# CORONATION GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES EQUITY [ZAR] FEEDER FUND

Fund Information as at 30 November 2019



# WHAT IS THE FUND'S OBJECTIVE?

Global Opportunities Equity seeks to give investors access to some of the best fund managers across the globe. Our intent is to outperform its benchmark over any five year period.

# WHAT DOES THE FUND INVEST IN?

Global Opportunities Equity is a multi-manager fund which invests in a limited number of strategies (funds and segregated mandates) managed by top-quality managers that mainly have exposure to shares in developed markets. It is also mandated to include some exposure to emerging markets.

Typically, six to ten strategies are included. Each strategy is selected based on its long-term track record of outperforming the market, its investment philosophy and the quality of its fund managers.

The fund is mandated to use derivative instruments for efficient portfolio management purposes.

### IMPORTANT PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS AND RISKS



Global Opportunities Equity invests in equity funds that mostly cover developed markets, including the US, Europe and Japan.

The fund is well-diversified; it has exposure to a range of different countries, industries and fund manager styles. The fund managers included in the fund are well-established and have been rigorously researched and vetted.

While we have a disciplined approach to carefully balance the risks across the different funds, shares can be volatile investments and there is a meaningful risk of capital loss over the short term. Global currency movements may intensify investment gains or declines.

This feeder fund aims to remain fully invested in units in the offshore domiciled Global Opportunities Equity Fund. The only other assets that will be held at feeder fund level are local and foreign cash holdings for liquidity purposes.

## HOW LONG SHOULD INVESTORS REMAIN INVESTED?

The fund is managed to deliver the best possible returns over the long term; an investment horizon of 10 years or more is therefore ideal. It is not suitable as a single investment for investors who need to preserve their capital over five years or less.

### WHO SHOULD CONSIDER INVESTING IN THE FUND?

Investors who are building wealth, and who

- want exposure to some of the world's top equity funds as part of a diversified investment portfolio;
- accept that the fund may underperform the market significantly in the short term in pursuit of superior long-term gains;
- are overexposed to South Africa and require an international investment;
- > do not require an income from their investment.

### WHAT COSTS CAN I EXPECT TO PAY?

An annual fee of 0.85% is payable.

Of the annual fee, 0.40% is collected at feeder fund level, while the balance of the fee is collected in the master fund.

The component of the fund fee charged at feeder fund level is subject to VAT. Fund expenses that are incurred in the fund include annual fees paid to unconnected underlying fund managers, administrative, trading, custody and audit charges. All performance information is disclosed after deducting all fees and other portfolio costs.

We do not charge any fees to access or withdraw from the fund.

More detail is available on www.coronation.com.

WHO IS THE FUND MANAGER?





KARL LEINBERGER BBusSc, CA (SA), CFA

GENERAL FUND INFORMATION

Launch Date	1 August 1997
Fund Class	A
Benchmark	MSCI All Country World Index
Fund Category	Global – Equity – General
Regulation 28	Does not comply
Investment Minimum	R5 000 or R500/m debit order
Bloomberg Code	CORINFF
ISIN Code	ZAE000019774
JSE Code	CNIG

# CORONATION GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES EQUITY [ZAR] FEEDER FUND

Fund category	Global - Equity - General
Launch date	01 August 1997
Fund size	R 7.87 billion
NAV	12652.17 cents
Benchmark/Performance	MSCI All Country World Index
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Portfolio manager/s	Tony Gibson and Karl Leinberger

# PERFORMANCE AND RISK STATISTICS

**GROWTH OF A R100,000 INVESTMENT (AFTER FEES)** 



### PERFORMANCE FOR VARIOUS PERIODS (AFTER FEES) - (ZAR)

Since Launch (unannualised)1264.9%1099.7%Since Launch (annualised)12.4%11.8%Latest 20 years (annualised)10.7%9.8%	
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Latest 20 years (annualised) 10.7% 9.8%	165.2%
	0.6%
	1.0%
Latest 15 years (annualised) 13.0% 14.2%	(1.2)%
Latest 10 years (annualised) 15.3% 17.3%	(2.1)%
Latest 5 years (annualised) 11.4% 13.9%	(2.5)%
Latest 3 years (annualised) 11.3% 13.4%	(2.1)%
Latest 1 year 18.5% 20.1%	(1.6)%
Year to date 24.7% 24.8%	(0.1)%

## PERFORMANCE FOR VARIOUS PERIODS (AFTER FEES) - (USD)

	Fund	Benchmark	Active Return
Since Launch (unannualised)	327.4%	277.3%	50.1%
Since Launch (annualised)	6.7%	6.1%	0.6%
Latest 15 years (annualised)	6.2%	7.3%	(1.1)%
Latest 10 years (annualised)	7.7%	9.6%	(1.9)%
Latest 5 years (annualised)	5.2%	7.6%	(2.4)%
Latest 3 years (annualised)	9.7%	11.9%	(2.2)%
Latest 1 year (annualised)	11.5%	13.7%	(2.2)%
Year to date	22.6%	22.3%	0.3%
2018	(14.1)%	(9.4)%	(4.7)%
2017	25.5%	24.0%	1.5%

### MONTHLY PERFORMANCE (AFTER FEES) - (ZAR)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Fund 2019	1.6%	10.6%	3.3%	4.0%	(6.9)%	1.1%	2.8%	1.0%	1.6%	3.2%	0.9%		24.7%
Fund 2018	2.3%	(3.0)%	(4.2)%	6.7%	2.2%	9.0%	(2.4)%	11.9%	(3.5)%	(6.0)%	(5.7)%	(5.0)%	0.4%
Fund 2017	1.1%	0.0%	3.6%	1.9%	1.2%	(0.6)%	4.2%	(1.6)%	5.4%	6.0%	(1.9)%	(6.9)%	12.3%

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	1 Year	3 Year
Total Expense Ratio	1.85%	2.13%
Fund management fee	0.85%	1.09%
Fund expenses	0.93%	0.98%
VAT	0.06%	0.07%
Transaction costs (inc. VAT)	0.17%	0.14%
Total Investment Charge	2.02%	2.27%

# PORTFOLIO DETAIL

GEOGRAPHIC ASSET ALLOCATION EXPOSURE

	30 Nov 2019
Equities	90.9%
Global (7 Funds)	90.9%
Equity futures	9.0%
Cash	0.1%

TOP 5 HOLDINGS	TOP	5 H	OL	DIN	IGS
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As at 30 Sep 2019
Egerton Capital Equity Fund
Contrarius Global Absolute Fund
Maverick Capital
Lansdowne Capital
Tremblant Capital

### RISK STATISTICS SINCE LAUNCH

	Fund	Benchmark
Annualised Deviation	16.1%	16.7%
Sharpe Ratio	0.31	0.26
Maximum Gain	51.7%	53.2%
Maximum Drawdown	(45.3)%	(50.7)%
Positive Months	61.9%	58.2%
	Fund	Date Range
Highest annual return	66.2%	Apr 1999 - Mar 2000
Lowest annual return	(36.1%)	Oct 2002 - Sep 2003

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Quarterly Portfolio Manager Commentary



Please note that the commentary is for the US dollar retail class of the fund. The feeder fund is 100% invested in the underlying US dollar fund. However, given small valuation, trading and translation differences for the two funds, investors should expect differences in returns in the short term. Over the long term, we aim to achieve the same outcome in US dollar terms for both funds.

The fund declined 2.6% against a flat benchmark, bringing the rolling 12-month performance to -5.6% against the 1.4% returned by the MSCI All Country World Index.

After a rollercoaster quarter, the Index finished flat for the period, masking the small advance by developed equity markets and the decline in emerging markets (EMs). The quarter was marked by a rotation in September, reflecting a negative outlook on the weak global economy and trade. Equities mirrored this reversal, with the momentum factor giving back its prior gains, and value stocks rising. Oil prices briefly rose by nearly 20% on news of an attack on facilities in Saudi Arabia, before subsiding when it became clear that it would not affect the oil supply for long. As was widely expected, the US Federal Reserve cut interest rates by another 25 basis points (bps) and the European Central Bank cut its rates further into negative territory and restarted its bond buying programme. The US-China trade war continues with no deal in sight. Rhetoric coming from President Donald Trump is also making it hard to see how this could be resolved.

Japan was the best-performing region over the quarter, advancing 3.3% (in US dollar terms). The weakest return was from Asia ex-Japan, which declined by 5.1% (in US dollar terms). North America advanced 1.5% and Europe fell 1.8% (in US dollar terms). EMs had a poor quarter, declining 4.3%, lagging developed markets which advanced 0.5% both (in US dollar terms). On a look-through basis, the fund's exposure to North America is in line with the benchmark, overweight to Europe, underweight Japan and it has a marginal overweight position to EMs.

Among the global sectors, utilities (+5.8%), real estate (+3.6%) and consumer staples (+3.5%) rose the most. The worst-performing sectors were energy (-6.7%), materials (-4.1%) and healthcare (-1.6%).

The fund's underlying managers mostly underperformed during the quarter, with one manager in particular contributing to the underperformance.

Contrarius Global Equity declined 11%. Contrarius has a large exposure to oil through its investments in oil services and deep-sea drillers. A volatile oil price and debt issues within the drillers mean that these businesses are subject to extreme movements, as reflected in the share price declines in Transocean (-30%), Valaris (-43%) and Diamond Offshore (-37%). Global growth concerns are weighing on the oil price and depressing oil services in the short term. The drillers are very cheap and face their own set of issues, but capacity reduction and the reserve replacement needs mean that they potential for excellent returns over the medium to long term. Contrarius is often an early investor and strong quarterly returns from previous laggards such as Macy's (+7.2%), Bed Bath & Beyond (+12%) and Abercrombie & Fitch (+8.2%) shows that patience can be rewarded.

After a long run of index-beating performance, Egerton slightly underperformed over the quarter with negative alpha of 1%. Exposure to energy was a driving factor but performance was also impacted by the decline in steel pipe producer Tenaris's share price (-19%). Tenaris incurred greater costs than expected and guided to softer sales in the medium term.

Lansdowne continued to struggle with another small underperformance this quarter. Exposure to materials through Rio Tinto (-13%) and Arcelor Mittal (-21%) contributed to this as the market worried over global growth. There was some good news for them though after the German courts ruled that a rent freeze imposed by the Berlin government was illegal and caused a strong rebound in Vonovia, a residential housing provider, which had previously fallen on news of the rent freeze.

Despite strong returns from communication services exposure, Maverick underperformed by 1% over the period. DXC Technology (-46%) fell after warning of a large decline in sales and the subsequent departure of its CEO. Maverick is very happy with the new CEO and that its investment thesis remains intact.

Coronation Global Emerging Markets marginally underperformed its index but continues to enjoy a very strong period of performance year-to-date. Consumer staples were a strong contributor and after a year of selling off, the tobacco stocks also made a large positive contribution to performance. Coronation Global Equity Select was in line with the benchmark, as a strong contribution from its financial exposure was offset by the performance of its consumer discretionary exposure.

## <u>Outlook</u>

The effect of President Trump's trade wars is beginning to ripple through the global economy and while the relaxing of monetary policy will ease some of the impact, many investors are concerned it may not be enough to offset the full effect. Furthermore, as mentioned previously, it is hard to see a resolution of this any time soon. However, with an election year looming and a slowing economy one shouldn't be surprised if President Trump acquiesces to something to improve his chances of re-election. If, of course, he isn't impeached first. Another Brexit date is coming up and with 20 days to go, no one knows exactly what is going to happen on 31 October. The uncertainty is affecting the UK and wider European economy as businesses await the outcome. Resolution of these two issues could be very positive for markets but equally increase the risks to the downside while they remain unresolved. EMs however have sold off recently and with support from monetary easing they look attractive over the medium term.

# Portfolio managers

Tony Gibson and Karl Leinberger as at 30 September 2019



Important Information

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION THAT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED BEFORE INVESTING IN THE CORONATION GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES IZARI FEEDER FUND

The Global Opportunities Equity [ZAR] Feeder Fund should be considered a long-term investment. The value of units may go down as well as up, and therefore Coronation does not make any guarantees with respect to the protection of capital or returns. Past performance is not necessarily an indication of future performance. The fund is mandated to invest up to 100% of its portfolio into foreign securities and may as a result be exposed to macroeconomic, settlement, political, tax, reporting or illiquidity risk factors that may be different to similar investments in the South African markets. Fluctuations or movements in exchange rates may cause the value of underlying investments to go up or down. The top 10 holdings are reflected on a look-through basis. A feeder fund invests in a single fund of a collective investment scheme, which levies its own charges and could result in a higher fee structure for the feeder fund. Coronation Management Company (RF) (Pty) Ltd is a Collective Investment Schemes Manager approved by the Financial Sector Conduct Authority in terms of the Collective Investment Schemes Control Act. Portfolio managed by Coronation Investment Management International (Pty) Ltd (FSP45646), an authorised financial services provider. The Management Company reserves the right to close the fund to new investors if we deem it necessary to limit further inflows in order for it to be managed in accordance with its mandate. Unit trusts are allowed to engage in scrip lending and borrowing. Standard Chartered has been appointed as trustees for the fund (www.sc.com/za; 011-2176600). Coronation is a full member of the Association for Savings & Investment SA (ASISA).

### HOW ARE UNITS PRICED AND AT WHICH PRICE WILL MY TRANSACTION BE EXECUTED?

Unit trusts are traded at ruling prices set on every trading day. Fund valuations take place at approximately 15h00 each business day, except at month end when the valuation is performed at approximately 17h00 (JSE market close) and forward pricing is used. Instructions must reach the Management Company before 14h00 (12h00 for the Money Market Fund) to ensure same day value. The payment of withdrawals may be delayed in extraordinary circumstances, when the manager with the consent of the fund trustees deem this to be in the interest of all fund investors. These circumstances may include periods when significant underlying markets suspend trading which will prevent accurate valuation of the instruments held in the fund. When the suspension of trading relates to only certain assets held by the fund, these assets may be side-pocketed. This process allows normal liquidity on the assets that can be valued, but will delay liquidity on the affected portion of the fund. If the fund is faced with excessive withdrawals, the affected withdrawals may be ring-fenced, which is the separation and delayed sale of the assets reflecting the interest of the liquidity seeking investors. It ensures that the sale of a large number of units will not force Coronation to sell the underlying investments in a manner that may have a negative impact on remaining investors of the fund.

### HOW WAS THE PERFORMANCE INFORMATION INCLUDED IN THIS FACT SHEET CALCULATED?

Performance is calculated by Coronation as at the last day of the month for a lump sum investment using Class A NAV prices with income distributions reinvested. All underlying price and distribution data is sourced from Morningstar. Performance figures are quoted after the deduction of all costs (including manager fees and trading costs) incurred within the fund. Note that individual investor performance may differ as a result of the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment of distributions and dividend withholding tax, where applicable. Annualised performance figures represent the geometric average return earned by the fund over the given time period. Unannualised performance represents the total return earned by the fund over the given time period, expressed as a percentage.

# WHAT IS THE TOTAL EXPENSE RATIO (TER) AND TRANSACTION COSTS (TC)?

TER is calculated as a percentage of the average net asset value of the portfolio incurred as charges, levies and fees in the management of the portfolio. The TER charged by any underlying fund held as part of a fund's portfolio is included in the fund expenses portion of the TER, but trading and implementation costs incurred in managing the fund are excluded. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER may not necessarily be an accurate indication of future TER's. The 1 year TER is for the 12 months to end of September 2018 (updated annually). The 3 year TER is for a rolling 36-month period to the last quarter end (December, March, June and September).

Transaction costs are a necessary cost in managing a fund and impacts the fund's return. They should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of fund, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.

The Total Investment Charge is the sum of the Total Expense Ratio (TER) and transaction costs.

### ADVICE AND PLATFORM COSTS

Coronation does not provide financial advice. If you appoint an adviser, advice fees are contracted directly between you and the adviser. For more information please contact the relevant platform (Linked Investment Service Provider or Life Assurance Provider).

### WHERE CAN I FIND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION?

Additional information such as daily fund prices, brochures, application forms and a schedule of fund fees and charges is available on our website, www.coronation.com

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