Barings Emerging Markets Sovereign Debt Fund



OVERALL MORNINGSTAR RATING™

FUND FACTS

Fund AUM (\$m) 896.9

Fund Inception Date 09/08/2015

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

Benchmark

JP Morgan EMBI Global Diversified Index

SFDR Classification Article 8

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

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OBJECTIVE

The Barings Emerging Markets Sovereign Debt Fund ("The Fund") is an actively managed Emerging Markets ("EM") sovereign hard currency strategy. The Fund seeks to provide maximum total return consisting of both income and capital appreciation.

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE



This chart shows how an investment of USD 100 in the Fund on its inception date would have performed.

PERFORMANCE (%)1	1M	3M	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	SI ²
Fund (Cumulative)	-1.03	-1.49	6.09	6.09	-5.68	-0.16	52.35
Benchmark (Cumulative)	-1.40	-1.94	6.54	6.54	-2.69	0.58	34.43
Fund (Annualized)	-	-	-	-	-1.93	-0.03	4.63
Benchmark (Annualized)	-	-	-	-	-0.91	0.12	3.23
CALENDAR PERFORMANCE (%)		20	20	2021	2022	2023	2024
Fund		9.	66	-3.47	-20.76	12.27	6.09
Benchmark		5.	26	-1.80	-17.78	11.09	6.54

The fund is actively managed and does not intend to track the benchmark, which is used for performance comparison purposes. The change does not affect how the fund is managed.

- 1. Performance to latest month end. YTD—Year to Date, SI—Since Inception.
- 2. Performance reflects stated inception date through latest month end.

Performance reflects the deduction of fees and expenses based upon the lowest fee share class available within the periods provided. Please note that this does not reflect what a new investor will experience, as their returns will be reduced by the deduction of such fees and expenses of the applicable share class. FUND PERFORMANCE DOES NOT TAKE ACCOUNT OF ANY COMMISSION OR COSTS INCURRED BY INVESTORS WHEN SUBSCRIBING FOR OR REDEEMING SHARES. THESE FIGURES REFER TO THE PAST. PAST PERFORMANCE IS NOT A RELIABLE INDICATOR OF FUTURE RESULTS. Where a benchmark is shown, the benchmark shown is provided in the base currency of the fund and therefore may not be a fair representative comparison to the hedged currency share class shown. The difference in the currency exposure and currency fluctuations in an unhedged benchmark may cause an unintended differential in any performance or risk comparison.

CHARACTERISTICS ^{3,4}	Fund	Bench
Avg. Credit Quality	ВВ	BB+
Weighted Avg. Coupon (%)	6.02	5.23
Weighted Avg. Yield to Maturity (%)	7.32	6.96
Weighted Avg. Yield to Worst (%)	7.09	6.95
Weighted Avg. Current Yield (%)	6.43	5.87
Weighted Avg. Price (USD)	89.92	88.56
Effective Duration (Years)	6.78	6.51
Number Of Issuers	59	163
Number Of Securities	130	978

RISK MEASURES	(3 YEARS)
Alpha	-0.02
Tracking Error	3.13
Beta	1.15
Sharpe Ratio	-0.33
Upside Capture Ratio	1.12
Downside Capture Ratio	1.15
Standard Deviation	12.89

- 3. Where applicable, portfolio level yield metrics include the yield impact of FX hedging on non-base currency positions.
- 4. Weighted averages of all debt securities.

Certain assets that are either distressed, defaulted and/or those that are close to their maturity or call date, may result in inflated yield and spread-related calculations as of the report date.

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TOP 10 COUNTRY ALLOCATION (% Of MV) 1	Fund	Bench
Indonesia	7.79	4.37
Mexico	7.73	4.81
Chile	6.70	3.04
Brazil	6.49	2.95
Peru	6.20	2.49
Turkey	5.67	4.39
Serbia	5.41	0.59
Oman	4.27	3.01
Costa Rica	4.23	1.05
Colombia	4.18	2.75

GEOGRAPHICAL ALLOCATION (% Of MV)	Fund	Bench
LATAM	57.41	33.62
CEEMEA	39.76	46.45
ASIA	22.67	19.93
NORTH AMERICA	5.42	0.00
DEVELOPED EUROPE	0.58	0.00
Cash & Equivalents	0.75	0.00

CREDIT QUALITY (% Of MV)	Fund	Bench
A & Above	17.08	22.12
BBB	28.72	26.01
BB	58.95	26.87
В	11.09	14.55
CCC & Below	9.45	9.97
Not Rated	0.56	0.47
Cash & Equivalents	0.75	0.00

TOP 10 HOLDINGS (% Of MV)	Fund
Government Of Oman Sultanate	4.27
Republic Of South Africa	3.35
Republic Of Argentina Government	2.67
Republic Of Serbia	2.66
Republic Of Turkey	2.56
Gabon Blue Bond Master Trust Series 2	2.50
Jamaica Government	2.21
Republic Of Paraguay Government	2.19
Amazon Conservation Dac	1.96
Republic Of Egypt Arab	1.94

TOP SECTOR ALLOCATION (% Of MV)	Fund	Bench
Government	86.59	81.30
Oil & Gas	3.92	6.50
Industrial	2.80	0.77
Financials	2.15	5.94
Utilities	1.86	3.08
Infrastructure	0.75	0.57
Metals & Mining	0.30	1.47
Transport	0.20	0.22
Cash & Equivalents	0.75	0.00

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Asset allocation % weights include the notional exposure for CDS. Totals will therefore not add to 100%

SHARE CLASS INFORMATION	ON				
Share Class	Inception Date (Share Class)	Minimum Investment (USD)	ISIN	Bloomberg ID	CUSIP
Class I EUR Accumulation	05/05/2020	1,000.00	IE00BYXX2X00		N/A
Class I USD Accumulation	11/15/2019	1,000.00	IE00BYXX2V85	BAMSDDA	G0R5PL380
Class I USD Distribution	11/15/2019	1,000.00	IE00BYXX2W92	BAMSDDU	G0R5PL398
Class I EUR Distribution	10/28/2020	1,000.00	IE00BYXX2Y17		N/A
Class IA USD Accumulation	03/05/2021	500,000.00	IE00BK716D08	BAMSDCA	G0819V105
Class IA USD Distribution	03/05/2021	500,000.00	IE00BK716F22	BAMSDCU	G0819V113
Class A1 USD Accumulation	11/15/2019	1,000.00	IE00BK716859	BAMSDAU	G0819U859
Class A1 USD Distribution	08/11/2020	1,000.00	IE00BK716966	BAMSDTA	G0819U867
Class N USD Accumulation	11/15/2019	1,000.00	IE00BK716B83	BAMSDNU	G0819U875
Class N USD Distribution	08/11/2020	1,000.00	IE00BK716C90	BAMSDTN	G0819U883

^{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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