



# MENTNOVA LOCAL EQUITY PRESCIENT FUND OF FUNDS

## Minimum Disclosure Document and General Investor Report

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### FUND INFORMATION

Portfolio Manager	Jan-Daniël Klopper & Yanni Yang	
Fund Size	R631 082 993	
ASISA Category	South African-Equity-General	
Benchmark	FTSE/JSE Capped SWIX All Share TR ZAR	

### FUND PROFILE

The Mentnova Local Equity Prescient Fund of Funds is an actively managed local equity fund of funds. The fund will be actively managed with exposure to local equities to maximize returns for investors. Given the risk profile, an investment horizon of more than 5 years is required.

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Fund is to outperform its benchmark on a total return basis in a cost-effective manner. The above fund adhered to the investment policy objectives as stated in the Supplemental Deeds.

### INVESTMENT UNIVERSE

The Fund will invest in an optimally diversified number of funds blended using Mentnova's proprietary portfolio construction process to achieve its objective. The portfolio construction will involve a focus on only local equity opportunities subject to the investment conditions determined by legislation from time to time.

### RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS FUND

Risks include general market conditions and market volatility, company specific risk, interest rate risk, inflation risk, default risk, economic and political risk.

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES

There are no notable changes in the composition of the portfolio over the past quarter.

### FEE CLASSES INFORMATION

	Class B1	Class Z
Launch Date	29 April 2022	29 April 2022
ISIN	ZAE000310090	ZAE000310108
JSE Code	NEMLB1	NEDMLZ
Number of Units	258 862 753	272 982 320
Fund Value	R306 993 088	R324 089 904
Price at Month End (Cents)	118.59	118.72

### MINIMUM INVESTMENT

	Class B1	Class Z
Lump Sum	R10 000	R10 000
Monthly	R500	R500

### \*Risk Rating

Conservative	Moderate conservative	Moderate	Moderately aggressive	Aggressive
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\*The fund's risk rating is "Aggressive". Generally, these portfolios hold more equity exposure than any other risk profiled portfolio therefore tend to carry higher volatility. Expected potential long-term returns could be higher than other risk profiles, in turn potential losses of capital could be higher.

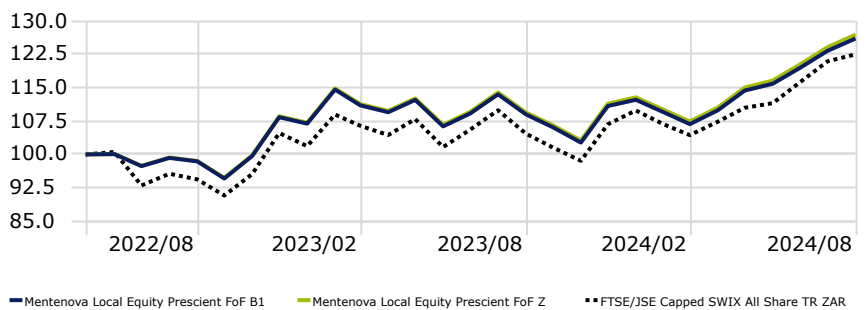
### Minimum Investment Period

3 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years
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### FEES

Charges excluding VAT	Class B1	Class Z
Initial Fee	0.00% Excl VAT	0.00% Excl VAT
Annual Management Fee	0.45%	0.20%

### ILLUSTRATIVE PERFORMANCE (NET OF FEES)



### MONTHLY RETURNS (%)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2024	-2.50	-2.42	2.90	4.05	1.33	3.05	3.24	2.24					12.26
2023	7.15	-3.09	-1.40	2.53	-5.30	2.71	3.94	-3.97	-2.67	-3.22	8.00	1.26	5.01
2022					0.07	-2.70	1.89	-0.79	-3.90	5.35	8.74	-1.34	—

### COST RATIOS INCLUDING VAT

	Class B1	Class Z
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	1.27%	0.98%
Portfolio Transactional Cost	0.28%	0.28%
Total Investment Charge	1.55%	1.26%

### HIGHEST/LOWEST ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE\*

Highest	15.64%
Lowest	-4.45%
Highest Performance Date	2024/08/31
Lowest Performance Date	2024/01/31

\*Performance is based on a 12 month rolling period

### INCOME DISTRIBUTION (CENTS PER UNIT)

	Class B1	Class Z
Sep-2023	1.78	1.93
Mar-2024	1.42	1.57
Dividend Distribution	Semi-Annually	Semi-Annually

## PERFORMANCE

### RETURNS (%)

	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	Since Common Inception
Class B1	12.26	15.65	—	—	—	—	10.43
Class Z	12.48	15.98	—	—	—	—	10.75
FTSE/JSE Capped SWIX All Share TR ZAR	11.47	17.03					9.08
(ASISA) South African EQ General	10.48	14.81					8.25

### STATISTICS (%)

#### Positive Months

	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years
Class B1	6.00	8.00	—	—	—	—
Class Z	6.00	8.00	—	—	—	—

#### Max Drawdown

Class B1	-4.87	-5.80	—	—	—	—
Class Z	-4.82	-5.75	—	—	—	—

#### Lowest Month

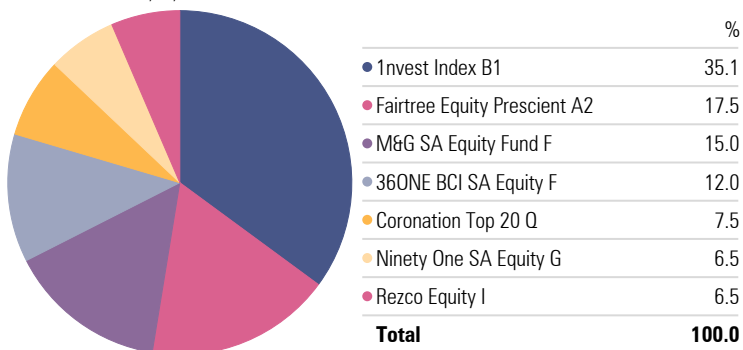
Class B1	-2.50	-3.22	—	—	—	—
Class Z	-2.47	-3.19	—	—	—	—

#### Highest Month

Class B1	4.05	8.00	—	—	—	—
Class Z	4.08	8.02	—	—	—	—

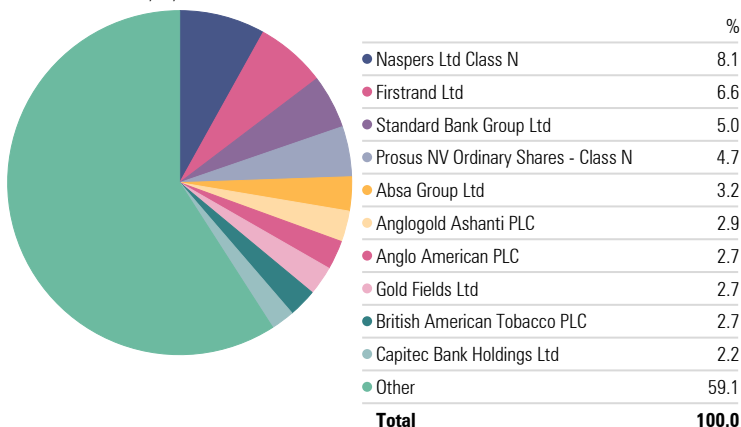
### PORTFOLIO EQUITY HOLDINGS

Portfolio Date: 2024/08/31



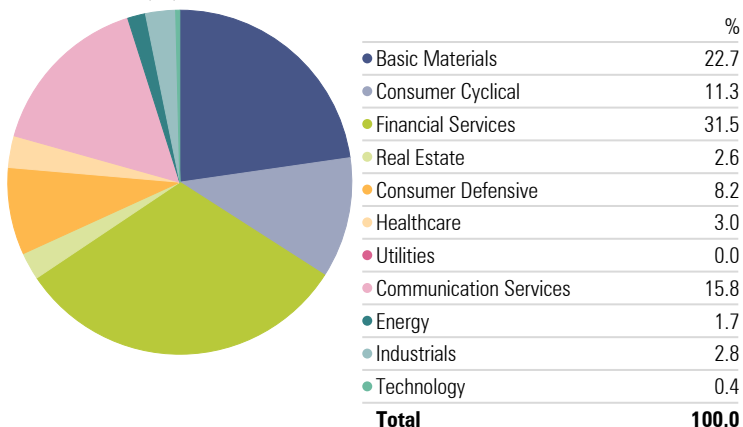
### TOP EQUITY HOLDINGS (LOOK THROUGH) (%)

Portfolio Date: 2024/08/31



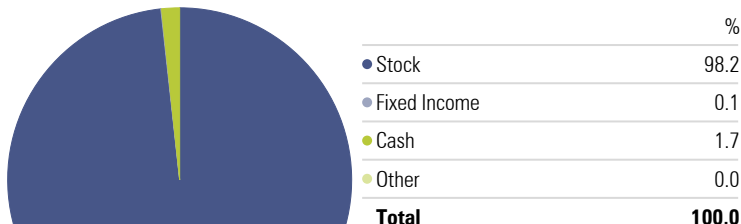
### EQUITY SECTOR ALLOCATION (LOOK THROUGH)

Portfolio Date: 2024/08/31



### ASSET ALLOCATION (%)

Portfolio Date: 2024/08/31



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## GLOSSARY

**Annualised performance:** Annualised performance show 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 to the investor 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.

**Positive Months:** The number of individual 1 month periods during the specified time period where the return was not negative

**Maximum Drawdown:** Maximum loss in a peak-to-trough decline before a new peak is obtained, quoted as the percentage between the peak and the trough.

**Fund of Funds:** A Fund of Funds is a portfolio that invests in portfolios of collective investment schemes, which levy their own charges, which could result in a higher fee structure for these portfolios.

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