Fund Information as at 30 June 2020



### WHAT IS THE FUND'S OBJECTIVE?

The fund seeks to maximise long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in a broad spectrum of listed equities.

# WHAT DOES THE FUND INVEST IN?

The Equity Fund invests in the shares of companies listed on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange. The fund can also invest 25% in international equities, plus a further 5% in Africa (outside of South Africa).

There are no restrictions on how much exposure the fund can have to different sectors (for example, to mining, financial or industrial companies).

The fund will be fully invested in shares at all times. The fund is mandated to use derivative instruments for efficient portfolio management purposes.

# IMPORTANT PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS AND RISKS





Maximum growth/ minimum income exposures

Growth Assets: 100%Income Assets: 0%

The fund's managers actively seek out attractively valued shares that could achieve strong investment growth over the long run. Rigorous research is conducted into the long-term potential of a company and whether it is attractively valued relative to other companies, before its shares are selected for the fund.

Shares can be volatile investments and there is a meaningful risk of capital loss over the short term. However, given its focus on attractively valued shares that could offer long-term growth, the Equity Fund may preserve capital better than its benchmark over the long run.

# 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

- are comfortable with full exposure to shares listed in South Africa;
- accept that the fund may underperform the market in the short term in pursuit of superior long-term gains.
- > do not require an income in the short term.
- The fund is less concentrated than the Coronation Top 20 Fund, making it more suitable for investors holding only one equity fund.

### WHAT COSTS CAN I EXPECT TO PAY?

An annual fee of a minimum of 0.75% and a maximum of 2.60%, depending on the fund's performance, is payable.

If the fund's return (after fees and costs) is equal to that of the benchmark, a fee of 1.10% will be charged. We share in 20% of the performance above the benchmark, up to a total annual fee of 2.60%. Performance is measured over a rolling 24-month period.

When the fund return is below the benchmark over a rolling 60-month period the fee is discounted by 0.35%.

All fees exclude VAT. 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 fund 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?



KARL LEINBERGER BBusSc, CA (SA), CFA



SARAH-JANE ALEXANDER BBusSc, CFA



**ZETLER** BCom (Hons), CA (SA), CFA

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#### GENERAL FUND INFORMATION

Launch Date	15 April 1996
Fund Class	A
Benchmark	Composite: 87.5% SA equity, 12.5% International equity
Fund Category	South African – Equity – General
Regulation 28	Does not comply
Income Distribution	Semi-annually (March & September)
Investment minimum	R5 000 or R500/m debit order
Bloomberg Code	COREQYA
ISIN Code	ZAE000058566
JSE Code	CORA

# **CORONATION EQUITY FUND**

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Fund category	South African - Equity - General
Launch date	15 April 1996
Fund size	R 6.92 billion
NAV	16560.07 cents
Benchmark/Performance	Composite (87.5% SA equity, 12.5%
Fee Hurdle	International equity)
Portfolio manager/s	Karl Leinberger, Sarah-Jane Alexander &
	Adrian Zetler

# PERFORMANCE AND RISK STATISTICS

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



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

Fund	Benchmark	Peer Group Average
2645.0%	1504.7%	1131.9%
14.7%	12.2%	10.7%
14.4%	13.7%	13.0%
12.9%	13.3%	10.2%
11.3%	11.8%	7.9%
3.6%	4.3%	0.7%
3.9%	5.5%	0.6%
4.4%	(1.9)%	(7.3)%
(1.9)%	(2.5)%	(7.9)%
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#### RISK STATISTICS SINCE LAUNCH

	Fund	Benchmark
Annualised Deviation	15.3%	17.5%
Sharpe Ratio	0.34	0.15
Maximum Gain	47.6%	43.5%
Maximum Drawdown	(35.1)%	(41.0)%
Positive Months	62.4%	62.4%
	Fund	Date Range
Highest annual return	62.5%	Aug 2004 - Jul 2005
Lowest annual return	(28.7%)	Mar 2008 - Feb 2009

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PORTFOLIO DETAIL	
EFFECTIVE ASSET ALLOCATION EXPOSURE	
Sector	30 Jun 2020
Domestic Assets	70.8%
Equities	69.9%
Basic Materials	15.8%
Industrials	1.0%
Consumer Goods	8.5%

Health Care	3.6%		
Consumer Services	22.1%		
Telecommunications	0.1%		
Financials	13.8%		
Technology			
Derivatives	0.2%		
Real Estate	0.4%		
Cash	0.5%		
International Assets	29.2%		
Equities	29.2%		
Cash	0.0%		

#### **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

Total Expense Ratio

VAT

Fund expenses

Transaction costs (inc. VAT)

Total Investment Charge

Fee for performance in line with benchmark

Adjusted for out/(under)-performance

As at 30 Jun 2020	% of Fund
Naspers Ltd	12.1%
Anglo American Plc	6.8%
British American Tobacco Plc	5.1%
Quilter plc	4.3%
Prosus	3.8%
RMB Holdings	3.8%
Spotify Technology SA	3.0%
Aspen Phamacare Holdings Ltd	2.9%
Bid Corp Ltd	2.8%
Impala Platinum Holdings Ltd	2.6%

# **INCOME DISTRIBUTIONS**

Declaration	Payment	Amount	Dividend	Interest
31 Mar 2020	01 Apr 2020	177.30	168.68	8.62
30 Sep 2019	01 Oct 2019	215.79	208.40	7.39
29 Mar 2019	01 Apr 2019	146.53	137.80	8.73
28 Sep 2018	01 Oct 2018	265.41	249.82	15.59

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### MONTHLY PERFORMANCE RETURNS (AFTER FEES)

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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Fund 2020	0.2%	(8.5)%	(9.9)%	12.7%	0.0%	5.4%							(1.9)%
Fund 2019	2.9%	4.7%	2.8%	3.1%	(6.2)%	2.9%	(0.5)%	(1.4)%	1.5%	3.7%	0.5%	2.5%	17.2%
Fund 2018	0.9%	(2.6)%	(3.4)%	4.2%	(4.0)%	2.2%	(0.5)%	2.4%	(3.9)%	(4.0)%	(5.3)%	1.3%	(12.6)%

# TRUST IS EARNED™

1 Year

0.88%

1.10%

(0.35)%

0.02%

0.11%

0.19%

1.07%

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3 Year

1.05%

1.10%

(0.21)%

0.02%

0.13%

0.22%

1.27%

Issue	date:	2020/07/14

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

This was a strong period for asset class returns with the Fund returning 18.8% for the second quarter of the year (Q2-20). The Fund has performed well against its peer group over all meaningful, longer-term periods.

Following on from the record decline in equity markets during the first quarter of 2020, the second quarter saw a rapid recovery. The MSCI All Country World Index recovered 19.2% in US dollars during the quarter, reflecting the huge amounts of fiscal and monetary stimulus being injected into the global economy. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index was up 18.1% in US dollars for the quarter, but still declined (-3.4%) over twelve months. We remain concerned about the ability of lower-income emerging markets to withstand the economic shock, given their limited ability to provide financial support to businesses and households.

During the quarter, we exited one of our larger positions, 58.com, after the take-private offer became definitive. Although the price offered to minority shareholders is below our assessment of fair value, the deal is likely to go ahead. As a result, we redeployed the proceeds into some of our other high-conviction ideas.

Airbus was a case in point. The stock sold off over investor fears of reduced demand for air travel and an orderbook overhang. While the Covid-19 pandemic has created large amounts of uncertainty, we did not believe this will result in a permanent impairment to the business's long-term value. Airbus is a high-quality business operating in a global duopoly. We believe it will still benefit from growth over a long time horizon. As long-term investors, this is the kind of opportunity that we can take advantage of.

Having increased our exposure to global equities to an overweight position towards the end of the first quarter, these sharp upward moves resulted in us bringing back the position to a more neutral level. Our expectations for a faster economic rebound in more robust developed market economies and the risk diversification benefits for South African (SA) investors continue to justify a sizeable holding.

Along with its global counterparts, the JSE Capped Shareholder Weighted Index experienced a significant rebound during the quarter (+21.6%), but remains down (-10.7%) for the year to date. All sectors saw rising returns. Resources (+41.2%), with its high offshore exposure, outperformed industrials (+16.6), financials (+12.9%) and property (+20.4%).

The portfolio remains skewed to rand hedge stocks which are attractive for stock-specific reasons and should also benefit from exposure to economies that are expected to rebound more rapidly. Early in the quarter, we added meaningfully to positions in Bidcorp (+33.3%) and Anheuser-Busch InBev (+9.1%) as both had sold off meaningfully. Buying was largely funded by a reduction in the size of Naspers and British American Tobacco holdings, both of which have performed well and remain considerable holdings for the Fund.

Bidcorp is a well-run food services business with a long-term growth opportunity. It has grown through international expansion but also in-country by expanding product ranges and getting closer to customers. Bidcorp's investments in local distribution centres and focus on small, profitable customers enable it to distinguish itself with high levels of service. While the Covid-19 pandemic has restricted out-of-home food consumption, we believe the longterm aspiration remains intact. This was evident in the rapid resumption that Bidcorp has witnessed in its Chinese operations. Bidcorp is expected to continue its growth trajectory and trades on 15 times earnings three year out.

In the case of Anheuser-Busch InBev, poor results, growing concerns around Covid-19-related weaker beer consumption and high debt levels saw the share sell off markedly towards the end of the first quarter. We were able to acquire shares at a price of less than 10 times our assessment of normal earnings. Subsequent clearance by Australia's competition authority to dispose of an Australian subsidiary will assist in the de-gearing process. The stock is attractively priced for a global staples business, benefitting from the compelling economics of the brewing industry.

Domestic holdings remain concentrated in the higher-quality SA stocks such as the food retailers (Shoprite, Spar), whose more resilient business models are best placed to weather the very tough SA macroeconomic environment. Having held up well during the first quarter's sell-off, many of these underperformed during the second quarter, with the food and drug retail sector declining -2.0%.

We acknowledge that many of the more cyclical domestic businesses look cheap, but we are concerned that the long-term headwinds they face are considerable and strengthening. Weak revenue prospects due to an already weak economy are now expected to be compounded by rising retrenchments, which will ultimately feed through to consumer demand. An underweight in domestic stocks continued to benefit the Fund.

Resources rebounded strongly during the quarter (+41.2%) as the demand outlook for commodities improved due to a resurgent Chinese economy and the easing of restrictions elsewhere. Covid-19-related supply disruptions also tightened markets. This benefitted the Fund's increased exposure to resources, with sizeable positions in Anglo American (+31.9%) and the platinum shares. Platinum miners rose as concerns over weak automotive demand subsided and major markets reaffirmed their commitment to a reduction in emissions. The Fund remains invested in Impala Platinum (+53.2%) and Northam Platinum (+67.4%).

The market correction began at a point when investors were still being bombarded daily with negative news flow on the extent of the pandemic's economic shockwave. The massive sell-off had created a value opportunity. We retain our commitment to look through the short-term noise and use valuation as our anchor point when investing; selecting assets where we believe the market is mispricing the long-term fundamentals.

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# Portfolio managers

Karl Leinberger, Sarah-Jane Alexander and Adrian Zetler as at 30 June 2020 Important Information



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

The Equity 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. Asset allocation and top 10 holdings are reflected on a look-through basis. 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 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. The fund's performance and fee benchmark is a composite of 87.5% FTSE/JSE Capped All Share Index (CAPI) and 12.5% MSCI All Country World Index. The composite replaced the FTSE/JSE SWIX Index from 1 October 2015. The fund benchmark shown in this MDD is therefore a splice of the current and historical benchmarks. Note that we use the formal SA – Equity – General category benchmark as specified in the ASISA Standard on Fund Classification, which is currently the FSTE/JSE All Share Index, for compliance monitoring purposes. The peer group average is calculated as the average return of all the funds in the respective ASISA category (excluding Coronation Funds in that category).

# 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 2019 (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?

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