



Report Date: 30 December 2016

# **Fund Objectives**

NewFunds S&P GIVI SA Top 50 ETF offers investors a diversified exposure to fifty largest JSE-listed stocks selected by intrinsic value and low volatility, at lower costs.

NewFunds S&P GIVI SA Top 50 ETF replicates the price\* performance of the S&P GIVI SA Top 50 Index, an Index which represents the fifty stocks from the S&P GIVI SA composite with the largest intrinsic value and lower volatility, subject to certain constraints such liquidity and market capitalisation of stocks.

### **Fund Details**

Issuer	NewFunds CIS	Ar	nnualised TER**1	0.16%
Manager	NewFunds (Pty) Ltd	Tr	ransaction Cost <sup>2</sup>	0.21%
Originator	Absa Bank Limited acting through Absa CIB division and Absa Alternative Asset Management (Pty) Ltd		ffective Annual Cost EAC)³	0.37%
		Ri	Risk Profile⁴	Aggressive
		In	ndex rebalance frequency	Semi Annually
Trustees	Standard Bank (SA) Ltd	Di	Dividend frequency	Mar, Jun, Sep & Dec
Benchmark index	S&P GIVI SA Top 50 Index	No	lo. of securities issued	2,057,255
Sector	Exchange Traded Funds	E	x Div Date of last	21/12/2016
Fund Category	South African – Equity – General	di	istribution	
JSE code	GIVISA	Ar	mount of last distribution	15.55 cents per index
ISIN	ZAE000205225	Ne	let distribution payment	13.38 cents per index
Base currency	ZAR	Fι	und Valuation	17h00
Listing date***	23/06/2008	Tr	racking Error	0.62%
Net Asset Value	88,167,479		Paily price information	etfcib.absa.co.za
* A : ( FTF				

- A price return ETF pays out distributions to investors. Investors are advised to speak to their tax or financial advisor about the tax treatment of distributions.
- \*\* As published on Finswitch for the quarter ended 30 December 2016
- \*\*\* The ETF was listed on 23 June 2008, the underlying Index was changed to S&P GIVI SA Top 50 Index on 1 June 2015.

### **Benefits**

- **Diversification:** exposure to the whole market / asset classes
- Liquidity: Absa market maker provides full liquidity to enable investors to easily buy or sell the ETF
- **Transparency:** The ETFs constituent assets, holdings and investment methodology are published regularly
- Lower costs: due to ETFs being passive in nature, they tend to have a low fee structure than actively managed funds
- Investor protection: ETF securities are fully backed by the underlying assets
- Traded like a share: ETFs are funds listed and traded like ordinary shares on a stock exchange
- NewFunds ETFs are registered as Collective Investment Schemes (CIS)



index security index security



## ETF Performance<sup>5</sup> History as of 30 December 2016\*

Performance Period	S&P GIVI SA Top 50 ETF	
Return since incep	tion 8.66%	9.32%
1 year return	-9.17%	2.63%
2 year return	-1.88%	3.87%
3 year return	1.12%	6.16%
4 year return	5.11%	9.78%
5 year return	8.58%	12.97%

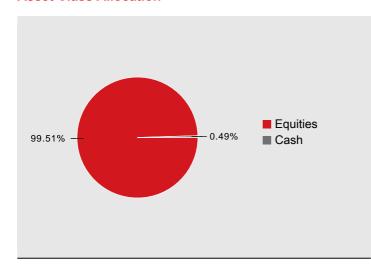
## Income Distribution in the past 12 months

Month	Net Income in Cents
March 16	6.28
June 16	40.05
September 16	31.40
December 16	13.38

## Risk statistics since listing\*

	Annualised standard deviation <sup>6</sup>	Highest annual return	Lowest annual return
S&P GIVI SA Top 50 ETF	19.78%	66.72%	-16.27%
FTSE/JSE All Share Index	20.84%	57.31%	-25.71%

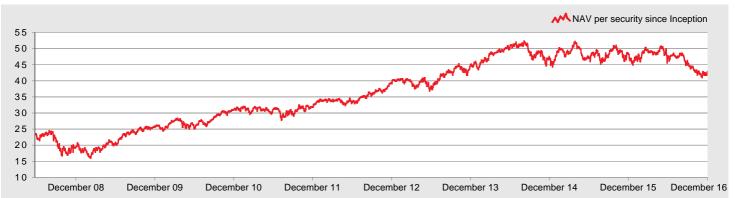
### **Asset Class Allocation**



## Top 10 Holdings\*

Compagnie Financiere Richmont SA	10.56%
Naspers Limited	10.54%
Steinhoff International H NV	8.09%
British American Tobacco PLC	6.54%
Old Mutual plc	5.58%
Nedbank Group Ltd	4.74%
Remgro Ltd	3.67%
Investec plc	2.89%
Brait SE	2.77%
Vodacom Group	2.61%

### **Historical NAV chart\***



<sup>\*</sup> Source: Absa - December 2016

All returns are annualised. Annualised returns represent an average growth rate of an investment per year, over a given time period. For performance comparison purposes FTSE/JSE All Share Index was used as a benchmark instead of S&P GIVI SA Top 50 Index.





#### **Contact Information**

Absa Online and AIMS Investment Plan Tel: 0860 000 005 Email: aimsenquiries@absa.co.za

NewFunds Investment Plan Tel: 0861 289 383 Email:etf.nf@aospartner.com

Absa CIB ETPs Website: http://etfcib.absa.co.za <u>Trustees Information</u> Standard Bank (SA) Ltd Tel:+27 21 401 2675

Email: TRUSTEE-ABSA@standardbank.co.za

### **Notes**

- 1. The Total Expense Ratio (TER) is a measure of the ETFs assets that have been sacrificed as payment for services rendered (allowable charges per prescribed industry standards) in the management of the ETF(the TER excludes brokerage and transactional costs), expressed as a percentage of the daily average value of the portfolio and calculated over a 12 month rolling period. A higher TER 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 TERs.
- 2. The Transaction Cost is the cost incurred in the buying and selling of the underlying assets of an ETF. It is expressed as a percentage of the daily average value of the ETF and it is calculated over a 1 year period.
- 3. EAC is a measure of the charges that an investor will likely incur by investing in an ETF. It includes the investment management costs (TER and transaction costs), administration costs, advice costs and other costs. Our ETFs do not charge an administration or advice fees, these fees maybe payable through an investment platform chosen by the investor. A schedule of management fees and transactions costs is available on request from the Manager.
- 4. Through index replication the fund invests in shares only, as a result it lacks diversification into other asset classes. The fund aims to deliver higher growth but can be very volatile during the short term resulting in capital loss.
- 5. The performance quoted represents past performance and the Manager does not provide any guarantee with respect to capital or future returns of the ETF. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when sold or redeemed, may be worth more or less that the original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance data current to the most recent month end may be obtained by visiting http://etfcib.absa.co.za.
- 6. The standard deviation of the Fund's monthly returns since inception. This is a measure of how much an investment's return varies from its average over time.
- 7. Highest annual return represents the highest one year return of the ETF since inception.
- 8. Lowest annual return represents the lowest one year return of the ETF since inception.
- 9. Performance is calculated for the portfolio and it differs from individual investments performance due to fees.
- 10. The fund does not engage in securities lending.

### **FAIS Act Notice and Disclaimer**

This document is for information purposes only and may be amended without notice. This is not a prospectus for any security, financial product, transaction or service. NewFunds (Pty) Ltd, Absa Bank Limited, NewFunds Collective Investment Scheme (NewFunds CIS) (collectively the "Promoters") do not recommend or propose that the securities and/or financial or investment products or services ("the products") referred to in this document are appropriate and/or suitable for your particular investment objectives or financial situation or needs. The products are issued by NewFunds CIS and managed by NewFunds (Pty) Ltd. This document and any other information supplied in connection with the NewFunds CIS is not: (i) "advice" as defined and/ or contemplated in Financial Advisory and Intermediary Services Act, 37 of 2002, ("FAIS Act") or (ii) any other financial, investment, trading, tax, legal, accounting, retirement, actuarial or other professional advice or service whatsoever ("advice") or (iii) provide the basis of any credit, financial or other evaluation. Accordingly, the information contained herein merely contains a description of certain facts as at the date hereof and should not be considered as a recommendation by the Promoters or any other professional advisers. If you are contemplating purchasing any participatory interest you carry out your own independent investigation of the financial condition and affairs and your own appraisal of the Promoters, in particular the NewFunds CIS (a member of the Association For Savings & Investment SA). You therefore have to obtain your own independent advice prior to making any decision or taking any action whatsoever based on this document and the Promoters disclaim any liability for any direct, indirect or consequential damage or losses that you may suffer from using or relying on this document even if notified of the possibility of such damage or loss and irrespective of whether or not you have obtained independent advice. This document is neither an offer to sell nor a solicitation of an offer to buy any of the products, which shall always be subject to the Promoters' internal approvals and a formal agreement between you and the relevant Promoter. Any pricing included in this document is only indicative and is not binding as such on the Promoters. Not all the risks and issues related to the products are disclosed and therefore, prior to investing or transacting, you should fully understand the products and any risks and issues related to or associated with them. The products may involve a high degree of risk including, but not limited to, the risk of (a) low or no investment returns, (b) capital loss, (c) counterparty or issuer default, (d) adverse or unanticipated financial market fluctuations, (e) inflation and (f) currency exchange. The value of any product may fluctuate daily as a result of these risks. Collective Investments Schemes in Securities (CIS) are generally medium to long term investments. The value of participatory interests may go down as well as up and past performance is not generally a guide to the future. CIS products are traded at ruling prices and can engage in borrowing and scrip lending. Any investment is speculative and involves significant risks and in making any investment decision, or in advising a third party in respect of an investment decision, you will rely solely on your own view and examination of the facts, information, opinions and the records relating to such investment. The Promoters do not predict actual results, performances and/or financial returns and no assurances, warranties or guarantees are given in this regard. The information, views and opinions expressed herein are based on third party sources believed by the Promoters to be reliable and are therefore expressed in good faith. The Promoters give no recommendation, guide, warranty, representation, undertaking or guarantee concerning the accuracy, adequacy and/or completeness of the information or any view or opinion expressed herein. Any information on past financial returns, modelling or back-testing is no indication of future returns. No representation on the reasonableness of the assumptions in any modelling or back-testing is made. The Promoters do not warrant merchantability, non-infringement or third party rights or fitness for a particular use and/or purpose. All opinions, views and estimates are given as of the date hereof and may change without notice. The Promoters expressly disclaim any liability for any damage or loss as a result of errors or omissions. The Promoters, their affiliates and individuals associated with them may (in various capacities) have positions or deal in securities (or related derivative securities), financial products or investments identical or similar to the products. The information and views contained in this document are proprietary to NewFunds Pty Ltd and are profected by copyright under the Berne Convention. In terms of the Copyright Act, 98 of 1978, as amended, no part of this document may be reproduced or transmitted in any form or by any means, electronic or mechanical, including photocopying, electronic scanning, recording, or by any information storage or retrieval system, without the prior permission in writing from NewFunds Pty Ltd. The illegal or attempted illegal copying or use of this information or views may result in criminal or civil legal liability

Absa Bank Limited Reg No 1986/004794/06 Authorised Financial Services Provider Registered Credit Provider Reg No NCRCP7

