

# UMTHOMBO WEALTH INSTITUTIONAL EQUITY PRESCIENT FUND A1



## ABOUT THE FUND

The Fund represents Umthombo Wealth's best equity house view on an absolute basis. The Fund aims to outperform the Capped SWIX TR over a rolling three year period.

## FUND OBJECTIVES

The Fund is actively managed on a discretionary basis to provide returns in excess of the benchmark with reasonable amount of risk. The Fund tracking error is expected to be in excess of 5%.

## PORTFOLIO INFORMATION

<b>Benchmark</b>	FTSE/JSE Capped SWIX All Share Total Return
<b>ASISA Sector</b>	South African - Equity - General
<b>Fund Size (NAV)</b>	R995 223
<b>Launch Date</b>	01-Nov-24
<b>Base Currency</b>	ZAR
<b>Number of Units</b>	1000000
<b>Unit Price</b>	100
<b>Risk Rating</b>	High The Fund is a domestic equity fund and is actively managed on a discretionary basis to provide returns in excess of the benchmark on a risk adjusted basis. The fund is suitable for investors with high risk tolerance and an investment horizon of 5 years or more. Tracking error is expected to be in excess of 5% over time.
<b>JSE Code</b>	UWIPA1
<b>ISIN Code</b>	ZAE000340600
<b>Regulation 28</b>	Non-compliant
<b>Income Distribution</b>	March, September
<b>Minimum investment</b>	Monthly R1 000 Lump Sum R10 000
<b>Portfolio Manager</b>	Matthew Zunckel, CFA

## PERFORMANCE GRAPH - SINCE INCEPTION

Performance figures for the fund will be available after one year.

## RETURN SINCE INCEPTION (NET OF FEES)

Performance figures for the fund will be available after one year.

## RISK MEASURES - SINCE INCEPTION

This data will be available a year after the fund's inception date.

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Standard deviation	N/A	N/A
Sharpe ratio	N/A	N/A
Information ratio	N/A	N/A
Positive months	N/A	N/A
Tracking error	N/A	N/A



## TOP 5 SHARES (% HOLDING)

01

14,3%  
Prosus

02

8,0%  
Standard Bank

03

6,6 %  
British American  
Tobacco

04

5,8%  
Absa

05

4,3%  
Glencore

## ASSET ALLOCATION %



## FUND CHARGES AND RATIOS

Initial management fee	-
Initial advisory fee	-
Annual management fee (excl. VAT)	0,50
Annual advisory fee	-
Performance fee	-

Total expense ratio	Transaction costs ratio	Total investment charges
N/A	N/A	N/A

*\*Please note that the Total Expense Ratio and Transaction Costs cannot be determined due to the short life span of the Financial Product and the funds. The TER will be available after one year.*

## FUND COMMENTARY

The fund launched at the beginning of November and has started off relatively well, outperforming the decline in the benchmark, the Capped SWIX. A recent addition to the fund, Lewis, performed well post results that showed strong growth in earnings, and a promising outlook. British American Tobacco, another substantial position in the fund, also performed well, partly as a result of strength in the broader global consumer staples universe, but also as the Trump presidency looms. Possible tariffs may benefit British American Tobacco's US vaping market, which is under siege from cheap Chinese imports. Overall, the positioning of the fund remains well balanced, with a healthy allocation to small and mid caps, as well as a select few Rand hedge large caps. We see significant value in SA Inc stocks, thus there are numerous positions within the fund which will benefit from improvement in SA growth.



## GLOSSARY

- **Annualised performance:** Annualised performance shows longer term performance rescaled to a 1-year period. Annualised performance is the average return per year over the period. Actual annual figures are available on request.
- **Highest & Lowest return:** The highest and lowest returns for any 1 year over the period since inception have been shown.
- **NAV:** The net asset value represents the assets of a Fund less its liabilities.
- **Sharpe Ratio:** The Sharpe ratio is used to indicate the excess return the portfolio delivers over the risk free rate per unit of risk adopted by the fund.
- **Information ratio:** The information ratio is used to indicate the excess return the portfolio delivers over the tracking error risk relative to the benchmark adopted by the fund
- **Standard Deviation:** The deviation of the return stream relative to its own average.
- **% Positive Months:** The percentage of months since inception where the Fund has delivered positive return.

## FUND SPECIFIC RISKS

- **Company risk:** Investments in equity instruments carry a variety of risks including management, cash flow, balance sheet and various operational risks. These risks may lead to destruction of value and lower share prices or liquidation of investee companies.
- **Liquidity risk:** If there are insufficient buyers or sellers of shares, the result may lead to delays in trading and settlements, and/or large fluctuations in value. This may lead to larger financial losses than expected.
- **Property risk:** Investments in real estate securities can carry the same risks as investing directly in real estate itself. Real estate prices move in response to a variety of factors, including local, regional and national economic and political conditions, interest rates and tax considerations.

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Performance has been calculated using net NAV to NAV numbers with income reinvested.

This fund operates as a white label fund under the Prescient Unit Trust Scheme which is governed by the Collective Investment Schemes Control Act.

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