

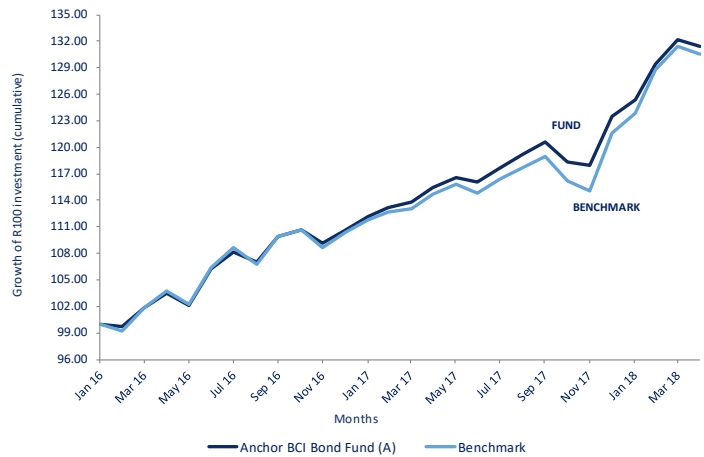
INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Anchor BCI Bond Fund seeks to achieve an investment medium for investors, with its main objective being the maximum total return by primarily investing in bonds.

INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY

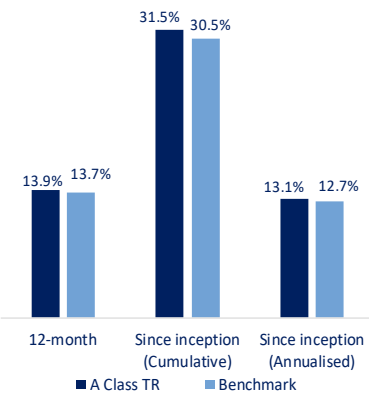
The investments normally to be included in the portfolio will comprise a combination of assets in liquid form and a combination of gilts and interest-bearing securities, including loan stock, semi-gilts, notes, debentures, debenture bonds, preference shares, money-market instruments, bonds, corporate debt, convertible equities and non-equity securities. The portfolio may, from time to time, invest in listed and unlisted financial instruments. The manager may also include forward currency, interest rate and exchange-rate swap transactions for efficient portfolio management purposes.

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE VS. BENCHMARK SINCE INCEPTION



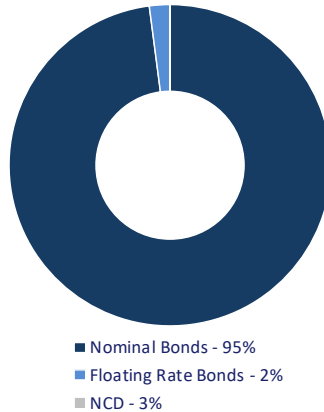
Investment performance is for illustrative purposes only and calculated by taking actual initial fees and ongoing fees into account for amount shown with income reinvested on reinvestment date.

PERFORMANCE AT 30 APR 2018

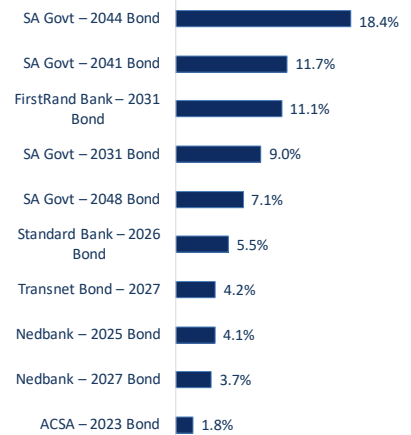


Annualised return is the weighted average compound growth rate over the period measured.

ASSET ALLOCATION AT 30 APR 2018



TOP HOLDINGS AT 30 APR 2018



FUND MANAGER COMMENTARY AT 30 APRIL 2018

It is never pleasant for us to write about losses in the portfolio, although we note that this is to be expected from time to time, especially in a bond fund. Over the past month we lost 0.52% on your portfolio.

The market got nervous about the risk of runaway rate hiking by the US Federal Reserve (Fed) and, in reaction, our market yields pushed upwards with the benchmark R186 bond yields moving from 8.00% to 8.18% over the period. This resulted in the All Bond Index suffering a 0.99% loss for April.

RISK PROFILE: LOW

Low	Mod-Low	Mod	Mod-High	High
Low				

- This portfolio has no equity exposure, resulting in low risk, stable investment returns
- The portfolio is not directly exposed to currency risk, but it is exposed to default and interest rate risks.
- The portfolio is suitable for shorter term investment horizons.

HIGH / LOW MONTHS BY YEAR

Dates	2016	2017	2018
High	4.0%	4.7%	3.2%
Low	-1.31%	-1.9%	-0.5%

Notwithstanding this, we remain positive on the asset class and we like the strong real yields that are on offer from local bonds.

We are happy with your current portfolio, and will concentrate our efforts in maintaining our overweight stance towards duration. We do see some further potential for the curve to continue bull flattening.

FUND NAME

Anchor BCI Bond Fund

ISIN NUMBER

ZAE000212874

INCEPTION DATE

8th February 2016

BENCHMARK

JSE/BESA All bond Index (ALBI)

MINIMUM INVESTMENTS

R25,000 lump sum
 R1,000 monthly debit order

PORTFOLIO VALUE

R118.21 million

UNIT PRICE

R110.03

FUND CLASSIFICATION

SA Interest Bearing Variable Term

DISTRIBUTIONS

Quarterly Declaration Date: 28 Feb/31 May/31 Aug/30 Nov

2016 Distribution (cpu): Feb 0.43; May 2.16; Aug; 2.27; Nov 2.29

2017 Distribution (cpu): Feb 2.26; May 2.22; Aug 2.45; Nov 2.24

2018 Distribution (cpu): Feb 2.22

FEES & FAIS DISCLOSURE

Initial fees (BCI) (incl VAT)	0.00%
Advisory Fee (Max) (incl VAT)	3.45%
Ongoing Advisory Fee (Max) (incl VAT)	1.15%

Annual Management Fee (incl VAT)	
Class A	0.63%
Performance fee	None

TER and Transaction Costs (incl VAT)	
Basic	Dec 17: 0.68% (PY): 0.68%
Portfolio Transaction Cost	Dec 17: 0.00% (PY): 0.00%
Total Investment Charge	Dec 17: 0.68% (PY): 0.68%

A higher TER ratio does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER cannot be regarded as an indication of future TER's. Transaction Costs are a necessary cost in administering the Fund and impacts Fund returns. It 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 TER and Transaction Costs cannot be determined accurately because of the short life span of the Fund. Calculations are based on actual data where possible and best estimates where actual data is not available. The TER and Transaction cost calculations are based upon the portfolio's direct costs for the financial year ended 31 August 2017, whilst the underlying portfolio's ratio and cost calculations are based upon their most recent published figures, being 31 December 2017.

FAIS CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE

Please note that your financial advisor may be a related party to the co-naming partner and/or BCI. It is your financial advisor's responsibility to disclose all fees he/she receives from any related party. The portfolio's TER includes all fees paid by portfolio to BCI, the trustees, the auditors, banks, the co-naming partner, underlying portfolios, and any other investment consultants/ managers as well as distribution fees and LISP rebates, if applicable. The portfolio's performance numbers are calculated net of the TER expenses. The investment manager earns a portion of the service charge and performance fees where applicable. In some instance portfolios invest in other portfolios which forms part of the BCI Schemes. These investments will be detailed in this document, as applicable.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS

Valuation time	15h00
Transaction cut-off time	14h00
Payment reference	Initials and Surname

Please send proof of deposit to fax (011) 263 6152 or e-mail instructions@bci-transact.co.za

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MARKET COMMENTARY

US markets had inflation jitters this past month, with this fear causing US 10-year bond yields to rise up to 3.03%. Concern around a runaway Fed rate-hiking cycle unnerved investors with pressure especially on emerging markets (EMs; including South Africa) and also the equity market. We maintain the view that one must keep an eye on the US 30-year bond rate, which briefly pushed higher from 3.14% to 3.19% before settling back to end April at 3.12%. The US yield curve continues to bear flatten and the market is still behaving like the ceiling in US rates is likely to be between 3.00% and 3.25%. In such an environment we are comfortable to own duration assets both at home and in the US. We think that there are likely five (or maybe six) more rate hikes for the US during the current rate-hiking cycle. In our view, the market is adequately pricing in these hikes and bonds are reflecting their fair value.

US inflation is not racing away and is likely to edge just above the 2.00% target set by the Fed. Accordingly, we expect that the Fed will be able to maintain its plan of two, or maybe three, more rate hikes this year. Such a hiking pattern is unlikely to derail the US economy and it is also improbable that it will push 10-year bonds materially higher. We further note that data out of Europe have been soft during 1Q18, which means that the European Central Bank (ECB) is reliant upon a recovery in 2Q18 or we will face the risk of delays in the ECB further unwinding its quantitative easing (QE) programme. This means that the risk in the rest of the world is tilted towards lower rates rather than higher rates.

Overall, we expect that fiscal stimulus will spike US growth upwards during 2Q18. This spike is likely to be unsustainable and we are expecting growth to normalise again towards the end of the year. This will probably keep US interest rates close to 3% and give the Fed the confidence to act again. We are, however, comfortable to be slightly overweight bonds at these prices.

FUND MANAGER



Nolan Wapenaar is a CA (SA) and has a M Com degree. He has 16 years fixed income experience, including domestically at Rand Merchant Bank and Efficient Select. His offshore experience was at Deutsche Bank. He is responsible for the Fixed Income Asset Class at Anchor Capital.

INFORMATION AND DISCLOSURES

Investment Manager

Anchor Capital (Pty) Ltd is an authorised Financial Services Provider FSP 39834.

- Additional information, including application forms, annual or quarterly reports can be obtained from BCI, free of charge or can be accessed on our website (www.bcis.co.za)
- Valuation takes place daily and prices can be viewed on our website (www.bcis.co.za) or in the daily newspaper.
- Actual annual percentage figures are available to existing investors on request.
- Upon request the Manager will provide the investor with quarterly portfolio investment holdings reports

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