

## Strategy

Low risk Fund that diversifies the risk over various asset classes. The primary objective is to achieve capital appreciation with low volatility and low correlation to equity markets. Invests in a combination of equities, bonds, money markets or property. The benchmark is CPI + 2% over a three-year rolling period.

## Investor

Conservative investor seeking returns in excess of inflation over the short-term as well as high level of capital protection with a potential of capital growth. An investment horizon of three years or longer. Compliant with Regulation 28.

## \*Risk Profile

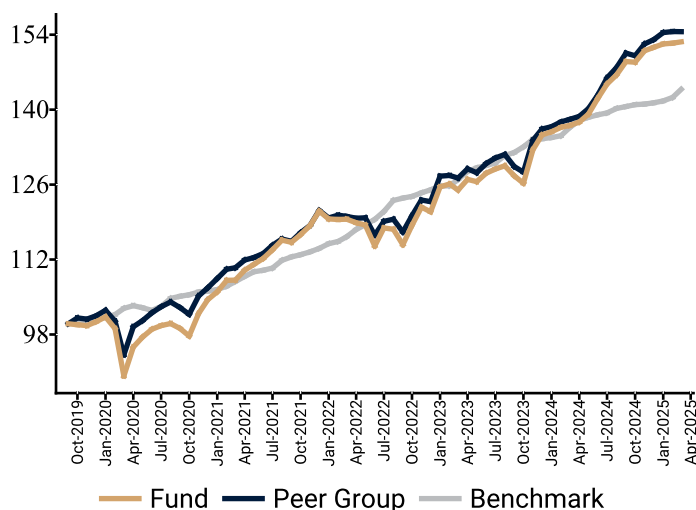


## Details

Benchmark	CPI + 2% over a rolling 3 years
JSE Code (ISIN)	PMSBA1 (ZAE000265054)
Class Inception Date	30 October 2019

Peer Group	ASISA SA MA Low Equity
Portfolio Size	R 358.5 Million
NAV Per Unit (Units)	131.68 (513588.99)

## \*\*Illustrative Performance



## Risk

	Fund	Peer Group
Annualised Volatility	7.0%	5.8%
Positive Months	69.7%	72.7%
Highest Annual Return	19.8%	17.3%
Lowest Annual Return	-2.1%	0.7%
Max Drawdown	-10.9%	-8.1%

Net Returns	One Month	Three Months	Six Months	Year to Date	One Year	Three Years	Five Years	Since Inception
Fund	0.2%	0.7%	2.5%	0.7%	11.4%	8.5%	11.1%	8.0%
Peer Group	-0.0%	1.0%	2.7%	1.0%	11.8%	8.8%	10.4%	8.2%
CPI + 2%	1.1%	1.8%	2.3%	1.8%	5.2%	7.3%	6.9%	6.8%

Returns are annualised for periods longer than one year. Annualised performance is the average return per year over the period. Actual annual figures are available to the investor on request. \*These portfolios typically have moderate equity exposure resulting in some capital volatility over the shorter term. \*\*The investment performance is for illustrative purposes only. The investment is calculated by taking the actual initial fees and all ongoing fees into account for the amount shown and income is reinvested on the reinvestment date.

#### Asset Allocation

	Global	SA	Total
Bond	7.5%	31.5%	<b>39.0%</b>
Equity	9.7%	22.3%	<b>32.0%</b>
Income	0.1%	24.7%	<b>24.8%</b>
Property	1.5%	2.7%	<b>4.2%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>18.8%</b>	<b>81.2%</b>	<b>100%</b>

#### Top Holdings

Investment	% of portfolio
Corion BCI Income Fund	37.2%
Visio BCI Unconstrained Fixed Interest Fund	10.8%
Momentum SA Flexible Fixed Interest Fund	10.8%
10X Total World Stock Tracker Feeder Fund	7.9%
Centaur BCI Flexible Fund	5.3%
1NVEST Global Government Bond Index	4.0%
Fairtree Equity Prescient Fund	3.6%
36ONE BCI SA Equity Fund	3.5%
Catalyst SCI Flexible Property Fund	3.5%
Foord Equity Fund	3.2%

#### Asset Allocation Changes

	SA Income	SA Bond	SA Equity	SA Property	Global Income	Global Bond	Global Equity	Global Property
<b>3 Months Ago</b>	26.0%	29.7%	20.4%	2.6%	2.0%	7.4%	10.4%	1.5%
<b>Current</b>	24.7%	31.5%	22.3%	2.7%	0.1%	7.5%	9.7%	1.5%
<b>Move</b>	-1.3%	1.8%	1.9%	0.1%	-1.9%	0.1%	-0.7%	0.0%

#### Distributions

<b>Dates</b>	Distributions are 31 March and 30 September.
<b>Detail</b>	0.026 rpu (Mar 2025) & 0.029 rpu (Sep 2024), 0.031 rpu (Apr 2024)

#### Total Investment Charge (incl. VAT)

	Service Fee (excl. VAT)	Other Costs	Total Expense Ratio	Transaction Cost	Total Investment Charge
<b>3 Years</b>	0.92%	0.63%	1.55%	0.09%	1.64%

Charges are annualised for periods longer than one year. As of 31 Dec 2024.

## Decoding The Month



## Investment Manager

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### Specific Risk:

**Default Risk:** The risk that the issues of fixed income instruments (e.g., bonds) 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. **Developing Market (excluding Asia) Risk:** Some of the countries invested in may have less developed legal, political, economic and/or other systems. These markets carry a higher risk of financial loss than those in countries generally regarded as being more developed. **Interest Rate Risk:** The risk that the value of fixed income investments (e.g., bonds) tends to be inversely proportional to interest rates. Hence their value decreases when interest rates rise and vice versa. **Property Risk:** Investments in real estate securities can carry the same risk as investing directly in real estate. Real estate prices may move in response to a variety of factors, including the local economy, market and historical economic and political conditions, interest rates and tax considerations. **Currency Exchange Risk:** Changes in the relative values of individual currencies may adversely affect the value of investments and any related income. **Geographic / Sector Risk:** The fund's investments primarily concentrate in a specific country, group of countries, industry or sector. This relative narrowing of focus may result in higher risk as performance will be closely tied to the specific sector, country or region. **Investment Risk:** Value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the original amount invested. **Equity Risk:** The market price of equities may fluctuate significantly depending on a company's performance and 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.

### Information Disclosure:

The fund adheres to its investment policy as stated in the supplemental deed.

### 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. CISs are traded at the ruling price and can engage in borrowing and scrip lending. The portfolio may borrow up to 10% of the market value of the portfolio to bridge insufficient liquidity. A schedule of fees and 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 value basis, which is the total market value of all assets in the portfolio including income accruals and less any permissible deductions (brokerage, STT, VAT, auditor's fees, bank charges, trustee, and RSC levies and the initial fee). 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 TERs. During the phase in period TERs 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 portfolio valuation is at approximately 15h00 (South African time) each day except Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays. Prices are published daily on the Manager's website and in the national newspaper. The Manager does not provide any guarantee either with respect to the capital or the return of the portfolio. Fund of Funds portfolios invest in portfolios of collective investment schemes that levy their own charges, which could result in higher fees for these portfolios. The Manager retains full legal responsibility for any third-party-named portfolios. Foreign securities may be included in portfolios and may result in additional risks as described elsewhere in this document. Performance figures are sourced from Morningstar and are based on a lump sum investment calculated on NAV basis with income reinvested. Annualised return is the weighted average compound growth rate over the period measured. Collective Investment Schemes are regulated by the Financial Sector Conduct Authority (FSCA). The Manager is a member of the Association for Savings and Investment SA. Prices are published daily and are based on Forward Pricing; any changes made will reflect the following day. Transaction Costs (TC): TC is the percentage of the value of the Fund incurred as costs relating to buying and selling of the Fund's underlying assets. These 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 other factors over the long term such as market returns, the type of Fund, investment decisions of the investment manager, and the TER. Highest & Lowest Return: The highest and lowest returns for any 1 year over the period since inception have been shown.

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

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