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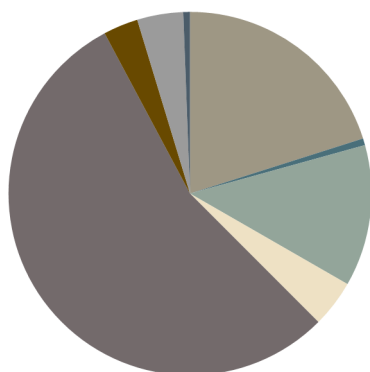
**Fund Details**

<b>Fund Category</b>	Worldwide Multi Asset Flexible
<b>Benchmark</b>	CPI+6% Worldwide Flexible
<b>Risk Profile</b>	Aggressive
<b>Investment period</b>	5 years or longer
<b>Launch Date</b>	01 November 2019
<b>Fund Size</b>	R 15 million
<b>Platform</b>	Glacier

**Fund Objective**

The wrap fund aims to provide a high level of capital growth over the long term. Investors in this fund are prepared to tolerate high fluctuations in the value of their investment over the short term. The fund will be diversified across all major asset classes with a strong bias towards equities (maximum of 100%) and can invest in South African and/or foreign markets up to 100% either way. Investors in this fund should have a minimum investment horizon of 5 years or longer. The fund is not compliant with Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act.

**Asset Allocation**



Equity, 20.1%	International Equity, 54.7%
Property, 0.6%	International Bonds, 3.1%
Bonds, 12.6%	International Cash, 4.1%
Cash, 4.2%	International Property, 0.6%

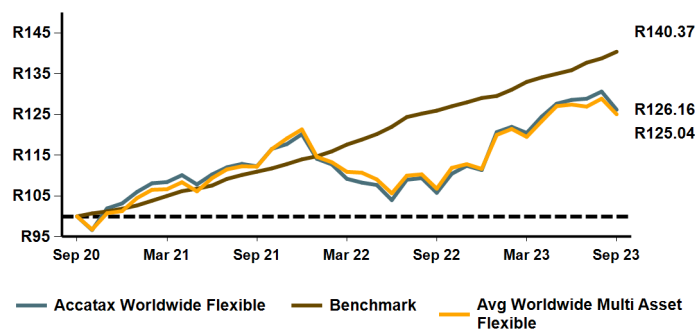
**Investor Profile**

The fund is suitable for investors seeking:

- High level of capital growth over the long term
- Able to tolerate high levels of volatility, with diversification across asset classes both domestic and foreign
- A minimum investment horizon of 5 years or longer

**Cumulative performance - 3 years \***

Growth of R100 investment



Performance (%)	Fund*	Fund Benchmark	Avg Worldwide Multi Asset Flexible
1 Month	-3.40	1.18	-2.96
3 Months	-1.87	3.33	-1.86
6 Months	4.74	5.56	4.64
1 Year	19.26	11.47	17.09
2 Years (annualised)	6.01	12.47	5.57
3 Years (annualised)	8.05	11.97	7.73
YTD	13.29	8.79	12.00
Since Launch	7.80	11.33	8.02

Risk statistics (3 years)	Fund*
Returns (annualised)	8.05%
Standard deviation (annualised)	9.85%
% Positive months	63.89%
Maximum drawdown	-13.44%
Sharpe ratio	0.28%

**Manager Selection (%)**

Coronation Global Emerging Markets Flexible	8.00	Ninety One Global Franchise Feeder	10.00
Coronation Global Optimum Growth	19.00	PSG Flexible	6.00
Coronation Strategic Income	10.00	Satrix Bond Index	4.00
Fairtree Equity Prescient	10.00	Satrix MSCI World Equity Index	10.00
Laurium Flexible Prescient	7.00	Truffle SCI Flexible	6.00
Nedgroup Global Equity Feeder (Veritas)	10.00		

Monthly Fund Performance* (%)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Fund 2023	8.35	1.07	-1.23	3.32	2.55	0.73	0.22	1.36	-3.40				13.29
Fund 2022	-5.01	-1.22	-3.12	-0.86	-0.54	-3.44	4.80	0.36	-3.29	4.42	1.76	-0.92	-7.31
Fund 2021	2.74	2.00	0.27	1.56	-2.07	2.26	1.61	0.74	-0.54	3.83	1.00	2.06	16.46

**Fees (% incl. VAT)**

Annual wrap fee	0.29
Underlying Manager TER's	0.88

\* The investor is liable for CGT on any transactions in the units of the underlying unit trusts within the wrap funds. Compulsory investments are not subject to CGT. Performance is calculated using net returns (after fees) of the underlying unit trusts, and quoted excluding wrap fund fees. Performance quoted is pre-tax. Fund performance numbers shown are for a notional portfolio and do not reflect the actual performance of the client invested in the wrap fund due to timing differences of investments or disinvestments of the client. Benchmark returns for CPI are based on actual published returns and an estimated one month return for the month of the report date. ASISA Benchmark returns are the ASISA returns available as at the time of reporting.

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### Manager Comment

September opened with the G20 Summit, when world leaders came together in one setting to discuss global issues under the theme of "One Earth, One Family, One Future". The European Central Bank (ECB) raised rates to 4% in September, taking them to the highest level since 1999. While the US Federal Reserve (Fed) kept rates unchanged at 5.25%-5.50%, Fed Chair Jerome Powell anticipated further rate hikes would be needed to achieve the 2% inflation target.

The UK also paused rates at 5.25%, providing relief to households battling rising prices and high borrowing costs. China's economy continues to weaken and data from the Chinese Beige Book survey indicate that retail sales and pricing power as well as manufacturing production and loans contributed to the slowdown in the Chinese economy. Locally, the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) kept interest rates unchanged at 8.25% at the September Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting. The South African economy grew 0.60% in the second quarter of 2023 and there was concern that it might move into recession in the first quarter of 2023.

Global equity markets fell for a second consecutive month, with the MSCI World ending the month at -4.31% in dollar terms. Interest rates were a key factor weighing on market sentiment in September as investors' focus shifted from how much higher rates could go to how long rates would remain elevated and how many cuts would eventually come.

Emerging Market (EM) stocks outperformed their Developed Market (DM) counterparts. The MSCI EM ended at -2.57% month-on-month (m/m) in dollar terms with China dragging on EM stocks. Global Bonds ended the month negatively, at -2.92%, and Global Property was -5.96%, both in dollar terms. The FTSE ended the month at 1.82% in pound terms and the S&P 500 at a negative 4.77% in dollar terms. In domestic bond markets, the FTSE/JSE All Bond Index closed the month at -2.34% with the 1-3 year bonds at -0.36% m/m, 3-7 year bonds at -1.22% m/m, 7-12 year bonds at -2.84% m/m and bonds over 12 years at -2.96% m/m.

The South African share market followed global equity markets lower. The FTSE All-Share Index closed the month at -2.55%. Industrials and Property were in negative territory at -4.44% and -4.08% m/m. Resources ended with a positive 0.95% return. Financials ended negatively at -3.83% m/m. Cash was in positive territory at 0.68%. The local currency held up relatively well against a generally strong US dollar, ending the month at 0.51%. It performed relatively well against the euro and pound at 3.03% and 4.34% respectively. The rand performed negatively for the month against the Japanese yen at -0.17% and -0.65% against the Australian dollar.

### Portfolio Manager



#### Niël Hougaard, CFA

BCom Management Sciences  
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#### About the Portfolio Manager

Niël has over 10 years of experience in the financial industry across the UK and SA. Having graduated in 2007 from Stellenbosch University with an honours degree in Financial Analysis, he took up a role with PwC UK (London) in 2008 as a member of their Anti-Money Laundering team. In 2009 he returned to South Africa where he joined up with State Street Southern Africa, serving as a Portfolio Administrator.

Having always had the ambition of entering the asset management industry he eventually teamed up with Autus Fund Managers, a small Cape Town based boutique fund manager, in 2010. He gained a wealth of experience in managing various direct equity and multi-asset portfolios. He is a CFA charter holder having obtained the designation in 2014.

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