The Do's and Don'ts of Investment Success

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All-Weather Investment Strategies



1. Diversification



Asset classes

Equities, Bonds, Property, Commodities, etc.

Geographic

Local – Global; Developed Markets – Emerging Markets;
 Specific countries; Specific currencies; Different economic cycles, etc.

Industries

Resources; Financial; Industrial; Consumer; Utilities;
 Telecomms, Technology, etc.





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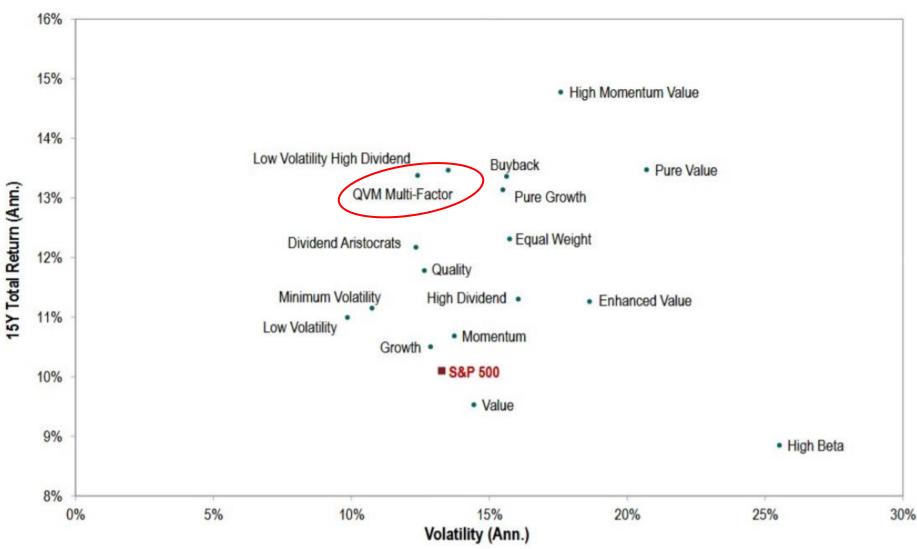


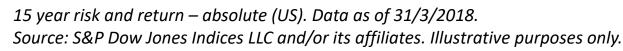
Investment Style / Strategy – "smart" beta

- Factors alpha-generating
 - Value; Momentum; Quality; Size (small caps); Low Volatility; Dividends, etc.
- Themes desired exposure
 - Shari'ah-compliant; ESG; Ethical investments, etc.

1. Diversification - factors













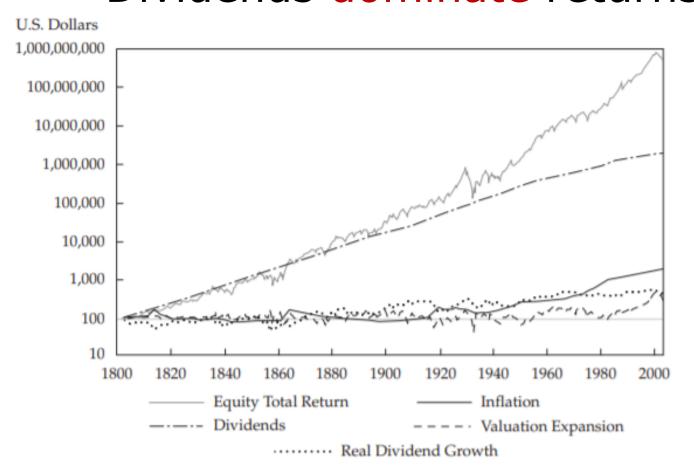
"There are only two numbers you can trust in financial statements:

the page numbers, and the dividend





Dividends dominate returns



200 year total return on US equities = 7.9% p.a. Return from dividends = 5.0% p.a. Return from inflation = 1.4% p.a. Return from real growth in dividends = 0.8% p.a. Return from changes in valuation = 0.6% p.a.

"Dividends and the Three Dwarfs", Robert D. Arnott Growth of \$100 invested in US Equities 1802-2002 Sources: Based on Schwert (1990) data for 1801-1870, a blend

of Schwert and Siegel (2002) data for 1871-1925 and S&P 500

Index data since 1926

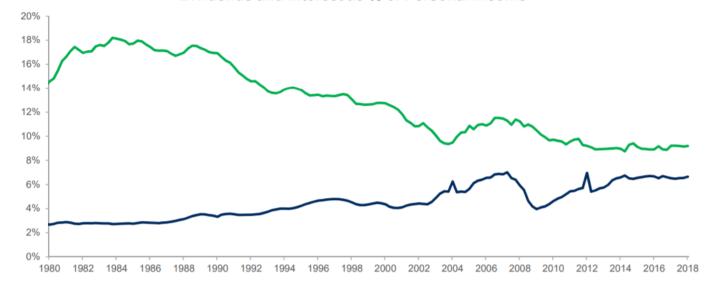




Tax considerations

 Dividends are a growing share of personal income (from 2.7% in 1981 to 6.5% in 2018), to the detriment of interest income (declined from 15.5% to 9.2% over same period)

Dividends and Interest as % of Personal Income



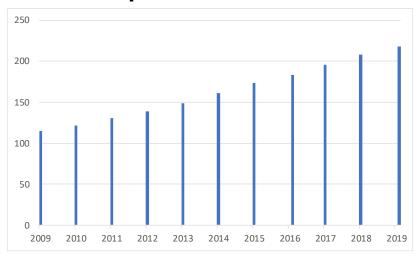
Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis Data as of 31 December 2018





- Listed Property / REITs?
 - Differentiate between volatility in share price, and consistency of dividends paid





Growthpoint Property (GRT) – share price and annual dividends, 10 years to Oct-19

Source: Profile Data





Can be used for low / medium / high risk

Low risk:

Preference shares – lowest capital risk / price volatility

Medium risk:

High dividend shares – medium capital risk / price volatility

High risk:

Property shares – highest capital risk / price volatility



3. Differentiation



- Different investment accounts with different strategies for different purposes
 - Time horizon
 - Investment objective
 - "Wrapper" pros and cons
- Design asset allocation consistent with requirements



Next level!



- Drip-feed / Dollar-cost averaging
- Dogma
- Dead wood
- Due Diligence
- Direction (ESG / Impact investing / Invest with Purpose)
- Don't fiddle!



3D - in practise

etfSA Retirement Annuity Fund – five portfolios

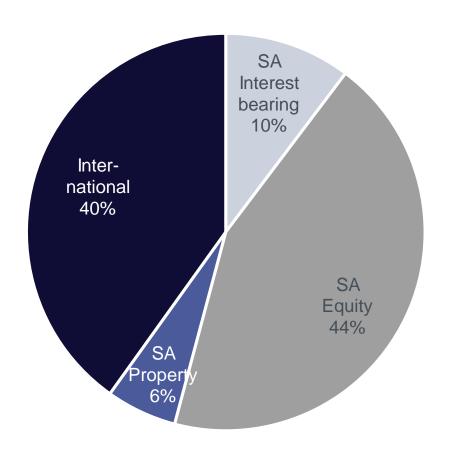
to suit different investor needs, incorporating

- Diversification
- Dividend strategies
- Differentiation

etfSA Retirement Annuity Fund

- Wealth Enhancer Portfolio above-average returns over long term (>10 years), with a high tolerance for risk
- Wealth Builder Portfolio broadly diversified exposure to asset classes, investment styles and geographies
- Wealth Conservator Portfolio prioritise income generation from different sources interest, dividends and other distributions, both domestic and global
- Wealth Protector Portfolio a cash-only investment of highest credit quality for risk averse members, no risk of a capital loss
- Wealth Default Portfolio static strategic asset allocation into a limited range of vanilla asset class ETPs, to comply with Section 36 of the Pension Funds Act

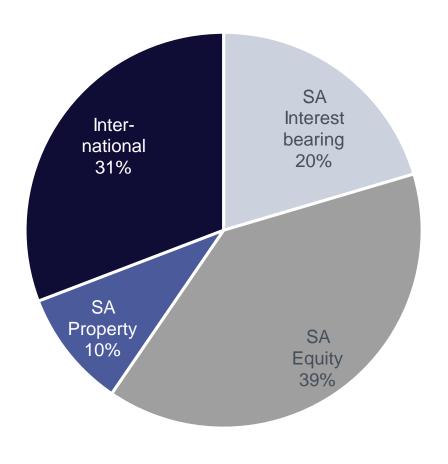
etfSA RA Wealth Enhancer



Asset class	Reg. 28 Category	Description	Weight (%)
SA Interest	Cash (max 100%)	Cash	5.4
bearing	Debt (max 75%)	NewFunds GOVI ETF	4.8
		CoreShares SA Top50 ETF	9.7
		Satrix FINI15 ETF	4.7
		Satrix INDI25 ETF	4.6
SA Equity	Equities (max 75%)	Satrix RESI10 ETF	4.9
OA Equity		Ashburton Mid Cap ETF	6.0
		NewFunds Equity Momentum ETF	6.0
		NewFunds Tgt Vol High Growth Equity ETF	3.0
		Coreshares Dividend Aristocrats ETF	5.0
SA Proporty	Immovable Property	Stanlib Property ETF	2.8
SA Property	(max 25%)	Proptrax Ten ETF	3.0
		Sygnia Itrix S&P 500 ETF	3.1
		iShares MSCI World ESG Enhanced ETF	3.3
		CoreShares Global Dividend Aristocarts ETF	3.1
Offshore	Foreign exposure	Satrix MSCI Emerging Market ETF	4.0
	(max 30% +	iShares MSCI China ETF	4.5
	10% in Africa)	iShares MSCI India ETF	4.5
		AMI Africa ex SA Big50 ETF	2.9
		iShares JP Morgan EM Bond ETF	2.3
		iShares Global Infrastructure ETF	2.6
***************************************		NewGold ETF	4.3
Commodities	Physical (max 10%)	NewPalladium ETF	2.8
		NewPlatinum ETF	2.7

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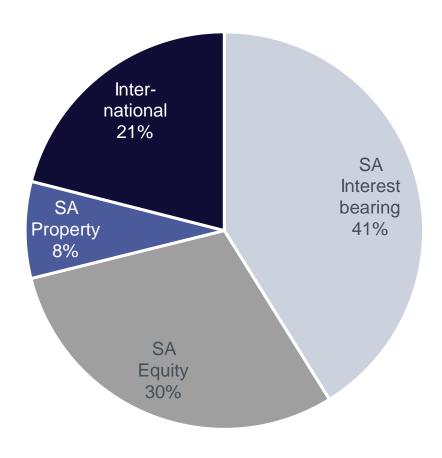
etfSA RA Wealth Builder



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Asset class	Reg. 28 Category	Description	Weight (%)
SA Interest bearing	Cash (max 100%)	Cash	10.5
	Debt (max 75%)	NewFunds GOVI ETF	5.0
bearing		CoreShares Preftrax ETF	4.9
	Equities (max 75%)	CoreShares SA Top50 ETF	9.9
		Satrix INDI25 ETF	5.6
		Ashburton Mid Cap ETF	5.9
SA Equity		Satrix Quality ETF	3.0
SA Equity		Satrix RAFI40 ETF	5.0
		NewFunds Tgt Vol High Growth Equity ETF	3.9
		Coreshares Dividend Aristocrats ETF	2.9
		Satrix DIVI ETF	2.9
CA Proporty	Immovable Property (max 25%)	Stanlib Property ETF	4.9
SA Property		Proptrax Ten ETF	4.7
***************************************		Satrix MSCI World ETF	8.2
Offshore	Foreign exposure (max 30% + 10% in Africa)	Sygnia Itrix S&P 500 ETF	5.1
		CoreShares Global Dividend Aristocarts ETF	4.1
		Satrix MSCI Emerging Market ETF	3.9
		DBX-Trackers MSCI China ETN	3.4
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Commodities		NewGold Platinum ETF	3.1

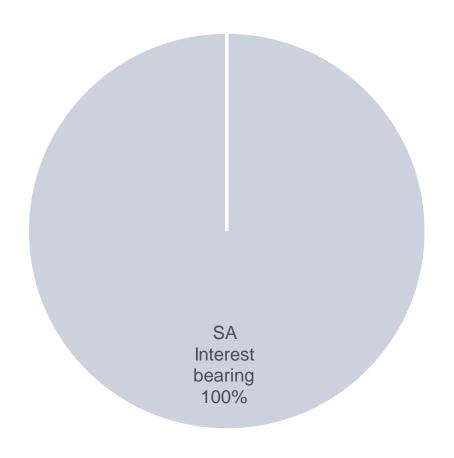
etfSA RA Wealth Conservator



Asset class	Reg. 28 Category	Description	Weight (%)
SA Interest bearing	Cash (max 100%)	Cash	19.5
	Debt (max 75%)	NewFunds GOVI ETF	10.3
boaring		CoreShares PrefTrax ETF	10.2
	Equities (max 75%)	CoreShares SA Top50 ETF	9.9
		Satrix FINI15 ETF	4.6
SA Equity		Satrix Quality ETF	4.9
		CoreShares Dividend Aristocrats ETF	4.8
		Satrix Divi+ ETF	4.8
SA Property	Immovable Property (max 25%)	Satrix Property ETF	2.9
		Stanlib Property ETF	4.0
		Proptrax Ten ETF	3.7
Offshore	Foreign exposure (max 30% + 10% in Africa)	Satrix MSCI World ETF	8.0
		CoreShares Global Dividend Aristocarts ETF	4.6
		Satrix MSCI Emerging Market ETF	3.4
		iShares Preferred & Income Securities ETF	4.4

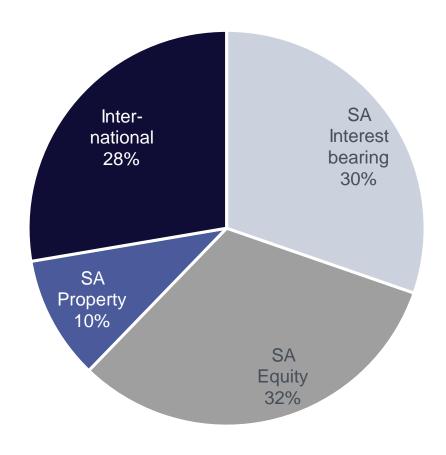
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etfSA RA Wealth Protector



Asset class	Reg. 28 Category	Bank and Call Deposits	Weight (%)
SA Interest bearing	Cash (max 100%)	Nedbank	24.8
		Standard Bank	20.0
		Firstrand Bank	18.7
		ABSA	16.8
		Investec	8.4
		Nedgroup CIS	3.1
		Southchester	2.7
		Bank of China	2.1
		Other	3.2

etfSA RA Wealth Default



Asset class	Reg. 28 Category	Description	Weight (%)
SA Interest bearing	Cash (max 100%)	Cash	10.5
OA Interest bearing	Debt (max 75%)	NewFunds GOVI ETF	19.8
SA Equity	Equities (max 75%)	CoreShares SA Top50 ETF	31.9
SA Property	Immovable Property (max 25%)	CoreShares Proptrax SAPY ETF	10.1
Offshore	Foreign exposure (max 30% + 10% in Africa)	Satrix MSCI World ETF	27.7

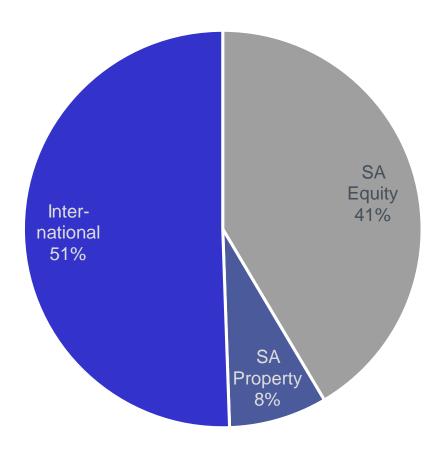
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etfSA Living Annuity

- Same five portfolios as for the RA Fund
- One additional portfolio Wealth Maximiser –
 not Reg. 28 compliant (does not need to be)
- •Can accommodate personalised portfolios for investments of > R5m, e.g. 100% offshore



etfSA LA Wealth Maximiser



Asset class	Description	Weight (%)
SA Equity	Coreshares SA Top50 ETF	6.9
	Satrix FINI ETF	3.9
	Satrix INDI ETF	4.8
	Ashburton Mid Cap ETF	6.9
SA Equity	Coreshares Sci-Beta MF ETF	3.0
	NewFunds Tgt Vol High Growth Equity ETF	5.0
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	DBX-Trackers MSCI China ETN	5.9
	Firstrand USD Custodial Certificates	3.7
	AMI Africa ex-SA Big50 ETF	6.0
Commodities	Standard Bank AfricaPlatinum ETF	2.9
Commodities	NewGold Palladium ETN	3.2

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