ORBIS AFRICA EQUITY (RAND) FUND

Fact Sheet at 31 December 1999



The Fund remains fully invested in South African equities and seeks to earn higher returns than the South African Stockmarket. The Fund's benchmark is the Johannesburg Stock Exchange/Actuaries All Share Index. The Fund's currency benchmark is 100% South African rand.

Price ZAR119.84
Size ZAR336 million
Minimum \$50,000
Load None

DealingWeekly (Thursday)Fee0.5%-2.5% performance

based

Portfolio

Commentary

We formed this Fund because, at the time, we expected the combination of our South African expertise and the prevailing very attractive valuations to make it a very attractive equity investment. More recently, the overall South African stockmarket has been displaying many of the features typical of a bull market. These include declining interest rates, an improving economy and corporate profits and low equity valuations. So far, the Fund has capitalised successfully on this environment, which has been conducive to equity investing and our style of active investment management with a value orientation in particular. Bull markets, with corrections, tend to last for years. With South African equity valuations remaining below normal, we continue to find very attractive opportunities. Nevertheless, while the Fund should continue to produce attractive returns they are almost certain to lag those achieved so far as we are no longer starting from a point of extremely low equity valuations.

Track record



Asset Allocation

% of Fund	% of JSE Index
71	64
27	34
2	2
100	100
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Performance in ZAR

Total Returns	Orbis	JSE
Annualised, net of fees	Africa	Index
Since inception	81.2	19.9
Latest year	120.3	61.3
Not annualised, net of fees		
Year to date	120.3	61.3
Quarter to date	25.9	25.3

Top 10 Holdings %

Avgold 5.4	7 Sasol 1 Anglo American Plat Corp	5.1 5.0 5.0 4.9 4.7
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Performance in ZAR

	Orbis	JSE
Risk Measures	Africa	Index
Max. peak to trough decline	23%	35%
Annualised monthly volatility	24.9%	32.2%
Beta vs.JSE Index	0.6	1.0

Past performance is not necessarily a guide to the future. Shares in the fund are available by Prospectus only. Certain capitalised terms are defined in the Annual Reports.

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