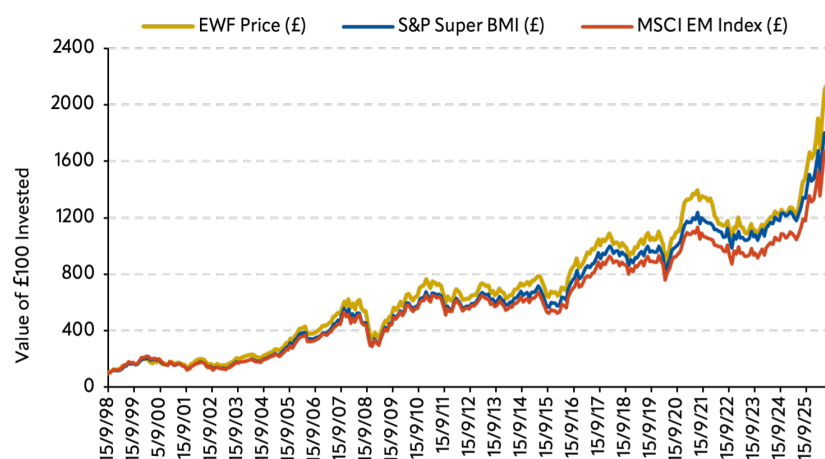


Fund Objective & Background

The objective of The Emerging World Fund (EWF) is to invest for capital growth in a portfolio of closed-end funds whose investment policy is directed mainly towards emerging markets. EWF is actively managed. This approach allows great flexibility in asset allocation, a wider diversification of investments, participation in the performances of high quality fund managers and potentially enhanced performance when the discounts to net asset value at which closed-end funds tend to trade narrows. EWF is a sub-fund of The World Markets Umbrella Fund plc.

EWF Performance* Compared to the S&P Super Composite Net Total Return BMI** and MSCI EM Index (£) Since Inception to 31 August 2026

(Rebased from inception, where 15th September 1998 = 100)



*Historical net of fees performance is based on an investment management fee of 1.5% per annum; as of 7 February 2022, the investment management fee is 1.45%. Returns are quoted in GBP for the convenience of shareholders, however the base currency of the Fund is USD.

**The benchmark was changed from the S&P Emerging BMI Plus on January 1, 2009 to better reflect the investment strategy of the Fund. The S&P Emerging BMI Plus was the successor index to the S&P/IFC Global Composite Index, the benchmark for the Fund prior to September 1, 2008, which has been discontinued. Benchmark changes have not been applied retroactively and therefore historical benchmark performance is a blend of the BMI and IFC indices.

The MSCI Emerging Markets Net Total Return Index (MSCI EM Index) is shown for comparative purposes. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

Performance Figures

GBP	EWF*	S&P Super BMI	MSCI EM Index
1 Year	41.57%	32.34%	38.76%
5 Year	9.05%	8.13%	8.51%
10 Year	9.40%	8.85%	8.91%
Inception (Annualised)	11.48%	10.83%	10.52%

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Price

Price	US\$168.98
	£124.48
	EURO145.41

Exchange Rate £1 = US\$1.35745

EURO1 = US\$1.16210

Shares In Issue 628,990.755

Source: CLIM, BNY Mellon, S&P, MSCI

Monthly Trading Activity

Top CEF Purchases

Aberdeen India Fund Inc

Morgan Stanley India Investment Fund Inc

Top CEF Sales

Fidelity Emerging Markets

Aberdeen Asia Focus

Samsung C&T

The top purchases and sales are determined based on the dollar value of all transactions in each security over the period. ETFs used for managing cash flows are excluded. Nothing herein should be construed as investment advice or a recommendation to buy or sell any securities. Past Performance does not predict future returns.

Source: CLIM, MSCI

Fund Data

USD	August	3 Months Ago	1 Year Ago
Fund AUM	£87.0m	£91.6m	£78.1m
# of Holdings	40	40	44

Geographic Breakdown

Country	Fund (%)*	S&P Super BMI(%)**
China	21.0	21.5
Taiwan	25.7	25.3
South Korea	19.1	18.1
India	12.1	12.5
Vietnam	2.9	0.5
Hong Kong	2.2	0.0
Other Asia	3.8	3.9
Total Asia	86.8	81.8
Brazil	2.8	3.4
Mexico	2.8	1.6
Other Latin America	0.9	1.9
Total Latin America	6.5	6.9
South Africa	1.1	2.5
Saudi Arabia	0.4	2.3
Other Europe, ME & Africa	3.1	6.5
Total Europe, ME & Africa	4.6	11.3
Other	0.6	0.0
Cash	1.5	0.0
Total	100.0	100.0

*Based on CLIM estimate

**Index allocation may not add to 100% due to rounding. Please see "Important Notice" for important information.

Sector Breakdown

	Fund (%)*	Benchmark (%)**
Communication Services	5.3	6.1
Consumer Discretionary	11.2	8.0
Consumer Staples	3.5	2.7
Energy	2.0	3.4
Financials	14.4	19.5
Health Care	3.0	2.7
Industrials	14.3	6.5
Information Technology	36.4	41.9
Materials	4.8	6.3
Real Estate	1.6	1.0
Utilities	2.0	1.9
Cash	1.5	0.0
Total	100.0	100.0

Source: CLIM, MSCI, Bloomberg

Risk Profile

- There is no capital guarantee or protection on the value of the Fund. Investors can lose all capital invested in the Fund.
- Some emerging markets in which the Fund invests may have less developed political, economic and legal systems. Such markets may carry a higher than average risk to investment and may lead to large fluctuations in the value of the Fund.
- The Investment Manager does not engage in currency hedging. Changes in currency exchange rates may therefore adversely affect the value of your investment.
- During difficult market conditions, some of the Fund's assets may become difficult to accurately value or to sell at a desired price.
- The Fund may invest in warrants. Warrants carry a degree of risk significantly higher than the underlying company shares due to their leveraged nature and therefore have higher volatility.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance. The value of investments and any income is not guaranteed and can go down as well as up and may be affected by exchange rate fluctuations. This means that an investor may not get back the amount invested. Index returns assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains and unlike fund returns do not reflect fees or expenses. The indices are unmanaged and cannot be invested directly. All information expressed in GBP for the convenience of shareholders, however the base currency of the Fund is USD. All data: Bloomberg, BNY Mellon, CLIM, S&P, MSCI.

All values and calculations in this report are as at 31 August 2026 unless otherwise stated.

Fund Details

The Emerging World Fund is a sub-fund of The World Markets Umbrella Fund plc

Domicile	Dublin
Status	UCITS
Inception	15th September 1998
Income	Reporting status
Investment Management Charge	1.45%
Ongoing Charges including Investment Management Charge	1.88%
Dealing	Daily (Excl. Bank Holidays in UK and Ireland)
Valuation	Daily at 4:00 p.m. EST
Sedol	0903916
ISIN	IE0009039169
Bloomberg Ticker	WOREMDR ID (US\$), WOREMSR ID (£)
Reuters	COLIM

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