

About the PPS Stable Growth Fund Fund

The PPS Stable Growth Fund is a Regulation 28 compliant portfolio. It is suitable for investors seeking to achieve moderate returns while preserving capital over the medium to long term.

The primary objective of the fund is to outperform the ASISA SA Multi Asset Medium Equity category average.

The inestment horizon for this fund is greater than five years.

About the PPS Partnership Fund manager

In December 2020, Laurium Capital acquired Tantalum Capital and its senior investment professionals by mutual consent. The combined business has approximately R30 billion in assets under management and specialist capabilities across the full range of asset classes.

Rob Oellermann and Melanie Stockigt will continue to manage the PPS Stable Growth Fund and draw on the support of the experienced Laurium investment team. We view the merger as positive for the fund and do not anticipate significant changes given the key decision-makers continued involvement in the portfolio, and their alignment with the broader Laurium investment process.

Investment approach of the manager

This strategy follows a valuation-based approach with the emphasis on delivering a real return over time. Individual securities are assessed and included in the portfolio based on its ability to deliver real capital growth over the medium to long term, irrespective of the asset class, or the weight of the security in its reference index.

The manager aims to construct a well-diversified portfolio by employing different strategies that should benefit from different market conditions. In-depth fundamental company analysis is key to their process while there is a consideration for macroeconomic factors, which results in a thematic overlay to the allocation.

How this manager creates wealth

The manager's primary focus is on having a diversified portfolio that is likely to perform well in most market conditions and is likely to be a top performer, if and when, mid and low caps do well.

With vast experience, in-depth company knowledge and a strong focus on research, the manager has the ability to make informed investment decisions in the mid and low cap space, while retaining a nimble edge to portfolio management.

We partner with managers
whose investment style
ensures more consistent
returns over the investment
horizon.



Why choose PPS Investments

At PPS Investments, we offer a suite of flexible investment solutions for pre-retirement, post-retirement and wealth creation. We create opportunities for optimal diversification through our fund range that caters to various risk appetites and time horizons. Our offering is geared to meet the investment needs of PPS members, their family and other discerning investors, too.

We're part of PPS, a holistic financial services company specialising in bespoke financial solutions exclusively to graduate professionals. Operating under the ethos of mutuality, PPS shares 100% of its profits among its qualifying members.

When investing with us, you could get even more.

- Earn more profit-share allocation via <u>Linking</u> and the PPS Profit-Share Cross-Holdings Booster.
- Save on administration fees by creating a Family Network.

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PPS Multi-Managers has appointed the Tantalum Capital, an authorised Financial Services Provider, as the Investment Manager of the PPS Stable Growth Fund.

