AF Flexible Fund of Funds A

Long term | Growth | Multi asset

Objective
Maximise capital growth over the longer term through investing in a combination of collective investment scheme portfolios, comprising a flexible combination of local and global specific asset-class portfolios or balanced portfolios, with flexibility across countries and regions. The underlying portfolios will be diversified across investment styles. The portfolio aims to maximise total investment returns through varying asset allocation, with no restriction across countries or regions.

Approach
Actively reallocates between underlying local and global funds across asset classes in response to market and economic conditions.

Features
Highly flexible asset allocation, broad diversification, offshore exposure, higher risk profile.

Benchmark
Headline CPI + 5%

Asisa portfolio classification
Worldwide - Multi Asset - Flexible

Inception date: **February 2015**

Size: **R 93.7 million**

Risk profile: Low | Low - Moderate | Moderate | Moderate - High | **High**

* Minimum lumpsum **R30 000**
Minimum debit amount **R500 per month**
Portfolio valuation **Daily at 18:00**
Transaction cut-off times **Before 13:00 on pricing date, otherwise next pricing date will apply**

Asset allocation



Equity (excl. property)	82.8%
Property	1.6%
Bonds	5.2%
Cash	9.9%
Commodities	0.5%

South Africa 44.6%

Equity	**34.3%**	**Property**	**0.9%**
• Financials	11.4%	**Bonds**	**3.3%**
• Basic Materials	7.5%	**Cash**	**5.8%**
• Industrials	5.0%	**Commodities**	**0.2%**
• Consumer Services	4.9%		
• Consumer Goods	2.2%		
• Technology	1.8%		
• Healthcare	1.3%		
• Other Securities	0.2%		

Rest of the world 55.4%

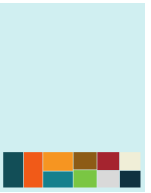
Equity	**48.4%**	**Top 5 country allocations**	**33.9%**
Property	**0.7%**	United States	14.6%
Bonds	**1.9%**	South Africa	8.7%
Cash	**4.2%**	United Kingdom	5.5%
Commodities	**0.3%**	Netherlands	2.5%
		Germany	2.5%

*Due to rounding percentages may not add up to 100%

Portfolio composition

AF Flexible Fund of Funds Class A	100.0%
• Coronation	28.5%
• 36One	26.5%
• Nedgroup	23.1%
• Visio	21.9%
• Cash	0.0%

Top 10 holdings



ABSA GROUP LIMITED	2.9%	AMAZON.COM	1.7%
REINET INVESTMENTS	2.8%	NU HOLDINGS LTD	1.7%
ANGLOGOLD ASHANTI	2.3%	BRITISH AMERICAN TOBACCO	1.6%
SUPER GROUP	2.0%	MERCADOLIBRE INC	1.5%
PROSUS	1.7%	AUTO1 GROUP SE	1.5%

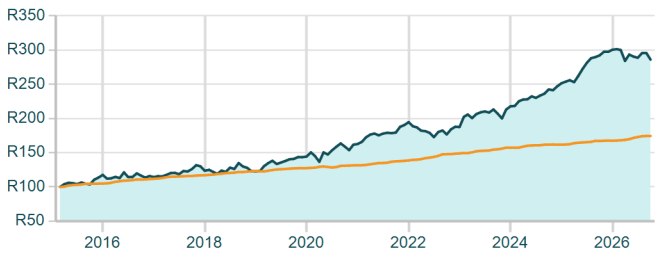
Top 5 local holdings	11.7%
ABSA GROUP LIMITED	2.9%
REINET INVESTMENTS	2.8%
ANGLOGOLD ASHANTI	2.3%
SUPER GROUP	2.0%
PROSUS	1.7%

Top 5 global holdings	7.9%
AMAZON.COM	1.7%
NU HOLDINGS LTD	1.7%
BRITISH AMERICAN TOBACCO	1.6%
MERCADOLIBRE INC	1.5%
AUTO1 GROUP SE	1.5%

Portfolio returns

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Inception	9.4%	10.0%
10 years	9.4%	9.7%
5 years	9.8%	10.0%
3 years	11.3%	9.1%
1 year	-2.1%	9.5%
Year to date	-4.8%	7.9%
3 months	-1.0%	2.1%
1 month	-3.3%	0.4%

Cumulative performance of R100 investment since inception



Portfolio
Today's value since inception **R 286.02**

Headline Inflation
Today's value since inception **R 174.47**

Fund Statistics	Portfolio	Benchmark		Portfolio	Benchmark
Standard deviation (over 3 years) How much returns vary around the average Higher = more volatility; lower = more stability.	7.6%	1.1%	**Maximum drawdown (over 3 years)** Largest peak-to-trough decline. Lower = smaller losses; higher = deeper drops.	5.7%	0.0%
Sharpe ratio (over 3 years) Return earned for the risk taken. Higher = better risk-adjusted performance.	1.5	8	**Months with positive return (%) (over 3 years)** Percentage of months with positive returns. Higher = more frequent positive months.	69.4%	100.0%
Highest annualised return % (over 1 year rolling)	23.3%	10.1%	**Lowest annualised return % (over 1 year rolling)**	-2.1%	8.1%

Total investment charges

Period (Annualised, rolling three-year period): 01 Sep 2023 to 31 Aug 2026

Total expense ratio (TER) The annual cost of managing and administering the fund.	**1.57%**
Average annual service charge (incl VAT)	0.42%
Underlying manager performance fee expense	0.00%
Underlying global manager expense	0.00%
Underlying fund expense	1.14%
Other expenses	0.01%
Transaction costs (TC) The cost of trading the fund's assets.	**0.00%**
Total investment charges (TER + TC) The full internal cost of being invested.	**1.57%**

Total expense ratio (TER):
The percentage of the value of the portfolio that was incurred as expenses relating to the administration (charges, levies and fees) of the portfolio. TER is calculated over a rolling three-year period (or since inception where applicable) and annualised to the most recently completed month. 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 (TC):
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. TCs are a necessary cost in administering the portfolio 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.

Total investment charges (TIC):
This percentage of the portfolio was incurred as costs relating to the investment of the portfolio. It is the sum of the TER and TC.

Income distribution

Date	Interest	Dividend
September 2026	0	0.99
March 2026	0	3.02

* Declared on the last working day of March and September, paid within six weeks of declaration date

Notes

- **Portfolio inception date:** The portfolio inception date is 26 August 2014.
- **Advice fees:** An initial fee of up to 3.45% (including VAT) may be charged by your financial adviser, as well as an ongoing annual fee of up 1.15% (including VAT). These fees may be negotiated between yourself and your adviser.
- **Benchmarks:** All benchmarks based on the ASISA standard series reflect proxy benchmark returns as the signed off Morningstar benchmarks are not available at the date of publication.
- **Class:** The most expensive class for this portfolio is the A Class (inception date: February 2015).
- **Rounding:** Figures in this report may not add up to 100%, due to rounding of decimals.

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Through Alexander Forbes Limited, is a member of the Association for Savings and Investment South Africa.

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Alexander Forbes Investments Limited, authorized as a discretionary Financial Services Provider (FSP711), in terms of section 8 of the Financial Advisory and Intermediary Services Act.

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