Barings Emerging Markets Local Debt Fund

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FUND FACTS

Fund AUM (\$m) 2083.3

Fund Inception Date 04/16/2014

Fund Base Currency USD

Domicile Ireland

Vehicle UCITS

Valuation Daily

Settlement (Subscription) T+3

> Trading Deadline 13:00 (Dublin Time)

Regulator Central Bank Of Ireland

Morningstar Category EAA Fund Global Emerging Markets Bond - Local Currency

Benchmark
J.P. Morgan GBI-EM Global
Diversified Index

SFDR Classification Article 8

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

Ricardo Adrogué, PhD 31 years of experience

Cem Karacadag 29 years of experience

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KEY RISK

During exceptional market conditions there may be insufficient buyers and sellers to allow the Fund to buy and sell investments, which could affect the Fund's ability to meet investors' redemption requests. Losses may occur if an organisation through which we buy an asset fails to meet its obligations. Custody of assets involves a risk of loss if a custodian becomes insolvent or breaches duties of care. Fund investments in derivatives are sensitive to changes in the value of the underlying asset on which they are based and their use may result in losses greater than the amount originally invested. Fund investments in overseas assets may lose value due to movements in foreign exchange rates. Fund investments in debt securities are sensitive to changes in interest rates and are subject to risks that the issuer will not meet its payment obligations (i.e., default). Low rated (high yield) or equivalent unrated debt securities generally offer a higher return than higher rated debt securities, but are subject to greater risks that the issuer will default. Fund investments in emerging markets may be subject to more risk due to economic, political or structural challenges. Further information on the Fund's risks can be found in the KIID and prospectus.

OBJECTIVE

The Barings Emerging Markets Local Debt Fund ("The Fund) seeks a long-term total return through current income and capital appreciation by investing in a diversified portfolio of emerging markets local currency-denominated debt securities and global currencies.

FUND PERFORMANCE (%)	Class E USD Inc (Gross of Fees)	Class E USD Inc (Net of Fees)	Benchmark
Year to Date	-3.52	-4.05	-2.66
1 Year	5.81	4.43	5.09
3 Years	-1.66	-2.94	-3.31
5 Years	1.93	0.59	0.00
10 Years	1.38	-0.03	-0.66
Since Inception	1.60	0.19	-0.40

ROLLING 12 MONTH PERFORMANCE (%)	Class E USD Inc (Gross of Fees)	Class E USD Inc (Net of Fees)	Benchmark
03/31/2023 - 03/31/2024	6.50	5.11	4.91
03/31/2022 - 03/31/2023	2.83	1.49	-0.72
03/31/2021 - 03/31/2022	-7.13	-8.36	-8.53
03/31/2020 - 03/31/2021	18.89	17.31	13.03
03/31/2019 - 03/31/2020	-8.13	-9.36	-6.52

PAST PERFORMANCE DOES NOT PREDICT FUTURE RETURNS. An investment entails risk of loss. Returns for periods greater than one year are annualized. If you are investing in a different currency to the base currency of the fund, your returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. The Benchmark is used for risk management and performance comparison purposes. The investment manager has complete discretion in making investments and is not constrained by the Benchmark.

Source: Morningstar/Barings: Performance figures are shown in USD on a NAV per unit basis, with gross income reinvested

Performance figures prior to August 17, 2018 are hypothetical. The hypothetical fund performance is based on the A USD Inc share class. This has been net down by 1.40% from the inception of the fund to 8/31/2015 and by 1.30% from 9/1/2017 to August 16, 2017 to create a proxy net E class calculated from the inception of the fund. The proxy net E class has been net down by the A class OCF

*Please refer to page 3 for additional detail.

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CHARACTERISTICS	Barings Emerging Markets Local Debt Fund	J.P. Morgan GBI-EM Global Diversified Index
Yield to Worst (%)	8.15	6.98
Effective Duration (Years)	6.07	4.89
Average Rating	Baa1 / BBB+	Baa1 / BBB+
IG / HY Composition (% of NAV)	83 / 17	80 / 20

TOP 10 COUNTRY ALLOCATION (%)	Fund	Bench
South Africa	10.59	8.27
Indonesia	9.13	10.00
Colombia	8.87	4.63
Mexico	8.36	10.00
Czech Republic	8.19	6.32
Malaysia	7.67	10.00
Hungary	6.76	3.03
Peru	5.64	2.30
Thailand	5.40	9.19
Poland	4.16	8.08

TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)	Fund
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA GOVERNMENT BOND	4.48
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA GOVERNMENT BOND	3.58
CZECH REPUBLIC GOVERNMENT BOND	3.54
CZECH REPUBLIC GOVERNMENT BOND	3.13
PERU GOVERNMENT BOND	2.81
THAILAND GOVERNMENT BOND	2.76
MEXICAN BONOS	2.60
MALAYSIA GOVERNMENT BOND	2.58
COLOMBIANTES	2.41
INDONESIA TREASURY BOND	2.32

REGIONAL ALLOCATION (%)	Fund	Bench
CEEMEA	36.02	31.71
LATAM	29.77	29.10
ASIA	26.52	39.19
DM Funding Currency	-	-
Cash & Equivalents	7.69	-

TOP SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)	Fund	Bench
Government	92.30	100.00

CREDIT QUALITY (%)	Fund	Bench
A & Above	29.11	36.19
BBB	46.19	43.47
BB	12.42	18.82
В	3.18	1.52
CCC & Below	1.43	-
Not Rated	0.21	-
Cash & Equivalents	7.46	-

^{1.} The minimum investment amount for I share class is \$1,000.00 if invested through an intermediary or financial institution. If not invested through an intermediary or financial institution, the minimum investment is \$1,000,000.00

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MANAGEMENT FEE SCHEDULE			
	Commitment	Management Fee (p.a.)	TER ¹
Share Tranche E	\$100k (or equivalent)	1.20%	1.30%

Annual Expenses capped at 20 bps per annum. Please refer to Prospectus for more information. Be aware of currency risk. If you are buying this product in a different currency to your local currency you will receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get will depend on the exchange rates between the two currencies.

1The Total Expense Ratio (TER) represents annual charges and other payments taken from the Fund, including the Management Fee. The OCF excludes the costs of buying and selling assets for the Fund. The OCF is based on ex-post expenses for the year ended October 29, 2021 and may vary from year to year.

CLASS E ACTIVE SHARE CLASSES				
Share Class	ISIN	Bloomberg ID	Lipper	
Class E CHF Accumulation	IE00BKZGY777	BAEMECA	68518880	
Class E EUR Accumulation	IE00BKZGY116	BCEMLEE	68309173	
Class E EUR Distribution	IE00BKZGY223	BAEMEED	68518882	
Class E GBP Accumulation	IE00BKZGY553	BAEMEGA	68518883	
Class E GBP Distribution	IE00BKZGY660	BAEMEGD	68518884	
Class E USD Accumulation	IE00BKZGXZ81	BCEMLEU	68311234	
Class E USD Distribution	IE00BKZGY009	BAEMEUD	68518890	

^{*}Please refer to prospectus for additional currency class information.

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Barings Emerging Markets Local Debt Fund class A USD Acc share class was rated against the numbers of EAA Fund Global Emerging Markets Bond - Local Currency investments over the following time periods: 866 investments in the last three years, 744 investments in the last five years, and 426 investments in the last ten years. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.**

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