

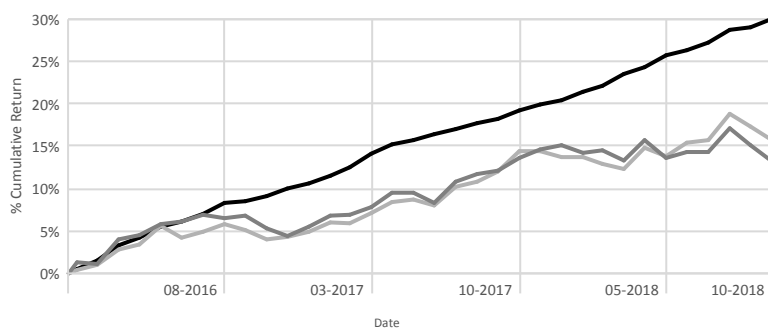
### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Argon BCI Absolute Return Fund aims to provide investors with an absolute real inflation beating total return over any rolling 3 year period.

### INVESTMENT UNIVERSE

To provide a limited level of capital protection, the portfolio's equity exposure may be as high as 40% of the portfolio's net asset value. In order to achieve its objective, the investments normally to be included in the portfolio may comprise a combination of assets in liquid form, money market instruments, interest bearing securities, bonds, debentures, corporate debt, equity securities, property securities, preference shares, 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.

### PERFORMANCE (Net of Fees)



— Argon BCI Absolute Return Fund (A) — ASISA Category Average  
— Fund Benchmark

	Cumulative (%)	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
<b>Fund</b>		-0.33	-	-	-	13.20
<b>Fund Benchmark</b>		9.11	-	-	-	30.05
<b>ASISA Category Average</b>		1.10	-	-	-	15.70
<b>Annualised (%)</b>						
<b>Fund</b>		-0.33	-	-	-	4.56
<b>Fund Benchmark</b>		9.11	-	-	-	9.90
<b>ASISA Category Average</b>		1.10	-	-	-	5.38

Inception date: 19 Jan 2016

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

#### Highest and lowest calendar year performance since inception

<b>High</b>	9.12
<b>Low</b>	9.12

### MONTHLY RETURNS

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
<b>2018</b>	-0.8	0.3	-1.1	2.1	-1.8	0.6	0.0	2.5	-1.8	-1.6	-	-	-1.67
<b>2017</b>	1.3	0.1	0.8	1.6	0.0	-1.1	2.4	0.8	0.4	1.3	0.9	0.4	9.12
<b>2016</b>	-	-0.2	2.8	0.5	1.3	0.3	0.7	-0.3	0.3	-1.4	-0.8	1.0	4.13

### FUND INFORMATION

Portfolio Manager:	Ruen Naidu
Launch date:	19 Jan 2016
Portfolio Value:	R 397 492 672
NAV Price (Fund Inception):	100 cents
NAV Price as at month end:	96.07 cents
JSE Code:	AARFA
ISIN Number:	ZAE000201885
ASISA Category:	SA - Multi Asset - Low Equity
Fund Benchmark:	CPI + 4% p.a.
Minimum lump sum:	None #
Minimum monthly investment:	None
Monthly Fixed Admin Fee:	R10 excl. VAT on all direct investor accounts with balances of less than R100 000
Valuation:	Daily
Valuation time:	15:00
Transaction time:	14:00
Regulation 28:	Yes
Date of Income Declaration:	28 Feb/31 May/31 Aug/30 Nov
Date of Income Payment:	2nd day of Mar/June/Sep/Dec

### Income Distribution (cpu)

Nov-17	Feb-18	May-18	Aug-18
1.41	1.14	1.42	1.07

### FEE STRUCTURE

Annual Service Fee:	1.32% (Incl. VAT)
Initial Advisory Fee (Max):	0.00% (Incl. VAT)
Annual Advice Fee:	0 - 1.15% (if applicable)
Initial Fee:	0.00% (Incl. VAT)
Performance Fee:	20% excess performance above CPI+4% p.a., calculated over 1 year rolling period, capped at a maximum of 1.32% p.a (Incl. VAT).

\* **Total Expense Ratio (TER):** Jun 18 : 1.37% (PY: 1.37%)

Performance fees incl in TER: Jun 18 : 0.01% (PY: 0.01%)

**Portfolio Transaction Cost:** Jun 18 : 0.34% (PY: 0.35%)

**Total Investment Charge:** Jun 18 : 1.71% (PY: 1.72%)

All Values (Incl. VAT)

### RISK PROFILE



#### Low - Medium Risk

- This portfolio has relatively low equity exposure, resulting in relatively low volatility compared to higher risk portfolios.
- Where the asset allocation contained in this MDD reflects offshore exposure, the portfolio is exposed to currency risks.
- The portfolio is exposed to default and interest rate risks.
- Therefore, it is suitable for medium term investment horizons.
- The expected potential long term investment returns may be lower over the medium to long term than higher risk portfolios.

**PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS**

Asset Allocation (%)	As at 30 Sep 2018	Top Holdings (%)	As at 30 Sep 2018
Domestic Equity	33.18	iShares US Treasury Bond ETF	5.6
Domestic Bonds	26.44	Naspers Ltd	5.2
Domestic Cash	25.00	REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA 28/02/41 6.5%	2.5
Offshore Cash	7.37	Sasol Ltd	2.3
Offshore Bonds	6.35	Nedgroup Inv Money Market C	2.3
Domestic Property	1.65	BHP Billiton PLC	2.1
Unit Trusts	0.01	Richemont Securities Ag ADR	1.8
		British American Tobacco PLC	1.7
		Firststrand Limited	1.7
		Anglo American PLC	1.7

**INFORMATION AND DISCLOSURES**

**Risks**

Where foreign securities are included in the portfolio there may be additional risks such as potential constraints on liquidity and repatriation of funds, macroeconomic risk, political risk, foreign exchange risk, tax risk, settlement risk as well as potential limitations on the availability of market information. Certain investments - including those involving futures, options, equity swaps, and other derivatives may give rise to substantial risk and might not be suitable for all investors.

**\* Total Expense Ratio (TER)**

Please note: 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 prior year ("PY") TER and Transaction cost calculations are based upon the portfolio's direct costs for the financial year ended 31 August 2017, whilst the underlying portfolios' ratio and cost calculations are based upon their most recent published figures, being 30 June 2018.

**Effective Annual Cost:** Boutique Collective Investments adopted the ASISA Standard on Effective Annual Cost ("EAC"). The EAC measure allows you to compare charges on your investments as well as their impact on your investment returns prior to investing. For further information regarding the ASISA Standard on Effective Annual Cost and access to the EAC calculator please visit our website at [www.bcis.co.za](http://www.bcis.co.za).

**#Monthly Fixed Admin Fee:** R10 excl. VAT which will apply to all direct investor accounts with balances of less than R100 000 at month end, unless an investor transacts online, in which case no such fee will be levied.

**Fund**

* Total Expense Ratio (TER)	Transactional Cost (TC)	Total Investment Charge (TER & TC)
1.37%	0.34%	1.71%
Of the value of the Fund was incurred as expenses relating to the administration of the Fund.	Of the value of the Fund was incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of the assets underlying the Fund.	Of the value of the Fund was incurred as costs relating to the investment of the Fund.

**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 instances portfolios invest in other portfolios which form part of the BCI Scheme. These investments will be detailed in this document, as applicable.

**Investment Manager**

Argon Asset Management (Pty) Ltd is an authorised Financial Service Provider FSP 835.

- 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](http://www.bcis.co.za).
- Valuation takes place daily and prices can be viewed on our website ([www.bcis.co.za](http://www.bcis.co.za)) or in the daily newspaper.
- Actual annual performance figures are available to existing investors on request.
- Upon request the Manager will provide the investor with portfolio quarterly investment holdings reports.

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