

**AUTHORISED FINANCIAL SERVICES PROVIDER 14099** 

## **OUR BUSINESS**

Started in 1996

Based in East London

Led by a team of professional advisers

Focused on building trusted relationships

With clientele countrywide - individuals and entities

We strive towards being an industry leader!

Free to affiliate with any product and investment provider

Cornerstone of our business is independent financial planning

With full capability to construct bespoke investment portfolios



## **PHILOSOPHY**

## Independence

Specialisation



## Client centric

## **OFFERING**

#### **QUALITY ADVICE**

Regular review of new and existing providers in marketplace to ensure unconstrained, objective, best advice.

#### STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS

Alignment with partners that offer specialised skill and knowledge in key areas.

#### HOLISTIC PLANNING

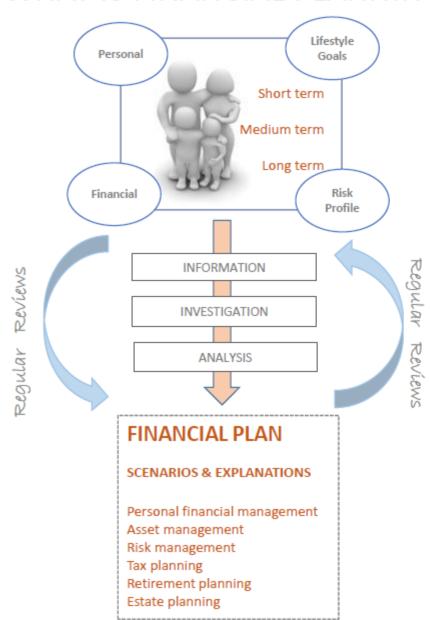
Managing a holistic financial plan enables accuracy, prioritisation and greater scope to unlock value.

#### CLIENT PARTICIPATION

Promote active participation and engagement in the process of financial planning

- · Quarterly investment reporting
- Annual financial plan review
- Educational seminars

## WHAT IS FINANCIAL PLANNING



#### WHAT IS A FINANCIAL PLAN

An ongoing process...

To determine one's short, medium and long-term financial goals...

Considering purpose, priorities, resources, risk profile and lifestyle...

Culminating in a balanced and realistic plan that is regularly reviewed...

As a guide to prudent management of financial resources and achievement of ones goals...

#### BENEFITS OF A PLAN

Enabling and empowering to manage finances smartly

Maximising wealth during your lifetime

Financial independence after retirement

Making sure everything is in order for death

Managing the effects of taxes

Providing for emergencies

Reducing debt

## 6 STEPS OF FINANCIAL PLANNING

#### Establish and define relationship with client

Inform client of planning process and competencies Determine whether adviser should engage Define scope of engagement

#### Collect client's information

Determine client's personal and financial objectives, needs and priorities Collect quantitative & qualitative information

### Analyse and assess client's financial situation

Analyse client information
Assess (compare) against clients stated objectives, needs and priorities

#### **Develop recommendations and present**

Identify and evaluate financial planning strategies
Develop recommendations
Present recommendations

#### **Implement recommendations**

Agree on areas of responsibilities between adviser and client Identify and present products and services for implementation

#### Review client's situation

Agree on areas of responsibilities between adviser and client Review and re-evaluate client's situation

## FINANCIAL PLANNING REPORT

Title page Contents page Introduction Client's personal circumstances Clients risk profile Objectives of financial plan Assumptions Goals & objectives of client Areas of planning: Personal financial management Asset management Risk management Tax planning Retirement planning Estate planning Make recommendations together with supporting explanations Plan of action and allocate responsibilities between client and adviser Date of review Annexures

#### AREAS OF PLANNING:

- Personal financial management
  - Assets & liabilities
  - o Cash flow, income and / or financial obligations
  - Use of bank accounts, credit and other cards
  - o Debt
  - Present and future budgets
  - Current savings and planned spending
- Asset management
  - Investment holdings covering all asset types
  - Current asset allocation
  - Cash available for investment
- Risk management
  - Existing insurance coverage
  - Potential financial obligations and inadequately covered risks
- Tax planning
  - Tax position
  - Taxable nature of clients assets and liabilities
  - Parties relevant to clients tax situation
- Retirement planning
  - o Potential sources of retirement income
  - Estimated retirement expenses
- Estate planning
  - Legal agreements and documents that impact estate planning strategies
     will / testamentary contract / prenuptial agreement / company agreement /
     trusts
  - Matrimonial property regime and assets subject to exceptions

#### **Protect**

## **Risk Planning**

Life Cover Income Protection Capital Disability Severe Illness

#### **Business Assurance**

Buy and Sell Key Person Contingent Liability Preferred Compensation

#### **Medical Aid**

Hospital & Savings Plans Comprehensive Plans GAP Cover

## **OUR SERVICES**

## Manage

## Wealth Management

Solve
Implement
Manage

#### Growth

#### **Investment Planning**

Guaranteed investment
Flexible Investment
Endowment
Tax Free Savings
Share Portfolios
Alternative Strategies
Private Banking
Forex

#### **Retirement Planning**

Pension / Provident Fund
Retirement Annuity
Preservation Fund
Living Annuity and Life Annuity

#### Will & Estate Planning

Wills
Trusts
Estate Planning
Estate Administration

## **RISK PLANNING**

#### YOUR MOST VALUABLE ASSET IS YOU AND YOUR ABILITY TO GENERATE INCOME.

## **Policy purposes:**

Family protection

Income protection

Debt security

**Estate liquidity** 

Business protection

Business assurance

Employee benefits

## Policy benefits:

Life cover Provision in event of death

Income disability Provision in event of temporary or permanent disability

Capital disability Provision in event of permanent disability

Severe illness Provision in event of clinical diagnosis of an illness

## **RISK PLANNING**

## UNIQUE DIFFERENTIATORS









Life Cover **Income Protection Capital Disability** Severe Illness

**TRADITIONAL** 











## INVESTMENT AND RETIREMENT PLANNING

The cornerstone of our business is to help grow clients wealth. We offer holistic advice and service covering a broad spectrum of investment options to help you save; whatever the need. We have built strong partnerships with reputable product providers and fund managers with a successful track record of helping our clients growth wealth.

## **Investment Planning**

Guaranteed investment
Flexible Investment
Endowment
Tax Free Savings
Share Portfolios
Alternative Strategies
Private Banking
Forex

## **Retirement Planning**

Pension / Provident Fund
Retirement Annuity
Preservation Fund
Living Annuity and Life Annuity

## PRINCIPLES OF INVESTING

**COMPOUND INTEREST** 

**ASSET CLASS ALLOCATION** 

**RISK AND RETURN** 

INVESTOR BEHAVIOUR

## COMPOUND INTEREST – THE PRINCIPLE

Saving R100 per month - earning 6% per annum						
	contributions	plus growth				
1 year	R1200	R1250				
3 year	R3600	R4000				
5 year	R6000	R7000				
10 year	R12000	R16500				
20 year	R24000	R46000				

## The Rule of 72

72 ÷ interest rate = number of years to double your money

72 ÷ years = interest rate you need to double your money





Pumza and Peter invest the same amount...

Pumza starts at 25 and Peter starts at 35...

At age 65 Pumza has twice as much as Peter...

as a result of COMPOUND INTEREST!

## COMPOUND INTEREST – THE HYPOTHETICAL

Thickness of piece of A4 paper: 0.05mm

Folding the paper in half a third time will get you about the thickness of a nail

10 folds and the paper will be about the width of a hand

23 folds will get you to one kilometre

30 folds will get you to space - your paper will be now 100km high

42 folds will get you to the Moon

81 folds and your paper will be 127,786 light-years, almost as thick as the Andromeda Galaxy

103 folds, you will get outside of the observable Universe, which is estimated at 93 billion light-years in diameters

## COMPOUND INTEREST – WHY WE MUST START EARLY

### Starting at working age 20

15% of pre-tax salary x 40 years of employment = 20 times income required at age 60

In this example, someone starts working at age 20 and saves 15% of their pre-tax salary every month for their entire working career. And, in the event they change jobs, they preserve their existing retirement savings. This proverbial unicorn is one of the minority who can retire comfortably at age 60.

#### Starting 10 years later

30% of pre-tax salary x 30 years of employment = 20 times income required at age 60

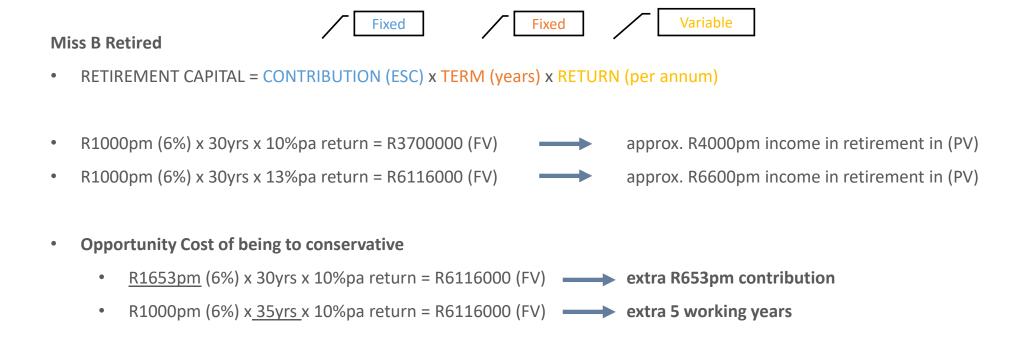
A more realistic example is where someone does not start providing for their retirement from age 20 or does not preserve their retirement benefits when they change jobs in the first 10 years. They are then required to save twice as much of their pre-tax salary for the shorter 30-year period to achieve the same outcome (or retire at 70).

#### Starting 20 years later

60% of pre-tax salary x 20 years of employment = 20 times income required at age 60

 The more extreme outcome of the example above requires an improbable savings rate of 60% of pre-tax salary (or retirement at 80!).

## COMPOUND INTEREST – WHY WE MUST TAKE SOME RISK



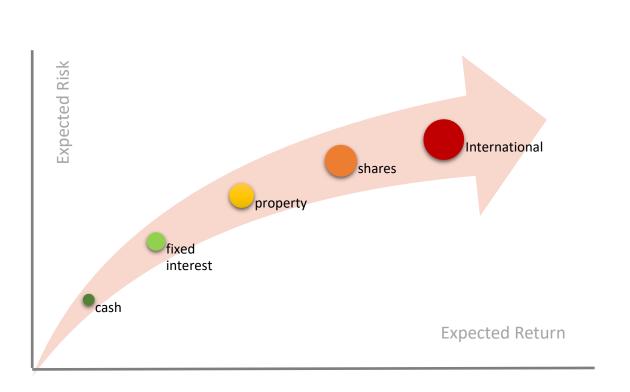
3% extra return over your working life adds over 65% more to your capital at retirement

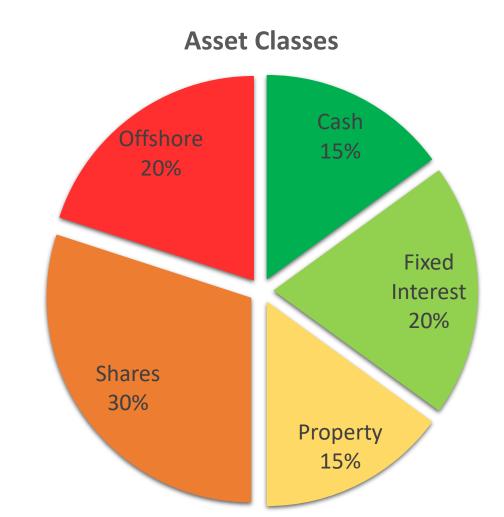
## **ASSET CLASS ALLOCATION**

DIVERSIFICATION IS THE ONLY FREE LUNCH.

Strategic allocation to meet long term objective.

Tactical allocation to exploit short term opportunities or threats.





## **RISK AND RETURN**

#### A PROPER INVESTMENT STRATEGY MUST CONSIDER THREE IMPORTANT PRINCIPLES:

#### RISK REQUIRED

The risk associated with the return that is required to achieve the individual's goals from the resources available.

#### RISK CAPACITY

The ability to sustain worse than anticipated outcomes without severely compromising their goals - individuals capacity for loss.

#### **RISK TOLERANCE**

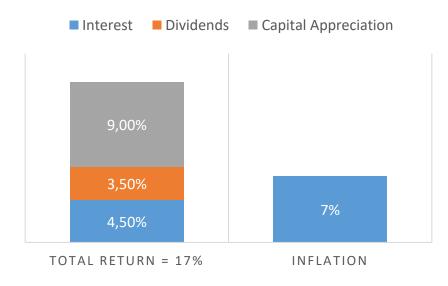
The individual's general willingness to take financial risk – a psychological trait.

## RISK AND RETURN

- Capital Risk the risk of permanently losing capital (volatility)
- Inflation Risk the risk on not having enough capital for sustainable income
- Total Return:
  - Capital appreciation increase in the price or value of an asset
  - Dividends a payment made by a company to a shareholder (income)
  - Interest payment made for the use of borrowed money (income)

A moderate investment strategy with balanced asset class allocation and a tilt towards growth assets can help reduce risk and capture inflation beating returns.

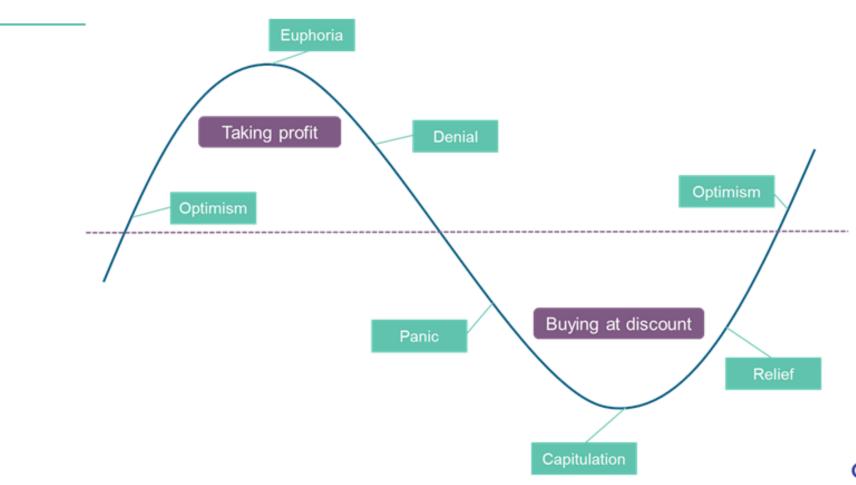
## **TOTAL RETURN**



## MANAGING BEHAVIOUR

# Faster <u>news</u> cycle = Faster <u>emotional</u> cycle



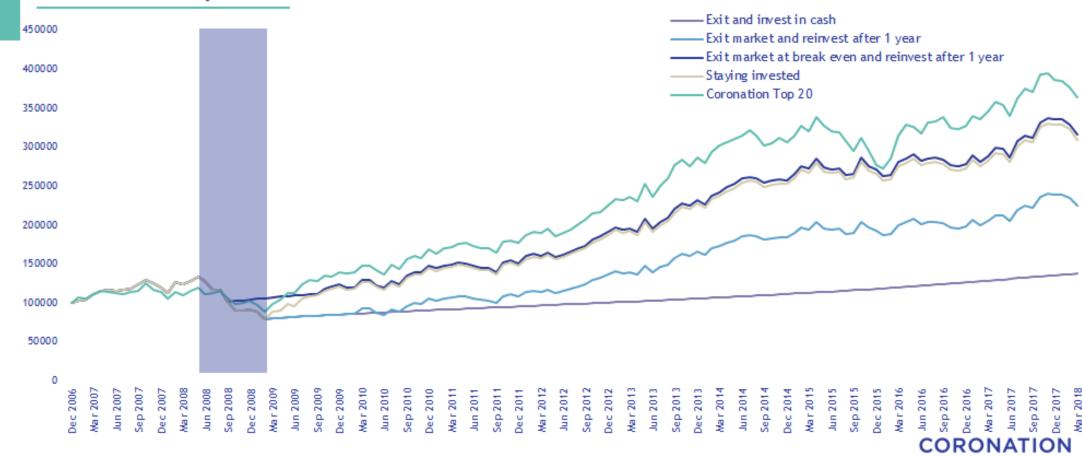


## MANAGING BEHAVIOUR

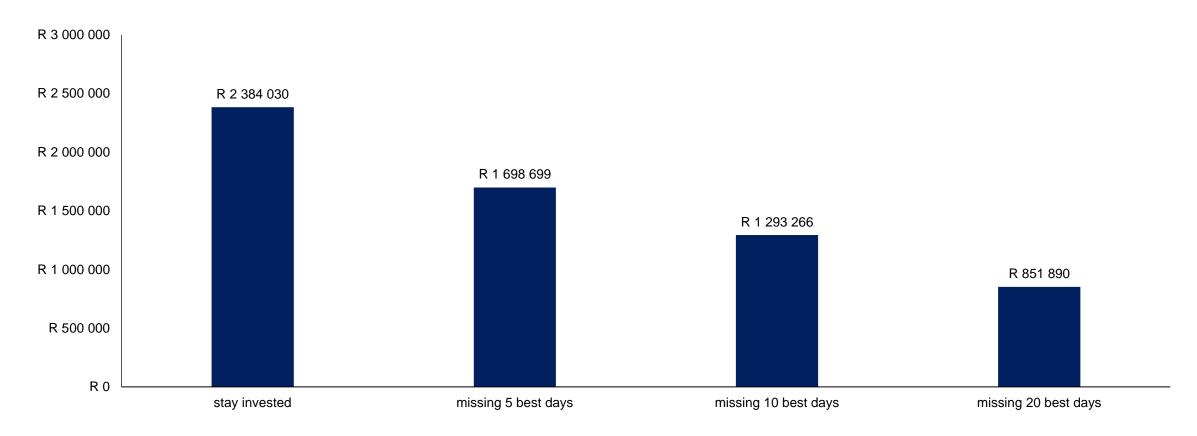
# Staying the course







#### THE IMPACT OF MISSING THE BEST 10 DAYS

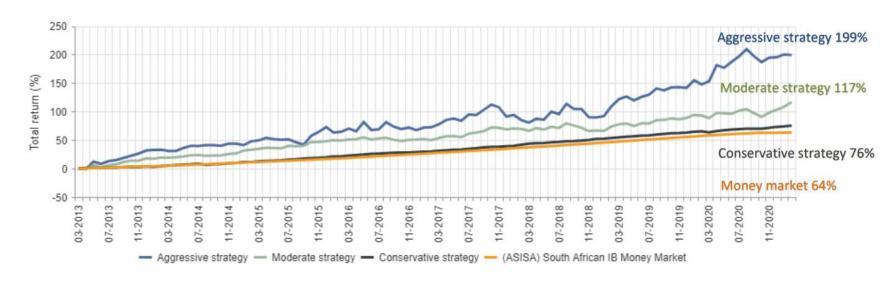


Missing the 10 best days can mean your investment values halve

## THE RIGHT INVESTMENT STRATEGY

# IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT DECISIONS TO GROW WEALTH!

#### Cumulative performance : April 2013 to February 2021



#### Performance data: April 2013 to February 2021

Investment funds	%	Inception date	1 year %	3 year %	5 year %	10 year %	Worst rolling 12 months	Worst drawdown
Aggressive strategy	100.00	-	20.74	17.33	12.68	-	-8.54	-14.84
Moderate strategy	100.00	-	12.21	8.52	7.73	10.92	-3.23	-7.57
Conservative strategy	100.00	-	6.13	7.28	7.61	7.96	4.05	-1.87
(ASISA) South African IB Money Market	-	-	4.61	6.48	6.96	6.32	4.61	.00

#### WHY THE DIFFERENCE

- COMPOUND INTEREST
- ASSET CLASSES
- RISK AND RETURN
- MANAGING BEHAVIOUR

INVESTING IN A GROWTH STRATEGY
WILL RESULT IN SHORT TERM VOLATILITY
BUT IS THE ONLY WAY TO BEAT INFLATION.

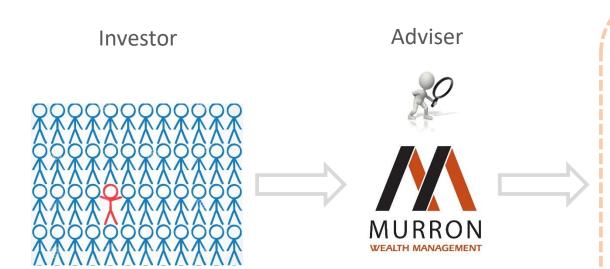
## **HOW DOES INVESTING WORK**

Ordinary **investors** pool money into a **unit trust fund/s**, sometimes via an **admin platform**. The unit trust **fund manager** invests this collective pool of money into <u>assets</u> in pursuit of the investment strategy....

**Outsourced Partnerships** 









Platform



## MODEL PORTFOLIOS



**Model Portfolios** 



Murron CPI + 2%

Murron CPI + 4%

Murron CPI + 6%

Murron CPI + 6% (discretionary)

**Tax Free Growth Strategy** 

**Global Balanced Growth Strategy** 

Outsource key function to specialists in investment management services



## SHARE PORTFOLIOS





Outsource key function to specialists in investment management services





## **PLATFORMS**



# glacier by Sanlam



## LOCAL INVESTMENT PRODUCTS

Monthly or lump sum

No contribution limit

Monthly or lump sum

Contribution limit applies – 120% rule

Monthly or lump sum contribution limit

R36000 pa and R500000 lifetime

#### Flexible

Unlimited risk profile

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio

Tax on growth at investors marginal rate - max 45%:

- Interest @ max 45%
- Dividends @ 20%
- Capital gains @ max 18%

\* only on units sold

#### Endowment

Unlimited risk profile

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio
- Structured product

Tax on growth at company rate - max 30%:

- Interest @ max 30%
- Dividends @ 20%
- Capital gains @ max 12%

\* only on units sold

#### Tax Free Savings Account

Unlimited risk profile

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio

No tax on growth – OPPORTUNITY – see TFSA illustration

Full access in 10 days
No tax on withdrawals
Forms part of investors tax return
Payable to estate at death
Estate duty and executor fees apply

5 year term - 1 surrender and withdrawal No tax on withdrawals Does not form part on investors tax return Payable to beneficiaries therefore no executor fee Estate duty could apply except if spouse

Full access in 10 days
No tax on withdrawals
Payable to estate at death
Estate duty and executor fees apply

## LOCAL PRE RETIREMENT PRODUCTS

Monthly or lump sum No contribution limit 27,5% tax deduction limit

#### **Retirement Annuity**

Limited risk profile – regulation 28

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio

No tax on growth – OPPORTUNITY – see TFSA illustration

Access at age 55, disability, divorce and death Payable to beneficiaries

No estate duty or executor fees

One lump sum per product only

No contribution limit

Preservation Pension and Provident

Limited risk profile – regulation 28

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio

No tax on growth – OPPORTUNITY – see TFSA illustration

One option to withdraw before age 55
Access at age 55, disability, divorce and death
Payable to beneficiaries
No estate duty or executor fees

Pension and Provident

Monthly or lump sum

No contribution limit

27,5% tax deduction limit

Limited risk profile – regulation 28

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio

No tax on growth – OPPORTUNITY – see TFSA illustration

Generally the same features as above, except: Access on fund exit – resignation or retirement

## LOCAL POST RETIREMENT PRODUCTS

#### Living Annuity - Market linked

Lump sum only

No contribution limit

Unlimited risk profile

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio

No tax on growth – OPPORTUNITY – see TFSA illustration

Income choice – 2,50% and 17,50%

Income tax on annuity

Remaining capital payable to beneficiaries

No estate duty or executor fees

#### Life Annuity – Guaranteed income

Lump sum only

No contribution limit

No risk profile choice

No growth of capital

No income choice after inception

Income tax on annuity

Remaining income payable to beneficiaries within guarantee term

Risk of losing capital after guarantee term

No estate duty or executor fees

## **OFFSHORE INVESTMENT PRODUCTS**

#### Flexible

Monthly or lump sum

No contribution limit

Unlimited risk profile

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio

Tax on growth at investors marginal rate - max 45%:

- Interest @ max 45%
- Dividends @ 20%
- Capital gains @ max 18%

Full access in 15 days
No tax on withdrawals
Payable to estate at death
Estate duty and executor fees apply

#### **Endowment**

Monthly or lump sum

Contribution limit applies – 120% rule

Unlimited risk profile

- Unit trust
- Model portfolio
- Share portfolio
- Structured product

Tax on growth at company rate - max 30%:

- Interest @ max 30%
- Dividends @ 20%
- Capital gains @ max 12%

\* only CGT on roll up funds

5 year term (1 surrender & withdrawal)
No tax on withdrawals
Payable to beneficiaries

Payable to beneficiaries

No executor fee

Estate duty could apply except if spouse

## PRIORITIES IN THE PLAN

**PLATFORM PLAN PRODUCT PORTFOLIO Financial Needs Analysis** Flexible **PROFILE STRATEGY** Conservative **Unit trust** Endowment Model portfolio **Cautious Tax Free Savings Determine rate of** return required **Share portfolio** Moderate to meet your investment **Products Retirement Annuity** objective **Assertive Hedge fund Investment Aggressive Strategies** Endowment Risk required **Risk capacity** Flexible Risk tolerance

## PERFECT INVESTMENT PLAN

**SHORT TERM LONG TERM** MEDIUM TERM Money Market Financial Needs Analysis Flexible – *local & global* Contribution Endowment – local & global Tax Free Savings Account Retirement funds – pre and post retirement **CONSERVATIVE CAUTIOUS MODERATE ASSERTIVE AGGRESSIVE** 

## PRODUCTS IN THE PLAN

	Endowment	Voluntary investment plan	Tax-free investment plan	Retirement annuit
Tax deductibility of contributions	Non-deductible	Non-deductible	Non-deductible	Deductible up to prescribed limits
Taxation of fund growth	Interest taxed at 30% Dividends taxed at 20% CGT taxed at 12%	Interest taxed at 45%* Dividends taxed at 20% CGT taxed at 18%*	Tax free	Tax free
Taxation of maturity value	Tax free	Tax free	Tax free	Lump sum taxed according to tax table; annuity taxed as normal income
Estate duty	Subject to estate duty	Subject to estate duty	Subject to estate duty	Only the excess contributions made to the fund are subject to estate duty

<sup>\*</sup>After exemptions have been exhausted.

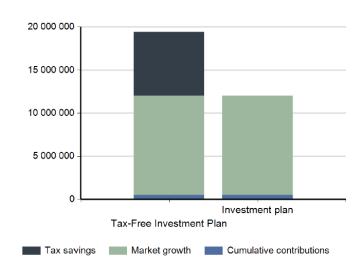
	Endowment	Voluntary investment plan	Tax-free investment plan	Retirement annuity		
Contribution	R1 000 p.m.	R1 000 p.m.	R1 000 p.m.	R1 818 p.m.		
A tax-deductible co		a retirement annuity e , as R818 will be saved o	quates to a non-deductib on taxes.	le contribution		
Term of investment	15 years					
Pre-tax fund growth	10.8%					
Post-tax fund growth	8.93%	8.17%	10.8%	10.8%		
See table l	pelow for assumptions	used. CGT on endowme	nt and VIP is deducted ar	nnually.		
Maturity value	R378 823	R353 690	R450 306	R818 656		
Tax on maturity value	RO	RO	RO	R294 716		
Taxed at 36% as this is	the average rate for an	individual earning R1 5	00 000, and top band of I	ump sum tax table		
Net maturity value	R378 823	R353 690	R450 306	R523 940		

	% invested	Asset class return	Pre-tax return	Tax on VIP	Net return on VIP	Tax on endowment	Net return on endowment
Cash	40%	6%	2.4%	45%	1.32%	30%	1.68%
Equity growth	60%	11%	6.6%	18%	5.41%	12%	5.81%
Dividend growth	60%	3%	1.8%	20%	1.44%	20%	1.44%
			10.8%		8.17%		8.93%

## **IMPORTANCE OF TAX-FREE GROWTH**

Marginal tax rate (%)	25
Age (in years)	20
Annual contribution (Rand)	36 000
Investment term (in years)	50
Nominal rate of return (% per annum)	10
Investment profile	Moderate
Intermediary fee (excl VAT)	
Initial (%)	0.00
Annual (%)	0.60

#### Tax-Free Investment Plan vs Investment Plan



## Table of results

Year	Tax-Free Investment Plan	Investment plan	Tax savings	Cumulative contributions
10	551 504	534 782	16 723	360 000
20	1 524 809	1 359 977	164 832	500 000
30	3 529 907	2 805 770	724 137	500 000
40	8 251 957	5 791 479	2 460 479	500 000
50	19 418 826	11 985 881	7 432 945	500 000



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