

# Succession Balanced

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**SUCCESSION FINANCIAL PLANNING**  
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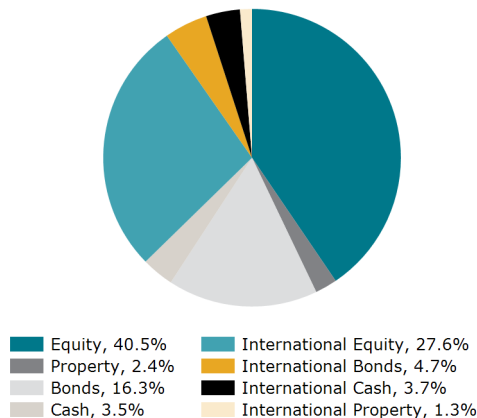
## FUND DETAILS

<b>Fund Category</b>	SA Multi Asset High Equity
<b>Benchmark</b>	Avg SA Multi Asset High Equity
<b>Risk Profile</b>	Moderate Aggressive
<b>Investment period</b>	5 years
<b>Launch Date</b>	01 August 2014
<b>Fund Size</b>	R 679 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 bias towards equities (maximum of 75%). Investors in this fund should have a minimum investment horizon of 5 years. The fund is compliant with Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act, 1956.

## ASSET ALLOCATION



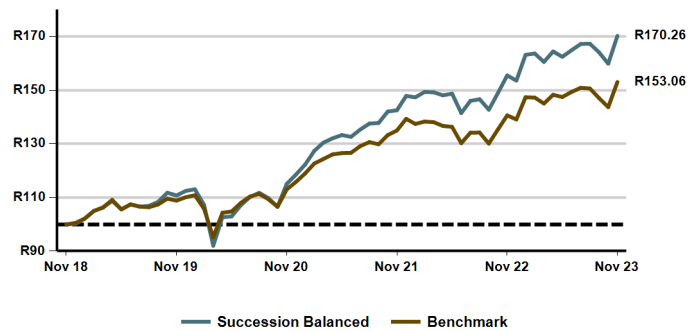
## INVESTOR PROFILE

This fund is suitable for investors looking for:

- High level of capital growth
- Able to tolerate high levels of volatility
- A minimum investment horizon of 5 years

## CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE - 5 YEARS \*

Growth of R100 investment



PERFORMANCE (%)	FUND*	BENCHMARK
1 Month	6.48	6.52
3 Months	1.74	1.60
6 Months	4.80	3.79
1 Year	9.48	8.84
2 Years (annualised)	9.29	6.48
3 Years (annualised)	13.94	10.64
5 Years (annualised)	11.23	8.89
Since Launch	8.04	6.44

RISK STATISTICS (5 YEARS)	FUND*
Returns (annualised)	11.23%
Standard deviation (annualised)	12.12%
% Positive months	70.00%
Maximum drawdown	-18.62%
Sharpe ratio	0.44

## MANAGER SELECTION (%)

Amplify SCI Balanced (Laurium)	11.00	Coronation Global Optimum Growth	5.00
Amplify SCI Flexible Equity (Abax)	9.00	Fairtree Equity Prescient	7.00
Amplify SCI Strategic Income (Terebinth)	5.00	Nedgroup Global Equity Feeder (Veritas)	4.00
Bateleur Flexible Prescient	7.00	PSG Flexible	11.00
Centaur BCI Flexible	8.00	Satrix Balanced Index	15.00
Coronation Balanced Plus	8.00	Truffle SCI Flexible	10.00

MONTHLY FUND PERFORMANCE* (%)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
Fund 2023	6.25	0.31	-1.93	2.44	-1.22	1.51	1.41	0.06	-1.92	-2.58	6.48		10.85
Fund 2022	-0.33	1.35	-0.08	-0.76	0.42	-4.87	3.22	0.40	-2.65	4.39	4.36	-1.23	3.88
Fund 2021	3.14	4.17	2.44	1.23	0.91	-0.49	2.03	1.66	0.16	3.10	0.34	3.73	24.72

## FEES (% INCL. VAT)

Annual wrap fee	0.29	Underlying Manager TER's	0.90
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The investor is liable for CGT on any transactions in the units of the underlying unit trust 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

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 equities 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



#### Wade Witbooi

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Wade joined Sanlam Investments Multi Managers in May 2016 as a portfolio manager within the investment team. Wade is currently the lead portfolio manager within the hybrid model portfolio group (MPG) and manages portfolios within the Glacier Invest Discretionary Fund Manager (DFM) business. Wade has completed the requisite regulatory exams and supervision period.

Wade started his career at Glacier by Sanlam on their graduate trainee programme in 2010 after a stint working as a summer camp counsellor in the USA. For the first two years he worked within their communication centre, operations team, as well as their investment administration departments where he acquired a thorough understanding of the financial adviser market and client servicing requirements. In 2012 he joined the Glacier Research team as an investment analyst focussing on manager research within the retail asset management landscape. Other responsibilities included market research, economic commentary, and financial advisor support. Wade then joined Sanlam Investments in May 2014 as a retail investments analyst within their Strategy and Client Solutions team, focussing on investment research, industry trend analysis, product positioning, and distribution support.

Wade holds a B.Com degree in Business Management from the University of the Western Cape, a Post Graduate Diploma in Financial Planning from the University of the Free State, a Certificate in Investment Performance Measurement (CIPM) from the CFA institute, is a Chartered Alternative Investment Analyst (CAIA) from the CAIA Association, and has completed the first level regulatory examination for representatives.

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