and impacts Fund returns. It should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of Fund, investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.

The Manager retains full legal responsibility for any third-party-named portfolio. Where foreign securities are included in a portfolio there may be potential constraints on liquidity and the repatriation of funds, macroeconomic risks, political risks, foreign exchange risks, tax risks, settlement risks; and potential limitations on the availability of market information. The investor acknowledges the inherent risk associated with the selected investments and that there are no guarantees.

Please note that Hedge Funds are processed on a monthly basis. Your application form together with proof of payment must be submitted to Prescient before 14h00, two business days before month end.

Redemptions: Hedge Fund redemptions are processed at the end of each month and require a month's notice. In order to receive month end prices, your redemption must be submitted to Prescient before 14h00, within one business day of the preceding month end, for processing at the end of the following month. Prices are published daily and are available on the Prescient website.

Performance has been calculated using net NAV to NAV numbers with income reinvested. The performance for each period shown reflects the return for investors who have been fully invested for that period. Individual investor performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestments and dividend withholding tax. Full performance calculations are available from the manager on request.

For any additional information such as fund prices, brochures and application forms please go to www.numus.co.za.

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*Performance Fee: The Fund charges a base and performance fee. Performance fees are payable on outperformance of the benchmark using a participation rate of 10%. A permanent high water mark is applied, which ensures that performance fees will only be charged on new performance. There is no cap on the performance fee.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

The portfolio has adhered to its policy objective and there were no material changes to the composition of the portfolio during the quarter.

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