

# ANCHOR BCI EQUITY FUND

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## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The **Anchor BCI Equity Fund** is a general equity portfolio that seeks to sustain high long-term capital growth.

## INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY

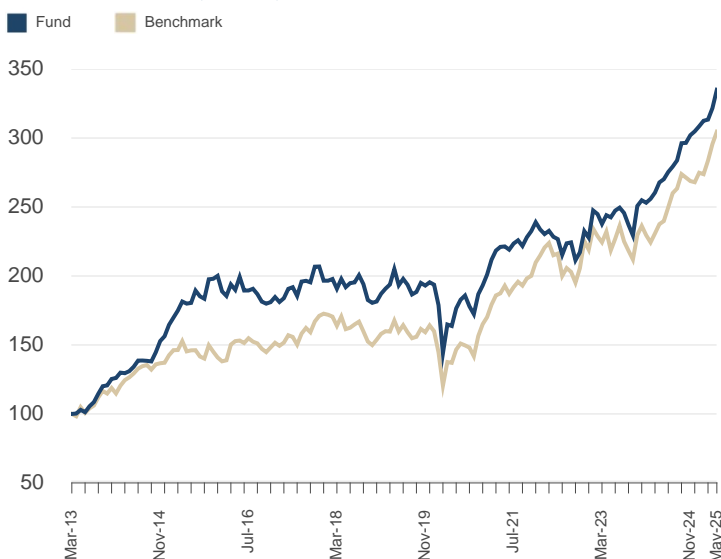
The portfolio is constructed from bottom-up, fundamental research with an investment philosophy that favours quality stocks with superior returns on capital, cash flows and pricing power. While acceptable valuation is an important component of the stock-selection process, the fund's style is not "value" – investments will be made in premium-rated stocks where the growth outlook and quality profile warrants it. The fund will also own shares that are often not well researched, yet offer exceptional valuation-driven opportunities. The quality of companies included is judged by rates of earnings growth, return on capital employed, cash conversion and stability of margins. The portfolio may, from time to time, invest in listed and unlisted financial instruments. The manager may include the following unlisted financial instruments: forward currency, interest rate and exchange-rate swap transactions for efficient portfolio management purposes. The portfolio's equity exposure will always exceed 80% of the portfolio's net asset value.

## MONTHLY RETURNS (%)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
2025	1.2	1.3	0.3	2.6	4.2								9.9
2024	-0.7	1.1	1.8	2.8	0.9	1.9	1.4	1.6	4.4	0.1	1.9	0.9	19.6
2023	8.7	-1.1	-2.9	2.7	-0.6	2.0	0.9	-1.6	-3.5	-3.3	9.3	1.6	11.9
2022	-2.2	-1.5	1.0	-1.9	-0.7	-5.0	3.9	0.3	-5.8	2.7	7.1	-2.1	-4.7
2021	4.1	5.3	3.1	1.2	0.2	-1.1	2.0	1.0	-1.8	2.9	2.0	2.8	23.7
2020	-0.9	-7.7	-19.5	14.4	-0.6	7.8	3.5	1.7	-4.2	-3.2	8.4	3.4	-1.2
2019	3.1	2.0	1.6	5.8	-5.7	2.4	-2.2	-3.6	1.0	3.5	-1.0	1.2	7.7
2018	0.0	0.6	-3.6	3.7	-3.0	1.5	0.3	2.7	-3.2	-5.9	-1.1	0.5	-7.7
2017	2.0	-1.9	1.5	3.7	0.6	-3.3	5.6	0.3	-0.6	5.8	0.1	-5.0	8.6
2016	-5.6	-1.8	4.5	-2.0	4.9	-4.9	0.0	0.6	-2.0	-2.9	-0.8	0.6	-9.5
2015	5.3	3.2	3.0	3.8	-0.8	0.3	5.0	-2.2	-1.0	7.7	0.2	1.1	28.0
2014	0.6	3.1	-0.3	1.1	2.4	3.4	0.0	-0.2	-0.3	4.8	5.6	2.3	24.7
2013				0.3	2.6	-1.7	4.2	2.9	5.6	4.7	0.5	3.9	25.3

## FUND PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION

Growth of R100 investment (cumulative).



Investment performance is for illustrative purposes only and calculated by taking actual initial fees and ongoing fees into account for the amount shown with income reinvested on reinvestment date.

## FUND INFORMATION

Risk profile:

LOW LOW-MOD MOD MOD-HIGH HIGH

Inception Date 05 Apr 2013  
Benchmark FTSE JSE Capped SWIX J433T Index

Fund Classification SA Equity General  
Distributions Semi-annual Declaration Date:  
30 Jun/31 Dec

### Fees (Incl. VAT):

Annual Management Fee 1.15%  
Total Expense Ratio (TER) Mar 25: 1.19% (PY): 1.22%

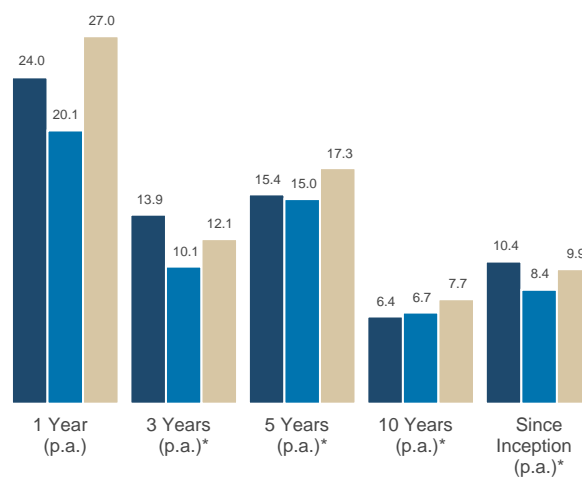
Portfolio Value R701.94 mn  
Unit Price 271.50 cpu

## RISK PROFILE: HIGH

- This portfolio has a higher exposure to equities than any other risk profiled portfolio and therefore tends to carry higher volatility due to high exposure to equity markets.
- Expected potential long-term returns are high, but the risk of potential capital losses is high as well, especially over shorter periods.
- Where the asset allocation contained in this MDD reflects offshore exposure, the portfolio is exposed to currency risks.
- Therefore, it is suitable for long term investment horizons.

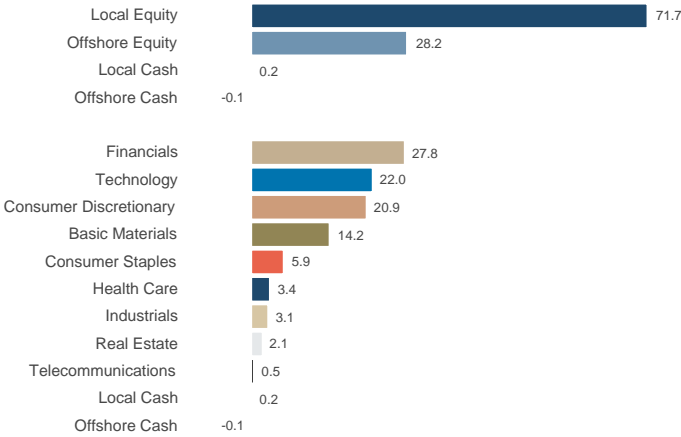
## FUND PERFORMANCE AT 31 MAY 2025 (%)

Fund Peer Group Benchmark



\*Annualised return is the weighted average compound growth rate over the period measured.

ASSET & SECTOR ALLOCATION AT 31 MAY 2025 (%)



INVESTMENT TEAM

The fund is managed by the Anchor Capital Investment Team

INFORMATION & DISCLOSURES

ISIN Number	ZAE000175626
Distributions	2023 (CPU) Jun 1.60; Dec 1.71   2024 (CPU) Jun 1.21; Dec 1.63

INVESTMENT MANAGER

- Anchor Capital (Pty) Ltd is an authorised Financial Services Provider FSP 39834.
- Additional information, including application forms, annual or quarterly reports can be obtained from BCI, free of charge or can be accessed on our website ([www.bcis.co.za](http://www.bcis.co.za))
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  - Actual annual percentage figures are available to existing investors on request.
  - Upon request the Manager will provide the investor with quarterly portfolio investment holdings reports.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Valuation time	15h00
Transaction cut-off time	14H00
Payment reference	Initials and Surname
Minimum investment amount	None*

Please send proof of deposit to fax (011) 263 6152 or e-mail [instructions@bci-transact.co.za](mailto:instructions@bci-transact.co.za)  
\*Fixed Administration Fee: R15 excluding VAT which will apply to all direct investor accounts with balances of less than R100 000 at month end, unless an investor transacts online, in which case no such fee will be levied.

MANAGEMENT COMPANY INFORMATION

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HOLDINGS AT 31 MAY 2025 (%)

Prosus	10.5
Naspers Limited	5.8
Absa Group Limited	5.3
Gold Fields Limited	4.2
Anglo American Plc	3.6
UBS Emerging Market Note - 2028	3.5
FirstRand	3.3
Discovery Holdings	3.1
Mr Price Group Ltd	2.8
Anglogold Ashanti	2.8

FUND MANAGER COMMENTARY AT 31 MAY 2025

The Anchor BCI Equity Fund ended May 4.2% higher, against the benchmark FTSE/JSE Capped Swix, which ended the month up 3.0%. YTD, the fund is up 9.9% vs the benchmark, which has gained 13.7%. There was healthy breadth across the JSE in May. Gold, the one sector that has had a disproportionate positive impact on index performance this year, acted as a minor detractor from performance over the month. Most other sectors across the market ended May in positive territory. Within the portfolio, we had several pleasing operational updates from the likes of Southern Sun Holdings, Tiger Brands, Famous Brands and Bidcorp. Another positive development would be the apparent bidding war on the cards for Mas Plc; a company we believe is trading at a deep discount to its fair value due to apparent corporate governance failures. It is encouraging to see additional interest come back into the name following a string of low-ball offers from its largest shareholder to take the company private. In the offshore portfolio, the fund continued to take profits on European defence business Rheinmetall AG, recycling the capital into online gaming business Flutter Entertainment Plc.

FEE DETAILS

	Class A
Initial fees (BCI) (incl. VAT)	0%
Annual Management Fee (incl VAT)	
Class A	1.15%
Performance Fee	None
TER and Transaction Cost (incl VAT)	
Basic	Mar 25: 1.19% (PY): 1.22%
Portfolio Transaction Cost	Mar 25: 0.56% (PY): 0.50%
Total Investment Charge	Mar 25: 1.75% (PY): 1.72%

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. Transaction Costs are a necessary cost in administering the Fund and impacts Fund returns. The TIC should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors including market returns, the type of Fund, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER. The TER and Transaction Cost calculations are based upon the portfolio's direct costs for the financial year ended 31 December 2024, whilst the underlying portfolios ratio and cost calculations are based upon their most recent published figures, being 31 March 2025.

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