

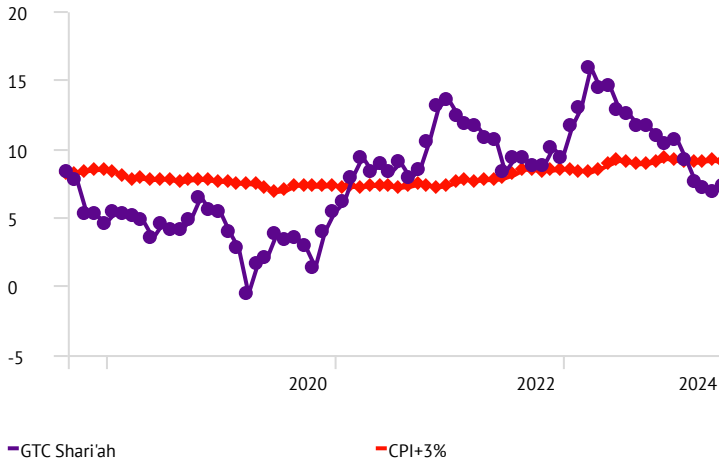
GTC Shari'ah Balanced

As of 31/05/2024

Rolling returns (%)

Time Period: Since Common Inception (01/09/2015) to 31/05/2024

Rolling Window: 3 Years 1 Month shift



Investment mandate and objectives

This is a prudential fund that invests in other funds to provide investors with an opportunity to hold a wide range of underlying asset classes within the ethical parameters of Shari'ah governed investments.

Please note that none of the portfolios described above offer guaranteed investment returns and the member assumes the investment risk. The actual investment returns, positive or negative, are passed onto the member.

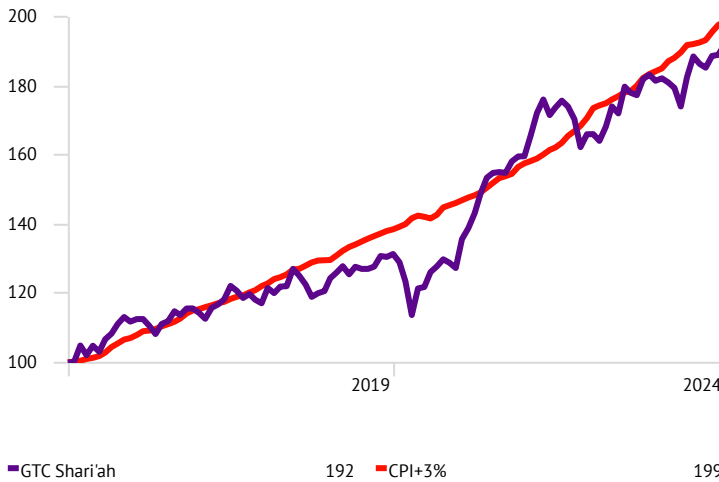
- Features:**
- Regulation 28 compliant
 - Shari'ah compliant
 - Capital growth
 - Capital preservation
 - Multi asset class
 - Local and international exposure

Fund facts:

- Multi manager:** GTC
Benchmark: CPI + 3% over 5 year rolling periods
Risk profile: Moderate risk

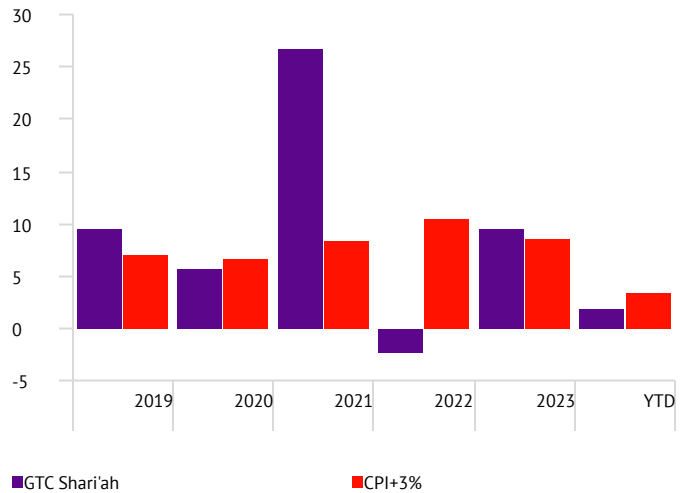
Longest history cumulative performance (%)

Time Period: Since Common Inception (01/09/2015) to 31/05/2024



Calendar year returns (%)

As of Date: 31/05/2024



Performance (%)

	7 Yr*	5 Yr*	3 Yr*	1 Yr
GTC Shari'ah	7.69	8.88	7.37	4.75
CPI+3%	8.08	8.30	9.02	8.32

*Annualised
CPI is lagged by 1 month.

Returns are gross of all fees except for transaction, custody, and underlying manager performance fees. Please note that past performance is not a guide to future performance and individual investment returns may differ as a result of the selected client access point and cash flows.

Risk statistics: 5 years rolling (%)

Time Period: 01/06/2019 to 31/05/2024

	Return	Std Dev	Sharpe Ratio	Max Drawdown
GTC Shari'ah	8.88	8.97	0.38	-13.46

As of 31/05/2024

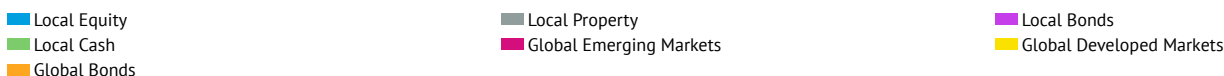
Investment allocation: Managers (%)



Market performance ranking

As of Date: 31/05/2024 Currency: South African Rand

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD
Best	Global Developed Markets 24.1	Global Emerging Markets 24.0	Local Property 36.9	Local Cash 5.2	Global Developed Markets 34.0	Global Developed Markets 12.3
	Global Emerging Markets 15.1	Global Developed Markets 21.5	Global Developed Markets 32.9	Local Equity 4.4	Global Emerging Markets 18.9	Global Emerging Markets 5.8
	Local Bonds 10.3	Global Bonds 15.4	Local Equity 27.1	Local Bonds 4.3	Global Bonds 13.9	Local Cash 3.4
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Worst	Local Property 1.9	Local Property -34.5	Global Bonds 2.5	Global Emerging Markets -15.2	Local Equity 7.9	Global Bonds -1.5



Market summary

- Local equities, as measured by the JSE All Share SWIX index, ended the month up +0.9%, driven primarily by the Industrials sector, +1.7%, as Richemont (+12.7%), Prosus (+5.8%), and British American Tobacco (+4.5%) saw some gains. The Resource sector came in slightly positive at +0.3% while the Financials sector declined -0.4%, due to a pullback in Capitec (-8.5%) and Discovery (-8.8%).
- The local property sector rose by +0.2% this month, driven by heavyweight Nepi Rockcastle, which gained +2.2%.
- During the month, President Cyril Ramaphosa signed the controversial National Health Insurance (NHI) Bill into law. The NHI bill continues to be surrounded by uncertainty since its announcement, particularly regarding its funding.
- The South African Reserve Bank kept the repo rate unchanged at 8.25% in May as widely expected. South Africa's annual inflation rate eased to a four-month low of 5.2% (year-on-year to the end of April 2024), down from 5.3% in March and slightly below market forecasts of 5.3%. However, inflation remains above the central bank's preferred level of 4.5%.
- Local bonds (JSE ALBI) earned +0.8% over the month, in line with local cash (STEFI Composite) but slightly below offshore bonds (FTSE WGBI) which came in at +1.1% USD. Concerns around a higher for longer interest rate environment globally has kept markets on uneven footing. The Gold price continued its upward momentum, gaining 1.4% USD in May 2024.
- The Bank of England maintained its key bank rate at 5.25% during its May meeting, while consensus still expects the ECB to cut rates in June. The US Federal Reserve also kept its rate unchanged in May for the sixth consecutive time, due to ongoing inflationary pressures and a tight labour market.
- The MSCI Emerging Markets equity index gained +0.6% but lagged the developed market MSCI World Index which was up 4.5%.

Glossary

Standard deviation

- Is a measure that is used to quantify the amount of variation or dispersion of a set of data values around the mean value. This measure is commonly known as volatility and referenced as an explicit measure of risk.

Max drawdown

- Is the maximum loss from a peak to a trough of a portfolio before a new peak is attained. Maximum Drawdown is an indicator of downside risk over a specified time period.

Sharpe ratio

- Is a measure for calculating risk-adjusted return, and this ratio has become the industry standard for such calculations. The Sharpe ratio is the average return earned in excess of the risk-free rate per unit of volatility or total risk. In other words, it measures how much excess return a portfolio has earned in relation to the level of risk it is exposure to. The higher the ratio the stronger the risk adjusted return.

Calmar ratio

- Is a measure for calculating risk-adjusted return. It is the average return earned per unit of capital loss risk taken in the form of maximum drawdown over a given period.