## **ALLAN GRAY STABLE FUND**

#### Fact sheet at 31 October 2005



Sector: Domestic AA Prudential Low Equity

Inception Date: 1 July 2000 Fund Manager: Stephen Mildenhall

Qualification: B Com(Hons), CA(SA), CFA

The Fund aims to achieve superior after-tax returns to bank deposits and to provide a high level of capital stability. The Fund seeks to preserve capital over any two-year period and is ideal for risk-averse investors.

# Fund Details Commentary

 Price:
 1656.09 cents

 Size:
 R 6 032 774 455

 Minimum lump sum:
 R 5 000

 Minimum monthly:
 R 500

 Subsequent lump sums:
 R 500

**01/10/04-30/09/05 dividend (cpu):** Total 61.57 Int 45.83, Div 13.89, S24J Acc 1.59, Foreign Int 0.26

**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). Should the Fund produce a return of 0% or worse over a 2-year rolling period, then the firm will forego all fees

The Fund's aim is to provide a high level of capital stability. As a result, the Fund has a low equity exposure. After the significant rise in the South African equity market in recent months, the Fund's equity exposure has reduced from previous levels. Nonetheless, the equity portion of the Fund has benefited from the rise in equities. Given the higher level of equity markets, return expectations on the equity portion of the Fund need to be tempered. The combination of good profitability and undergeared balance sheets should translate into a continuation in the trend towards lower dividend covers and dividends growing faster than earnings, which should continue to benefit several of the Fund's equity holdings. The Fund's offshore exposure now stands at 15%. Of this, only a third is invested in equities and the remaining two-thirds in absolute return funds.

# Top 10 Share Holdings at 30 September 2005\*

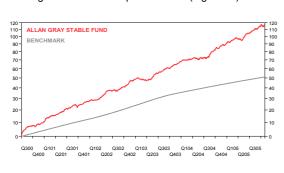
JSE Code	Company	% of portfolio
SOL	Sasol	4.28
GRY	Grayprop	2.21
MTN	MTN	2.04
REM	Remgro	2.00
SBK	Stanbank	1.60
TBS	Tigbrands	1.59
ASA	Absa	1.39
AMSP	AngloPlatt Prefs	1.21
SPP	Spar	0.98
SLM	Sanlam	0.96

#### Asset Allocation

Asset Class	% of Fund
Shares	26.65
Property	3.59
Bonds	2.00
Foreign	14.74
Money Market & Cash	53.02
Total	100.00

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

Long-term cumulative performance (log-scale)



% Returns (after-tax)	Stable Fund	Benchmark*
Since Inception (unannualise	ed) 116.9	51.1
Latest 5 years (annualised)	15.0	8.0
Latest 3 years (annualised)	14.9	7.5
Latest 1 year	17.6	5.8
Risk Measures		
(Since incep. month end price	es)	
Maximum drawdown**	-2.3	n/a
Annualised monthly volatility	4.0	0.5

<sup>\*</sup>After tax return of call deposits plus two percentage points

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<sup>\*</sup> The 'Top 10 Share Holdings' table is updated quarterly.

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