

GTC Equity Fund

Minimum Disclosure Document



As of 31/03/2020

Investment mandate and objectives

This portfolio follows a core equity mandate which is benchmark cognisant in its aim to outperform the FTSE/JSE ALSI Top 40 index.

Features: Local equity exposure
Capital growth

Performance (%)

	SI**	3 Yr*	1 Yr	6 M
GTC Equity A	-3.86	-2.08	-19.33	-16.46
GTC Equity B	-4.29	-2.65	-19.84	-17.11
FTSE/JSE ALSI Top 40 Index	-2.75	-1.92	-17.49	-16.15

*Annualised

Stated performance is after fees have been deducted

**Since Inception

Performance history (%)

	Highest Annual Return:	Lowest Annual Return:
GTC Equity B	22.37	-19.84

*Performance measured over rolling 12 months

Risk statistics: 3 years

Time Period: 01/04/2017 to 31/03/2020	
Standard Deviation	15.54
Tracking Error	2.53

Risk profile:

High Risk

Fund facts:

Multi Manager:	GTC
Trustee:	Rand Merchant Bank
Management Company:	GTC Management Company
Fund Classification:	SA - General Equity
Benchmark:	FTSE/JSE ALSI Top 40
Inception Date:	18/05/2016
Fund Size:	R 161 032 887
Fund Units:	235 762 110
NAV Price:	0.6822
Class B NAV:	R 692 952
Dividend Distribution Frequency:	Semi-Annually
Latest Dividend Date:	02/03/2020
Value Distributed:	1.3128

Investment managers

Tiger Inc.1998 100%

Total investment charges (%)

Total Investment Management Charges (TIC)	2.53
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	1.84
Performance Fee	0.00
Transaction Costs (TC)	0.31

Costs reflected are quarterly in arrears.

TER: Expenses relating to the administration of the Financial Product. A higher TER ratio does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER may not be necessarily an accurate indication of future TERs.

TC: Transaction costs are a necessary cost in administering the Financial Product returns. Costs relating to the buying and selling of the assets underlying the Financial Product.

TIC should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of Financial Product, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.

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Asset class exposure (%)

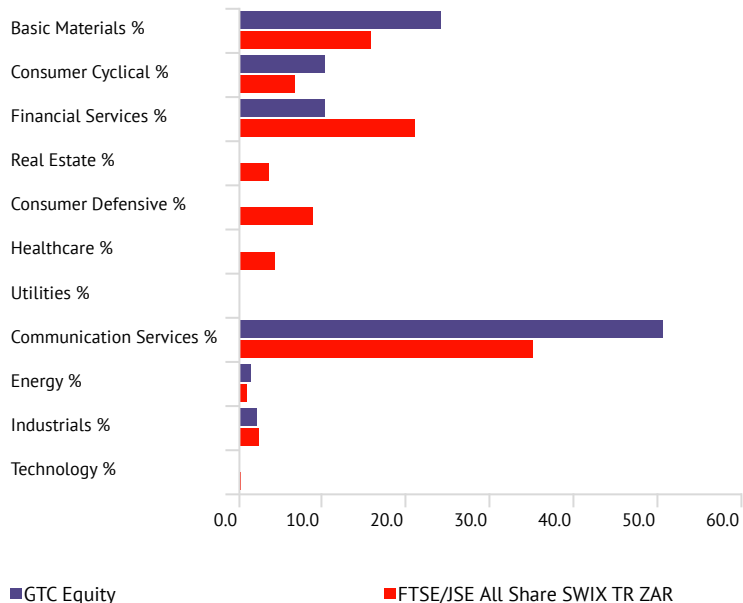
Equity	99.75
Cash	0.25
	100.00

Top 10 equity holdings

	Fund exposure (%)
Naspers Limited Class N	12.76
BHP Group Plc	4.37
Anglo American Plc	3.72
Compagnie Financiere Richemont	3.48
Prosus N.V. Class N	2.94
MTN Group Ltd	1.20
Old Mutual Ltd	0.92
FirstRand Ltd	0.80
Bidvest Group Ltd	0.79
Standard Bank Group Ltd	0.73
	31.72

updated quarterly

Equity sector breakdown



Quarterly commentary

The economic events of the first quarter of 2020 have been both unprecedented as well as largely unexpected. No one could have predicted the course of events that were to follow when growth in the entire global economy was brought to a sudden halt as many countries went into total lockdown. The magnitude of the downturn in equities is best illustrated by the MSCI World Index decline of -21.1% and the World Emerging Market Index decline of -23.6% for the quarter.

The JSE experienced its worst quarter since September 1998 as fear around the rapid spread of the coronavirus wreaked havoc in global markets. While recent stimulus and relief measures taken by central banks to support the financial markets have aided global equities, domestically the JSE declined -22.1% in Q1 2020 the worst in nearly 20 years. The decline of -12.1% in March is its one-month biggest drop since the start of the financial crisis in 2008. The sectors delivering the worst performance were financials which were down -39.7% and listed property which was down -48.2%. The best performing sector was industrials which was down -8.9%.

Mandate compliance

The fund remains within the reporting regime as at the date of this report.

NAV changes over the quarter

	31/03/2020	29/02/2020	31/01/2020
Fund Units:	235 762 110	229 759 714	227 806 272
Class B NAV:	R 692 952.43	R 765 937.48	R 837 911.26
Fund NAV:	R 161 032 887	R 176 201 214	R 190 702 913

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The Risk profile of the portfolios ranges from low risk to high risk with a low risk portfolio potentially associated with lower rewards and a high risk portfolio with potentially higher rewards. This portfolio has a high risk profile. It is suitable for long term investment horizons. It has full exposure to the local equity market. Where the asset allocation contained in this MDD reflects offshore exposure, the portfolio may be exposed to the following risks: potential constraints liquidity and the repatriation of funds; macroeconomic risks; political risks; foreign exchange risks; tax risks; settlement risks and potential limitations on the availability of market information. The portfolio is exposed to equity as well as default and interest rate risks. The probability of losses is higher than that of a moderate risk portfolio, but less than a high- risk portfolio. The portfolio is subject to market or systematic risk which is the possibility of the portfolio experiencing losses due to factors that affect the overall performance of the financial markets.

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MDD issue date: 16th working day of the month