

Portfolio objective and benchmark

This portfolio is designed for institutional investors seeking superior absolute returns (in excess of inflation) over the long term with a higher risk tolerance in the short term than the Balanced Portfolio. The benchmark is the mean performance of the large managers as surveyed by Alexforbes.

Product profile

- Actively managed pooled portfolio.
- Investments selected from all local asset classes.
- Fully reflects the manager's strong investment convictions and could deviate considerably in both asset allocation and stock selection from the average retirement portfolio.

Investment specifics

- This portfolio is available as a linked policy issued by Allan Gray Life Limited available only to retirement funds and medical schemes.
- Minimum investment: R20m.
- Performance based fee.

Compliance with Prudential Investment Guidelines

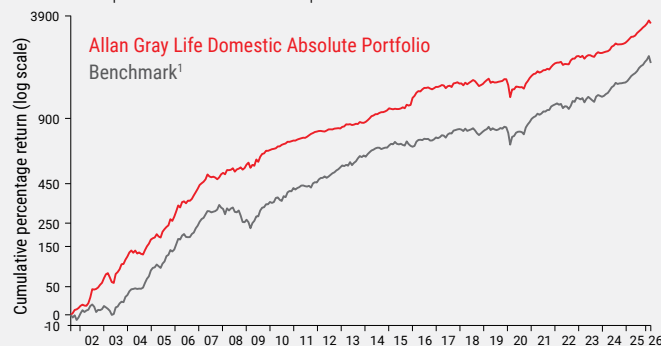
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Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management	R277m
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Performance gross of fees

Cumulative performance since inception



% Returns ²	Portfolio	Benchmark ¹
Since inception	15.5	13.2
Latest 10 years	8.8	10.1
Latest 5 years	13.1	14.1
Latest 3 years	14.7	16.0
Latest 2 years	19.3	22.2
Latest 1 year	23.9	24.6
Latest 3 months	3.0	-1.3

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026

Asset class	Total
Net equities	60.6
Hedged equities	3.1
Property	0.3
Commodity-linked	3.8
Bonds	24.4
Money market and cash	7.9
Total (%)	100.0

- Mean of Alexforbes Domestic Large Manager Watch. The return for March 2026 is an estimate.
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Top 10 share holdings on 31 March 2026 (updated quarterly)

Company	% of portfolio
AB InBev	7.2
Glencore	6.6
Standard Bank	5.8
AngloGold Ashanti	3.9
Woolworths	3.6
British American Tobacco	3.5
Prosus	3.4
Richemont	2.7
Remgro	2.4
Sasol	2.3
Total (%)	41.4

With the US and Israel launching a joint military operation against Iran on 28 February, the first quarter of 2026 was characterised by heightened geopolitical risk, sharp moves in commodity and equity markets, and continued divergence across asset classes. Against this backdrop, the Portfolio delivered a pleasing return of 3.0% for the quarter, outperforming its benchmark by 4.4%. Commodity-linked equity exposure and asset allocation decisions played a key role in this relative performance.

Shifts in commodity prices and the resulting equity market volatility were central to quarterly performance, with returns diverging sharply across sectors:

- **Gold:** The precious metal was highly volatile. It started the year at around US\$4 300 per ounce, rallied to a record high above US\$5 400 per ounce in late January, and then declined sharply in March as rising real yields and a stronger US dollar offset its safe-haven appeal. From peak to quarter end, the price of gold fell approximately 16% to US\$4 554 per ounce, ending the quarter slightly above where it began. JSE-listed gold shares showed similar price movements.
- **Platinum:** Similar to gold, at the beginning of the year, platinum continued the strength seen in much of 2025, rising from US\$2 226 per ounce to over US\$2 800 per ounce in late January. It then fell sharply to US\$1 908 per ounce, ending the quarter lower than it began.
- **Oil:** In sharp contrast to the precious metals sector, oil staged a substantial rally in March as the escalation of the US-Israeli war with Iran disrupted supply. This raised concerns around the risks of a prolonged closure of the Strait of Hormuz and the implications for energy markets and related commodities. Having begun the year trading at US\$61 per barrel, Brent crude oil ended the quarter at over US\$100 per barrel.

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Given the importance of oil to the global economy, disruptions to energy supply have widespread implications for global growth, inflation and interest rates. Financial markets have broadly reacted negatively, with global equities declining and volatility intensifying. Rising inflation and interest rate expectations have also seen bond markets sell off.

For example, the South African 10-year government bond fell sharply, with the yield moving from just over 8% at the start of March to 9.6% at the end of the quarter. This is equivalent to a price decline of roughly 8.8%. Recent volatility masks what has, however, been a favourable market for bond investors in South Africa. Over one year, on the back of improving domestic sentiment, declining inflation and South Africa's removal from the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) grey list, the FTSE/JSE All Bond Index has returned 19.2%. Thus, despite the March sell-off, owning South African bonds has been a good investment.

A notable divergence has, however, arisen between the performance of domestic bonds and domestically focused "SA Inc." equities. In contrast to domestic bonds, sentiment towards SA Inc. equities, particularly consumer-facing names, turned negative in 2025. This negativity has carried through into 2026, as constrained household income growth and weak consumer confidence have weighed on sales and earnings growth. Since the start of 2025, the share prices of Mr Price, Truworths, TFG and Spar are all down by over 45%. Even historic market darling Clicks has come under pressure, falling 22% over this period. After being materially underweight most of these shares for some time, we have begun selectively adding exposure in the space over the past few months, as we believe the share prices are now discounting a rather dire future.

The first quarter of 2026 highlighted the importance of diversification in an environment marked by geopolitical shocks and commodity volatility. The Portfolio remains focused on long-term value creation through disciplined asset allocation and security selection. We continue to position the portfolio to withstand a range of outcomes, recognising that periods of uncertainty often present the best opportunities for the patient investor.

During the quarter, the Portfolio added to its positions in Boxer and Shoprite and reduced its holdings in Sasol and the gold miners.

Adapted commentary contributed by Rory Kutisker-Jacobson

Fund manager quarterly commentary as at 31 March 2026

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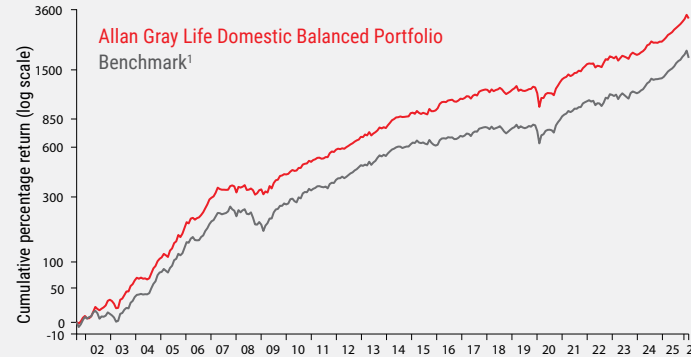
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AngloGold Ashanti	4.4
Standard Bank	3.6
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Sasol	2.5
Nedbank	2.5
Woolworths	2.2
Exxaro	2.0
Total (%)	37.8

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026

Asset class	Total
Net equities	70.2
Hedged equities	1.7
Property	0.6
Commodity-linked	2.6
Bonds	20.2
Money market and cash	4.8
Total (%)	100.0

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During the quarter, the Portfolio added to its positions in Truworths and Dis-Chem and reduced its holdings in Sasol and Gold Fields.

Adapted commentary contributed by Rory Kutisker-Jacobson

Fund manager quarterly commentary as at 31 March 2026

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Portfolio objective and benchmark

This portfolio is for institutional investors requiring management of a specific equity portfolio. It aims to offer superior returns to that of the FTSE/JSE Capped All Share Index, including dividends, but with a lower risk of capital loss. The benchmark is the FTSE/JSE Capped All Share Index, including dividends.

Product profile

- Actively managed pooled portfolio.
- Represents Allan Gray's 'houseview' for a specialist equity-only mandate.
- Portfolio risk is controlled by limiting the exposure to individual counters.

Investment specifics

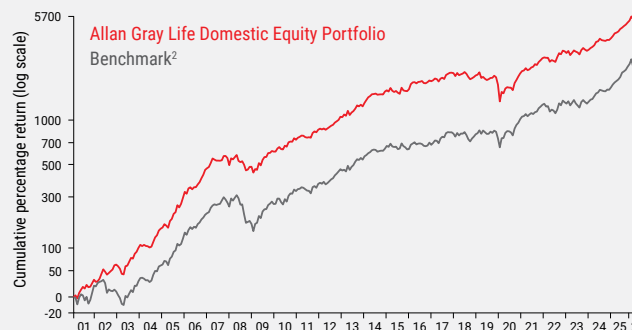
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- Minimum investment: R20m.
- Performance based fee.

Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management **R5 109m**

Performance gross of fees

Cumulative performance since inception¹



% Returns ³	Portfolio	Benchmark ²
Since inception ¹	17.3	14.1
Latest 10 years	9.8	11.9
Latest 5 years	16.1	15.4
Latest 3 years	17.6	19.2
Latest 2 years	24.6	28.4
Latest 1 year	31.6	34.1
Latest 3 months	4.9	-0.5

Sector allocation on 31 March 2026 (updated quarterly)

Sector	% of equities ⁴	% of Capped ALSI ²
Financials	24.9	27.8
Basic materials	24.7	34.2
Consumer staples	21.9	8.9
Consumer discretionary	9.6	5.1
Technology	7.5	10.1
Industrials	4.0	2.1
Energy	3.7	0.8
Healthcare	2.0	1.1
Real estate	0.9	4.5
Telecommunications	0.7	5.4
Total (%)	100.0	100.0

- Since alignment date (1 February 2001).
- FTSE/JSE Capped All Share Index. From 1 October 2020 to 31 December 2025, the benchmark was the FTSE/JSE Capped Shareholder Weighted All Share Index. The benchmark prior to 1 October 2020 was the FTSE/JSE All Share Index.
- Investment returns are annualised (unless stated otherwise), except for periods less than one year. Performance as calculated by Allan Gray as at 31 March 2026.
- Includes listed property.

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Top 10 share holdings on 31 March 2026 (updated quarterly)

Company	% of portfolio
AB InBev	7.5
Naspers & Prosus	7.4
Glencore	6.5
Standard Bank	5.2
AngloGold Ashanti	5.2
British American Tobacco	5.1
Nedbank	3.9
Sasol	3.2
FirstRand	3.0
Remgro	2.9
Total (%)	49.9

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026

Asset class	Total
Net equities	97.0
Hedged equities	0.0
Property	0.9
Commodity-linked	0.1
Bonds	0.0
Money market and cash	2.1
Total (%)	100.0

Geopolitical tension in the Middle East dominated market returns this quarter. After the MSCI World Index (World Index) and the FTSE/JSE All-Share Index (ALSI) closed near all-time highs in 2025, both indices suffered negative returns in the first quarter of 2026, with the World Index down 3.6% in US dollars and the ALSI down 0.6% in rands (down 3.7% in US dollars). Even more pronounced was the volatility. Within the three-month period, the ALSI recorded 12 days with daily returns below -1% and another 14 days with daily returns above 1%. Given the heightened uncertainty, sentiment changed rapidly, at times on an intraday basis, in response to real-time statements from parties on the Middle East conflict.

At the time of writing, it is difficult to predict with confidence the end state of the war or whether the ceasefire will hold. A low-road scenario would be a prolonged war with material destruction and/or blockades of infrastructure important to global trade. Iran, Saudi Arabia, Iraq, the United Arab Emirates, Kuwait and Qatar feature among the largest producers of oil and gas globally. The Strait of Hormuz is a critical chokepoint for these commodities, with approximately 20% of global oil volumes sailing through it. As these flows were disrupted, the oil price rose from around US\$60 per barrel at the start of the year to more than US\$100 per barrel at quarter-end. If oil prices remain above US\$100 per barrel, absent lasting government relief, this would add at least 1% to South Africa's inflation rate. The eventual impact is likely to be higher as the oil price spike permeates through the broader economy, particularly if fuel availability becomes constrained.

The war is also not positive for South Africa's terms of trade. We rely on imports to fulfil 80% of the country's fuel needs (i.e. everything outside of Sasol Synfuels), which is reflected in the rand depreciating close to the R17-per-US-dollar barrier during the quarter. None of this is good news for South African consumers, and particularly for lower-income households whose disposable income was already constrained. At the other extreme, a swift end to the conflict could see trade flows resume quickly, with on-hand stockpiles cushioning any prolonged impact on inflation. This would likely see a strong recovery in asset prices. We believe positioning the Portfolio at either boundary is unwise, given the call it requires on inherently unpredictable state actors.

Given the volatility outlined above, the Portfolio performed acceptably during the quarter in maintaining a positive absolute return. [To quote from the Portfolio's Q4 2025 commentary](#): "Given current valuations, we are concerned about the prospects for absolute returns. Therefore, the Portfolio is positioned defensively to protect capital." With the benefit of hindsight, this caution proved warranted. We remain concerned on the outlook for global and local growth, as well as deteriorating inflation forecasts. This would be less problematic if valuations were very low, but broadly this is not the case in the US and in some sectors of the ALSI. As such, the largest equity positions in the Portfolio comprise the rand hedges and select domestically focused companies that we believe can grow earnings even in a tougher macroeconomic scenario.

We define risk as the probability of permanent capital loss, rather than failure to track a benchmark. This philosophy often leads the Portfolio to be more conservatively positioned. As a result, the Portfolio does well to keep up when overall markets are strong. However, most of the Portfolio's outperformance is derived when markets are weak, leading to superior risk-adjusted returns through the cycle. A strong recovery in equity prices from here should see the Portfolio generate strong absolute returns, though likely below the benchmark return. However, a further sell-off in markets should see capital better protected, with strong relative returns as an added benefit. We believe such positioning is prudent given the heightened uncertainty.

During the quarter, the Portfolio added to its positions in Dis-Chem and Mr Price and reduced its holdings in Sasol and the gold miners.

Adapted commentary contributed by Jithen Pillay

**Fund manager quarterly
commentary as at
31 March 2026**

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Portfolio objective and benchmark

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Product profile

- Conservatively managed pooled portfolio.
- Investments selected from all asset classes as permitted by Regulation 30.
- We attempt to limit the risk of capital loss by holding shares with limited downside or attractive dividend yields and/or hedging stock market exposure.
- Modified duration of the fixed interest component will be conservative.

Investment specifics

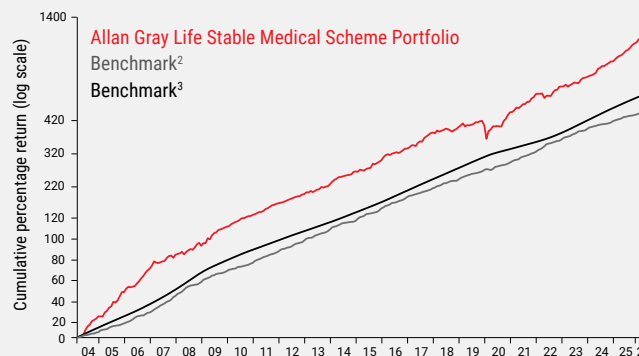
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Performance gross of fees

Cumulative performance since inception¹



% Returns ⁴	Portfolio	Benchmark ²	Benchmark ³
Since inception ¹	11.1	8.3	8.9
Latest 10 years	9.5	7.6	8.5
Latest 5 years	11.8	7.8	8.5
Latest 3 years	12.8	6.7	9.7
Latest 2 years	15.0	5.8	9.5
Latest 1 year	16.5	6.0	9.0
Latest 3 months	3.0	1.7	2.1

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026

Asset class	Total	South Africa	Foreign
Net equities	25.2	25.2	0.0
Hedged equities	7.8	7.8	0.0
Property	0.2	0.2	0.0
Commodity-linked	2.2	2.2	0.0
Bonds	42.1	28.9	13.2
Money market and cash	22.6	21.4	1.2
Total (%)	100.0	85.6	14.4

- Since alignment date (1 May 2004).
- CPI plus 3% p.a. This data reflects the latest available headline CPI inflation numbers as at 28 February 2026 (Source: Iress). The return for March 2026 is an estimate.
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Remgro	1.3
Richemont	1.3
Woolworths	1.3
Total (%)	19.1

The quarter began on an optimistic note, with both local and global markets extending last year's gains. That changed abruptly in March as the US-Israeli war with Iran escalated, and investors weighed the risk of a more persistent energy shock and lower global growth. On home soil, the South African Reserve Bank kept the repo rate unchanged at 6.75% in March. If oil prices remain above US\$100 per barrel, absent lasting government relief, this would add at least 1% to South Africa's inflation rate – likely more after accounting for knock-on effects.

Locally and globally, there has been a clear shift in sentiment over the quarter. The FTSE/JSE All Share Index ended the quarter 0.6% down, having been up 11% at its intra-quarter high. Similarly, the FTSE/JSE All Bond Index fell 3.4% after trading materially stronger earlier in the period. Against this backdrop, the Portfolio returned 3.0% for the quarter and remained ahead of its benchmark¹. While we do not place much weight on short-term relative performance, it is encouraging that the Portfolio was able to preserve capital and deliver a positive absolute return in a quarter when local equities and local bonds declined.

The reversals in March are a reminder that markets can move quickly from pricing a benign combination of lower inflation and easier policy to pricing supply shocks and heightened geopolitical risk. For a portfolio with capital stability as a core objective, valuation and downside risk matter as much as upside participation. At quarter-end, the Portfolio remained positioned conservatively but with sufficient flexibility to take advantage of dislocations. Net equity exposure was at 25%, comfortably below the Portfolio's 40% maximum. The Portfolio has a meaningful allocation to hedged equities, which protect against declines in market prices. This was very beneficial during the March market correction. The Portfolio's fixed income positioning also remains conservative, with relatively low duration and a large holding of cash and near-cash instruments. Having liquidity readily available gives the Portfolio valuable flexibility to take advantage of opportunities that can arise during periods of heightened market volatility.

1. Alexforbes 3-Month Deposit Index plus 2%

It is important to remember that 2025's local equity and bond returns were exceptionally strong. While we would not expect a repeat of these returns, there are still ample opportunities on offer in the local market. Outside of the precious metals sector, which drove market performance in 2025, many SA Inc. shares are, in fact, relatively depressed. South African bond yields rose during the quarter as investors reassessed the outlook for inflation, growth and domestic monetary policy. Higher bond yields improve prospective returns, but we continue to weigh this up against other opportunities and remain cautious about many of the structural challenges facing South Africa, such as the government's fiscal challenges and slow reforms at state-owned enterprises.

The rand touched levels below R16 to the US dollar during the quarter, its strongest level in nearly four years, as South Africa's trade account benefited from the windfall of last year's significant increase in gold and platinum prices. The Portfolio's offshore exposure is primarily driven by where we see the most attractive opportunities, rather than taking a directional view on the rand. It is important to note that while heightened geopolitical uncertainty clouds the outlook for short-term returns, the Portfolio remains defensively positioned overall, aiming to both protect value and deliver returns ahead of cash in the medium term.

During the quarter, the Portfolio added to selected fixed-rate South African government bonds as yields increased. On the equity side, we increased the Portfolio's exposure to retailers by adding to its existing position in Mr Price and initiating a new position in Truworths. We reduced the Portfolio's holdings in Glencore and the gold miners.

Adapted commentary contributed by Tim Acker

**Fund manager quarterly
commentary as at
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Portfolio objective and benchmark

This portfolio is for risk-averse institutional investors. It aims to offer superior returns to money market investments with limited capital volatility whilst striving for capital preservation over any two-year period. In terms of Allan Gray’s risk-profiled range, this portfolio has less risk of capital loss than the Balanced Portfolio. The benchmark is the Alexforbes 3-month Deposit Index plus 2% or CPI plus 3%.

Product profile

- Conservatively managed pooled portfolio.
- Investments selected from all local asset classes.
- We attempt to limit the risk of capital loss by holding shares with limited downside or attractive dividend yields and/or hedging stock market exposure.
- Modified duration of the fixed interest component will be conservative.

Investment specifics

- This portfolio is available as a linked policy issued by Allan Gray Life Limited available only to retirement funds and medical schemes.
- Minimum investment: R20m.
- Performance based fee or fixed fee.

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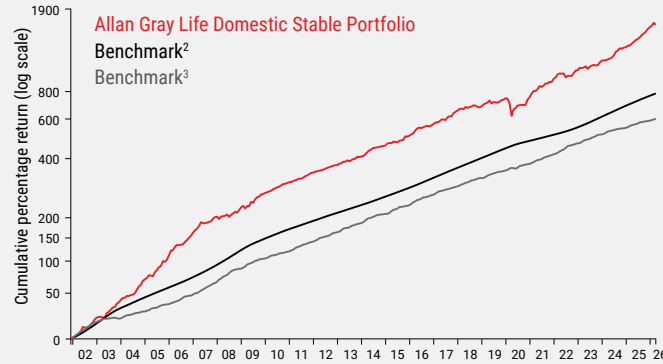
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Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management	R1 723m
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Performance gross of fees

Cumulative performance since inception¹



1. Since alignment date (1 December 2001).
2. Alexforbes 3-month Deposit Index plus 2% p.a.
3. CPI plus 3% p.a. This data reflects the latest available headline CPI inflation numbers as at 28 February 2026 (Source: Iress). The return for March 2026 is an estimate.
4. Investment returns are annualised (unless stated otherwise), except for periods less than one year. Performance as calculated by Allan Gray as at 31 March 2026.

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% Returns ⁴	Portfolio	Benchmark ²	Benchmark ³
Since inception ¹	12.1	9.4	8.3
Latest 10 years	9.8	8.5	7.6
Latest 5 years	12.4	8.5	7.8
Latest 3 years	13.5	9.7	6.7
Latest 2 years	16.6	9.5	5.8
Latest 1 year	18.2	9.0	6.0
Latest 3 months	2.1	2.1	1.7

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026

Asset class	Total
Net equities	25.3
Hedged equities	8.0
Property	0.2
Commodity-linked	2.2
Bonds	52.4
Money market and cash	11.8
Total (%)	100.0

Top 10 share holdings on 31 March 2026 (updated quarterly)

Company	% of portfolio
AB InBev	3.3
Sasol	3.0
Standard Bank	2.1
Shoprite	2.0
British American Tobacco	1.8
AngloGold Ashanti	1.7
Woolworths	1.3
Richemont	1.3
Remgro	1.3
Glencore	1.3
Total (%)	18.9

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Portfolio objective and benchmark

The Portfolio aims to balance capital appreciation, income generation and risk of loss in a diversified global multi asset class portfolio. The benchmark is a composite consisting of 60% of the MSCI World Index (net dividends reinvested) and 40% of the J.P. Morgan Global Government Bond Index.

Product profile

- This is a feeder portfolio, investing in the Orbis SICAV Global Balanced Fund which is actively managed by Orbis.

Investment specifics

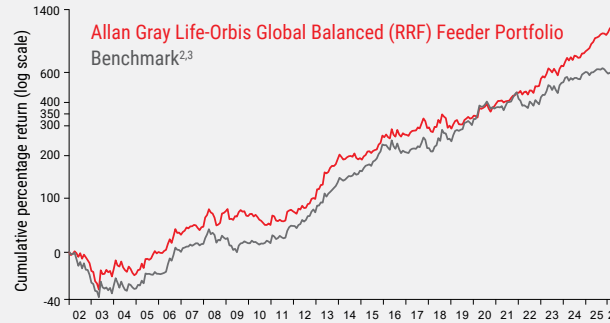
- This portfolio is available as a linked policy issued by Allan Gray Life Limited available only to retirement funds.
- Minimum investment: R20m.
- The Base Refundable Reserve Fee is levied in the underlying Orbis SICAV Global Balanced Fund.

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Performance net of fees¹

Cumulative performance since inception



% Returns ^{1,4}	Portfolio		Benchmark ^{2,3}	
	ZAR	US\$	ZAR	US\$
Since inception	10.5	8.8	8.4	6.7
Latest 10 years	12.5	10.8	8.6	7.0
Latest 5 years	17.1	13.7	8.1	5.0
Latest 3 years	19.6	21.1	8.9	10.2
Latest 2 years	17.6	23.8	3.1	8.5
Latest 1 year	24.5	33.8	4.2	12.0
Latest 3 months	8.0	4.7	0.4	-2.7

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026⁵

Asset class	Total	United States	UK	Europe ex-UK ⁶	Japan	Other ⁶	Emerging markets
Net equities	56.1	14.7	12.2	3.8	2.4	4.8	18.1
Hedged equities	17.3	10.5	0.7	4.2	0.2	0.3	1.4
Property	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.4
Commodity-linked	2.7	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bonds	19.6	9.1	0.2	1.1	0.0	2.4	6.8
Money market and cash	3.0	2.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.3
Total	100.0	39.3	13.2	9.4	3.5	7.5	27.1
Currency exposure	100.0	22.8	12.3	22.5	10.5	13.5	18.2
Benchmark	100.0	63.5	4.8	17.3	9.1	5.3	0.0

Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management	R1 234m
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- The returns prior to 1 August 2015 are those of the Allan Gray Life Foreign Portfolio since its inception on 23 January 2002. This portfolio invested in a mix of Orbis funds. The Investor Class Fee was levied in the underlying Orbis funds.
- 60% of the MSCI World Index (net dividends reinvested) and 40% of the J.P. Morgan Global Government Bond Index*.
- The benchmark prior to 1 August 2015 was that of the Allan Gray Life Foreign Portfolio which is 60% of the MSCI All Country World Index and 40% of the J.P. Morgan Global Government Bond Index*.
- Investment returns are annualised (unless stated otherwise), except for periods less than one year. Performance as calculated by Allan Gray as at 31 March 2026.
- Refers to the asset allocation of the underlying Orbis SICAV Global Balanced Fund.
- Refers to developed markets only.

Note: There may be slight discrepancies in the totals due to rounding.

Top 10 holdings on 31 March 2026 (updated quarterly)

Company	% of portfolio
Samsung Electronics	5.4
Taiwan Semiconductor Mfg	3.8
US TIPS >10 Years	3.8
Kinder Morgan	3.6
SPDR®Gold Trust	2.7
Newmont	2.5
Barrick Mining	2.3
Prysman Group	2.0
Balfour Beatty	1.7
Drax Group	1.6
Total (%)	29.4

The Orbis SICAV Global Balanced Portfolio has delivered moderate positive returns year-to-date, outpacing its benchmark, but that year-to-date performance obscures month-to-month differences. In March, the Portfolio participated in broader market declines. While we care deeply about relative performance, the absolute decline this month is real and is not pleasing.

It is hard to delineate the start of well-anticipated events such as this one. When did the US-Israeli war with Iran actually start? Was it the day missiles first flew, or was it weeks before, when the marshalling of US military equipment started? As the US military presence grew, oil- and gas-related securities outperformed, including the currencies of major exporters such as Norway, Australia and Brazil. The Portfolio participated more than fully in that outperformance, but, frustratingly, did not outperform in March.

It would be wonderful if we could predict both world events and their timing. Armed with that dual prescience, we could design the perfect fear portfolio for specific risks. Sadly, we lack that prescience, so targeting a specific scenario would mean carrying holdings that are poorly suited to much more likely environments. Investors who do this wind up providing clients with a "stopped clock" portfolio that is wrong the vast majority of the time, but occasionally very right. This typically comes at the expense of clients' long-term returns.

Of course, we also avoid greed portfolios, which are filled with investments that are highly levered to some popular theme.

What we can do is work hard to create moderate and lower risk portfolios. While we don't know which scenarios will come to pass, or when, we can incorporate our analysis of those scenarios into our assessment of individual securities. For example, we started buying oil and gas producers in the British North Sea last summer. We did so because they were undervalued and on the basis that there is increasing pressure on the UK government to repeal its counterproductive windfall profits tax. A secondary benefit of holding the North Sea producers was their contribution to the resilience of the Portfolio amid growing geopolitical tensions in the Middle East.

While it is exciting to think about "fat tail" scenarios, our day job is to find securities trading for far less than they are worth under a broad spectrum of environments, and then constantly adjust them to maintain a Portfolio that we believe is likely to produce superior long-term returns with no greater risk than our benchmark.

Whether our portfolios outperform over the specific dates for some bearish event is out of our hands. As value investors, the pattern we see often unfolds in three stages. First, our portfolios outperform as anticipation of an event builds. They then underperform when the event actually hits, as "risk-off" investors seek whatever assets feel most comfortable. Then, finally, the dust settles and the portfolios resume outperformance. It doesn't always happen that way, but that's the devil we know.

As we are never sure of the timing, we are constantly looking for investments that can display relative strength in times of turmoil owing to their inherent and fundamental merits. We do not seek investments for their past behaviour based on "factors" or

correlations. This sometimes sets up a frustrating performance profile during "risk-off" events. The events currently unfolding in this war serve as a good and timely example.

We have recently been building material positions in the Australian dollar, Norwegian krone and Brazilian real. That is owing to them being materially undervalued and because of the superior yields on offer via their sovereign bonds. But the third attraction is their resource wealth. These attributes should have held these bonds and currencies in very good stead when the Iran conflict broke out, and all had been strong in the lead-up to hostilities. But when fighting broke out, all three sets of bonds and currencies sold off materially against the US dollar.

Why?! Well, Mr Market shifted into "factor mode". In times of stress, when events on the ground are most complex, the market ironically seeks simplification. It tends to do this by leaning heavily on heuristics and factors. The primary heuristic employed in this case was THIS IS SCARY + AVOID ENERGY IMPORTERS = HIDE IN US DOLLARS. Once this die is cast, the factors kick in, enforced by big quantitative investing models and amplified by momentum. In this case, factors dictated: US DOLLAR UP = ALL OTHER CURRENCIES DOWN. As leaning on heuristics is much easier than assessing the relative merits of things, the indiscriminate nature of the moves is the market's equivalent of shooting first and asking questions later.

Gold was caught in the same game. Despite having as strong a heuristic case as the US dollar of being the safe haven asset to hold, with bond yields rising and the US dollar strengthening, the factors part of the process dictated reflexively selling gold. DOLLAR STRONG + YIELDS UP = SELL GOLD. It did not help that gold had been a strongly favoured asset in the months preceding the war and became the thing that held up and could be liquidated to make margin calls. While it remains to be seen, when the market shifts to "ask questions", we should not be surprised if gold's safe-haven credentials reappear in prices.

Times of crisis and their induced market sell-offs are inherently unstable and unpredictable. This is especially true for wars. As the turmoil continues, financial markets may well flip between "shoot first" and "ask questions" multiple times. Each time, the list of perceived safe havens may change. Rather than predicting which assets heuristics will favour, we will continue to focus on challenging the fundamentals and valuations of what's holding up best in the Portfolio and taking advantage of overshooting market reactions. Our focus is on maintaining portfolios that we believe are most likely to outperform their benchmarks with no greater risk of loss.

In the last quarter, we initiated a position in Australian government bonds and exited positions in healthcare companies UnitedHealth and ICON.

Adapted from a commentary contributed by Alec Cutler, Orbis Investment Management Limited, Bermuda

Fund manager quarterly commentary as at 31 March 2026

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Product profile

- Actively managed pooled portfolio.
- Investments selected from all asset classes.
- Investments may include foreign funds including, but not limited to, those managed by Orbis. Orbis is our global investment management partner which shares the same founder and investment philosophy as Allan Gray.
- Fully reflects the manager’s strong investment convictions and could deviate considerably in both asset allocation and stock selection from the average retirement portfolio.

Investment specifics

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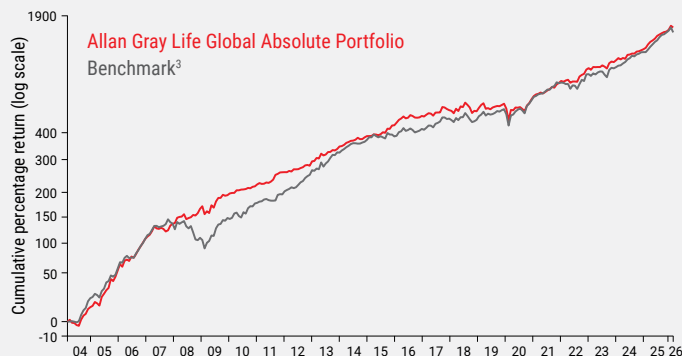
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Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management	R2 268m
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Performance¹

Cumulative performance since inception²



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Latest 10 years	9.0	9.7
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Latest 3 months	3.9	0.1

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026⁵

Asset class	Total	South Africa	Foreign
Net equities	64.1	41.8	22.3
Hedged equities	14.7	3.8	10.9
Property	1.8	0.3	1.6
Commodity-linked	4.5	4.5	0.0
Bonds	9.2	5.4	3.8
Money market and cash ⁶	5.6	2.7	2.8
Total (%)	100.0	58.5	41.5

- Performance is gross of Allan Gray fees. Underlying Orbis fund returns are net of fees.
- Since alignment date (1 March 2004).
- Mean of Alexforbes Global Large Manager Watch. The return for March 2026 is an estimate.
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- Includes the impact of any currency hedging.

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Top 10 share holdings on 31 March 2026 (SA and Foreign) (updated quarterly)⁵

Company	% of portfolio
AB InBev	5.5
Glencore	4.6
Standard Bank	3.7
Woolworths	3.0
AngloGold Ashanti	2.9
British American Tobacco	2.7
Naspers & Prosus	2.6
The Walt Disney Company	2.0
Gold Fields	1.9
Richemont	1.8
Total (%)	30.8

With the US and Israel launching a joint military operation against Iran on 28 February, the first quarter of 2026 was characterised by heightened geopolitical risk, sharp moves in commodity and equity markets, and continued divergence across asset classes. Against this backdrop, the Portfolio delivered a pleasing return of 3.9% for the quarter, outperforming its benchmark by 3.8%. Commodity-linked equity exposure and asset allocation decisions played a key role in this relative performance.

Shifts in commodity prices and the resulting equity market volatility were central to quarterly performance, with returns diverging sharply across sectors:

- **Gold:** The precious metal was highly volatile. It started the year at around US\$4 300 per ounce, rallied to a record high above US\$5 400 per ounce in late January, and then declined sharply in March as rising real yields and a stronger US dollar offset its safe-haven appeal. From peak to quarter end, the price of gold fell approximately 16% to US\$4 554 per ounce, ending the quarter slightly above where it began. JSE-listed gold shares showed similar price movements.
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Given the importance of oil to the global economy, disruptions to energy supply have widespread implications for global growth, inflation and interest rates. Financial markets have broadly reacted negatively, with global equities declining and volatility intensifying. Rising inflation and interest rate expectations have also seen bond markets sell off.

For example, the South African 10-year government bond fell sharply, with the yield moving from just over 8% at the start of March to 9.6% at the end of the quarter. This is equivalent to a price decline of roughly 8.8%. Recent volatility masks what has, however, been a favourable market for bond investors in South Africa. Over one year, on the back of improving domestic sentiment, declining inflation and South Africa's removal from the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) grey list, the FTSE/JSE All Bond Index has returned 19.2%. Thus, despite the March sell-off, owning South African bonds has been a good investment.

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Adapted commentary contributed by Rory Kutisker-Jacobson

**Fund manager quarterly
commentary as at
31 March 2026**

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Portfolio objective and benchmark

This portfolio is for institutional investors with an average risk tolerance. It aims to offer long-term returns superior to the benchmark, but at lower risk of capital loss. In terms of Allan Gray's risk-profiled range, this portfolio has a higher risk of capital loss than the Stable Portfolio, but less than the Absolute Portfolio. The benchmark is the mean performance of the large managers as surveyed by Alexforbes.

Product profile

- Actively managed pooled portfolio.
- Investments selected from all asset classes.
- Investments may include foreign funds including, but not limited to, those managed by Orbis. Orbis is our global investment management partner which shares the same founder and investment philosophy as Allan Gray.
- Represents Allan Gray's 'houseview' for a global balanced mandate.

Investment specifics

- This portfolio is available as a linked policy issued by Allan Gray Life Limited available only to retirement funds.
- Minimum investment: R20m.
- Performance based fee.
- The Base Refundable Reserve Fee is levied on the Orbis funds.

Compliance with Prudential Investment Guidelines

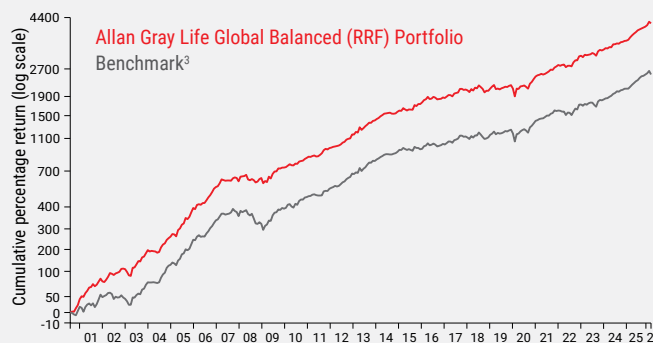
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Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management **R39 608m**

Performance^{1,2}

Cumulative performance since inception



% Returns ^{2,4}	Portfolio ¹	Benchmark ³
Since inception	15.7	12.8
Latest 10 years	10.4	9.7
Latest 5 years	14.4	12.5
Latest 3 years	15.7	14.4
Latest 2 years	17.4	16.7
Latest 1 year	23.7	20.1
Latest 3 months	4.3	0.1

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026⁵

Asset class	Total	South Africa	Foreign
Net equities	64.3	40.6	23.8
Hedged equities	13.3	2.0	11.3
Property	1.7	0.1	1.6
Commodity-linked	2.3	2.3	0.0
Bonds	12.7	10.1	2.6
Money market and cash ⁶	5.7	2.6	3.1
Total (%)	100.0	57.6	42.4

- Performance is gross of Allan Gray fees. Underlying Orbis fund returns are net of fees.
- The returns prior to 1 August 2015 are those of the Allan Gray Life Global Balanced Portfolio since its inception on 31 August 2000. The Investor Class Fee was levied in the underlying Orbis funds.
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Top 10 share holdings on 31 March 2026 (SA and Foreign) (updated quarterly)⁵

Company	% of portfolio
AB InBev	4.2
Glencore	3.5
Naspers & Prosus	3.2
AngloGold Ashanti	3.0
British American Tobacco	2.4
Standard Bank	2.3
Nedbank	1.7
Sasol	1.7
Remgro	1.5
The Walt Disney Company	1.5
Total (%)	24.9

With the US and Israel launching a joint military operation against Iran on 28 February, the first quarter of 2026 was characterised by heightened geopolitical risk, sharp moves in commodity and equity markets, and continued divergence across asset classes. Against this backdrop, the Portfolio delivered a pleasing return of 4.3% for the quarter, outperforming its benchmark by 4.2%. Commodity-linked equity exposure and asset allocation decisions played a key role in this relative performance.

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During the quarter, the Portfolio added to its positions in Truworths and Dis-Chem and reduced its holdings in Sasol and Gold Fields.

Adapted commentary contributed by Rory Kutisker-Jacobson

Fund manager quarterly commentary as at 31 March 2026

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Portfolio objective and benchmark

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Product profile

- Conservatively managed pooled portfolio.
- Investments selected from all asset classes.
- Investments may include foreign funds including, but not limited to, those managed by Orbis. Orbis is our global investment management partner which shares the same founder and investment philosophy as Allan Gray.
- We attempt to limit the risk of capital loss by holding shares with limited downside or attractive dividend yields and/or hedging stock market exposure.
- Modified duration of the fixed interest portfolio will be conservative.

Investment specifics

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- Minimum investment: R20m.
- Performance based fee or fixed fee.

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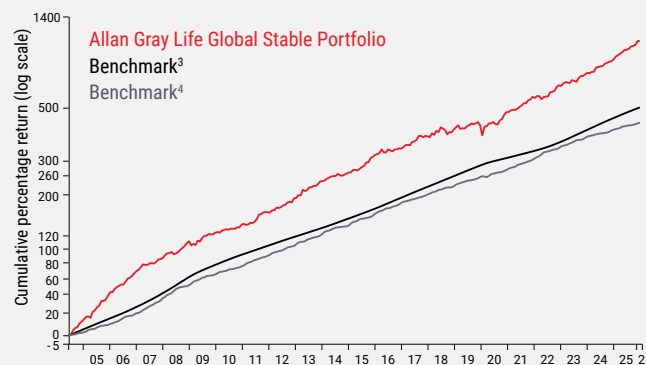
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Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management **R5 841m**

Performance¹

Cumulative performance since inception²



% Returns ⁵	Portfolio ¹	Benchmark ³	Benchmark ⁴
Since inception ²	11.7	8.9	8.3
Latest 10 years	9.6	8.5	7.6
Latest 5 years	12.2	8.5	7.8
Latest 3 years	12.9	9.7	6.7
Latest 2 years	13.7	9.5	5.8
Latest 1 year	15.9	9.0	6.0
Latest 3 months	3.9	2.1	1.7

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026⁶

Asset class	Total	South Africa	Foreign
Net equities	28.9	15.8	13.1
Hedged equities	20.2	8.9	11.3
Property	0.9	0.0	0.9
Commodity-linked	1.9	1.6	0.4
Bonds	36.6	29.9	6.7
Money market and cash ⁷	11.4	8.3	3.1
Total (%)	100.0	64.5	35.5

- Performance is gross of Allan Gray fees. Underlying Orbis fund returns are net of fees.
- Since alignment date (1 August 2004).
- Alexforbes 3-month Deposit Index plus 2%.
- CPI plus 3% p.a. This data reflects the latest available headline CPI inflation numbers as at 28 February 2026 (Source: Iress). The return for March 2026 is an estimate.
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Top 10 share holdings on 31 March 2026 (SA and Foreign) (updated quarterly)⁶

Investment Name	% of portfolio
AB InBev	2.7
Sasol	2.1
British American Tobacco	1.8
AngloGold Ashanti	1.8
Woolworths	1.2
Remgro	1.2
Standard Bank	1.2
Richemont	1.0
Glencore	1.0
Shoprite	0.9
Total (%)	14.8

The quarter began on an optimistic note, with both local and global markets extending last year's gains. That changed abruptly in March as the US-Israeli war with Iran escalated, and investors weighed the risk of a more persistent energy shock and lower global growth. On home soil, the South African Reserve Bank kept the repo rate unchanged at 6.75% in March. If oil prices remain above US\$100 per barrel, absent lasting government relief, this would add at least 1% to South Africa's inflation rate – likely more after accounting for knock-on effects.

Locally and globally, there has been a clear shift in sentiment over the quarter. The FTSE/JSE All Share Index ended the quarter 0.6% down, having been up 11% at its intra-quarter high. Similarly, the FTSE/JSE All Bond Index fell 3.4% after trading materially stronger earlier in the period. Against this backdrop, the Portfolio returned 3.9% for the quarter and remained ahead of its benchmark¹. While we do not place much weight on short-term relative performance, it is encouraging that the Portfolio was able to preserve capital and deliver a positive absolute return in a quarter when other major asset classes declined.

The reversals in March are a reminder that markets can move quickly from pricing a benign combination of lower inflation and easier policy to pricing supply shocks and heightened geopolitical risk. For a portfolio with capital stability as a core objective, valuation and downside risk matter as much as upside participation. At quarter-end, the Portfolio remained positioned conservatively but with sufficient flexibility to take advantage of dislocations. Net equity exposure was at 29%, comfortably below the Portfolio's 40% maximum. The Portfolio has a meaningful allocation to hedged equities, which protect against declines in local and global markets. This was very beneficial during the March market correction. The Portfolio's fixed income positioning also remains conservative, with relatively low duration and a large holding of cash and near-cash instruments. Having liquidity readily available gives the Portfolio valuable flexibility to take advantage of opportunities that can arise during periods of heightened market volatility.

It is important to remember that 2025's local equity and bond returns were exceptionally strong. While we would not expect a repeat of these returns, there are still ample opportunities on offer in the local market. Outside of the precious metals sector, which drove market performance in 2025, many SA Inc. shares are, in fact, relatively depressed. South African bond yields rose during the quarter as investors reassessed the outlook for inflation, growth and domestic monetary policy. Higher bond yields improve prospective returns, but we continue to weigh this up against other opportunities and remain cautious about many of the structural challenges facing South Africa, such as the government's fiscal challenges and slow reforms at state-owned enterprises.

The rand touched levels below R16 to the US dollar during the quarter, its strongest level in nearly four years, as South Africa's trade account benefited from the windfall of last year's significant increase in gold and platinum prices. The level of the Portfolio's offshore exposure is primarily driven by where we see the most attractive opportunities, rather than taking a directional view on the rand. While we continue to see global markets as relatively expensive, the Portfolio's offshore holdings are meaningfully differentiated and, pleasingly, have performed well ahead of global indices during the quarter. The Portfolio's 35% offshore exposure is also an important source of diversification. As seen again this quarter, periods of global market stress often lead to a weakening of the rand. In such scenarios, the offshore allocation serves as a useful ballast, offsetting declines in local market prices. It is important to note that while heightened geopolitical uncertainty clouds the outlook for short-term returns, the Portfolio remains defensively positioned overall, aiming to both protect value and deliver returns ahead of cash in the medium term.

During the quarter, the Portfolio added to selected fixed-rate South African government bonds as yields increased. On the equity side, we increased the Portfolio's exposure to retailers by adding to its existing position in Mr Price and initiating a new position in Truworths. We reduced the Portfolio's holdings in Sasol and the gold miners.

Adapted commentary contributed by Tim Acker

**Fund manager quarterly
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1. Alexforbes 3-Month Deposit Index plus 2%

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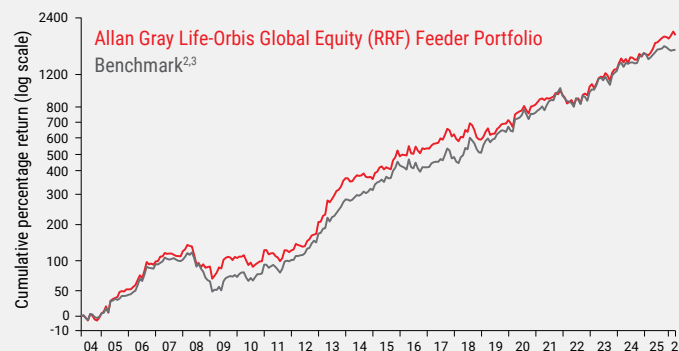
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Performance net of fees¹

Cumulative performance since inception



% Returns ^{1,4}	Portfolio		Benchmark ^{2,3}	
	ZAR	US\$	ZAR	US\$
Since inception	14.8	10.0	14.0	9.3
Latest 10 years	13.7	12.0	13.5	11.8
Latest 5 years	14.7	11.4	13.6	10.3
Latest 3 years	20.9	22.3	15.4	16.8
Latest 2 years	13.2	19.2	7.2	12.8
Latest 1 year	24.0	33.3	10.6	18.9
Latest 3 months	3.6	0.4	-0.5	-3.6

Asset allocation on 31 March 2026⁵

Asset class	Total	United States	UK	Europe ex-UK ⁶	Japan	Other ⁶	Emerging markets
Net equities	94.7	42.7	13.0	7.3	2.2	6.4	22.9
Property	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	0.7	0.0
Money market and cash	2.3	1.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.3
Total	100.0	44.4	13.0	7.6	4.6	7.1	23.2
Currency exposure	100.0	41.9	9.2	9.8	9.6	12.2	17.1
Benchmark	100.0	71.3	3.8	12.7	5.7	6.5	0.0

Portfolio information on 31 March 2026

Assets under management R1 611m

- The returns prior to 1 April 2015 are those of the Allan Gray Life-Orbis Global Equity Portfolio since its inception on 18 May 2004. The Investor Class Fee was levied in the underlying Orbis Global Equity Fund.
- The benchmark prior to 1 April 2015 was that of the Allan Gray Life-Orbis Global Equity Portfolio which was the FTSE World Index, including income.
- MSCI World Index, with net dividends reinvested.
- Investment returns are annualised (unless stated otherwise), except for periods less than one year. Performance as calculated by Allan Gray as at 31 March 2026.
- Refers to the asset allocation of the underlying Orbis Institutional Global Equity Fund.
- Refers to developed markets only.

Note: There may be slight discrepancies in the totals due to rounding.

Top 10 holdings on 31 March 2026 (updated quarterly)

Company	% of portfolio
QX0	5.1
Corpay	5.1
Samsung Electronics	4.3
Taiwan Semiconductor Mfg	4.0
SK Square	3.5
Alphabet	2.6
Motorola Solutions	2.4
EQT	2.4
Mitsubishi Estate	2.3
Nebius Group	2.2
Total (%)	33.9

The first quarter of 2026 was eventful. It was marked by further significant developments in artificial intelligence (AI), a sharp sell-off in software-related shares, waning confidence in private credit funds and, tragically, the outbreak of another war in the Middle East.

Navigating a dynamically shifting investment environment requires adaptability, but that doesn't mean shortening our investment horizon. Rather, it means being responsive – new information that can change a company's share price or our assessment of its intrinsic value, and therefore, the gap between the two. It should therefore come as no surprise that our recent portfolio turnover has been higher than usual, which we believe is healthy and consistent with a disciplined, long-term investment philosophy.

As well as adaptability, a changing market environment also tends to reward humility. In last quarter's commentary, we highlighted a powerful dynamic: We don't have to be right all the time, as long as our winners win more than our losers lose. This attractive feature – the positive "skew" – means identifying shares with vastly more upside than downside. It is one of the key benefits of a contrarian investment approach that emphasises margin of safety.

Three of our top winners this quarter were semiconductor manufacturers – "picks and shovels" to the AI boom – while seven of our top losers were healthcare-related companies. Positive skew meant that the outperformance from the semiconductors more than offset the losses on healthcare.

Healthcare

The biggest detractor was ICON, a clinical trial company whose shares fell heavily after reporting financial irregularities. With the benefit of hindsight, we would place greater weight on earlier public signals around class actions and management culture. Consistent with our mindset of continuous improvement, we are working on our process for identifying cultural red flags. ICON was sold during the quarter.

We also sold US-managed care organisations UnitedHealth and Elevance, after they detracted from performance. Dependent on government-funded programmes, they received the disappointing news that the proposed 2027 Medicare Advantage reimbursement rates will fall short of rising care costs. At best, this delays the earnings recovery we expected; at worst, it threatens it altogether. The US government seems intent on squeezing healthcare expenditure, and managed care companies are an easy target.

While painful to lock in losses by selling underperforming shares, it is often the right thing to do. If the share price no longer stacks up well against the value on offer, we can best serve clients by dispassionately rotating the capital into more attractive ideas.

Semiconductors

Notwithstanding a recent sell-off in Korean equities, given the country's reliance on imported energy, our semiconductor holdings have been strong performers, especially since purchase. While we have recently taken profits on SK Square, it remains a large holding, reflecting what we see as the value on offer.

Aside from the here-and-now of the US-Israeli war with Iran, the bigger long-term theme that will shape the future of the semiconductor sector is AI. While extraordinary levels of capital expenditure fuel valid debate about whether AI is a bubble, it is clear that real intrinsic value is being created. ChatGPT has already amassed almost a billion regular users worldwide, while Anthropic has over 500 corporate customers spending at least US\$1 million per year, and nine spending over US\$100 million. Companies do not spend such sums lightly.

This demand requires vast amounts of computing power supplied by only a few key players. The Portfolio owns Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company, Samsung Electronics and SK hynix (held via the deeply discounted holding company SK Square). Insatiable demand for more compute has driven earnings to unprecedented cyclical highs, making all three stocks exceptionally rewarding.

Whether these record earnings hold or fall back as the cycle fades is a key question, but considering both possibilities convinces us that the upside/downside skew remains in our favour. With the shares priced at very reasonable earnings multiples, the stock market is treating the AI boom as a normal semiconductor cycle, which signals that earnings are widely expected to revert to lower levels. If earnings moderate, the shares will likely not be disastrous because that bearish outcome is already priced in.

But a far more bullish scenario is also possible: a self-perpetuating feedback loop where more computing power improves AI capabilities, creating more user demand. That dynamic has no natural upper limit and would benefit only the small number of companies that have the scale and technical know-how to provide this revolutionary technology.

Rest of the Portfolio

When software shares sold off, we asked: Will there be fundamental disruption to these businesses or not? That guided our focus towards companies with defensive network effects and proprietary data sets, including a new position in the software-enabled credit bureau Experian. At the same time, while looking for opportunities to strengthen the Portfolio's resilience, we added to the Portfolio's energy exposure through EQT, a natural gas producer that we believe will benefit from AI-fuelled data centre demand for reliable power, and Shell, a diversified energy business and liquefied natural gas (LNG) producer.

As our focus is on long-term returns, clients should not expect positive relative returns each quarter or each year. Historically, we have outperformed the MSCI World Index in 57% of quarters, 61% of calendar years, 75% of 10-year periods and 100% of 20-year periods since inception¹. We remain confident of the power of our investment philosophy to generate superior returns over time.

In the last quarter, in addition to increasing the Portfolio's position in EQT Corporation, a natural gas producer, we exited the position in UnitedHealth on reduced conviction and reduced our holding in SK Square into relative share price strength.

Adapted from a commentary contributed by Ben Preston, Orbis Portfolio Management (Europe) LLP, London

Fund manager quarterly commentary as at 31 March 2026

1. This is the asset-weighted net-of-fee return of all share classes in the Strategy. This return may differ from the return of any individual share class. The Orbis Global Equity Strategy inception date is 1 January 1990.

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