# ALLAN GRAY BALANCED FUND Fact sheet at 31 August 2002



Sector: Domestic-Asset Allocation-Prudential

Inception Date: 1 October 1999 Fund Manager: Arjen Lugtenburg Qualification: M Com, CA(SA), CFA

The Fund's investment strategy is to earn a higher rate of return than the market value-weighted average of the domestic prudential unit trust sector excluding the Allan Gray Balanced Fund without assuming any greater monetary risk.

### **Fund Details** Commentary

Price: 1793.15 cents Size: R 1 540 131 082 Minimum lump sum: R 5 000 Minimum monthly: R 500 Subsequent lump sums: R 500 No. of share holdings: 83 Compulsory charges: 0.65% Initial Fee: NIL - 3.38% (incl. VAT)

Annual Management Fee: The monthly charge rate is directly related to the rolling two-year return of the fund compared with that of its benchmark. The limits are 0.57-1.71% p.a. (incl. VAT).

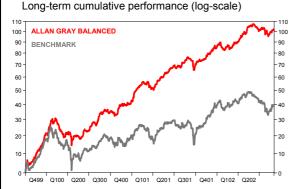
During August the South African market consolidated after its sharp sell off of the previous couple of months. The market now appears attractively valued and we have increased the funds exposure to shares. Domestic industrials shares continue to offer a very attractive investment opportunity, trading on cheap ratings on depressed levels of earnings. The excellent profit announcements we have seen in the last month from these companies, especially the retailers, vindicate our view that they have entered a period of earnings recovery that should continue for some time. The resource shares, especially the Anglo's group, are now also more fairly valued. The fund also increased its exposure to these types of shares.

## Top 10 Holdings (including foreign)

JSE Code	Company	% of portfolio
AGL	Anglo	
AMS	Angloplat	e at
NPK	Nampak	able
NPN	Naspers - N	are only available quarter end
NHM	Northam	ıly a
Foreign	Orbis Global Equity	e on arte
SOL	Sasol	
SBK	Stanbic	rices
TBS	Tigbrands	Figures
WHL	Woolies	

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	Sector	% of Fund	
	Shares (net exposure)	64.1	
	Property	0.6	
	Bonds	21.8	
	Money Market & Cash	9.3	
	Foreign	4.2	
	Total	100.00	

Performance (net of fees, including income, assumes reinvestment of dividends, on a sell to sell basis)



% Returns	Balanced Fund	Avg Prudential Fund
Since Inception (unannuali	sed) 102.2	38.9
Latest 5 years (annualised)	-	-
Latest 3 years (annualised)	-	-
Latest 1 year	15.6	8.2
Risk Measures		
(Since incep. month end pr	rices)	
Maximum drawdown*	-12.5	-19.2
Annualised monthly volatili	ty 11.0	13.0

<sup>\*</sup> Maximum percentage decline over any period

**Asset Allocation** 

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