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# FAW - Momentum Passive Factor Portfolio Range

## Momentum Passive Factor 6 Portfolio

Factsheet at 30 September 2024

#### Target: CPI + 4% to 5%

Investment horizon: Six years

Investments managed by: Momentum Outcome-based Solutions (Pty) Ltd

#### Momentum outcome-based investing philosophy

Investment success is about consistently maximising the probability of you achieving your investment goals - whether that is to preserve capital, generate an income stream in retirement or grow wealth within the parameters of a certain risk profile. In response to the ever-evolving investment landscape, we have constructed a range of outcome-based solutions that set their sights beyond mere benchmarks and instead focus on the things that matter the most to you – ensuring we maximise the probability of you achieving your investment goals. Outcome-based investing is about placing your goals at the centre of our investment process.

#### Investor profile and investment strategy

This investment portfolio is aimed at members of a retirement fund who are in the accumulation phase of investing. It has a long-term investment horizon and, therefore, the aim is to maintain an average exposure of 67.5% to growth asset classes (local and global equities and property). The allocations between asset classes are not actively managed, but do allow for market drift. The long-term return objective of this portfolio is inflation plus 4% to 5% over six-year rolling periods. Different combinations of asset classes are considered and an optimum allocation is selected to achieve this objective with an acceptable degree of certainty. This portfolio is managed in accordance with the investment limitations set out in Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act.

## Portfolio information \_\_\_\_\_

Reg. 28 compliant: Y	Yes	
Target:	nflation plus 4% to 5% over six-year rolling periods	
Benchmark: b	Composite: Local equity 36.5%; Local property 2.5% bond 18.5%; Local cash 7%; Global equity 25%; Glob broperty 3.5%; Global bond 5%; Global cash 2%	
Launch date:	February 2006	

term			<b>•</b>	
Investment	Very short	Medium		Very long
capital loss	Very low	Medium	•	Very high



#### Long-term outcomes \_\_\_\_

#### Return over the investment horizon Hit rate Average shortfall Portfolio Portfolio Portfolio 8.96% 40.52% -2.13% CPI + 4% Benchmark 8.85% 8.05% The percentage of times the portfolio achieved or The average shortfall relative to CPI + 4% over rolling The annualised return over the investment horizon of exceeded CPI + 4% over rolling periods of the periods of the investment horizon. the portfolio. investment horizon 📶 Short-term risk \_\_\_\_\_ Rolling returns over investment horizon \_\_\_\_ 18% Risk of negative one-year return 16% Benchmark Portfolio 12.21% 13.62% 14% 12% The likelihood of negative returns over any one-year rolling period. 10% Minimum one-year returns 8% 6% Portfolio Benchmark -14.31% -14.64% 4% The worst one-year return with a 95% likelihood. 20/ Dec-12 Dec-13 Dec-14 Dec-15 Dec-16 Dec-17 Dec-18 Dec-19 Dec-20 Dec-21 Dec-22 Dec-23 Portfolio ---- CPI + 4% ---- CPI Returns over rolling periods of the investment horizon since launch.

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#### Investment returns \_

	One	Three	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven	
	month	months	year	years	years	years	years	years	years	Launch
Portfolio	2.41%	6.56%	21.61%	18.03%	11.95%	13.57%	10.36%	8.96%	8.00%	10.19%
Benchmark <sup>1</sup>	2.32%	6.55%	21.90%	17.88%	11.61%	12.60%	9.21%	8.05%	7.12%	9.92%
Risk-adjusted ratio <sup>2</sup>					1.33	1.56	0.98	0.88	0.81	1.08
CPI + 4%	0.41%	1.58%	8.41%	8.61%	9.61%	9.43%	8.96%	8.85%	8.87%	9.67%

<sup>1</sup>The benchmark is calculated using the composite benchmark allocation.

<sup>2</sup>A ratio of the actual return achieved per unit of risk taken.

#### Index returns \_

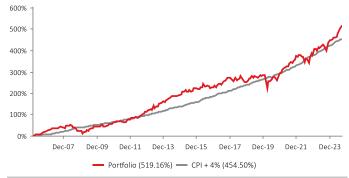
Asset class	Index	One month	One year	Two years	Three years	Five years	Six years	Strategic allocation
Local equity	FTSE/JSE Capped SWIX All Share Index	3.97%	25.41%	18.45%	12.36%	11.92%	9.39%	36.50%
Local property	FTSE/JSE All Property Index	5.16%	50.97%	30.56%	15.33%	5.05%	2.82%	2.50%
Local bond	FTSE/JSE All Bond Index	3.86%	26.14%	16.30%	11.14%	9.84%	10.10%	18.50%
Local cash	STeFI Composite Index	0.67%	8.57%	8.03%	6.87%	6.12%	6.32%	7.00%
Global equity	MSCI All Countries World Index	0.20%	20.57%	23.06%	12.87%	15.14%	13.76%	25.00%
Global property	FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Index	1.30%	19.15%	13.56%	6.09%	4.95%	7.86%	3.50%
Global bond	FTSE World Government Bond Index	-1.26%	1.69%	3.88%	0.03%	0.46%	2.88%	5.00%
Global cash	ICE BofA US 1-Month Treasury Bill Index	-2.53%	-3.35%	3.11%	8.64%	5.16%	5.91%	2.00%

#### 🕶 Investment manager returns 🗕

	One year	Three years	Seven years
Local equity			
Momentum Capped SWIX	25.19%	12.87%	7.65%
Local property			
Momentum ALPI Tracker Fund	50.80%	15.08%	0.40%
Local bond			
Momentum GOVI Tracker Fund	26.01%	11.02%	9.45%
Local cash			
ALUWANI	9.96%	8.22%	7.88%
Global equity			
Momentum Global Investment Management	20.87%	13.61%	
Global property			
BlackRock Global Property	17.18%	4.39%	
Global bond			
Amundi Global Bond	2.60%	1.21%	3.60%
Global cash			
State Street	-3.51%		

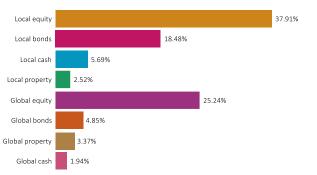
Where no returns are shown, the investment manager has a return history in this portfolio of less than the relevant period (one, three or seven years).

#### 📶 Cumulative returns \_\_\_\_\_



The cumulative growth of the portfolio since launch compared to CPI + 4%.

#### Effective asset allocation \_



#### 🚾 The 10-largest portfolio holdings 🗕

Holding	
Naspers Limited	2.87%
Republic Of South Africa R186	2.68%
Firstrand Bank Limited	2.46%
Republic Of South Africa R2048	2.45%
Republic Of South Africa R2030	2.41%
Republic Of South Africa R2032	2.18%
Republic Of South Africa R2035	2.15%
Standard Bank Group Ltd	1.78%
Republic Of South Africa R2037	1.77%
Gold Fields	1.66%

The 10-largest instruments at 31 July 2024, looking through all asset classes held.

#### 🗎 Quarterly portfolio commentary for Q3 2024 🚊

After robust growth in 2023, the United States (US) economy seems poised for a slowdown from an estimated 2.5% this year to an expected 1.8% in 2025, with the labour market expected to lose steam. This could leave growth vulnerable to shocks, such as a further escalation in the Middle Eastern conflict. With inflation no longer casting its long shadow over the US economy, attention has swiftly shifted to concerns over the cooling labour market. Following a robust September 2024 non-farm payrolls report and a 50-basis point interest rate cut, futures markets have repriced expected interest rates by the end of 2025 to 3.4%.

For South African (SA) investors, we prefer domestic asset classes over global assets in the coming year, driven by more attractive valuations and the potential for rand strength. Historically, falling interest rate cycles have been positive for US equity returns only when there was no subsequent US recession. In contrast, US equity returns were meaningfully negative when recessions followed rate-cutting cycles. Even if no recession materialises, the magnitude of further US equity upside should be constrained by the strong returns experienced before this falling rate cycle begins.

Following the national elections, the SA political landscape saw a seismic shift with the formation of a government of national unity (GNU). The initial reaction was marked by scepticism, as many doubted whether a coalition of ideologically mismatched parties could govern effectively. However, early signs are pointing towards efforts to collaborate. Investors, businesses and consumers have responded with increased confidence, and the absence of load shedding has undoubtedly lifted the national mood. Although structural challenges continue to weigh on SA, keeping our growth forecast at a modest 1% for this year and 1.8% for the next, the recent formation of a GNU has reignited hopes of faster growth in the longer term. Despite a projected fall in headline inflation from 4.7% this year to an average of 4.3% next year, the SA Reserve Bank is unlikely to cut interest rates aggressively beyond neutral, given the upside risks to inflation.

SA equities typically perform well in falling global and local rate cycles, with strong absolute and relative returns versus SA bonds. Positive GNU sentiment has only started to narrow the huge SA equity valuation discount. SA bond yields are still attractive against their history in real terms, as well as relative to those in developed and emerging markets.

The portfolio delivered a return of 6.6% for the quarter which was in line with the benchmark



Changes were made to the strategic asset allocations on 1 July 2023.

On 1 November 2021, this portfolio's name was changed from Momentum Passive Factor 5 to Momentum Passive Factor 6.

The benchmark for the local property component was changed on 1 October 2021 from the FTSE/JSE SA Listed Property Index to the FTSE/JSE All Property Index. Changes were made to the strategic asset allocations on 31 October 2020.

The inception date of this portfolio is 1 April 2015 and actual portfolio and benchmark returns have been used since then.

From 1 February 2010, investment returns are based on a combination of actual and back-tested returns. The majority of the back-tested returns are based on actual building-block returns as most have lengthy track records.

The termination period for the Momentum Passive Lifestage portfolios is three months given that the underlying asset class returns are in most cases guaranteed.

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