

# Succession Stable Growth

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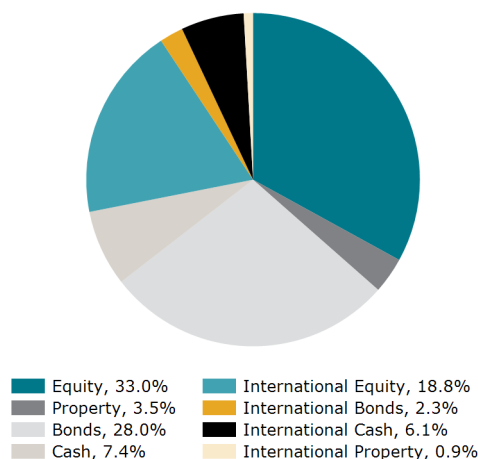
## FUND DETAILS

<b>Fund Category</b>	SA Multi Asset Medium Equity
<b>Benchmark</b>	Avg SA Multi Asset Medium Equity
<b>Risk Profile</b>	Moderate
<b>Investment period</b>	3 years
<b>Launch Date</b>	01 January 2015
<b>Fund Size</b>	R 320 million
<b>Platform</b>	Glacier

## FUND OBJECTIVE

The wrap fund aims to provide a reasonable level of capital growth over the medium term. Investors in this fund are prepared to tolerate moderate fluctuations in the value of their investment over the short term. The fund will be diversified across all major asset classes with an average exposure to equities (maximum of 60%). Investors in this fund should have a minimum investment horizon of 3 years or longer. The fund is compliant with Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act, 1956.

## ASSET ALLOCATION



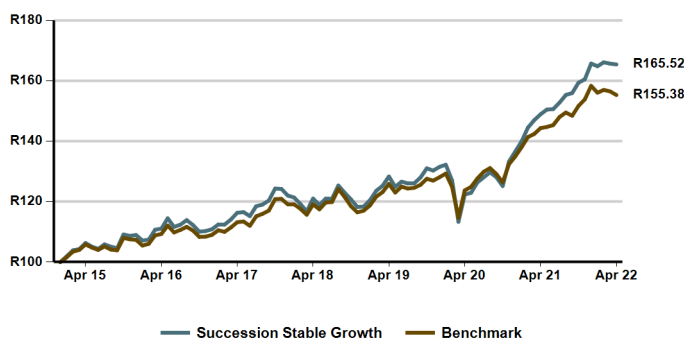
## INVESTOR PROFILE

This fund is suitable for investors looking for:

- Capital growth over the medium term
- Able to tolerate moderate volatility over the short term
- A minimum investment horizon of 3 years or longer

## CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE SINCE LAUNCH

Growth of R100 investment



PERFORMANCE (%)	FUND*	BENCHMARK
1 Month	-0.16	-0.78
3 Months	0.36	-0.50
6 Months	3.80	2.37
1 Year	11.08	7.58
2 Years (annualised)	16.27	12.04
3 Years (annualised)	8.84	7.26
5 Years (annualised)	7.30	6.53
Since Launch	7.11	6.19

RISK STATISTICS (2 YEARS)	FUND*
Returns (annualised)	16.27%
Standard deviation (annualised)	6.10%
% Positive months	79.17%
Maximum drawdown	-3.50%
Sharpe ratio	1.98

## MANAGER SELECTION (%)

Amplify SCI Absolute	10.00	Ninety One Opportunity	8.00
Amplify SCI Flexible Equity	9.00	Prescient Income Provider	12.00
Coronation Balanced Plus	10.00	PSG Flexible	8.00
Coronation Global Optimum Growth	3.00	Satrix Balanced Index	10.00
M&G Inflation Plus	7.00	SIM Inflation Plus	12.00
Nedgroup Global Equity Feeder	3.00	Truffle SCI Flexible	8.00

MONTHLY FUND PERFORMANCE* (%)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
Fund 2022	-0.54	0.78	-0.26	-0.16									-0.18
Fund 2021	2.45	3.25	1.71	1.32	1.04	0.11	1.43	1.66	0.41	2.19	0.71	3.24	21.30
Fund 2020	0.55	-3.96	-10.76	7.99	0.44	2.79	1.34	1.29	-1.24	-2.29	6.48	2.51	3.89

## FEES (% INCL. VAT)

Annual wrap fee	0.29	Underlying Manager TER's	0.87
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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

Following a disappointing first quarter for global markets, the month of April proved no different. Most global markets ended in the "red", including South Africa on the back of myriad factors which all weighed on sentiment and left investors rattled. Such factors include the ongoing Russian invasion of Ukraine and inflationary pressures, particularly in the US. Furthermore, the strict movement restrictions in parts of China to curb recent COVID-19 infections raised supply chain shortage concerns.

Developed equity markets had a miserable month. The MSCI World Index returned -8.43% in USD and -0.89% in ZAR. In USD terms, this also marked its worst month of a bad year thus far. US equities struggled. The S&P 500 was down 8.72% m/m, its worst month since March 2020. US tech shares were amongst April's biggest losers, with the tech-heavy Nasdaq 100 index (around -13% m/m) experiencing its worst monthly drawdown since 2008. European equities fared better than US counterparts, despite April concluding with no signs of a resolution to the war in Ukraine. The Euro Stoxx 50 (€) returned -2.00% m/m. The UK's blue-chip FTSE (£) surprised on the upside, closing 0.31% m/m.

Emerging equity markets fared slightly better than developed counterparts, with the MSCI Emerging Market Index closing down 5.75% in USD and 2.02% up in ZAR. Chinese equities experienced a late-month rally as the government pledged support for economic growth, which has been hampered by severe lockdowns related to China's "Zero-COVID" policy. Despite the April drop, the Brazilian and South African equity markets remain the only two global markets in positive territory year to date, measured in USD.

The South African equity market followed global markets, ending the month in negative territory for the first time in seven months. The FTSE/JSE All Share Index closed down 3.66% m/m. The local bourse was red across the board.

All major indices recorded losses. Financials plummeted 3.42% m/m as banks and insurance companies were amongst April's worst-performing stocks. Miners have been a key driver of local market performance but were generally weaker during the month as production reports disappointed, with Resources returning -5.39% m/m. Industrials, which have lagged other sectors this year, was the best performing sector in April, at -1.80% m/m. Local bonds sold off sharply, with the All Bond Index (ALBI) returning -1.67% m/m. SA listed property struggled, at -1.41% m/m. Cash (STeFI) delivered a moderate return of 0.36% m/m. South African value managers (-2.96% m/m) outperformed growth managers (-4.38% m/m) once again, consistent with what is occurring globally as interest rates remain the key theme across key countries.

The ZAR experienced another rollercoaster of a month, dropping to its weakest level in close to five months as expectations of a 50 basis-point hike by the Fed kept the USD elevated, with the ZAR losing as much as 7.61% m/m against the USD. The ZAR also lost 3.11% and 2.56% m/m against the pound and euro respectively. On a positive note, the ZAR gained 6.74% m/m against the Japanese yen.

## PORTFOLIO MANAGER



**Wade Witbooi**  
BCom Business Management  
PGDip Financial Planning  
CIPM

Wade joined Sanlam 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, and has completed the first level regulatory examination for representatives.

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