27four Shari'ah Active Equity Fund

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Fund Information

Investment Manager 27four Investment Managers (Pty) Ltd, a category IIA

licensed financial services provider, FSP No: 31045

Inception Date 07 June 2012

Fund Classification South African - Equity - General

 Management Company
 27four Collective Investments (RF)(Pty)Ltd

 Fund Trustees
 The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited

 Benchmark
 Average of SA Shari'ah General Equity Funds*

Trading Closing Time 13:00

Income Distribution Annual - 31 March

Class A1

 Fund Size
 R840,200,822.21

 Number Of Units
 46,358,726.98

 NAV Price
 323.05

Fund Description

The 27four Shari'ah Active Equity Fund is a high risk portfolio that invests in SA listed Shari'ah compliant shares. Sultable for investors with a long-term investment horizon. The primary objectives are capital growth and income generation through dividends. Volatile movements in the value of capital in the short to medium-term are to be expected.

Risk Profile

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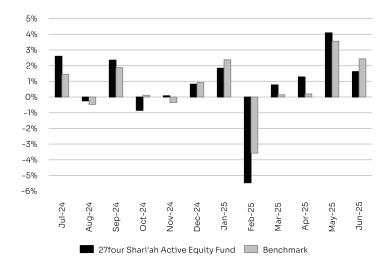
Generally these portfolios hold more equity exposure than any other risk profiled portfolios therefore tend to carry higher volatility. Expected potential long-term return could be higher than other profiles, in turn potential losses of capital could be higher

Fund Commentary

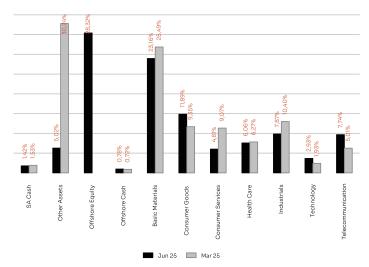
The JSE recorded an upswing during the second quarter, despite sluggish domestic growth. Gains were largely driven by industrials (+12.03%) and resource stocks (+9.77%), with gold miners benefiting from the rise in gold prices, while platinum producers saw a boost in June due to global supply shortages and heightened demand. On this backdrop, Shariah-compliant funds outperformed, aided by their natural tilt toward resources and reduced exposure to interest-bearing instruments. South African inflation remained below 3%, providing room for the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) to cut interest rates by 25 basis points, offering further support to equities and consumer sentiment. Globally, markets entered Q2 on a cautious note, with spikes in volatility following tariff announcements from major economies. However, tensions eased after the announcement of a 90-day enforcement pause and the signing of bilateral trade agreements with China, the UK, and other key trading partners. While trade frictions temporarily abated, geopolitical risks came forth, notably the ongoing Gaza conflict and renewed Chinese military exercises around Taiwan. Despite the uncertainty, global equity markets rallied, driven by the continued strength of the "Magnificent Seven" tech glants, which rebounded sharply and supported broader market momentum.

Against this backdrop, the 27four Shari'ah Active Equity Fund returned 7.14% for the quarter, ahead of its benchmark which returned 6.29%. Some strong performance from the funds offshore exposure which contributed significantly to the outperformance, led by iShares MSCI World USA Islamic ETF (+11.03%). While on the local front, the fund benefitted from the surge in platinum prices led by Northam Platinum (+26.43%), Impala Platinum (+26.22%), and Valterra Platinum (+17.57%). However, these gains were offset by some detractors including Aspen Pharmacare (-27.02%), Sappi (-17.77%), and DRD Gold (-16.44%). The portfolio has adhered to its policy objective.

Performance Summary



Asset Allocation



Performance Analysis

	Fund	Benchmark		
1 Month	1.62%	2.44%		
3 Months	7.14%	6.29%		
6 Months	3.94%	5.07%		
YTD	3.94%	5.07%		
1 Year	8.94%	8.81%		
3 Years (Annualised)	8.82%	9.67%		
5 Years (Annualised)	10.59%	11.53%		
Inception (Annualised)	9.26%	8.14%		
Inception (Cumulative)	218.40%	178.38%		
Highest Rolling 1 Year Return	40.91%	43.73%		
Lowest Rolling 1 Year Return	-12.87%	-21.40%		

Asset Allocation

Asset Class	Funds
SA Equity	69.48%
SA Cash	1.42%
Offshore Equity	28.32%
Offshore Cash	0.78%

Top 5 Holdings

Sector Name	Share Name
Consumer Discretionary	Advtech Ltd
Real Estate	Nepi Rockcastle N.V.
Consumer Staples	Tiger Brands Ltd
Industrials	Barloworld Ltd
Technology	Karooooo Ltd JSE Listing

Monthly Fund Performance

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Jan	-	2.86%	-1.65%	0.41%	-4.07%	-0.08%	2.55%	-0.47%	-0.34%	5.33%	-2.56%	4.53%	-1.86%	1.84%
Feb	-	0.11%	3.73%	5.01%	0.73%	0.35%	-3.91%	1.13%	-5.89%	2.91%	1.47%	-1.31%	-1.02%	-5.47%
Mar	-	1.33%	2.72%	-1.82%	4.06%	1.01%	-1.24%	0.67%	-9.05%	2.81%	0.79%	-1.69%	2.18%	0.77%
Apr	-	-1.76%	2.19%	3.35%	3.08%	0.79%	4.15%	3.92%	12.52%	0.39%	-1.18%	3.26%	0.02%	1.28%
May	-	7.20%	1.97%	0.01%	-2.01%	-0.72%	-0.31%	-4.67%	-3.30%	2.74%	-2.61%	-1.97%	0.86%	4.09%
Jun	-0.20%	-4.50%	2.45%	-1.64%	-3.04%	-2.06%	1.50%	3.12%	6.05%	-0.89%	-7.65%	0.05%	2.20%	1.62%
Jul	2.32%	4.90%	3.52%	5.76%	2.78%	4.02%	-1.87%	-2.67%	3.41%	3.77%	4.25%	1.15%	2.60%	-
Aug	1.21%	2.86%	1.52%	-0.58%	1.19%	1.73%	4.79%	-3.62%	1.46%	0.90%	0.08%	-2.69%	-0.25%	-
Sep	2.14%	4.34%	-2.26%	-3.17%	2.22%	-0.68%	-3.79%	1.87%	-3.53%	-0.12%	-2.27%	-1.17%	2.35%	-
Oct	3.41%	3.74%	-0.48%	3.57%	-3.02%	4.94%	-3.84%	1.81%	-4.55%	4.26%	5.90%	-2.59%	-0.85%	-
Nov	1.22%	-0.39%	-0.80%	1.50%	-0.29%	-1.54%	-0.61%	-0.70%	7.55%	3.09%	1.47%	7.11%	0.08%	-
Dec	3.72%	1.59%	0.84%	-0.47%	-0.98%	-2.29%	1.23%	3.51%	5.47%	3.28%	-2.77%	4.10%	0.82%	-
Yr.	14.61%	24.03%	14.40%	12.11%	0.24%	5.31%	-1.85%	3.50%	7.87%	32.26%	-5.64%	8.52%	7.25%	3.94%

Risk Analysis

	Fund	Benchmark	
Volatility (Annualised)	10.73%	11.05%	
% Positive Months	60.51%	58.60%	
% Negative Months	39.49%	41.40%	
Best Month	12.52%	13.08%	
Worst Month	-9.05%	-14.87%	
Average Negative Months	-2.19%	-2.17%	
Maximum Drawdown	-17.82%	-24.42%	
Tracking Error	5.25%	-	
Sharpe Ratio	0.26	-	

Investment Terms

	Fees
Initial Fee	0.00%
Annual Management Fee	1.50% excl VAT
Minimum Investment Size	R5000 lump sum or R500 monthly debit order

Income Distribution

1st working day after declaration

2025/03/31 : 5.71 cents per unit 2024/03/31 : 4.46 cents per unit 2023/03/31 : 8.62 cents per unit 2022/03/31 : 4.89 cents per unit

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Glossary

Annualised performance: Annualised performance show longer term performance rescaled to a 1 year period. Annualised performance is the average return per year over the period. Actual annual figures are available to the investor on request.

Best month: Largest increase in any single month.

Highest & lowest return: The highest and lowest returns over any 1 year period since the inception

Max drawdown: The maximum peak to trough loss suffered by the Fund since inception.

NAV: The net asset value represents the assets of a Fund less its liabilities.

Sharpe ratio: The Sharpe ratio is used to indicate the excess return the portfolio delivers over the risk free rate per unit of risk adopted by the fund.

Standard deviation: The deviation of the return stream relative to its own average.

Tracking error: The volatility of the difference in returns between a Fund and its Benchmark. Also known as active risk.

% positive months: The percentage of months since inception where the Fund has delivered positive

Fund Specific Risks

Currency exchange risk: Changes in the relative values of individual currencies may adversely affect the value of investments and any related income.

Default risk: The risk that the issuers of fixed income instruments (e.g. bonds) may not be able to meet interest payments nor repay the money they have borrowed. The issuers credit quality is vital. The worse the credit quality, the greater the risk of default and therefore investment loss.

Derivatives risk: The use of derivatives could increase overall risk by magnifying the effect of both gains and losses in a Fund. As such, large changes in value and potentially large financial losses could result.

Derivative counterparty risk: A counterparty to a derivative transaction may experience a breakdown in meeting its obligations thereby leading to financial loss.

Developing Market (excluding SA) risk: Some of the countries invested in may have less developed legal, political, economic and/or other systems. These markets carry a higher risk of financial loss than those in countries generally regarded as being more developed.

Equity investment risk: Value of equities (e.g. shares) and equity-related investments may vary according to company profits and future prospects as well as more general market factors. In the event of a company default (e.g. bankruptcy), the owners of their equity rank last in terms of any financial payment from that company.

Foreign investment risk: Foreign securities investments may be subject to risks pertaining to overseas jurisdictions and markets, including (but not limited to) local liquidity, macroeconomic, political, tax, settlement risks and currency fluctuations.

Geographic / Sector risk: For investments primarily concentrated in specific countries, geographical regions and/or industry sectors, their resulting value may fluctuate more than portfolios that are more broadly invested.

Interest rate risk: The value of fixed income investments (e.g. bonds) tends to be inversely related to

Liquidity risk: If there are insufficient buyers or sellers of particular investments, the result may lead to delays in trading and being able to make settlements, and/or large fluctuations in value. This may lead to larger financial losses than expected.

Property risk: Investments in real estate securities can carry the same risks as investing directly in real estate itself. Real estate prices

TER Breakdown

	Fees
Management Fee	1.74%
Performance Fees	0.00%
Other Cost	0.35%
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	2.09%
Transaction Cost (TC)	0.14%
Total Investment Charge (TIC)	2.23%

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