# SYGNIA ITRIX MSCI WORLD INDEX

31 AUGUST 2017

LOW LOW MEDIUM MEDIUM HIGH HIGH

LESS RISK/
RETURN

MORE RISK/
RETURN

1 YEAR+ 2 YEARS+ 3 YEARS+ 5 YEARS+ 10 YEARS+

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS MELLON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT CORPORATION

INCEPTION 1 APRIL 2008
FUND SIZE R 4.0 BILLION
INSTRUMENT PRICE 25.44 cents

FUND INFORMATION	
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Classification	Regional - Equity - General
Asset Allocation	100% Offshore Equity
Portfolio Currency	USD
NAV/Index Ratio	ca. 1/1000
Financial Year End	31 December
Index Tracking	Fund tracks the MSCI World Index
Dividend Distribution	Semi-annual distribution
NAV Publication	Daily on sygnia.co.za

CUMULAT	VE INVEST	MENT PERI	ORMANCE		
Growth of R10	0 invested on 3	30 April 2008	_	Investment: Benchmark:	•
R 250					
R 200					\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\
R 150					
R 100		~~~			
R 50					
	Nov 09	Jul 11	Mar 13	Nov 14	Jul 16
Sygnia Itrix MSCI World Index					

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	WEIGHT
Apple Inc.	2.3%
Alphabet Inc.	1.5%
Microsoft Corp	1.4%
Facebook Inc.	1.1%
Amazon.com Inc.	1.0%
Johnson & Johnson Common Stock USD 1.0	0.9%
JP Morgan Chase & Co	0.8%
Exxon Mobil Corp	0.8%
Nestle SA Ordinary CHF 0.1	0.7%
Bank of America Corp Common Stock	0.6%

FUND OBJECTIVE

TO REPLICATE THE PRICE AND YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE MSCI WORLD INDEX

INCOME DISTRIBUTION
PAYMENT: JAN 2017 - 0.14 CENTS PER UNIT PAYMENT: JUL 2017 - 0.20 CENTS PER UNIT

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LISTING INFORMATION	
Exchange	JSE Limited
Exchange Code	SYGWD
Trading Currency	ZAR
ISIN	ZAE000249553
RIC	SYGWDJ.J
Bloomberg Ticker	SYGWD:SJ
Trading Hours	9:00 am - 17:00 pm
Portfolio Valuation	Index close of business 16:00 pm EST
Transaction cut-off	JSE trading hours 17:00 pm

GEOGRAPHIC ALLOCATION		
MODEL	WEIGHT	ALLOCATION
North America	56.2%	
Japan	8.7%	
United Kingdom	6.4%	
France	3.6%	
Canada	3.5%	
Germany	3.5%	
Switzerland	3.4%	
Australia	2.6%	
Other	12.1%	

PORTFOLIO	PERFORMAN	CE ANALYSIS				
PERIOD	SYGNIA ITRIX MSCI WORLD	MSCI WORLD INDEX (ZAR)	USD/ZAR*	MSCI WORLD INDEX (USD)		
1 Year	0.9%	0.9%	-11.5%	14.0%		
3 Years	11.0%	11.0%	6.9%	3.9%		
5 Years	18.9%	18.9%	9.2%	8.9%		
Since Inception	9.0%	9.0%	6.0%	2.8%		
*A positive performance in currency reflects a depreciation of ZAR against base currency and vice						

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HISTORICAL PERF	ORMANCE												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR
2014	3.3%	1.2%	-1.9%	0.6%	2.2%	2.2%	-1.0%	1.6%	2.9%	-1.8%	2.0%	1.9%	13.8%
2015	-0.4%	5.9%	2.2%	-0.7%	3.1%	-2.3%	5.6%	-2.2%	0.2%	7.7%	4.2%	4.8%	31.3%
2016	-3.5%	-1.1%	-1.6%	-1.7%	10.7%	-7.5%	-1.9%	6.0%	-6.3%	-3.8%	6.0%	-0.6%	-6.8%
2017	0.7%	0.0%	3.0%	0.9%	-0.3%	0.2%	3.2%	-1.3%					6.4%

Since inception performance figures are available on request.

RISK STATISTICS		
	FUND	^BM
% Negative Months	36.7%	33.3%
Average Negative Month	-2.2%	-2.4%
Largest Drawdown	-13.4%	-13.4%
Standard Deviation	13.5%	13.5%
Downside Deviation	6.9%	6.8%
Highest Annual Return: Jan 2013 - Dec 2013	53.2%	52.9%
Lowest Annual Return: Jan 2016 - Dec 2016	-6.8%	-6.7%
Annualised Tracking Error (12 Months)	0.0%	-
Annualised Tracking Error (Since Inception)	-0.1%	-

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

FEES		
INVESTMENT SIZE	BROKER/OTHER PLATFORM	SYGNIA ALCHEMY PLATFORM
	(EXCL VAT)	(EXCL VAT)
First R100M	0.60%pa	0.50%pa
Over R100M	0.40%pa	0.30%pa

Total Expense Ratio (TER) 0.68% (June 2017)

Excess management fees for investors over R100M are included in the above TER, and distributed back to the investor at each distribution date.



### IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO CONSIDER BEFORE INVESTING

### INVESTMENT APPROACH

The Sygnia Itrix MSCI World Index 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 MSCI World 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.

### **BALANCING RISK AND REWARD**

The MSCI World Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalisation index that is designed to measure global developed market equity performance, representing companies with a total market capitalisation of approximately US\$30 trillion. For changes to the index constituents please refer to the published SENS. The MSCI World Index is recognised as a barometer of the world's developed economies and as the holder of the Sygnia Itrix MSCI World Index ETF, an investor will essentially track the developed world's equity markets. The recommended investment term for investors in the Sygnia Itrix MSCI World Index ETF is a minimum of five years.

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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.

# HOW ARE NAV PRICES CALCULATED?

Net Asset Value (NAV) prices are calculated on a net asset value basis, which is the total market value of all assets in the portfolio including any income accruals and less any permissible deductions from the portfolio divided by the number of units in issue. The price at which ETFs trade on an Exchange may differ from the NAV price published at the close of the trading day, because of intraday price movements in the value of the constituent basket of securities.

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The total expense ratio (TFR) 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. The TER includes the annual management fees that have been charged (both the fee at benchmark and any performance component charged), VAT and other expenses like audit and trustee fees. Transaction costs (including brokerage, Securities Transfer Tax [STT], STRATE and FSB Investor Protection Levy and VAT thereon) are shown separately. 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 published returns. The TER charged by any underlying fund held as part of a fund's portfolio is included in the TER figure, but trading and implementation costs incurred in managing the fund are excluded. As expenses vary, the current TER cannot be used as an indication of future TERs. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. Instead, when investing, the investment objective of the Fund should be aligned with the investor's objective and compared against the performance of the Fund. TERs should then be used to evaluate whether the Fund performance offers value for money.

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