WOOLWORTHS GROUP RETIREMENT FUND

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CONSERVATIVE GROWTH PORTFOLIO

JULY 2023

About the portfolio

The Conservative Growth portfolio is invested 100% into the De-risking building block. The investment objective is to target a real return of 3.0% p.a. (net of all fees) over measurement periods of three years with a risk budget of 7.0% p.a. as measured by standard deviation. The portfolio is also designed to deliver a positive return over all rolling 12-month periods, noting that this outcome is not guaranteed.

CONSERVATIVE GROWTH RETURN SUMMARY				
Net of Management Fees	FUND	GPU*	Inflation	
Last 3 Months (May 23 - Jul 23)	1.7%	1.2%	1.3%	
Year to date (Jan 23 - Jul 23)	4.3%	2.1%	3.5%	
12 Months (Aug 22 - Jul 23)	13.2%	13.3%	4.7%	
Annualised				
3 Years (Aug 20 - Jul 23)	12.3%	12.5%	5.7%	
5 Years (Aug 18 - Jul 23)	8.4%	8.5%	4.9%	
7 Years (Aug 16 - Jul 23)	7.6%	7.8%	4.9%	
10 Years (Jun 13 - May 23)	8.5%	8.7%	5.1%	

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (%) 25 22 18 12 15 12 10 8 6 43 23 5 0 -5 - 2 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 Conservative Growth GPU Inflation

*Global Peer Universe = The equally weighted average of peer group Regulation 28 Compliant Funds. The return has been reduced with a fee estimate of 0.60% p.a.

The Total Investment Charge (TIC) represents the total investment related costs in managing the portfolio. For the 12 month period to 31 July 2023, the TIC was 0.49%. Source: Alexander Forbes Investments.

Top Ten Equity Holding	js	ASSET ALLOCATION
Share Name	% Equities	SA Equity 18.83%
Prosus	4.86%	Property 0.74%
Firstrand Limited Anheuser-Busch InBev	4.70% 4.40%	Commodity 1.68%
Standard Bank Group BidCorp Ltd	3.71% 3.34%	Cash 18.19%
Mondi Plc BHP Group Ltd	3.16% 2.87%	Bonds 30.58%
Compagnie Financiere Richemont Santam	2.78% 2.78%	Offshore 29.97%
		0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50%



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