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# High Dividend Portfolio - Quarterly

### Investment Objective

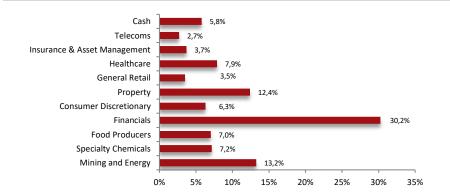
This is an income focused portfolio, investing in local, high value shares, paying higher and sustainable dividends. This portfolio is generally

less volatile. It aims to provide the investor with an attractive dividend yield over the long-term, whilst striking a balance between capital growth and return on investment.

### Investment Profile

- Retired individuals or individuals close to retirement.
- Individuals requiring a certain level of investment return from their discretionary investment.
- Value-based investors who have a moderate to high risk tolerance, and understand that investment cycles cause asset prices to fluctuate.
- Main objective: To strike a balance between capital growth and return on investments.

#### Sector Allocation



#### Top 10 Holdings

Standard Bank (SBK)	11,05%	Exxaro (EXX)	5,96%
AECI (AFE)	7,16%	Investec Limited (INL)	5,06%
AVI (AVI)	7,03%	Impala Platinum (IMP)	4,94%
Absa (ABG)	6,70%	Emira (EMI)	4,85%
British American Tobacco (BTI)	6,32%	Netcare (NTC)	4,25%

### Performance

	3 Months	6 Months	12 Months	YTD	2 Year	3 Year	4 Year	5 Year	Since Inception
Dividend Portfolio	4,5%	7,9%	28,5%	17,4%	-4,8%	-5,4%	-3,9%	-1,6%	-0,2%
Benchmark	3,3%	2,8%	27,8%	15,4%	11,7%	5,8%	4,4%	4,5%	4,4%

Returns for periods longer than 12 months have been annualised.



# September 2021

### Risk profile



#### Investment information

Inception date 1 January 2016

Investment manager Momentum Securities

Stockbroker/custodian Momentum Securities

Management fee Max 1.25% (annual)

Minimum lump sum R 250 000

Redemption periods 3 business days

Benchmark
Capped SWIX Top 40 TR Index Target

<u>CPI Plus 4%</u>

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### **Economic Overview**

Although the recent pick-up in inflation has been seen, by many, as transitory the US Fed has turned more hawkish and has started indicating that they will reduce Quantitative Easing (QE). Low interest rates and liquidity (QE) has supported US financial markets. The US recovery has progressed as the economy unlocked and we have now seen US consumer demand pick up, product shortages and inflation increase.

As QE is reduced there will be less support for financial markets, and this together with high US equity valuations will be a headwind to US equity returns. We now expect one year US equity returns to be below average. We have also seen a slowdown in Chinese manufacturing which has weighed on industrial metal

prices. This will impact commodity producing economies growth.

The SA economy is likely to lag the global recovery due to a slower vaccine rollout and unlocking of the economy, however, the pace of economic growth in SA is expected to improve in Q4 2021. In the short-term slower growth in China will impact the prices received for SA commodity exports, we however, remain positive on Platinum Group Metals given the projected future deficits. Overall we remain positive on SA equity on a valuation basis.

### **Market Overview**

The third quarter of 2021 saw global risk asset prices peaking and retreating sharply over the month of September. Inflation concerns which have been driven by supply chain bottlenecks coupled with wage and energy price increases, have caused concern around the implications for Central Bank stimulus and interest rates. The unfolding collapse of the largest property development company in China, Evergrande, has brought to the fore concerns around potential contagion effects in the Chinese and global financial system.

During the third quarter global equity markets retreated a modest -1% in USD, emerging market equities retreated -8% in USD and SA Equity -0.80% in ZAR. In the SA equity market, we saw small-cap and mid-cap equities rallying 11.7% and 7.2% respectively, outperforming large caps by a significant margin. The resources

sector in SA came under pressure over the quarter, retreating - 3.6% having been impacted by the collapse of iron ore prices by over 50% during the quarter. The industrial sector also came under pressure as Naspers and Prosus retreated on the back of negative investor sentiment caused by a raft of regulation introduced in China which impacted the valuations of Tencent. Health care and telcos were the best performing sub-sectors over the quarter while precious metals and basic materials were the laggards.

SA Bonds returned a modest 0.40%, underperforming SA cash by 0.60%. The rand depreciated by -5.1% to the US dollar over the past quarter.

## Portfolio Activity

During the third quarter we sold out of FirstRand and added no new holdings to the portfolio. We increased our exposure to Absa, Exxaro and Impala Platinum, and reduced our exposure to British American Tobacco. The portfolio increased by 4,5% for the quarter with the last month of the quarter down 1,9%.

Positive contributions were attributable mainly to Standard Bank, AVI, Investec Limited and Absa. Losses were attributable to Impala Platinum, BHP Group, Emira and Exxaro. For the past 12 months the portfolio has increased 28,5% with the JSE Capped SWIX total return up 27,8%.