# **10X Defensive Fund**

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# About 10X

10X Investments began investing money in 2007 and currently has R41.3 billion under management. We manage a range of investments from pensions to discretionary investments.

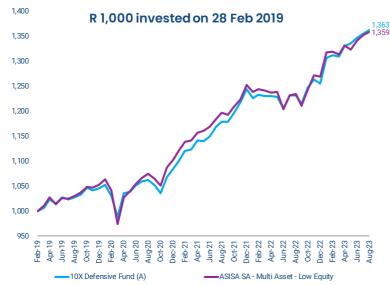
10X Index Fund Managers has been authorised since 2018 as a manager of Collective Investment Schemes.

# About the fund

The 10X Defensive Fund is suitable for investors seeking a steady level of income together with capital growth at low volatility over the medium term that is achieved with cost-effective exposure to a range of local and international asset classes.

The portfolio has a higher allocation to defensive assets (bonds and cash) than to growth assets (shares and property).

The recommended time horizon is 1-3 years and longer as returns may be volatile over periods shorter than 1 year.



SOURCE: 10X Investments, Profile Data. Total Return.

#### Fund and benchmark returns

	Fund	Benchmark
1 Month	0.6%	0.5%
3 Month	2.0%	2.7%
1 Year	10.6%	10.0%
3 Year	8.7%	8.1%
Since Inception	7.1%	7.1%

### Top 10 look-through holdings as % of fund

NED 8.475% 160124	5.1%
SAILB 12025	3.4%
INT 8.475% 160124	3.4%
SAGB R210	2.6%
SAGB R2035	2.4%
NED NCD 8.83% 240225	2.4%
SAILB 12029	2.2%
SAGB R186	1.9%
SAGB R2037	1.8%
SAGB R2048	1.8%

### **Fund facts**

Fund manager:	10X Investments (Pty) Ltd		
ASISA classification:	SA - Multi Asset - Low Equity		
Regulation 28:	Compliant		
Ideal time horizon:	1-3 years and longer		
Benchmark:	ASISA South African – Multi Asset – Low Equity category		
Risk profile:	Lower than a medium equity fund. Higher in periods shorter than a year, lower in periods greater than 2 years.		
Objective:	The portfolio objectives are to generate a steady level of income together with capital growth at low volatility over the medium term.		
	The Fund aims to deliver returns of CPI+3.5% over rolling 3-year periods.		
Initial fee:	Nil		
Initial fee: Management fee:	Nil 0.50% plus VAT		
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#### **Fund statistics**

Highest 12-month return	15.7%
Lowest 12-month return	-1.9%
Positive months	68.5%
Annualised volatility	5.2%
Maximum drawdown	-6.2%

Risk and return statistics are calculated using monthly total returns unless otherwise stated.

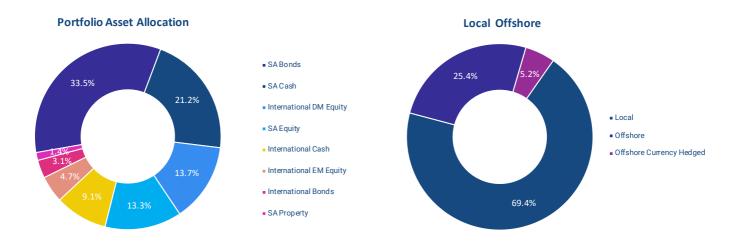
### Custodian and Trustee

Rand Merchant Bank, a division of Firstrand Bank Limited Tel: 087 736 1732

Management Company

Office 01401, 14th Floor, The Terraces Cnr Bree and Waterkant Street Cape Town, 8001 Tel: 021 412 1010

## **Portfolio Characteristics**



SOURCE: 10X Investments. Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

### Why choose this fund?

- ✓ Local and international investments
- Highly diversified across asset classes
- Low cost
- Broad tracking of asset class returns



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Total Expense Ratio (TER): Expenses related to the administration of the Financial Product including Management Fees (MF) and Other Costs (OC). A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER may not necessarily be an accurate indication of future TERs. The TER and Transaction Costs cannot be determined accurately because of the short life span of the Financial Product. Calculations are based on actual data where possible and best estimates where actual data is not available. The TER of this class of participatory interest / portfolio will be higher than the quoted service charge of the manager. These include audit, custody, trustee, management fees and VAT.

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