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## **Fund Objectives**

NewFunds MAPPS™ Growth is a uniquely designed ETF which offers investors exposure to multi-asset classes. NewFunds MAPPS™ Growth replicates the total return\* performance of South African equities through SWIX 40 Index, nominal bonds through GOVI Index, inflation-linked bonds through ILBI Index and cash or allowable money market instruments . MAPPS™ Growth ETF portfolio is made up of :Equity (75%), Nominal Bonds(10%), Inflation-linked Bonds (10%) and Cash (5%).

The MAPPS™ Growth ETF is aimed at investors with a longer time horizon (e.g. younger investors) who can endure variability of returns in exchange for the prospect of long term real investment returns.

### **Fund Details**

Issuer	NewFunds CIS
Manager	NewFunds (Pty) Ltd
Originator	Absa Bank Limited acting through Absa CIB division and Absa Alternative Asset Management (Pty) Ltd
Trustees	Standard Bank (SA) Ltd
Benchmark index	MAPPS™ Growth Index
Sector	Exchange Traded Funds
Fund Category	South African – Multi Asset – High Equity
JSE code	MAPPSG
ISIN	ZAE000153763
Base currency	ZAR
Listing date	25/05/2011
Net Asset Value	35,532,680

Annualised TER**1	0.15%
Transaction Cost <sup>2</sup>	0.07%
Effective Annual Cost (EAC) <sup>3</sup>	0.22%
Risk Profile <sup>4</sup>	Aggressive
Index rebalance frequency	Quarterly
Dividend frequency	Mar, Jun, Sep & Dec
No. of securities issued	1,806,698
Ex Div Date of last distribution	21/06/2017
Amount of last distribution	1.63 cents per index security
Net distribution payment	1.30 cents per index security
Fund Valuation	17h00
Tracking Error	0.15%
Daily price information	etfcib.absa.co.za

- \* A total return ETF reinvests distributions back into the fund so as to increase the net asset value of the portfolio. Investors are also advised to speak to their tax or financial advisor about the tax treatment of distributions.
- \*\* As published on Finswitch for the quarter ended 30 June 2017

## **Benefits**

- Diversification: exposure to the whole market / asset classes
- Liquidity: Absa market maker provides full liquidity to enable investors to easily buy or sell the ETF
- Transparency: The ETFs constituent assets, holdings and investment methodology are published regularly
- Lower costs: due to ETFs being passive in nature, they tend to have a low fee structure than actively managed funds
- Investor protection: ETF securities are fully backed by the underlying assets
- Traded like a share: ETFs are funds listed and traded like ordinary shares on a stock exchange
- NewFunds ETFs are registered as Collective Investment Schemes (CIS)





# ETF Performance<sup>5</sup> History as of 30 June 2017\*

Performance Period	MAPPS™ Growth ETF	MAPPS™ Growth Index
Return since inception	10.34%	10.72%
1 year return	0.22%	-0.07%
2 year return	1.82%	1.71%
3 year return	3.69%	3.77%
4 year return	9.03%	9.21%
5 year return	10.57%	10.77%

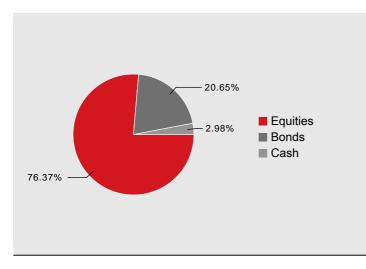
# Income Distribution in the past 12 months

Month	Net Income in Cents
September 16	16.37
December 16	13.68
March 17	11.09
June 17	1.30

# Risk statistics since listing\*

	Annualised standard deviation <sup>6</sup>	Highest annual return	Lowest annual return
MAPPS™ Growth ETF	12.84%	32.44%	-5.91%
MAPPS™ Growth Index	12.92%	32.95%	-5.75%

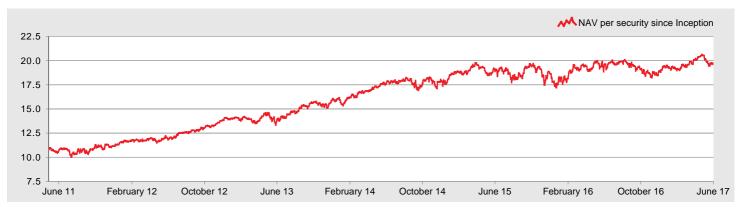
## **Asset Class Allocation**



# **Top 10 Equity Holdings\***

Naspers Limited	20.65%
MTN Group Limited	3.79%
British American Tobacco PLC	3.77%
Sasol Limited	3.62%
Standard Bank Group Limited	3.43%
Steinhoff International H NV	2.96%
FirstRand Ltd	2.77%
Anglo American PLC	1.91%
Sanlam Limited	1.91%
Remgro Ltd	1.83%

# **Historical NAV chart\***



<sup>\*</sup> Source: Absa - June 2017
All returns are annualised. Annualised returns represent an average growth rate of an investment per year, over a given time period.





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## **Notes**

- 1. The Total Expense Ratio (TER) is a measure of the ETFs assets that have been sacrificed as payment for services rendered (allowable charges per prescribed industry standards) in the management of the ETF(the TER excludes brokerage and transactional costs), expressed as a percentage of the daily average value of the portfolio and calculated over a 12 month rolling period. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER cannot be regarded as an indication of future TERs.
- The Transaction Cost is the cost incurred in the buying and selling of the underlying assets of an ETF. It is expressed as a percentage of the daily average value of the ETF and it is calculated over a 1 year period.
- 3. EAC is a measure of the charges that an investor will likely incur by investing in an ETF. It includes the investment management costs (TER and transaction costs), administration costs, advice costs and other costs. Our ETFs do not charge an administration or advice fees, these fees maybe payable through an investment platform chosen by the investor. A schedule of management fees and transactions costs is available on request from the Manager.
- 4. Through index replication the fund offers a diversified exposure across different asset classes, intends to grow capital however it can be volatile over a shorter term investment horizon, due to a higher allocation to equities.
- 5. The performance quoted represents past performance and the Manager does not provide any guarantee with respect to capital or future returns of the ETF. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when sold or redeemed, may be worth more or less that the original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance data current to the most recent month end may be obtained by visiting http://etfcib.absa.co.za.
- 6. The standard deviation of the Fund's monthly returns since inception. This is a measure of how much an investment's return varies from its average over time.
- 7. Highest annual return represents the highest one year return of the ETF since inception.
- 8. Lowest annual return represents the lowest one year return of the ETF since inception.
- 9. Performance is calculated for the portfolio and it differs from individual investments performance due to fees.
- 10. The fund does not engage in securities lending.

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