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# MI-PLAN IP ENHANCED INCOME FUND

February 2018

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## FUND INFORMATION

<b>Inception date</b>	26 March 2012					
<b>Sector</b>	South African - Multi Asset - Income	<b>JSE Code</b>		<b>Annual mngmnt fee (excl. VAT)</b>	<b>Total expense ratio (%)*</b>	<b>NAV</b>
<b>Risk profile</b>	Conservative					<b>Units in Issue</b>
<b>Minimum investment</b>	Lump sum: R10 000; Monthly: R500	<b>Class A1: (LISP)</b>	MIPEI	0.75%	0.92	1,001
<b>Asset composition</b>	Fixed Interest, Cash, Equity and Listed Property					43,541,056
<b>Regulation 28</b>	Compliant with Regulation 28	From 01 Jan 2015 to 31 Dec 2017 0.92% of the value of the MI-PLAN IP ENHANCED INCOME FUND Class A1 was incurred as expenses relating to the administration of the financial product. 0.01% of the value of the financial product was incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of the assets underlying the financial product. Therefore 0.93% (Total Investment Charge) of the value of the financial product was incurred as costs relating to the investment of the financial product.				
<b>Benchmark</b>	STFIND x 1.1	* A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER may not necessarily be an accurate indication of future TER's. Transaction Costs are a necessary cost in administering the Financial Product and impacts Financial Product returns. It should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of financial product, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.				
<b>Fund Size</b>	R 453,221,660					
<b>Income declaration</b>	Quarterly (Mar / Jun / Sep / Dec)					
<b>Distributions (Class A1):</b>		<b>CPU</b>				
	Mar 2017	18.28				
	Jun 2017	18.52				
	Sep 2017	18.82				
	Dec 2017	19.48				

## INVESTOR PROFILE

The fund should suit investors:

- Aiming for higher returns than are available through cash or bank deposits over a 12-36 month period.
- Seeking actively managed exposure to the full spectrum of the fixed interest and high yielding universe of assets.
- Not wanting to personally choose between money market, bond, income, or preference dividend funds but rather believing in the ability of a good asset manager to do this job.

The fund does not suit investors whose time horizon is less than 12 months and who are uncomfortable with price fluctuations over this shorter term.

## OBJECTIVE

The objective of the portfolio is to provide a return in excess of Money Market portfolios, for investors seeking to earn a reasonable level of income with low risk of capital loss.

## APPLICATION

This fund enjoys a flexible mandate, and the manager will scour opportunities within money market instruments, vanilla bonds, inflation-linked bonds and equities, including listed property. Where good value exists in suitable foreign assets, moderate use may be made of these. The basic premise is that higher returns than money market funds are available, but because the assets that generate these also incur higher risks, they will be used judiciously and cautiously.

## FUND MANAGEMENT



**Rowan Williams-Short**

**MSC. FIFM, CFA, CIPM**

Portfolio Manager

**Vunani Fund Managers**

The All Bond Index has returned more than 11% in just 3 months and has outperformed the All Share Index by an unusually large margin of 14% over the same period. During this time there was further deterioration in South Africa's fiscal position AND American constant-maturity 10-year yields rose by 63bps. Against those headwinds was a small tailwind in the form a slightly lower inflation number (4.4%) for January.

Of course, all of this was down to SA having a new President, after a pointless and ultimately fruitless last stand by his predecessor. Under the new regime, the Minister of Finance was able to deliver a prudent Budget Speech, and at times even imitated the delivery style of his new boss's stirring State of the Nation (SONA) speech. A presidential inauguration without the customary expense of grandiose flyovers and suchlike seems to have set the tone for fiscal responsibility.

Your fund thus benefited from having moderately longer duration than its benchmark. Detractors to performance were of course the small holdings in offshore assets which serve a volatility dampening function in the portfolio.

Your fund was a meaningful contributor to Vunani Fund Managers winning the inaugural Chairmar's Raging Bull award for the best performing black-owned asset manager in 2017. Yield enhancement has been a little more challenging over the past few months due to low volumes of new issuance, but your fund does enjoy a substantially higher yield than the STEFI composite. We retain a slightly long duration, in order to harness the steepness of the yield curve at the short end.

*An analysis of factors affecting the adherence to the policy objective is contained in the fund manager commentary together with performance as reported. A detailed listing of changes from the previous quarter is available on request from [info@miplan.co.za](mailto:info@miplan.co.za) or [clientservices@ipmc.co.za](mailto:clientservices@ipmc.co.za)*

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## RISK AND RETURN STATISTICS to 28 February 2018

### PERFORMANCE

	FUND	BMK	RANK	QRTL	Inc ABIL <sup>1</sup>
1 Year	10.0%	8.4%	6/74	1	10.2%
3 Years *	8.6%	7.9%	6/62	1	8.7%
5 Years *	7.4%	7.1%	9/47	1	7.4%
Since inception *	7.5%	6.9%			7.5%
Information ratio	0.3				
Active returns (since inception)	0.5%				

	Period	Performance
Highest return	2017	10.8%
Lowest return	2014	3.3%

1. The performance of this product was affected by the African Bank event. African Bank instruments were transferred into a retention fund from which units were issued to impacted investors. The composite performance of the retention fund and the main fund – for comparative purposes – is indicated above.

\*Returns are annualised if period is longer than 12 months.

### TOP 10 EXPOSURES

Issuer	% OF FUND	DURATION
RSA	18.6%	3.11
FIRSTRAND	14.1%	0.81
ABSA	9.3%	0.12
LIBERTY	5.5%	0.12
OLD MUTUAL	3.8%	0.12
JOHANNESBURG	3.7%	0.26
REDINK	3.7%	0.13
SCMB	3.6%	0.12
BMW	3.3%	0.12
AFRICAN BANK	3.0%	0.12

Annualised returns is the weighted average compound growth rate over the performance period measured. Fund returns shown are based on NAV-NAV unit pricings calculated from INET for a lump-sum investment with income distribution reinvested (after fees and cost). Source of data: Ranking and performance data obtained from Profile Data and Financial Express. "Inc ABIL" calculated internally.

## PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE as at 28 February 2018

### EFFECTIVE ASSET ALLOCATION

	FUND	STEFI
Cash	2.7%	15.0%
0 to 3m	2.2%	30.0%
3m to 6m	5.9%	35.0%
6m to 12m	9.8%	20.0%
12m to 3y	13.3%	
3y to 10y	56.5%	
>10y	1.1%	
Domestic Equity	5.1%	
Foreign Equity	1.5%	

### YIELD\*

Description	FUND
Yield to maturity	8.23%
Modified duration	1.06%

\* Current

## CONTACT DETAILS

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The portfolio may include foreign investments and the following additional risks may apply: liquidity constraints when selling foreign investments and risk of non-settlement of trades; macroeconomic and political risks associated with the country in which the investment is made; risk of loss on foreign exchange transactions and investment valuation due to fluctuating exchange rates; risk of foreign tax being applicable; potential limitations on availability of market information which could affect the valuation and liquidity of an investment. All of these risks could affect the valuation of an investment in the fund.

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