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# Sygnia Skeleton International Equity FoFs

**Fund Class A** 

A passively managed, high-risk global equity fund

Risk profile

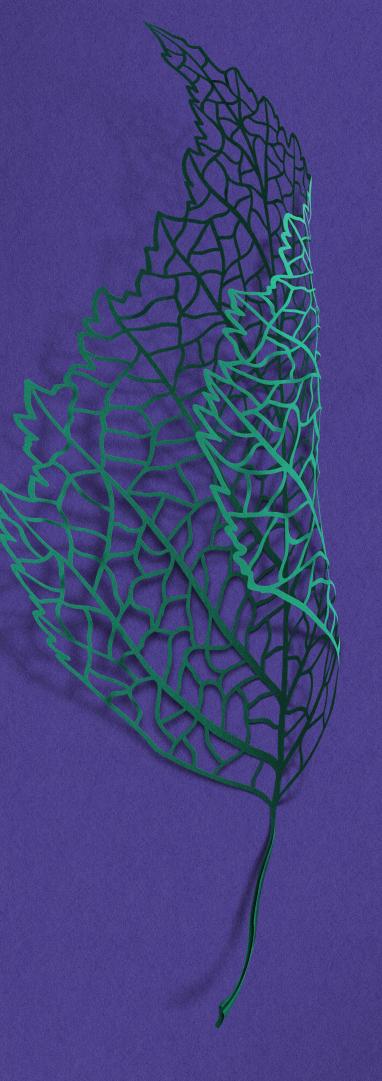
Low

Low to Medium

Medium

Medium to High

High



# Investment objective and strategy

The objective of the Sygnia Skeleton International Equity Fund of Funds is to target a similar risk profile and annual return in excess of the total return of its benchmark, the MSCI All Country World Index. This high-equity offshore fund uses tactical asset allocation to reduce risk and enhance returns and outperform its benchmark on a regular basis. The fund operates on a fund of funds basis and has exposure to foreign equities through underlying passively managed funds selected by Sygnia. Derivatives are allowed for efficient portfolio management.

## Risk profile

The fund has a high risk profile, as it is fully invested in global equities. The risk in the fund is managed by spreading investments across geographical regions and well-diversified indices, ensuring a diverse source of returns over market cycles. Tactical asset allocation is used to take advantage of changing market dynamics in an efficient and cost-effective manner and as a risk management tool in volatile markets.

### What the fund invests in

Country	Percentage	Allocation
North America	78.7	
Europe (incl UK)	13.6	
Developed Asia Pacific	6.2	
Emerging Markets	1.5	

### Who should invest?

This is a suitable investment for investors seeking offshore exposure but who do not wish to use their offshore allowance, or whose offshore allowance has already been fully utilised. The fund is also suitable as a part-investment for strategies compliant with Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act 1956, as amended

### **Fees**

Initial fees	0.00% (excl. VAT)
Management fees	0.57% (excl. VAT)
Performance fees	0.00%
Other expenses	0.03% (excl. VAT)
VAT	0.09%
Total expense ratio (TER)	0.69% (Mar 2025)
Transaction costs (TC)	0.03% (Mar 2025)
Total investment charge (TIC)	0.73% (Mar 2025)

Sygnia charges an annual management fee, calculated and accrued daily and payable monthly in arrears. A performance fee of (0.00%) of the net asset value of the class of financial product was recovered and included in the TER (0.69%).

Fees are exclusive of VAT.

# Portfolio managers



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### Key facts

Fund launch date 15 October 2015

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Fund size R 1 988 Million

**Regulation 28**Non-compliant

### Benchmark

MSCI All Country World Index (ZAR)

### Minimum investment period

5 years

### Disclosures

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