

# SYGNIA ITRIX FTSE 100 ETF

31 DECEMBER 2019

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS  
INCEPTION  
FUND SIZE  
NAV PRICE  
UNITS IN ISSUE

**SYGNIA ASSET MANAGEMENT**  
**10 OCTOBER 2005**  
**R 841 Million**  
**14 118 cents**  
**5 960 000**

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE  
INCOME DISTRIBUTION  
TRUSTEES

**TO REPLICATE THE PRICE AND YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE FTSE 100 INDEX**  
**PAYMENT: DEC 2018 - 220.90123 CENTS PER UNIT**  
**PAYMENT: JUN 2019 - 217.56882 CENTS PER UNIT**  
**STANDARD BANK TRUSTEES (021 441 4100)**

LOW	LOW MEDIUM	MEDIUM	MEDIUM HIGH	HIGH
LESS RISK/ RETURN				MORE RISK/ RETURN
1 YEAR+	2 YEARS+	3 YEARS+	5 YEARS+	10 YEARS+

## FUND INFORMATION

Classification	Regional - Equity - General
Asset Allocation	100% Offshore Equity
NAV/Index Ratio	ca. 1/1000
Financial Year End	31 December
Index Tracking	Fund tracks the FTSE 100 Index
Dividend Distribution	Semi-annual distribution
NAV Publication	Daily on sygnia.co.za
Portfolio Valuation	Close of relevant market
Foreign exchange source	World Market fix rate 16:00pm EST

## CUMULATIVE INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE

Growth of R100 invested on 31 October 2005

Investment: R219.55  
Benchmark: R221.79



Cumulative investment performance is for illustrative purposes only and is calculated using the NAV before any distributable income and management fee.

## TOP 10 HOLDINGS

INSTRUMENT	PERCENT
HSBC Holdings PLC	6.2%
AstraZeneca PLC	5.2%
Royal Dutch Shell PLC	4.9%
BP PLC	4.9%
GlaxoSmithKline PLC	4.5%
Royal Dutch Shell PLC	4.3%
Diageo PLC	3.8%
British American Tobacco PLC	3.8%
Rio Tinto PLC	2.6%
Unilever PLC	2.5%

## HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR
2016	-2.3%	-2.3%	-3.2%	-1.4%	10.4%	-10.3%	-3.4%	6.5%	-7.4%	-5.0%	3.7%	-0.3%	-15.4%
2017	0.9%	-1.9%	3.2%	2.1%	1.7%	-1.8%	3.3%	-2.5%	6.4%	5.8%	-3.3%	-5.4%	7.9%
2018	-1.2%	-7.7%	-0.1%	9.9%	0.7%	6.7%	-2.7%	5.0%	-2.3%	-2.8%	-9.1%	1.1%	-4.1%
2019	-1.9%	8.9%	3.0%	1.7%	-4.4%	0.4%	-0.3%	1.0%	3.3%	2.7%	-1.9%	0.5%	13.2%

Since inception performance figures are available on request.

## RISK STATISTICS

	FUND	^BM
% Negative Months	48.3%	48.3%
Average Negative Month	-3.2%	-3.3%
Largest Drawdown	-18.7%	-19.2%
Standard Deviation	15.4%	15.5%
Downside Deviation	8.9%	8.9%
Highest Annual Return: Nov 2016 - Oct 2017	21.9%	22.7%
Lowest Annual Return: Jan 2016 - Dec 2016	-15.4%	-15.3%
Annualised Tracking Error (Active Return)	-0.05%	-
Annualised Tracking Error (Std Dev of Active Return)	0.08%	-

The risk statistics reflected above are calculated on a 60-month or since-inception basis, depending on which period is shorter. ^Benchmark is the Index.

## LISTING INFORMATION

Exchange	JSE Limited
Exchange Code	SYGUK
Trading Currency	ZAR
Portfolio Currency	GBP
ISIN	ZA000249520
RIC	SYGUKJ.J
Bloomberg Ticker	SYGUK SJ EQUITY
Trading Hours	9:00 am - 16:50 pm
Transaction cut-off	JSE trading hours

## ASSET ALLOCATION

ASSET	PERCENT	ALLOCATION
International Equity	97.9%	
Cash	2.1%	

## SECTOR ALLOCATION

SECTOR	PERCENT	ALLOCATION
Financials	19.8%	
Consumer Staples	15.5%	
Energy	14.1%	
Health Care	10.7%	
Materials	10.6%	
Industrials	9.8%	
Consumer Discretionary	6.6%	
Telecommunication Services	5.2%	
Other	7.7%	

## PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

PERIOD	SYGNIA ITRIX FTSE 100	FTSE100 INDEX (ZAR)**	GBP/ZAR*	FTSE100 INDEX (GBP)**
1 Year	13.2%	13.1%	0.9%	12.1%
3 Years	5.4%	5.4%	3.5%	1.8%
5 Years	3.4%	3.5%	0.6%	2.8%
10 Years	8.0%	8.1%	4.6%	3.4%
Since Inception	5.7%	5.8%	3.2%	2.5%

Performance of the fund is calculated by Sygnia Asset Management as at reporting date.

\*A positive performance in currency reflects a depreciation of ZAR against base currency and vice versa.

\*\*Price return.

## PLATFORM FEES

BROKER/OTHER PLATFORM (EXCL VAT)	SYGNIA ALCHEMY PLATFORM (EXCL VAT)
First R 10 Million : 0.75%pa	First R 2 Million : 0.55%pa
R 10 Million-R 100 Million : 0.60%pa	R 2 Million-R 100 Million : 0.50%pa
Over R 100 Million : 0.40%pa	Over R 100 Million : 0.30%pa

Excess management fees for investors over R10m are included in the below TER, and distributed back to the investor at each distribution date.

## FEES

DESCRIPTION	PERCENT
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	0.86%
Transaction Costs (TC):	0.00%
Total Investment Charge (TIC):	0.86%

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# IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO CONSIDER BEFORE INVESTING

## INVESTMENT APPROACH

The Sygnia Itrix FTSE 100 ETF is a high risk, passively managed index tracking fund, registered as a Collective Investments Scheme, and is listed on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange as an Exchange Traded Fund. The objective is to replicate the price and yield performance of the FTSE 100 Index as closely as possible by physically holding a portfolio of securities equivalent to the basket of securities comprising the Index and in the same weightings of the Index. Index Performance data can be sourced from Bloomberg, Reuters, other data providers and at [www.sygnia.co.za](http://www.sygnia.co.za).

## BALANCING RISK AND REWARD

The FTSE 100 Index is a market capitalisation weighted index representing the performance of the 100 largest UK – domiciled companies, which pass screening for size and liquidity. Index constituents are all traded on the London Stock Exchange SETS trading system. For changes to the index constituents please refer to the published SENS. The recommended investment term for investors in the Sygnia Itrix FTSE 100 ETF is a minimum of five years.

Collective Investment Schemes (CIS) are generally medium- to long-term investments. The value of units may go down as well as up and past performance is not necessarily an indicator of future performance. CIS are traded at ruling prices and can engage in borrowing and scrip lending. Equity markets are volatile and the price of equities fluctuate based on a number of factors such as changes in the economic climate, general movements in interest rates and the political and social environment which will also affect the value of the securities held in the unit trust, thereby affecting the overall value of the unit trust. There are regulations in place which limit the amount that a unit trust may invest in securities, thereby spreading the risk across securities, asset classes and companies. The fund may also be exposed to liquidity risk. This relates to the ability of the unit trust to trade out of a security held in the portfolio at or near to its fair value.

Annualised performance figures represent the geometric average return earned by the fund over the given time period. Unannualised performance represents the total return earned by the fund over the given time period, expressed as a percentage.

Performance is calculated based on the NAV to NAV calculation of the portfolio. Individual investor performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date and dividend withholding tax.

## FEES

A schedule of fees and charges is available on request from Sygnia Itrix. Permissible deductions may include management fees, brokerage, STT, auditor's fees, bank charges and trustee fees. Sygnia Itrix ETFs are Exchange Traded Funds that trade on stock exchanges and may therefore incur additional costs associated with listed securities. Sygnia Itrix does not provide advice and therefore does not charge advice fees.

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The total expense ratio (TER) is the annualised percentage of the Fund's average assets under management that has been used to pay the Fund's actual expenses over the past year. Transaction costs are a necessary cost in administering the Fund and impact Fund returns. They 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. Since Fund returns are quoted after the deduction of these expenses, the TER and Transaction Costs should not be deducted again from the published returns. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return.

## FOREIGN SECURITIES

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## CUMULATIVE INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE

Cumulative investment performance is for illustrative purposes only. The investment performance is calculated by taking all ongoing fees into account for the amount shown, with income reinvested on the reinvestment date.

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