# Investec

# Worldwide Flexible Fund



'E' class units, ZAR

As at end January 2020

#### **Fund Features**

- Unconstrained and fully flexible, the Fund aims to maximize long-term total returns (comprising capital growth and income) by investing across a wide spectrum of asset classes, in both local and foreign markets
- Asset allocation decisions are based on a disciplined investment process that considers fundamental drivers, reasonable valuation and investor behaviour
- Equity selection employs a tested investment philosophy focused on investing in reasonably valued companies receiving positive earnings revisions that are expected to endure

## Objectives and investment policy summary

- The Fund aims to maximise total real returns through active and unconstrained management
- The Fund's managers can invest in a mix of local and foreign assets, including equities (e.g. company shares), cash and bonds (contracts to repay borrowed money which typically pay interest at fixed times)
- The Fund is unrestricted in its choice of companies either by size, industry or geography
- Other investments may include the units of other funds (including foreign funds) and derivatives (financial contracts whose value is linked to the price of an underlying asset)

## Annualised performance (%)

	FUND BE	NCHMARK	SECTOR
1 Year	10.5	15.4	16.7
3 Years	2.9	9.4	7.2
5 Years	n/a	n/a	n/a
10 Years	n/a	n/a	n/a
20 Years	n/a	n/a	n/a
Since inception	2.1	7.5	5.5

#### Fund statistics (%)

SINCE INCEPTION		DATE*
Highest annualised return	18.9	31.10.17
Lowest annualised return	-13.5	30.11.18
	*12 month rolling performance figures	
Annualised volatility (%)	13.1	
Maximum drawdown (%)	-19.2	

#### **Cumulative Performance**



Source: @ Morningstar, dates to 31.01.20, performance figures are calculated NAV-NAV, net of fees, in ZAR.

# Income distributions (cents per class unit)

Payment Date	Total
02 October 2019	1.32
02 April 2019	0.59

#### Asset allocation (%)

Local Assets	38.0
Equities	39.2
Bonds	5.8
Commodities	2.9
Property (listed)	2.3
Cash / Money Market	-2.1
FX	-10.1
Foreign Assets	62.0
Equities	30.9
Cash / Money Market	18.4
FX	10.2
Property (listed)	2.5

#### Risk profile Lower risk Higher risk Potentially Potentially lower rewards higher rewards

Key facts

Portfolio manager: Hannes Van Den Berg, Ri; 1/2 diger Naumann Fund size: ZAR 562.4m Fund inception date: 01.04.16 E Inc ZAR class unit inception date:

Domicile: South Africa Sector: ASISA Worldwide Multi-Asset

Flexible
Benchmark: 35% FTSE/JSE Capped
Shareholder Weighted All Share Index TR
ZAR (SWIX CAPI), 35% MSCI AC World
NR (ACWI), 15% Barclays Capital Global
Aggregate (BGBA), 15% JSE ASSA All
Bond Index (ALBI) (35% FTSE/JSE All
Share Index (ALSI), 35% MSCI AC World
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Index (ALBI) pre 1/11/2017)
'E' class unit dealing currency: ZAR

'E' class unit charges Initial fund fee: 0.00% Annual management fee: 1.10% Total expense ratio (TER): 1.54% Transaction cost (TC): 0.32% Total investment charge (TIC): 1.86%

Fees rates are shown excluding VAT. TER, TC and TIC are shown including VAT.

Other information

Valuation: 16:00 (17:00 month-end) SA

Transaction cut-off: 16.00 SA Time

(forward pricing) Minimum investment: LISPs or

R10.000.000

ISIN: ZAE000216115

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#### Sector allocation excl. cash (%)



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### Top Equity holdings (%)

Planet Fitness Inc	3.6
1nvest Palladium ETF	2.8
Impala Platinum Holdings Ltd	2.6
Anglo American Plc	2.3
Prosus NV	2.3
BHP Billiton Plc	1.9
FirstRand Ltd	1.8
Sibanye Gold Ltd	1.8
British American Tobacco Plc	1.7
Total	25.5

#### Specific Fund Risks

Currency exchange: Changes in the relative values of different currencies may adversely affect the value of investments and any related income.

Derivatives: The use of derivatives is not intended to increase the overall level of risk. However, the use of derivatives may still lead to large changes in value and includes the potential for large financial loss. A counterparty to a derivative transaction may fail to meet its obligations which may also lead to a financial loss. Emerging market: These markets carry a higher risk of financial loss than more developed markets as they may have less developed legal, political, economic or other systems.

Interest rate: The value of fixed income investments (e.g. bonds) tends to decrease when interest rates rise.

#### Glossary Summary

Annualised performance: Annualised performance is the average return per year over the period.

Duration: This is a measure of risk for funds which invest in bonds as it predicts the sensitivity of the value of a fund's portfolio given changes in interest rates. The higher the value the greater the volatility of the fund's performance resulting from changes to interest rates. The Modified duration is shown.

Maximum drawdown: The largest peak to trough decline during a specific period of an investment.

NAV: The Net Asset Value (NAV) represents the value of the assets of a fund less its liabilities.

Risk profile: A number on a scale of 1 to 7 based on how much the value of a fund has fluctuated over the past 5 years (or an estimate if the fund has a shorter track record). A rating of 1 represents the lower end of the risk scale with potentially lower rewards available whilst a rating of 7 reflects higher risk but potentially higher rewards.

Total Expense Ratio: TER includes the annual management fee, performance fee and administrative costs and includes VAT but excludes portfolio transaction costs (except in the case of an entry or exit charge paid by a fund when buying or selling units in another fund) expressed as a percentage of the average daily value of the Fund calculated over a rolling three year period (or since inception where applicable) and annualised to the most recently completed quarter. Where funds invest in the participatory interests of foreign collective investment schemes, these may levy additional charges which are included in the relevant TER. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER may not necessarily be an accurate indication of future TERs.

Transaction cost: Transaction costs are a necessary cost in administering the Fund and impacts 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 financial product, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER. Calculations are based on actual data where possible and best estimates where actual data is not available. Transaction costs are inclusive of VAT.

Total investment charge: This is the sum of the TER and TC.

Volatility: The amount by which the performance of a fund fluctuates over a given period

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