

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Umnombo Stable strategy offers investors a stable long-term total return through a conservative to moderate risk profile. The total equities allocation will be managed between 0-40% of the total portfolio, while also making use of up to 2,5% hedge funds.

PORTFOLIO INFORMATION

Portfolio inception date	2021/03/01
Benchmark	Asisa SA Multi-Asset Low Equity
Minimum investment amount	R500
Liquidity	Daily
Platform Availability	Momentum, Ninety One, Glacier, Allan Gray
Regulation 28 Compliant	Yes
Annual Management Fee (Incl. VAT)	0,35%

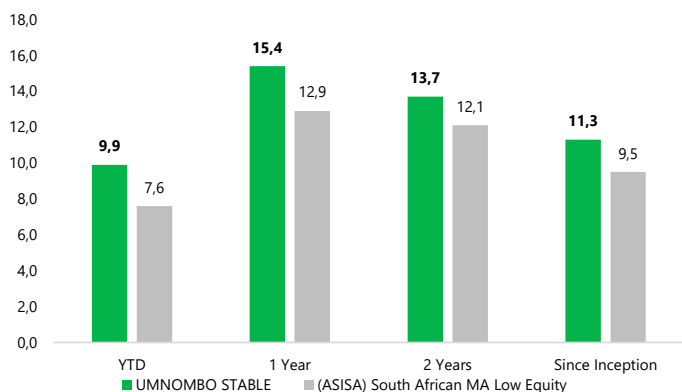
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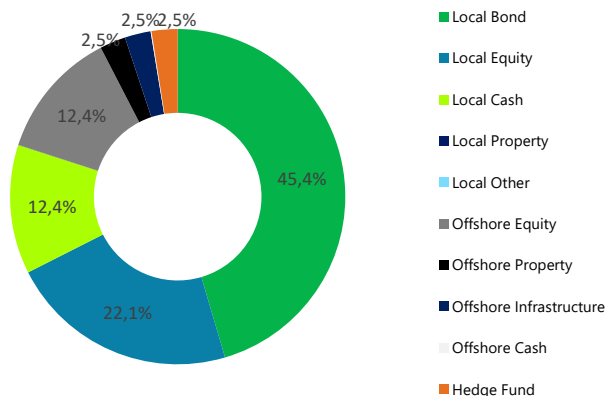
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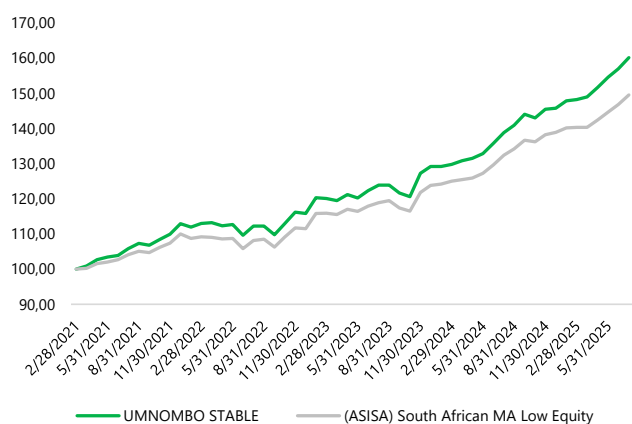
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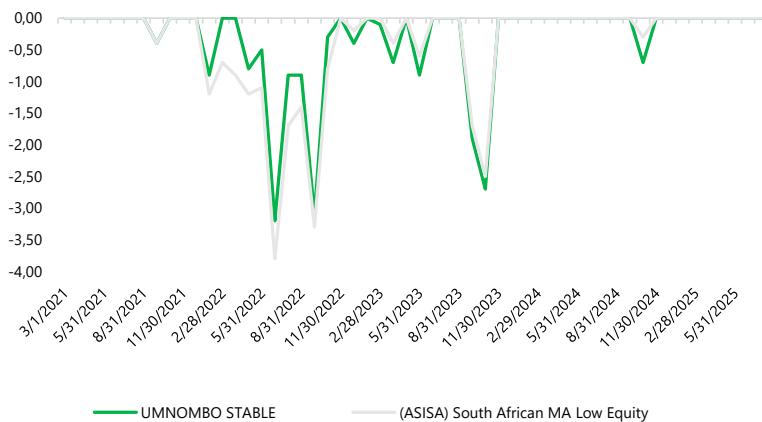
ASSET ALLOCATION



CUMULATIVE RETURNS



DOWNSIDE PROJECTIONS



RISK STATISTICS

Standard Deviation	5,14
Sharpe Ratio	0,84
Information Ratio	1,45
Tracking Error	1,08
Maximum Drawdown	-3,24

PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS

Satrix Low Equity Balanced	50,0%
Aluwani BCI Flexible Income	27,5%
All Weather BCI Equity Fund	15,0%
Ninety One Global Franchise	5,0%
AIP RCIS Multi-Strategy Retail Hedge Fund	2,5%

RISK DISCLOSURE

This portfolio has a balanced exposure to various asset classes. The portfolio will be managed in line with the ASISA SA Multi-Asset Low Equity category.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Actual annual performance figures are available to existing investors on request. Upon request to AIP Capital Management, they will provide the investor with portfolio quarterly investment holdings reports.

ADVICE AND PLATFORM COSTS

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MONTHLY COMMENTARY

Global Markets

Global equities advanced in July, supported by improving risk sentiment and clearer direction on US trade policy. With the 1 August tariff deadline looming, several countries accelerated trade negotiations with the US, reducing global uncertainty and lifting investor confidence. In the US, equity markets posted solid gains, buoyed by stronger-than-expected Q2 earnings across multiple sectors, particularly from big tech firms. The S&P 500 rose 2.2%, the NASDAQ Composite added 2.46%, and the Dow Jones Industrial Average gained 1.22%. Progress on international trade also contributed to positive momentum, with the US finalising deals with Japan, Indonesia, and the Philippines, and making headway in talks with the EU to avoid a proposed 30% tariff on European goods. The Federal Reserve kept rates unchanged at 4.25–4.50% during its July meeting, as expected. US Treasury yields moved higher, with the 10-year yield rising 14bps to end the month at 4.37%. European markets tracked global gains, aided by robust economic data and positive signals from trade negotiations. The UK's FTSE 100 climbed 4.2%, France's CAC 40 rose 1.4%, and the STOXX 600 added 1.6%. Eurozone GDP growth surprised to the upside, while inflation continued to moderate toward the European Central Bank's 2% target. With the ECB holding rates steady, sentiment was further supported by the improving macro environment. In Asia, Chinese equities led the region, with the Shanghai Composite up 4.1%. Japan's Nikkei 225 rose 1.4%, bolstered by a new trade deal with the US that capped tariffs at 15%, easing earlier concerns over potential auto tariffs. Inflation in Japan moderated slightly, with CPI at 2.9% year-over-year.

South Africa

South African equities posted gains in July, with the JSE All Share Index and FTSE/JSE Capped SWIX Index returning 2.27% and 2.24%, respectively. The local bond market was buoyed by an improved inflation outlook and a shift toward a more accommodative monetary stance. The South African Reserve Bank (SARB) cut the repo rate by 25bps to 7.00%, citing subdued economic activity and inflation well within the 3–6% target range. June headline inflation came in at 3.0%, with core inflation at 2.9%, both at the lower end of the band. The rate cut was well-received by the market, with bond yields easing modestly and the All-Bond Index (ALBI) returning 2.7%. Inflation-linked bonds underperformed, with the CIL return 0.59%.

The rand weakened 2.19% against the US dollar during the month, closing near R18.14/USD.

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