# OASIS CRESCENT



# OASIS COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT SCHEME

# **KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION**

# OASIS PROPERTY EQUITY FUND

# 4TH QUARTER 2023

Investment Manager	Adam Ebrahim	Max. Monthly Investment	R 500
Launch Date	28 September 2000	Max. Lump - Sum Investment	R 2,000
Risk Profile	Low to Medium	Fund Size	R 100 million
Benchmark	CPI Rate + 4%	Total Expense Ratio	1.79%
Fund Classification	South African Real Estate-General	Class	A
Distribution Period	Quarterly	Distribution	9.8214 cent per unit

## **Investment Objective and Policy**

The Oasis Property Equity Fund provides investors with the opportunity to invest in property related companies that are listed on stock exchanges in South Africa. It maintains an actively managed portfolio that relies on independent research that is conducted by the investment manager. To reduce the level of portfolio risk, it is diversified across a range of different property types that would include of high-quality residential and commercial properties. In addition, the portfolio is also diversified across various geographic regions to limit exposure to any specific regional area.

This document constitutes the minimum disclosure document and quarterly general investor's report

#### **Cumulative Returns**

Cumulative De	Oct-									2000								2016	2017				2021			Return Sino	ce Inception
	2000	2001	.001 2002 20	2003	003 2004	2005 2006	2006	2007	2008 2009	2009	2010 2	2011	2011 2012	.2 2013	2014 20.	2015	2015 2010	0 2017	2016	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Cum	Ann	
Oasis Property Equity Fund*	6.3	25.4	13.8	32.9	30.1	35.4	36.0	16.0	(14.3)	13.2	19.1	6.4	25.5	16.0	17.7	9.7	(7.2)	(2.2)	(13.4)	(1.2)	(31.2)	35.1	(8.4)	6.0	806.4	9.9	
CPI Rate**	0.9	4.4	12.8	0.4	3.7	3.3	5.4	8.5	10.6	5.8	3.6	6.1	5.6	5.3	5.8	4.8	6.6	4.6	5.2	3.6	3.2	5.5	7.4	5.5	247.7	5.5	

Annual returns for every year since inception are reported in this table and the highest and lowest annual returns are disclosed.

#### **Annualised Returns**

Annualised Returns	% Growth	% Growth	% Growth 5 years	% Growth	% Growth	% Growth	% Growth	Return Since Inception
Aimuanseu Returns	1 year	3 years		7 years	10 years	15 years	20 years	Annualised
Oasis Property Equity Fund*	6.0	9.5	(2.3)	(3.9)	(1.0)	4.3	7.8	9.9
CPI Rate**	5.5	6.1	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.5	5.5

\*Performance (% returns) in Rand, net of fees of the Oasis Property Equity Fund since inception to 31 December 2023 (Source: Oasis Research; I-Net Bridge)

(From the 4th quarter of 2016 the disclosure of performance changed from "gross of fees" to "net of fees".)

\*\*Note: CPI benchmark lags by 1 month. The benchmark for this fund is CPI Rate +4%

Annualised return represents the compound growth rate of the fund over the respective period and calculated in accordance with Global Investment Performance Standards.

### **Investment Manager Commentary**

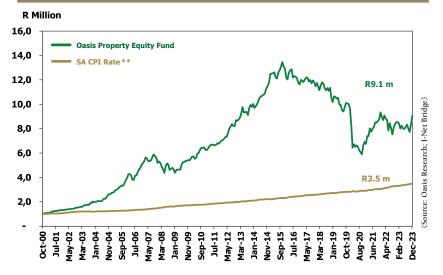
A persistent feature of the South African economic landscape over the past year has been the record levels of electricity loadshedding the economy has had to endure, which has acted as a handbrake on the recovery in activity and employment. On a more positive note, persistent Level 6 loadshedding, which was prevalent over May and June last year, moved into the rear-view mirror in H2 2023. Moreover, loadshedding in general has become more intermittent during Q3 and Q4. In its October World Economic Outlook update, the International Monetary Fund (IMF) raised its South Africa GDP forecast for 2024 to 1.8% from 1.7% previously, marking a welcome acceleration from the anaemic 0.9% expected in 2023 as the negative impact of loadshedding abates. This still modest economic growth rate reflects ongoing structural headwinds such as electricity shortages, corruption, fiscal sustainability, SOE underperformance and rigid labour markets. Projected GDP growth at these rates will be insufficient over the long term to create enough jobs to absorb the new labour market entrants. This implies the unemployment rate will remain historically high outside of serious structural reform. Over the past 10 years, South Africa's economic growth has averaged 0.9% relative to population growth of 1.4% and global GDP growth of 3.1%.

On the positive side, in the face of widespread economic crisis, the government has been forced into undertaking significant structural reforms which should bear fruit. Most notably, in a huge step towards energy sector liberalisation, any private sector firm or municipality can now build their own electricity generative capacity with the option in the future of selling back into the national grid. Separately, much needed impetus on the transport logistics side could soon be injected by Transnet as it looks to concession its key logistic rail lines. Together with setting up a leasing company for rolling stock with a private sector partner, this could significantly reduce the barriers to entry on the rail concessionary. Looking ahead to the May 2024 general elections, much will depend on the incumbent government providing a stable macro-economic and policy framework as well as managing its geopolitical relations between the 'West' and the 'East' in order to encourage both the domestic and foreign private sectors to invest and create new job opportunities with confidence. Factors that could stimulate economic growth are: 1) Increased private sector electricity provision and an end to widespread loadshedding; 2) Any improvement in Transnet logistical bottlenecks; 3) Renewed rise in commodity export prices; 4) Onshoring boosted by supportive government policy; 5) Significant structural reform, especially in energy, telecoms and wage bargaining; 6) Renewed bureaucratic vigour and steps to tackle corruption; 7) Development of a vibrant oil & gas industry. Factors which could slow the SA economy further are: 1) Eskom load shedding; 2) Persistent Transnet underperformance; 3) No outright victor in May 2024 election leading to policy paralysis; 4) SA caught in a geopolitical vice between 'West' and 'East'; 4) Sharp correction in commodity exports prices; 5) Failure to address massive skills deficit; 6) Politically inspired unrest & looting; 7) Failure to rein in rampant corruption; 8) Labour unrest/strikes for above-inf

Rentals and vacancy levels in the industrial and retail sectors of the South African property market have recovered but vacancy in the major office markets in Johannesburg and Pretoria remain well above long term averages. The Western Cape property market continues to outperform national benchmarks due to positive secular drivers including semi-gration, global admin outsourcing services, better governance and associated lifestyle factors which continue to drive performance and vacancy levels that are significantly lower than the rest of the South African market. The refinancing risk of the South African REITS is higher than global peers due to the much lower level of duration of debt relative to its global peers. With cash on the balance sheet, the Oasis Crescent Property Fund remains well-positioned for these challenges and the potential opportunities they present.

Sources: Oasis Research, Bloomberg statistics, IMF World Economic Outlook, SARB

#### **Investment Performance**



R1m invested at inception would be worth R9.1m at present.

\*\*Note: CPI benchmark lags by 1 month. The benchmark for this fund is CPI Rate + 4%

# Risk Analysis Sharpe Sortino Ratio Ratio Oasis Property Equity Fund 0.10 0.14

Calculated net of fees of the Oasis Property Equity Fund since inception to 31 December 2023 (Source: Oasis Research; I-Net Bridge)

Distribution										
Distribution	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sept-23	Dec-23						
Oasis Property Equity Fund	0.1724	6.9734	1.9408	9.8214						

Distribution (cents per unit), of the Oasis Property Equity Fund over the past 4 quarters. (Source: Oasis)

Risk and Reward Profile											
Lower 1	risk				Higher	risk					
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Typicall	y lower re	wards	Typically higher rewards								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7					

The risk and reward indicator:

• The above risk number is based on the rate at which the value of the Fund has moved up and down in the past • The above indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the risk profile of the Fund • The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed and may shift over time • The lowest category does not mean 'risk free'.

The Fund may also be exposed to risks which the risk number does not adequately capture. These may include:

• The value of stock market investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the Fund price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested • Any investment in international companies means that currency exchange rate fluctuations will have an impact on the Sub-Fund • The Fund invests in a variety of geographic regions and countries. It is therefore exposed to the market sentiment of that specific geographic region or country. This level of diversification is appropriate to deliver on our objective to generate real returns at a lower volatility for our clients over the long term.

Fees and Charges*										
<b>Fee Type</b>	Financial Advisor	Administrator	Investment Manager							
Initial	No charge	No charge	No charge							
Ongoing	No charge	1.5%	Max of 2% if the portfolio performance exceeds the benchmark							

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding VAT.

## Total Expense Ratio

Class A of the portfolio has a Total Expense Ratio (TER) of 1.79% for the period from 1 October 2020 to 30 September 2023. This implies that 1.79% of the average Net Asset Value of the portfolio was incurred as charges, levies and fees related to the management of the portfolio. 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. The ratio does not include transaction costs. Transaction cost was 0.04%.

Total Expense Ratio	1.79%	Service Fees	1.51%	Performance Fees	0.00	Other Cost	0.04%	VAT	0.23%	
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Class A: performance fees are payable in the case of outperformance of the underlying portfolio, relative to its benchmark. Performance is calculated for the portfolio, and individual investor performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment and dividend withholding tax. The sharing ratio of the performance fee is 20% of the outperformance, and the total fees are capped at 3%. This fee is calculated and accrued daily, based on the daily market value of the Investment Portfolio, and paid to the Investment Manager on a monthly basis.

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