

# ASHBURTON NAMIBIA INCOME FUND

Fund fact sheet as at 31 May 2020



## Investment objectives and strategy

The Ashburton Namibia Income Fund is an actively managed income fund which is designed to deliver returns that are higher than that of a traditional money market unit trust fund. This fund differs from a money market fund due to the fact that the investment manager is able to invest in income generating instruments with a longer maturity than that of a traditional money market fund. The fund is generally overweight Namibian assets, to comply with the local asset requirement of 45%. The investment objective of the portfolio is to maximise the current level of income within the restrictions set out in the investment policy, whilst providing high stability of capital. Risks include political-, economic- and interest rate risks, default risk as well as general market risk which could lead to an increase in bond yields and credit risk.

## Investor profile

This fund is suited for medium-term investors seeking a higher return than money market funds with a high degree of capital stability.

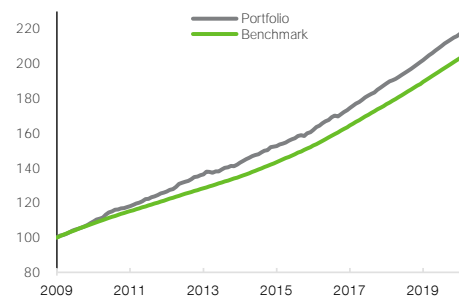
## Market commentary

After two rate cuts in March and April of 100bps each, the SARB has cut the repo rate by a further 50bps in its May meeting, down to 3.75%. This is in line with global central bank easing measures to counter the economic impact of Covid-19 and supplying liquidity to the market.

The forward rate market currently prices in further cuts within the next twelve months, before the interest rate cycle is expected to turn.

The fund remains defensively positioned with a high level of liquidity.

## Performance and statistics



Performance is calculated net of a portfolio management fee. Varying market conditions, timing of portfolio changes and the level of client discretion may result in some variance between actual and model portfolio performance.

## Performance (%)

Growth (%)	Portfolio	Benchmark
YTD	2.93	2.73
1 month	0.62	0.50
3 months	1.95	1.59
6 months	3.49	3.33
1 year*	7.40	7.02
3 year*	7.52	7.23
Since inception*	7.83	7.68

\* Returns include reinvestment of distributions and are net of fees.  
\* Returns longer than 12 months have been annualised.

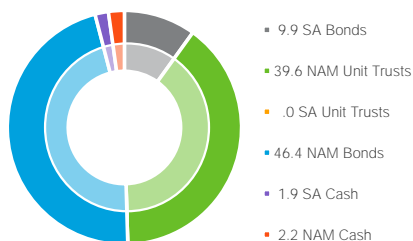
## Fixed vs. Floating (%)

Floating Instruments	96.02
Fixed Instruments	3.98

## Jurisdiction (%)

Namibia	75.01
South Africa	24.99

## Asset Allocation (%)



## Exposure (%)

Pointbreak Unit Trust	39.61
Namibian Government	19.41
Standard Bank Namibia	15.66
Bank Windhoek	9.01
RMB Namibia	7.84
FNB Namibia	2.26
South African Government	2.32
ABSA	2.03
Standard Bank South Africa	1.22
Other	0.63

## Key facts

### Risk profile



### General information

<b>Fund Classification</b>	Interest Bearing
<b>Launch date</b>	22 October 2002
<b>Fund Size</b>	N\$ 89.97 m
<b>Units In Issue</b>	86.34 m
<b>Minimum Investment</b>	N\$ 75,000
<b>Minimum balance</b>	N\$ 75,000
<b>Benchmark</b>	STeFI Composite
<b>Domicile</b>	Namibia
<b>Reporting currency</b>	Namibian Dollar
<b>Pricing</b>	Daily
<b>Income distributions</b>	Quarterly
<b>JSE code</b>	MTNI
<b>ISIN</b>	ZAE000043295
<b>Management Company</b>	Ashburton Unit Trust Management Company LTD
<b>Fund Managers address</b>	Ashburton Investments c/o Schanzen & Sinclair Street Windhoek
<b>Trustee address</b>	Standard Bank Nominees Standard Bank Centre c/o Werner List & Post Street Windhoek
<b>Fund Manager(s)</b>	Gesa Jeske Ralf Düvel

### Fee structure (%) Highest fee class

Initial fee	0.00%
Annual Management fee	0.75%
Total expense ratio (TER)	0.86%
Total investment charges (TIC)	0.86%

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Source: Ashburton Investments, Profile Data, Morningstar

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