

# GRYPHON

with purpose

## MORNINGSTAR



## RAGING BULL



## PLEXCROWNS



## RISK PROFILE

\*SOURCE: Profile media



HIGH RISK LOW RISK

## FUND PROFILE

The primary objective of the fund is to generate real (after-inflation) wealth for investors at lowest possible cost, with due cognizance of risk and, in particular, secular downside risk. This is achieved by consistently producing real returns and long-term capital growth through maximum exposure to equities (the asset class of choice over the long-term to protect investors against inflation) during bull markets, while minimising exposure to equities in secular bear markets. Although this portfolio aims to limit downside risk over the medium to long term, investors should be able to withstand capital volatility in the short term; the fund may produce negative returns in extreme years, albeit at a lower level than a fund that is only invested in shares. The recommended investment term is three years and longer. The portfolio complies with the statutory investment limits set for retirement funds (Regulation 28).

## KEY FEATURES

- Premised on the philosophy that most value is added by asset allocation as opposed to stock selection.
- Stock selection is indexed, and asset allocation is actively and dynamically managed.
- The securities and or underlying portfolios in which the Portfolio will invest in will have exposure to either equity, non-equity, fixed income, money market or property.
- Funds are allocated based on quantitative indicators that predict the primary bull/bear market cycles in equities and the South African Rand.
- Short-term volatility and secondary market cycles are generally disregarded as they are less predictable, being driven mainly by emotion (fear and greed); their effect on returns is relatively short-lived.
- The fund can invest up to 75% in equities.
- Maximum foreign exposure limits as permitted by prevailing legislation (currently 45%).

## GRYPHON PRUDENTIAL FUND

30 APRIL 2025

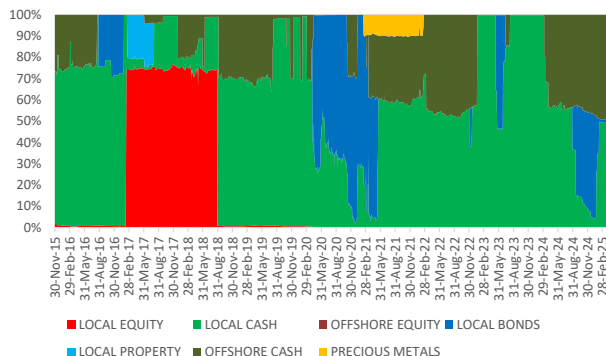
## WHO SHOULD INVEST?

- Investors who have a medium- to long-term investment horizon and require returns in excess of inflation.
- Investors lacking the time, infrastructure, or resources and/or investment sophistication to select and subsequently monitor the performance of the various asset classes and/or individual stocks and/or individual manager selection.
- Investors cognizant of the effects of costs on their returns.
- As such, the product is suitable for investors of all ages as it maximises return per unit of risk throughout their various life stages.
- Investors seeking style diversification - the unique way in which the fund is managed, differs significantly from its peers.

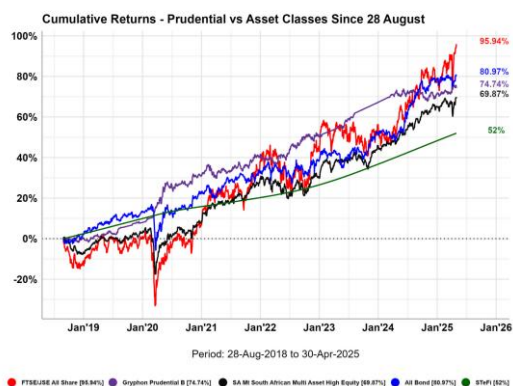
## CURRENT ASSET ALLOCATION

Local cash	47.3%
Local bonds	1.5%
Offshore cash	51.2%

## HISTORIC ASSET ALLOCATION



## PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION



## TOTAL RETURN FIGURES 30 APRIL 2025

PERIOD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
FUND CUMULATIVE (%)	1.8%	24.2%	45.1%	134.3%	152.3%
FUND ANNUALISED (%)	1.8%	7.5%	7.7%	8.9%	8.7%
BENCHMARK (CPI + 5%) ANNUALISED (%)	7.7%	10.0%	9.9%	9.9%	9.8%
ASISA CAT AVERAGE PERFORMANCE ANNUALISED (%)	13.9%	10.1%	11.7%	6.9%	7.4%
HIGHEST ACTUAL ANNUAL RETURN: 23.28% (31 MAY 2020)					
LOWEST ACTUAL ANNUAL RETURN: 0.45% (31 MARCH 2025)					

## FUND DETAILS

## SECTOR CLASSIFICATION

SA Multi Asset High Equity

## PORTFOLIO MANAGER

Abri Du Plessis

M. Com (Econometrics)

Reuben Beelders

B.Com (Hons), CA(SA), CFA

## BENCHMARK

CPI + 5%

## INCEPTION DATE

01 April 2014

## PORTFOLIO SIZE

R991m

## INCOME DECLARATION

Biannually – 1<sup>st</sup> October and 1<sup>st</sup> April  
(or subsequent business day)

## PAYMENT DATE

02 April 2025

02 October 2024

## CENTS PER UNIT

45.20918

44.423589

## ADMINISTRATION

## GRYPHON CONTACT DETAILS

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## MINIMUM LUMP SUM

R2,000

## MINIMUM MONTHLY PREMIUM

R200

## VALUATION

The Fund is valued daily at 15:00. Instructions must reach us before 14:00 to ensure same day value.

## TRUSTEES

Standard Chartered Bank

Tel. 011 217 6600

## ADMINISTRATION MANAGER

Prescient Fund Services

## JSE CODE

GRYFF

## FEES

## INITIAL FEE

0.00%

## ANNUAL MANAGEMENT FEE

0.35% (Incl. VAT)

## PERFORMANCE FEE

Gryphon does not charge any performance fees.

## TOTAL EXPENSE RATIO (TER)

0.51% (31 December 2024)

## TRANSACTIONAL COST (TC)

0.04% (31 December 2024)

## TOTAL INVESTMENT CHARGES (TER + TC)

0.55% (31 December 2024)

## What is the Total Expense Ratio (TER)?

The TER is a measure of total costs associated with managing and operating the fund. These costs consist primarily of management fees and additional expenses, such as trading fees, legal fees, auditor fees and other operational expenses. The total cost of the fund is divided by the fund's total assets to arrive at a percentage amount.

$$\text{Total Expense Ratio} = \frac{\text{Total Fund Cost}}{\text{Total Fund Assets}}$$

## What are Transaction Costs (TC)?

TCs are the value of the fund incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of assets underlying the fund. These are a necessary administration cost and impacts on the fund's returns. They should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by other factors over time including market returns, the type of fund, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.

## What are Total Investment Charges?

The total percentage value of the fund that was incurred as costs relating to the investment of that fund.

$$\text{TIC} = \text{TER} + \text{TC}$$

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