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## Novare Worldwide Flexible FoF - A2

## Minimum Disclosure Document INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

As at 31 July 2024

INVESTMENT POLICY
A collective investment scheme ("CIS") can be described as an investment vehicle that allows investors to pool their money into a portfolio, sharing in the risk and return of the portfolio, in proportion to their participatory interest in the scheme. The portfolio is an aggressively managed, medium to high-risk flexible fund of funds. There will be no limitations on the relative exposure of the portfolio by any asset class. The investments to be included in the portfolio will, apart from assets in liquid form, consist solely of participatory interests or any other form of participator in portfolios of collective investment schemes or other similar collective investment schemes, investing in the equity, bond, property and money markets. The meanager will be appreciated to packed the controller in other box of the postfolio in offstore investments as

### INVESTMENT STRATEGY

The investment strategy follows a bottom-up approach that focuses on both qualitative and quantitative measures in the manager research process to ensure the best possible portfolio mix to achieve the targeted return. The portfolio construction will ensure a blend that adheres to governing regulations as well as the preferred asset allocation mix for the portfolio. Tactical asset allocation actions are taken (when necessary) should potential threats or opportunities arise that can influence the portfolio's risk and return profile. Tactical asset allocation will only be implemented on the collective view of the investment committee.

## TRANSACTIONS AND VALUATIONS

Redemption frequency: Daily Redemption notice period: 14h00 each business day Portfolio valuation: 17h00 each business day

Pricing date: 10h00 the following business day

Pricing frequency: Daily

Annual service charge

Transaction cut-off time: The daily cut-off for receipt of instructions is 14h00. No instruction will be processed unless all requirements have been met and supporting documentation has been provided. Instructions received before the cut-off will be processed the same day and will receive the same day's price. Instructions received after cut-off will be processed the next business day. Redemptions are paid out within five business days.

FEES	
Fee class	A
This fee class is only available via independent service providers. details.	Please contact Novare CIS for further

Total investment charge of the fee class, annualised, for a rolling 3 year period from 01 April 2021 to

31 March 2024

Underlying Portfolios TER (Included in TER)	0.54%
Performance Fee (Included in TER)	N/A
Total Expense Ratio (TER) Incl. VAT	2.00%
Transaction Costs (TC) Incl. VAT	0.11%
Total Investment Charge (TIC) Incl. VAT	2.11%

The current annual management fee is 1.05% p.a. (excl. VAT).

Performance fee Performance fees are not levied on the portfolio

Transaction costs (TC)

TC is the percentage of the value of the portfolio that was incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of the assets underlying the portfolio. 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.

Conservative	Moderate				
ABOUT THE PORTFOLIO					
ASISA Classification	Worldwide - Multi-Asset -	Flexible			
Legal structure	CIS trust arrangement				
Scheme name	Novare Collective Investments Scheme in Securities				
Portfolio inception date	01 March 2012				
Fee class inception date	01 March 2012				
Risk profile	The portfolio is an aggr manager fund. The object maximise investment cap level of risk associated with	ctive of to	his portfo	olio is to	
Investment horizon	Suitable for investors with horizon.	a long-te	erm inves	stment	
Benchmark	CPI+ 6% net of fees				
Portfolio size		R	46,018	,845.20	
NAV cents per participatory interest			2	,097.16	
Number of participatory interests			267	,825.66	
Minimum monthly investment				R 500	
Minimum lump sum			R	5,000	
Income declaration	Bi-a	innual (J	une - Dec	cember)	
Accounting period dates	01 July - 31 Decemb	oer, 01 Ja	anuary - 3	30 June	

### DUIDITY PROFILE

The portfolio is managed and constructed in a manner that makes provision for daily liquidity. The ability of the portfolio to repurchase is dependent upon the liquidity of the securities and cash of the portfolio. A manager may suspend repurchases for a period, subject to regulatory approval, to await liquidity. Investors will be notified of any such arrangements.

INCOME DISTRIBUTION IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS						
Date of distribution	Date of payment	Amount (cents per participatory interest)				
31 December 2023	01 January 2024	19.01				
30 June 2024	02 July 2024	17.74				

otal expense ratio (TER)

TER is the percentage of the value of the portfolio that was incurred as expenses to the administration (charges, levies and lees) of the portfolio. TER is calculated over a rolling three-year period (or since inception, where applicable) and annualised to the most recent calendar quarter. 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. Inclusive in the TER is the stated performance fee percentage of the net asset value of the class of portfolio that was recovered (if applicable).

Total investment charge (TIC)

TIC is the percentage of the portfolio that was incurred as costs relating to the investment of the portfolio. It is the sum of the total expense ratio (TER) and transaction costs (TC), including VAT.



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Source of performance returns: eVestment as at 31 July 2024

PERFORMANC	E BREAKDO	WN											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2024	-0.10%	-0.09%	0.54%	0.70%	0.87%	2.34%	2.38%						6.80%
2023	5.77%	0.15%	-1.49%	2.20%	-0.78%	0.44%	0.77%	0.33%	-2.58%	-2.28%	6.15%	1.41%	10.11%
2022	-0.92%	1.00%	0.12%	-0.38%	-0.04%	-4.58%	3.02%	-0.30%	-2.77%	4.49%	3.36%	-1.47%	1.17%
2021	2.23%	2.55%	1.38%	1.48%	0.56%	-0.05%	1.57%	2.41%	0.58%	1.79%	0.44%	3.67%	20.21%
2020	1.12%	-2.85%	-12.90%	11.64%	-0.63%	2.53%	1.71%	-0.17%	-3.07%	-3.22%	5.44%	2.16%	-0.13%
2019	0.99%	3.66%	1.84%	2.44%	-2.87%	1.44%	-1.28%	-0.60%	1.09%	1.82%	-1.31%	0.33%	7.62%
2018	-0.27%	-1.29%	-2.77%	3.89%	-1.63%	3.10%	-0.86%	4.92%	-2.88%	-3.24%	-2.80%	0.95%	-3.26%
2017	1.59%	-0.78%	2.30%	1.92%	0.60%	-2.00%	4.14%	0.64%	1.36%	4.61%	-0.02%	-1.94%	12.89%
2016	-2.06%	0.18%	2.53%	0.44%	3.43%	-3.49%	0.32%	1.71%	-1.63%	-2.92%	-0.19%	0.34%	-1.58%
2015	0.98%	3.52%	-0.40%	2.90%	-0.90%	-0.83%	1.10%	-0.59%	-0.58%	3.94%	-0.26%	0.96%	10.11%
2014	0.76%	2.48%	1.11%	1.78%	0.63%	1.45%	1.01%	-0.26%	-1.75%	-0.01%	1.37%	0.03%	8.86%
2013													
2012													

Highest calendar annual performance since launch 20.2% (2021) Lowest calendar annual performance since launch -3.3% (2018)

ASSET ALLOCATION (INCLUDING DERIVATIVE EFFECT)			
	Local	Offshore	Total
Bonds	19.66%	0.36%	20.02%
Cash	1.86%	2.31%	4.17%
Commodities	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Equities	47.46%	24.33%	71.78%
Money market	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Property	4.02%	0.00%	4.02%
Participatory interests (unclassified)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Other	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

ISK STATISTICS	
lpha	-3.60%
eta	0.06
harpe ratio	0.18
tandard deviation (%)	8.92%
laximum drawdown	-15.68%
ortino ratio	0.25
formation ratio	-0.40
racking error (as at (04/2012 - 07/2024))	9.01%

eVestment as at 31 July 2024

UNDERLYING TOP 5 FFFECTIVE EXPOSURES Satrix Capped Swix All Share Fund Ninety One Global Franchise Fund Coronation Bond Fund PSG SA Equity Fund Matrix SA Equity Fund

### FUND COMMENTARY

July was a volatile month as markets digested a number of important economic and political developments. A cooler than expected US Consumer Price Index (CPI) reading early in the month, combined with weaker US labour market data, drove market participants to believe that the Federal Reserve will soon begin cutting interest rates. Investors are now expecting the first Fed rate cut in September and are currently pricing almost three US rate cuts this year, with 150 basis points in cuts anticipated by June 2025. In Europe, the European Central Bank (ECB) is more optimistic about the economy's disinflationary path than the United States and during June the ECB decided to lower interest rates by 0.25%, based on their inflation outlook. In the US, earnings season is underway with four of the 'magnificent seven' reporting results for the previous quarter. In general, investors appeared underwhelmed by the reports, resulting in the technology sector coming under pressure for most of July before a rebound into month end. Overall, the S&P 500 gained 1.2% over the month, however, small-caps (Russel 2000 Index) had a strong rally with a return of 6.9% during the month. Growth stocks (MSCI World Growth Index) showed concerning signs of weakness, declining by 1.0%, as investors grew more sceptical about the potential for future returns from

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investment in artificial intelligence (AI). Despite this pullback observed throughout July, growth stocks have returned 16% year-to-date (YTD). The MSCI ACWI index posted a 1.64% return for the month, lifting its YTD performance to 13.42%. UK stocks outperformed, with the FTSE All-Share rising by 4.11% over the month (11.22% YTD). European stocks lagged their UK counterparts, with the MSCI Europea ex-UK returning 1.55% over the month (7.55% YTD). Chinese equity markets fell last month, due to continued challenges in the real estate sector and the spillover effects on the broader economy. The MSCI China Index fell by 1.2% during the month, bringing its year-to-date figure down to 3.54%.

The Bloomberg Global Aggregate generated a strong return of 2.8% in July, yet it remains down YTD with a return of -0.5%

## Locally, the economic landscape showed signs of improvement on the inflation front. Inflation in South Africa eased slightly to 5.1% year-on-year (yoy) in June, down from the 5.2% reading in May. The core

inflation number, which excludes volatile components like food, fuel, and electricity prices, came in at 4.5% yoy in June, a marginal 0.1% decrease from the previous month. On the monetary policy front, the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) convened in July and decided to maintain the repo rate at 8.25%. However, the decision was not

unanimous. Two MPC members advocated for a rate cut, while four voted to keep rates unchanged.

The JSE maintained its positive momentum during July, with the JSE Capped SWIX returning 4.09% for the month, bringing its year-to-date return to 10.05%. The large, mid, and small cap indices posted returns of 3.70%, 5.09%, and 5.44%, respectively. The main sectors of the JSE generated positive returns in July; the RESI10 was the strongest with 5.65% (10.19% YTD), closely followed by the FINI15 with 5.15% (14.38% YTD) while the INDI25 was lagging with a return of 1.68% (7.51% YTD). The SA vield curve experienced a decline in levels with front end vields dropping slightly more than back end vields. The R2030 yield fell by 57bp and the vield on the long dated R2048 fell by 52bp. The ALBI

returned 4.02% for the month posting a solid 9.79% YTD.





### DISCLOSURES GENERAL

## Collective Investment Schemes (Unit Trusts) are generally medium to long-term investments. The value of participatory interests (units) or the investment may go down as well as up. Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. Collective investment schemes are traded at ruling prices and can engage in borrowing and scrip lending (i.e. borrowing and lending of assets). The collective

investment scheme may borrow up to 10% of the market value of the portfolio to bridge insufficient liquidity. The ability of the portfolio to repurchase is dependent upon the liquidity of the securities and cash of the portfolio. A manager may suspend repurchases for a period, subject to regulatory approval, to await liquidity, and the manager must keep the investors informed about these circumstances. The manager does not provide any guarantee, either with respect to the capital or the return of a portfolio. Any forecasts and/or commentary in this document are not guaranteed to occur. Different classes of participatory interests apply to these portfolios and are subject to different fees and charges. A schedule of all fees and charges, inclusive of VAT and maximum commissions, is available on request from Novare or from your financial

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The latest prices and TER are published Daily in the Business Times and are made available on our website www.novarecis.co.za

PERFORMANCE RETURNS

The performance is calculated for the fee class, not the portfolio. Lump-sum performance returns are being quoted. Income distributions, prior to the deduction of applicable taxes, are included in the performance calculations. NAV to NAV figures have been used for the performance calculations, as calculated by the Manager at the valuation point defined in the deed, over all reporting periods. Investment performance calculations are available for verification upon request by any person. Reinvestment of income is calculated on the actual amount distributed per participatory interest, using the ex-dividend date NAV price of the applicable class of the portfolio, irrespective of the actual reinvestment date. The individual investor performance may differ, as a result of initial less, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment date. dividend withholding tax. The rate of return is calculated on a total return bass, and the following elements may involve a reduction of the investor's capital: interest rates, economic outlook, inflation, deflation, economic and political shocks or changes in economic policy. Annualised returns are period returns re-scaled to a period of one year. This allows investors to compare returns of different assets that they have owned for different lengths of time. All period returns greater than one year have been annualised. Returns for periods less than one year have not been annualised. A cumulative return is the aggregate amount

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information on the portfolio, refer to the following documents, available on our website www.novarecis.co.za, from your financial adviser, or on request from the Manager, free of charge Application forms

### Annual report • Fee schedule

- Performance fee FAQ (if applicable)
   Quarterly General Investor Report (if applicable)
- COMPLAINTS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

The complaints policy and procedure, as well as the conflicts of interest management policy, are available on our website www.novarecis.co.za. Associates of the manager may be invested within certain portfolios, and the details thereof are available from the manager

CLOSURE OF THE PORTFOLIO The manager has the right to close certain portfolios to new investors, in order to manage them more efficiently, in accordance with their mandates

MANAGEMENT COMPANY

an investment has gained or lost over time, independent of the period of time involved. Actual annual figures are available to the investor on request

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The manager is registered as a manager of collective investment schemes, in terms of the Collective Investment Schemes Control Act. The manager is a member of the Association for Savings and Investment South Africa (ASISA)

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