### **GTC Fixed Income Fund** Minimum Disclosure Document

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#### Investment mandate and objective

The primary investment objective of the Fund is to generate real positive returns over time through the active management of a combination of money market, bond and income generating instruments. The strategy and investment mandate of the fund has a focus on income generation, with downside protection of capital.

**Investment features:** The fund will primarily invest in a range of fixed inxome securities including instruments guaranteed by the Republic of South Africa, gilts, semi-gilts, loan stock, preference shares, debentures, debenture stock, debenture bonds, unsecured notes, financially sound listed property investments, participatory interest in collective investment schemes and any other instruments guaranteed by the Republic of South Africa which are considered consistent with the fund's primary objective. Taquanta Asset Management is our preferred investment manager mandated to achieve the above investment objectives.

Performance (%) Since 5 Years\* 3 Years\* 1 Year 6 Month 3 Months Inception GTC Fixed Income - B 7.45 7.14 7.80 8.12 3.98 1.92 ALBI 1-3 yr 6.39 5.60 6.33 6.16 2.13 -0.11 Cash - (STEFI CALL) 5.15 4.56 5.09 5.14 2.48 1.21 Cash - (STEFI) 5.68 5.13 5.70 5.77 2.80 1.40

#### \*Annualised

Other points to note with regards to performance reported above:- The figures refer to the average yearly return of an investment over a given time period. Returns for periods less than one year are not annualised.- Lump sum investment performances quoted.- Performance is calculated for the portfolio: individual investor performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment and dividend withholding tax.

#### Performance history (%)

	Highest monthly return per annum (%)				) Lowest monthly return per annum (%)			
	Portfolio: Class B	ALBI 1-3 yr	Cash - (STEFI CALL)	Cash - (STEFI)	Portfolio: Class B	ALBI 1-3 yr	Cash - (STEFI CALL)	Cash - (STEFI)
2018*	0.70	1.00	0.43	0.47	0.61	-0.15	0.38	0.45
2017	0.74	2.08	0.45	0.51	0.63	-0.31	0.39	0.44
2016	0.79	1.64	0.95	0.51	0.49	-0.06	-0.07	0.39
2015	0.65	1.77	0.38	0.42	0.22	-1.60	0.30	0.35

<sup>\*</sup>Return reflects the highest and lowest monthly return achieved from January to the current month

Risk profile of the fund Low risk

#### **Fund facts:**

GTC Multi manager:

Fund classification: SA - Multi Asset - Income

Investment managers: Taquanta

Benchmark: Alexander Forbes MM Index

Management company: GTC Management Company

Inception date: July 2007

Trustee: Societe General

R971 741 457 Fund size:

Better of SteFI Call Rate and Target return:

ALBI 1-3years

Income declaration: 28 February, 31 May, 31 Aug, 30

Income distribution: Third day of the following month

Value distributed: Nov Feb Mav Aua

2017: 2017: 2018: 2018:

2.0725 2.1385 1.9747 2.0980

Current NAV &Dealing prices: Class B: R 1.0594

#### **Total Investment Charges (%)**

#### as at 29 June 2018

Total Expense Ratio (TER)	0.85
Weighted TER portion of underlying	0.85
Performance Fee	0.00
Transaction Costs (TC)	0.00
Total Investment Charges (TIC)	0.85

#### Total Investment Charges are quarterly in arrears.

**TER**: Expenses relating to the administration of the Financial Product. A higher TER ratio does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER may not be necessarily an accurate indication of future TERs.

TC: Costs relating to the buying and selling of the assets

underlying the Financial Product.

TIC: Transaction costs are a necessary cost in administering the Financial Product returns. It should 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.

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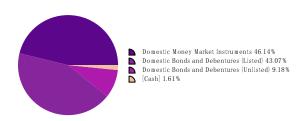
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#### Asset class exposure



#### Asset class exposure for the quarter (%)

Asset Class	April	May	June
Domestic Bonds and	46.14	45.70	43.07
Debentures (Listed)	40.14	45.70	45.07
Domestic Money Market	43.13	45.85	46.14
Instruments	45.15	C0.C+	40.14
Domestic Bonds and	8.16	8.09	9.18
Debentures (Unlisted)	0.10	6.09	9.10
[Cash]	2.58	.36	1.61

#### Risk statistics (%): 5 Years Rolling

Tracking Error	1.39
Annualized Standard Deviation	1.39

### **NAV** values

	April	May	June
Fund Units	907,143,647.80	907,315,525.87	916,766,367.79
Fund NAV	R969,173,018.10	R975,913,438.72	R971,741,457.03
Class NAV [B]	R105,657,430.50	R107,287,364.79	R108,205,514.50

#### Mandate compliance

The fund remains within the reporting regime as at the date of this report.

Exposure by Years to Maturit	ty
0 - 1yrs	9.24
1 - 3yrs	48.63
3 - 7yrs	32.05
7 - 12yrs	4.29
>12yrs	1.01

#### Top 10 fixed income holdings (%)

Total

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NEDBANK (non putable) FRN 14082019	6.36
FirstRand Bank Ltd NCD 15/07/2022	5.83
Standard Bank NCD 18/07/2022	5.83
Absa Bank Ltd NCD 2021/02/12	5.09
FirstRand NCD 22/09/2021	4.24
Absa NCD 11/09/2019	3.18
Nedbank Capital (pty) Ltd. Frn 07-jan-2021	3.18
Standard Bank of South Africa Stepped Note 18/01/2	3.18
South African National Roads Agency Ltd. Frn 19	3.08
Absa Bank Ltd NCD 11/04/2019	2.76
Total	42.73

#### **Portfolio Commentary**

Global bond markets as measured by the Citigroup WGBI was down 3.36% over the quarter in anticipation that the Fed would be raising rates for the second time this year. The ECB also indicated that it plans to wind down stimulus measures by end December but will maintain low interest rates for at least the next year.

Locally the bond market declined by 3.9% with investors exiting EM markets on the back of a rampant dollar, higher US rates and concerns around the impact that a trade war between the US and China would have on emerging markets. The longer end of the SA yield curve came under pressure with the 12+ duration (-4.9%) bonds weakening significantly. The STEFI cash composite returned 1.78% over the quarter while the Rand closed at 13.71 to the US Dollar weakening by 13.6% from its Q3 close of 12.38.

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MDD Issue date: 16th working day of every month