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**Accatax Cautious** 

# 30 November 2023

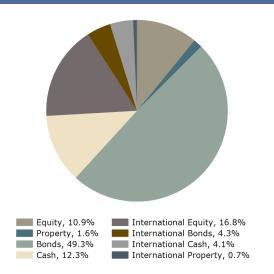
#### Fund Details

Fund Category	SA Multi Asset Low Equity
Benchmark	CPI+3%
Risk Profile	Cautious
Investment period	3 years
Launch Date	01 August 2011
Fund Size	R 100 million
Platform	Glacier

## Fund Objective

The wrap fund aims to provide investors with stable income and a high level of capital stability. The probability of capital loss over the medium to long term is low. The fund will consist primarily of income orientated assets with a below average exposure to equities (maximum of 40%). Investors in this fund should have a minimum investment horizon of 3 years. The fund is compliant with Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act, 1956.

#### Asset Allocation

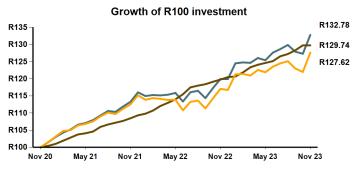


## Investor Profile

This fund is suitable for investors looking for:

- Stable income and a high level of capital stability
- Low probability of capital loss over the medium to long term
- A minimum investment horizon of 3 years

Cumulative performance - 3 years \*



– Accatax Cautious 🛛 — Benchmark 🔶 Avg SA Multi Asset Low Equity

Performance (%)	Fund	Fund Benchmark	Avg SA Multi Asset Low Equity				
1 Month	4.31	-0.01	4.62				
3 Months	2.26	1.98	2.00				
6 Months	5.88	4.11	4.71				
1 Year	10.73	8.34	9.05				
2 Years (annualised)	8.27	9.37	6.50				
3 Years (annualised)	9.91	9.07	8.47				
5 Years (annualised)	8.95	7.98	7.61				
YTD	10.74	7.68	9.32				
Since Launch	8.75	8.20	7.78				
Risk statistics (3 year	Fund						
Returns (annualised)	9.91%						
Standard deviation (ani	4.81%						
% Positive months	72.22%						
Maximum drawdown	-2.31%						
Sharpe ratio	0.91						

Manager Selection (%)													
Amplify SCI Defensive Balanced (Matrix)			1	5.00	Ninety One Cautious Managed					10.00			
Amplify SCI Flexible Equity (Abax)			7	7.00	Ninety One Global Multi-Asset Income FF					1	2.50		
Coronation Global Optimum Growth			4	4.00	00 Prescient Income Provider					1	17.50		
Coronation Strategic Income			7	7.50	Satrix Low Equity Balanced					7.00			
Fairtree Equity Prescient			3	3.00	Satrix MSCI World Equity Index					6.50			
Granate BCI Multi Income		1	0.00	SIM Inflation Plus					1	10.00			
Monthly Fund Performance (%)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Fund 2023	3.83	0.22	-0.10	1.13	-0.51	1.76	0.82	0.93	-1.51	-0.47	4.31		10.74
Fund 2022	-0.92	0.25	-0.09	0.17	0.45	-2.16	2.38	0.38	-1.84	2.53	2.28	-0.01	3.33
Fund 2021	1.51	1.27	0.85	1.36	0.44	0.81	1.25	1.20	-0.23	1.39	1.25	2.44	14.39
Fees (% incl. VAT)													

Annual wrap fee	0.29
Underlying Manager TER's	0.67

\* 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 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

The International Monetary Fund (IMF) forecasts China's economy will grow by 5.4% for 2023, from a previous growth forecast of 5%. Consumer price pressures in the euro zone are expected to ease on the back of declining energy prices, after two years of skyrocketing inflation. The US Federal Reserve (Fed) kept its key short-term interest rate unchanged at its November meeting, but highlighted that it was willing to raise interest rates if inflationary pressure persisted in coming months.

The South African National Treasury announced its Medium-Term Budget Policy Statement (MTBPS) in November, which included a provision of R33.6 billion to extend the R350 monthly social stipend until March 2025. The Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) reached a unanimous decision to pause interest rates in November, maintaining the repurchase rate at 8.25%. Unemployment declined marginally to 31.9% from its peak of 35.3%, but remains higher than pre-pandemic levels.

Global equity markets rallied hard in November. The MSCI World ended in positive territory at 9.38% month-on-month (m/m) in dollar terms, reversing losses compounded over the three prior months. The "higher-for-longer" interest rate narrative from global central banks was the key driver of markets in the months leading up to November, but there are hopes of rate cuts in Q2 2024. Emerging markets (EM) were held back by Chinese equites but ended the month with the MSCI EM Index at a positive 8.02% in dollar terms. Global Bonds were at 5.4% m/m in dollars and Global Property was at 10.68% m/m in dollars. The Dow Jones Index was also positive at 9.15% m/m in dollars and the FTSE 100 Index at a positive 2.99% in pound terms. The S&P 500 ended the month at 9.13% in dollars, up from the previous month's figure of -2.1% in dollars.

The South African stock market benefited from a substantial shift in investor sentiment in November. The FTSE/JSE All Share Index ended the month at 8.55%, recouping most of the losses incurred in the three months leading up to November. The Industrials sector was an outperformer for the month at 10.47%, followed by Property at 9.14% and Financials at 8.72%. Resources also ended the month in positive territory at 5.86%, and Cash was the lowest, but at a positive 0.68%. In credit markets, the FTSE/JSE All Bond Index ended the month at 4.73%, with 1-3 year bonds at 1.89%, 3-7 year bonds at 2.99%, 7-12 year bonds at 5.17% and bonds of above 12 years at 5.9%. The rand underperformed against the market and ended the month down -1.07% against the US dollar, -4.16% against the euro, -5.17% against the pound, -0.27% against the Japanese yen and -0.004% against the Australian dollar.

#### **Portfolio Manager**



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## About the Portfolio Manager

Jaco-Chris has over 12 years of experience in the financial services industry. He joined Sanlam in 2011 after graduating from Stellenbosch University with an Honours degree in Actuarial Science and thereafter spent two years in core Actuarial. He then spent three years in the Glacier by Sanlam Product Management team and ended his stint at Glacier as Head of Investments and Communication at Glacier International. He then worked at various other companies, including Old Mutual International and British fintech start-up, Stubben Edge, before re-joining the Sanlam Group in 2022. Jaco-Chris took on the role of Portfolio Manager at Sanlam Investments Multi Manager and Glacier Invest in 2023. He is a qualified actuary.

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