Fund Information as at 31 October 2019



#### WHAT IS THE FUND'S OBJECTIVE?

The Money Market Fund aims to outperform one to three year fixed deposit and call accounts over time, while taking the lowest level of capital risk consistent with this objective.

# WHAT DOES THE FUND INVEST IN?

The fund will only invest in South African money market instruments with a maturity of less than a year. These include a wide range of instruments issued by banks and other institutions. The fund has a limit of 120 days on the average maturity of its investments. The fund is mandated to use derivative instruments for efficient portfolio management purposes.

#### IMPORTANT PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS AND RISKS

#### Risk Profile



Maximum growth/ minimum income exposures



The fund is tactically managed to achieve the best possible return achievable from short maturity money market instruments, while aiming to protect capital at all times.

Our fixed income investment team researches the full spectrum of money market instruments to capture the best possible returns. The fund's investments are subjected to a strict risk management process.

While the low risk of losing money over all investment periods is reflected in the fund's constant daily price, an investment in the fund is not equivalent to a bank deposit account and losses are possible.

The return to the investor is made up of interest received plus or minus any gains or losses made on the underlying instruments held in the fund. In most cases, these gains or losses will merely increase or decrease the daily yield, but in the case of abnormal credit events impacting underlying holdings, the capital value of the portfolio may reduce.

# HOW LONG SHOULD INVESTORS REMAIN INVESTED?

The recommended investment term is one month and longer.

Given its lack of exposure to growth assets, the fund is not suited for lengthy investment terms.

#### WHO SHOULD CONSIDER INVESTING IN THE FUND?

Investors who require:

- > an alternative to bank deposits;
- a place to 'park' their savings for a short time;
- > quick access to their money,
- a low-risk investment to diversify their portfolio;
- capital protection, but not capital growth.

#### WHAT COSTS CAN I EXPECT TO PAY?

An annual fee of 0.25% (excl. VAT) is payable.

Fund expenses that are incurred in the fund include trading, custody and audit charges. All performance information is disclosed after deducting all fees and other portfolio costs.

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

More detail is available on www.coronation.com.

# WHO ARE THE FUND MANAGERS?



NISHAN MAHARAJ BSc (Hons), MBA



MAURO LONGANO BScEng (Hons), CA (SA)



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# GENERAL FUND INFORMATION

Launch Date	1 October 1999
Fund Class	А
Benchmark	Alexander Forbes STeFI 3-month Index
Fund Category	South African – Interest Bearing – Money Market
Regulation 28	Does not comply
Income Distribution	Monthly
Investment Minimum	R10 000 (lump sum only)
Bloomberg Code	CORIBMM
ISIN Code	ZAE000022885
JSE Code	CMMF

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Fund category South African - Interest Bearing - Money

Market

 Launch date
 01 October 1999

 Fund size
 R 7.32 billion

 NAV
 100.00 cents

Benchmark/Performance

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Portfolio manager/s Nishan Maharaj, Mauro Longano and

Sinovuyo Ndaleni

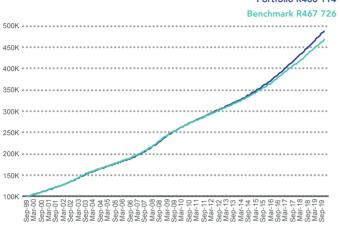
Alexander Forbes 3-month (SteFI) Index

#### 1 Year 0.30% 0.29% Total Expense Ratio Fund management fee 0.25% 0.25% Fund expenses 0.01% 0.01% 0.04% 0.04% Transaction costs (inc. VAT) 0.00% 0.00% Total Investment Charge 0.30% 0.29%

# PERFORMANCE AND RISK STATISTICS

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

#### Portfolio R488 114



# PERFORMANCE FOR VARIOUS PERIODS (AFTER FEES)

— Portfolio

	Fund	Benchmark	Active Return
Since Launch (unannualised)	388.1%	367.7%	20.4%
Since Launch (annualised)	8.2%	8.0%	0.2%
Latest 20 years (annualised)	8.2%	8.0%	0.2%
Latest 15 years (annualised)	7.4%	7.1%	0.3%
Latest 10 years (annualised)	6.7%	6.2%	0.5%
Latest 5 years (annualised)	7.5%	6.8%	0.7%
Latest 3 years (annualised)	7.8%	7.0%	0.8%
Latest 1 year	7.8%	7.0%	0.8%
Year to date	6.5%	5.8%	0.7%

#### RISK STATISTICS SINCE LAUNCH

	Fund	Benchmark
Annualised Deviation	0.6%	0.6%
Sharpe Ratio	(0.24)	N/A
Maximum Gain	388.1%	N/A
Maximum Drawdown	N/A	N/A
Positive Months	100.0%	N/A

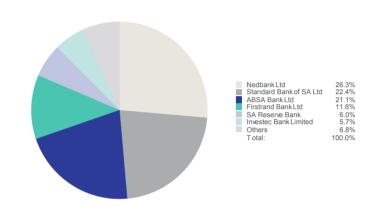
The price of each unit is aimed at a constant price of 100 cents per unit. The total return to the investor is primarily made up of interest received but, may also include any gain or loss made on any particular instrument. In most cases this will merely have the effect of increasing or decreasing the daily yield, but in

Ü	Fund	Date Range
Highest annual return	12.9%	Aug 2002 - Jul 2003
Lowest annual return	5.1%	Nov 2012 - Oct 2013

# **PORTFOLIO DETAIL**

#### **CREDIT EXPOSURE**

As at 30 Sep 2019



# MATURITY PROFILE DETAIL

31	Oct 2019
Average Duration in days	54

#### **INCOME DISTRIBUTIONS**

Declaration	Payment	Yield
31 Oct 2019	01 Nov 2019	7.67
30 Sep 2019	01 Oct 2019	7.74
31 Aug 2019	02 Sep 2019	7.82
31 Jul 2019	01 Aug 2019	7.97

# MONTHLY PERFORMANCE RETURNS (AFTER FEES)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Fund 2019	0.63%	0.59%	0.65%	0.63%	0.66%	0.63%	0.64%	0.63%	0.60%	0.62%			6.50%
Fund 2018	0.64%	0.58%	0.64%	0.61%	0.63%	0.61%	0.62%	0.63%	0.61%	0.62%	0.61%	0.63%	7.70%
Fund 2017	0.66%	0.60%	0.66%	0.64%	0.66%	0.63%	0.65%	0.65%	0.62%	0.64%	0.61%	0.64%	7 90%

Issue date: 2019/11/11 Please refer to page 4 of the Comprehensive Fact Sheet for important additional infomation, including change in cost disclosures

**Quarterly Portfolio Manager Commentary** 



# Please note that the commentary is for the retail class of the fund.

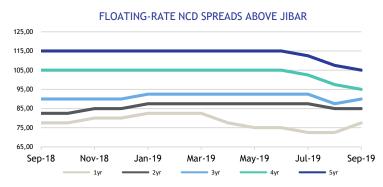
The fund generated a return (net of management fees) of 1.9% for the quarter and 7.8% over a rolling 12-month period, which is ahead of the 3-month Short-Term Fixed Interest (SteFI) benchmark return of 7.0%.

The second quarter's GDP growth surprised the market and came in at 3.1% quarter-on-quarter (q/q) seasonally adjusted annualised (saa), against a consensus forecast of 2.4% q/q saa. In annual terms, GDP grew 0.9% year-on-year (y/y) after being flat in the first quarter of 2019 (Q1-19) and compared to market expectations of 0.7% y/y. The largest contributors to GDP in value-added terms came from mining production, financial and business services, manufacturing and utilities services. Contained load shedding and fewer strike disruptions in the second quarter of 2019 (Q2-19) helped support growth. The outlook for annual growth remains weak and our internal forecast is for the economy to grow by 0.5% in 2019.

Headline inflation in August accelerated to 4.3% y/y from 4.0% y/y in July and core inflation printed at 4.3% y/y vs 4.2% y/y in July. An increase in food and alcoholic beverages inflation, housing and utility prices, and the August fuel price adjustment contributed to the inflation print increase. Overall, inflation pressure remains benign, but food prices reflect broad increases and some momentum for a normalisation after a long period of low prices. Producer price inflation continued its downward trend, falling to 4.5% y/y in August vs 4.9% y/y in July. This was a result of falling input costs and a decline in commodity and raw material prices. Given the ongoing low growth and benign inflation prints, the market still sees some room for policy rate easing in the coming months.

The South African Reserve Bank's (SARB) Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) voted unanimously to cut the repo rate by 25 basis points (bps) to 6.5% at its July meeting. The MPC noted inflation has remained balanced at the mid-range of the target band, providing some room to ease monetary policy. While global monetary policy is potentially supportive of further easing by the SARB, ongoing fiscal slippage is a major concern for the MPC. The Medium-Term Budget Policy Statement (MTBPS) at the end of October, and the Moody's credit review in November, remain key event risks the SARB will be monitoring before its next MPC meeting in November. Our current view is for one 25bps interest rate cut by end of 2019, taking the repo to 6.25%. Should this outcome materialise, one can expect the absolute yield on the fund to decrease, given that the majority of the invesments are held in floating rate instruments.

Over the last quarter, the 3-month Johannesburg Interbank Average Rate (Jibar) Index decreased by 25bps, from 7.03% to 6.78%. This is reflective of the decrease in repo rate and further interest rate cut expectations priced in by the market. The contraction in negotiable certificates of deposit (NCD) credit spreads will continue to be positive for the fund, although the benefit is only received when an NCD is sold back to the issuing bank. As such, there is no immediate yield uplift, but the benefit should materialise over time as the fund routinely creates liquidity by trading in these instruments. Going forward, we continue to see the risks to NCD spreads as being broadly balanced, with the fund well placed to handle adverse market moves.



Source: Bloomberg

Issuance of corporate paper in the third quarter was limited and the majority of the issuance came from banks. Support for primary market auctions remained strong despite the tight spreads on offer. Issuance spreads still remain tight relative to our fair value expectations and we expect credit issuance to remain muted for the balance of the year; in line with our growth expectations. We remain cautious and continue to invest only in instruments which are attractively priced relative to their underlying risk profile. Capital preservation and liquidity remain our key focus areas for the fund.

Portfolio managers Nishan Maharaj, Mauro Longano and Sinovuyo Ndaleni as at 30 September 2019

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Important Information



#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION THAT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED BEFORE INVESTING IN THE CORONATION MONEY MARKET FUND

Unit trusts should be considered medium- to long-term investments. 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. The Coronation Money Market fund is not a bank deposit account. The fund has a constant price (of 100 cents). The total return to the investor is made up of interest received and any gain or loss made on any particular instrument. In most cases the return will merely have the effect of increasing or decreasing the daily yield, but in the case of abnormal losses it can have the effect of reducing the capital value of the portfolio. The yield is calculated by taking the interest and income receivable of all the instruments in the fund divided by the net asset value, expressed as a nominal annual rate. It is provided to give an approximate indication of the achievable yield for an investment made at the reporting date. Actual experience may differ, based on changes in market values, interest rates and changes in costs actually experienced during the investment period. 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 Asset Management (Pty) (FSP 548) Ltd, 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 ringfenced, 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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