

ETF Category Report Equity: Emerging Large Cap

As of 3/28/2024

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Equity: Global Large Cap Equity: Global Large Cap - Blend Equity: Global Large Cap - Growth Equity: Global Large Cap - Value Equity: Global Small | Mid Cap Equity: Region - Africa-Middle East Equity: Region - Asia-Pacific

Equity: Region - Country Specific Equity: Region - Eurozone Equity: Region - Latin America

Equity: Region - Asia-Pacific Ex-Japan

Equity: Sector - Communication Services Equity: Sector - Consumer Discretionary Equity: Sector - Consumer Staples Equity: Sector - Energy

Equity: Sector - Financials Equity: Sector - Health Care Equity: Sector - Industrial Equity: Sector - Materials Equity: Sector - Real Estate Equity: Sector - Technology Equity: Sector - Utilities

Equity: Thematic - Disruptive Tech Equity: Thematic - Evolving Consumer

Equity: Thematic - FinTech

Equity: Thematic - Health Innovation Equity: Thematic - Industrial Revolution Equity: Thematic - Infrastructure Equity: Thematic - Midstream & MLPs Equity: Thematic - Miscellaneous Equity: Thematic - Multi-Sector Equity: Thematic - Natural Resources Equity: Thematic - Precious Metals Equity: Thematic - Sustainability

Equity: U.S. Large Cap - Blend Equity: U.S. Large Cap - Growth Equity: U.S. Large Cap - Value Equity: U.S. Mid Cap - Blend

Equity: U.S. Mid Cap - Growth Equity: U.S. Mid Cap - Value Equity: U.S. Small Cap - Blend Equity: U.S. Small Cap - Growth Equity: U.S. Small Cap - Value

Fixed Income: Municipal - Defined Maturity Fixed Income: Municipal - High Yield Fixed Income: Municipal - Intermediate Fixed Income: Municipal - Long Fixed Income: Municipal - Short Fixed Income: Municipal - Single State Fixed Income: Taxable - Bank Loans Fixed Income: Taxable - Convertible Fixed Income: Taxable - Core

Fixed Income: Taxable - Core Enhanced Fixed Income: Taxable - Corporate Fixed Income: Taxable - Defined Maturity Fixed Income: Taxable - Emerging Fixed Income: Taxable - Emerging USD

Fixed Income: Taxable - Governement Intermediate Fixed Income: Taxable - Government Long Fixed Income: Taxable - Government Short Fixed Income: Taxable - High Yield Fixed Income: Taxable - Inflation Protected Fixed Income: Taxable - International Fixed Income: Taxable - International USD Fixed Income: Taxable - Long-Term Fixed Income: Taxable - Multisector

Fixed Income: Taxable - Preferred Stock Fixed Income: Taxable - Securitized Fixed Income: Taxable - Short-Term Fixed Income: Taxable - Ultrashort Non-Traditional: Buffer

Non-Traditional: Interest Rate Volatility Non-Traditional: Leverage | Inverse Non-Traditional: Long | Short Non-Traditional: Option Overlay Non-Traditional: Synthetic Income

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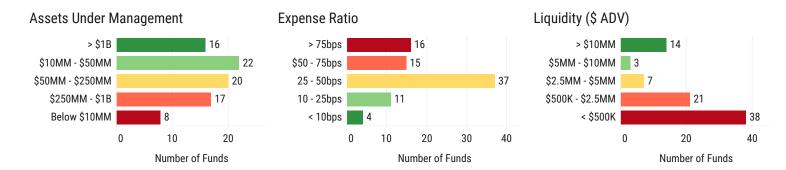
Overview & Structure

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Fund Count	Assets Under Management	Average Expense Ratio	Average Lifespan	Average TTM Yield	Average Spread (%)	Average ADV (\$)
82	\$245.4B	0.47%	7.14 Years	2.72%	0.26%	\$30.27M

Breakdown of Category Universe Ratings



Top 10 Funds by Market Share

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	Expense Ratio	Distribution Yield (TTM)	Average Spread	ADV
IEMG	iShares Core MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	10/18/2012	\$76,133.60M	0.09%	2.82%	0.02%	\$528.78M
VWO	Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets ETF	3/4/2005	\$75,632.21M	0.08%	3.47%	0.02%	\$400.86M
EEM	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	4/7/2003	\$18,151.66M	0.70%	2.57%	0.02%	\$1,131.79M
EMXC	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ex China ETF	7/18/2017	\$12,723.40M	0.25%	1.76%	0.02%	\$140.09M
SPEM	SPDR Portfolio Emerging Markets ETF	3/19/2007	\$8,538.73M	0.07%	2.73%	0.03%	\$56.50M
SCHE	Schwab Emerging Markets Equity ETF	1/14/2010	\$8,475.59M	0.11%	3.73%	0.04%	\$29.96M
FNDE	Schwab Fundamental Emerging Markets Large Co. Index E	8/15/2013	\$5,536.29M	0.39%	4.60%	0.04%	\$16.68M
AVEM	Avantis Emerging Markets Equity ETF	9/17/2019	\$5,086.11M	0.33%	2.96%	0.12%	\$20.48M
EEMV	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets Min Vol Factor ETF	10/18/2011	\$4,409.00M	0.25%	2.69%	0.02%	\$22.87M
ESGE	iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF	6/28/2016	\$4,121.71M	0.25%	2.61%	0.03%	\$29.71M

Top 10 Funds by Greatest Avarage Daily Traded Value (ADV)

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DFAE	Dimensional Emerging Core Equity Market ETF	12/1/2020	\$3,724.74M	0.35%	0.12%	0.04%	\$16.99M

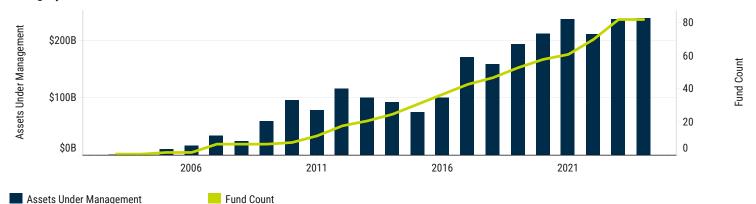
Flows & Category Growth

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Fund Count	Assets Under Management	1 Month Flows	3 Month Flows	Year To Date Flows	1 Year Flows	3 Year Flows	5 Year Flows
82	\$245.4B	\$1.77B	\$4.58B	\$4.42B	\$11.16B	\$59.32B	\$71.63B

Category Growth



Top 10 Funds by 1 Month Flows

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	1 Month	3 Month	Year To Date	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year
EMXC	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ex China ETF	7/18/2017	\$12,723.40M	\$1,607.5M	\$3,661.8M	\$3,573.2M	\$8,131.8M	\$11,602.1M	\$11,978.4M
DFEM	Dimensional Emerging Markets Core Equity 2 ETF	4/26/2022	\$3,460.71M	\$144.9M	\$419.9M	\$419.9M	\$1,598.3M	\$3,197.3M	\$3,197.3M
AVEM	Avantis Emerging Markets Equity ETF	9/17/2019	\$5,086.11M	\$112.0M	\$313.5M	\$299.5M	\$1,869.9M	\$4,144.0M	\$4,693.8M
XCEM	Columbia EM Core ex-China ETF	9/2/2015	\$943.37M	\$79.9M	\$254.5M	\$249.9M	\$690.8M	\$847.1M	\$860.6M
DFAE	Dimensional Emerging Core Equity Market ETF	12/1/2020	\$3,724.74M	\$61.6M	\$225.0M	\$215.4M	\$1,219.0M	\$3,458.2M	\$3,617.0M
EYLD	Cambria Emerging Shareholder Yield ETF	7/14/2016	\$330.26M	\$41.8M	\$52.5M	\$52.5M	\$113.6M	\$253.3M	\$282.8M
DFSE	${\bf Dimensional\ Emerging\ Markets\ Sustainability\ C}$	11/1/2022	\$230.47M	\$25.7M	\$41.1M	\$41.1M	\$89.6M	\$202.8M	\$202.8M
DEM	$\label{thm:continuous} \mbox{WisdomTree Emerging Markets High Dividend F.}.$	7/13/2007	\$2,792.26M	\$25.1M	\$65.9M	\$25.1M	\$431.4M	\$956.1M	\$797.9M
AVES	Avantis Emerging Markets Value ETF	9/28/2021	\$406.04M	\$22.7M	\$46.2M	\$46.2M	\$123.4M	\$381.6M	\$381.6M
KEMX	KraneShares MSCI Emerging Markets EX China I	4/12/2019	\$78.35M	\$17.3M	\$22.8M	\$22.8M	\$41.7M	\$46.2M	\$74.3M

Bottom 10 Funds by 1 Month Flows

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	1 Month	3 Month	Year To Date	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year
EELV	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Low Volatility ETF	1/13/2012	\$459.09M	(\$266.0M)	(\$287.4M)	(\$287.4M)	(\$385.6M)	\$231.0M	\$199.1M
EMCR	Xtrackers Emerging Markets Carbon Reduction	12/6/2018	\$564.36M	(\$54.3M)	(\$261.0M)	(\$261.0M)	\$30.7M	\$666.1M	\$666.1M
XSOE	$\label{thm:wisdomTree} \mbox{ WisdomTree Emerging Markets ex-State-Owned }$	12/10/2014	\$1,979.40M	(\$49.3M)	(\$95.9M)	(\$95.9M)	(\$298.9M)	(\$1,536.6M)	\$2,196.5M
GEM	Goldman Sachs ActiveBeta Emerging Markets E	9/29/2015	\$927.07M	(\$28.1M)	(\$68.3M)	(\$68.3M)	(\$32.1M)	(\$98.2M)	(\$860.6M)
EEMV	${\it iShares\ MSCI\ Emerging\ Markets\ Min\ Vol\ Factor\}$	10/18/2011	\$4,409.00M	(\$22.7M)	(\$22.7M)	(\$22.7M)	(\$412.0M)	\$605.6M	(\$1,039.5M)
RNEM	First Trust Emerging Markets Equity Select ETF	6/20/2017	\$18.09M	(\$18.3M)	(\$18.3M)	(\$18.3M)	\$6.0M	\$8.3M	\$3.8M
QLVE	${\it FlexShares \ Emerging \ Markets \ Quality \ Low \ Volat.}.$	7/15/2019	\$12.02M	(\$9.7M)	(\$2.8M)	(\$2.8M)	(\$7.4M)	\$0.3M	\$7.7M
EMC	Global X Emerging Markets Great Consumer ETF	5/15/2023	\$159.38M	(\$8.2M)	(\$29.0M)	(\$29.0M)	(\$261.1M)	(\$762.2M)	\$231.5M
PXH	Invesco FTSE RAFI Emerging Markets ETF	9/27/2007	\$1,207.03M	(\$5.8M)	(\$9.9M)	(\$9.9M)	(\$138.5M)	\$135.0M	\$95.6M
QEMM	${\tt SPDR\ MSCI\ Emerging\ Markets\ Strategic Factors\}$	6/4/2014	\$44.67M	(\$4.3M)	(\$4.3M)	(\$4.3M)	(\$0.2M)	(\$32.8M)	(\$246.3M)

Category Performance

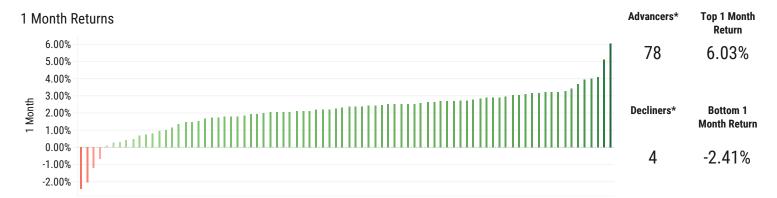
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Fund Count	Average 1 Month	Average 3 Month	Average YTD	Average 1 Year	Average 3 Year	Average 5 Year	Average 10 Year
	Return	Return	Return	Return	Return**	Return**	Return**
82	2.12%	2.54%	2.54%	11.61%	-1.11%	1.72%	0.71%

Breakdown of Category Performance

**Annualized



Top 10 Performers: 1 Month

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	1 Month	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year*	5 Year*
FM	iShares Frontier and Select EM ETF	9/12/2012	\$452.44M	6.03%	8.94%	8.94%	17.13%	1.86%	3.14%
EMDM	${\it First Trust Bloomberg Emerging Market Democracies} \$	3/2/2023	\$5.64M	5.07%	0.75%	0.75%	16.14%		
FRDM	Freedom 100 Emerging Markets ETF	5/23/2019	\$791.40M	4.09%	2.60%	2.60%	18.87%	3.00%	
OAEM	OneAscent Emerging Markets ETF	9/15/2022	\$47.94M	3.97%	2.36%	2.36%	8.93%		
FTHF	First Trust Emerging Markets Human Flourishing ETF	10/31/2023	\$42.69M	3.92%	1.82%	1.82%			
HEEM	iShares Currency Hedged MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	9/23/2014	\$138.94M	3.69%	4.37%	4.37%	10.76%	-3.39%	3.45%
MEM	Matthews Emerging Markets Equity Active ETF	7/13/2022	\$57.88M	3.40%	4.16%	4.16%	9.90%		
XCEM	Columbia EM Core ex-China ETF	9/2/2015	\$943.37M	3.25%	2.74%	2.74%	17.32%	1.15%	6.10%
XC	WisdomTree Emerging Markets Ex-China Fund	9/22/2022	\$42.67M	3.20%	3.94%	3.94%	21.61%		
DBEM	Xtrackers MSCI Emerging Markets Hedged Equity ETF	6/9/2011	\$103.26M	3.19%	3.71%	3.71%	10.81%	-3.48%	3.36%

Bottom 10 Performers: 1 Month

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	1 Month	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year*	5 Year*
SDEM	Global X MSCI SuperDividend Emerging Markets ETF	3/16/2015	\$44.60M	-2.41%	2.80%	2.80%	15.90%	-4.06%	-2.88%
EEMD	AAM S&P Emerging Markets High Dividend Value ETF	11/28/2017	\$7.81M	-2.03%	-2.70%	-2.70%	14.83%	0.69%	2.46%
EMDV	ProShares MSCI Emerging Markets Dividend Growers E	1/25/2016	\$12.99M	-1.21%	-0.63%	-0.63%	-4.72%	-7.87%	-2.81%
FEM	First Trust Emerging Markets AlphaDEX Fund	4/18/2011	\$418.43M	-0.67%	3.77%	3.77%	14.10%	0.68%	2.73%
EMFM	Global X MSCI Next Emerging & Frontier ETF	11/6/2013	\$16.66M	0.11%	-2.33%	-2.33%	1.90%	0.75%	0.55%
EDOG	ALPS Emerging Sector Dividend Dogs ETF	3/28/2014	\$25.86M	0.27%	-2.02%	-2.02%	5.25%	2.14%	4.43%
JPEM	$\label{lem:continuous} \mbox{JPMorgan Diversified Return Emerging Markets Equity} \;$	1/7/2015	\$308.91M	0.29%	2.38%	2.38%	11.25%	2.92%	3.86%
DVYE	iShares Emerging Markets Dividend ETF	2/23/2012	\$678.42M	0.40%	-0.85%	-0.85%	18.65%	-4.68%	-0.95%
EEMV	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets Min Vol Factor ETF	10/18/2011	\$4,409.00M	0.48%	1.80%	1.80%	7.03%	-1.07%	1.51%
QEMM	SPDR MSCI Emerging Markets StrategicFactors ETF	6/4/2014	\$44.67M	0.66%	1.02%	1.02%	10.00%	-1.34%	2.97%

3 Year Risk Metrics

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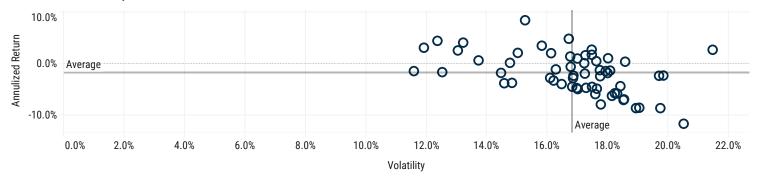


Fund Count	Average Return	Average Volatility	Average Correlation	Average Sharpe Ratio	Average Sortino Ratio	Average Beta	Average Alpha	Average Up Capture	Average Down Capture
82	-1.81%	16.83%	0.67	-0.10	-0.20	0.64	-8.41%	49.74%	85.33%

Breakdown of Category Risk

Risk Benchmark: ACWX - iShares MSCI ACWI ex U.S. ETF

3 Year Risk-Return Scatterplot



Top 10 Funds by Sharpe Ratio (3 Year)

Risk Benchmark: ACWX - iShares MSCI ACWI ex U.S. ETF

Ticker	Name	AUM	Annualized Return	Volatility	Correlation (SPY)	Sharpe Ratio	Beta	Alpha	Up Capture	Down Capture
EDIV	SPDR S&P Emerging Markets Dividend ETF	\$375.6M	8.5%	15.3%	60.9%	0.54	0.53	2.8%	61.8%	55.9%
EELV	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Low Volat	\$459.1M	4.5%	12.4%	72.2%	0.36	0.51	-1.1%	48.7%	54.0%
RNEM	First Trust Emerging Markets Equity Selec	\$18.1M	4.2%	13.2%	70.4%	0.31	0.53	-1.6%	54.2%	63.8%
DEM	WisdomTree Emerging Markets High Divi	\$2,792.3M	4.9%	16.7%	63.2%	0.29	0.60	-1.3%	60.3%	69.5%
EMMF	WisdomTree Emerging Markets Multifact	\$23.5M	3.2%	11.9%	68.8%	0.26	0.46	-1.9%	46.5%	56.8%
ROAM	Hartford Multifactor Emerging Markets ETF	\$19.7M	3.6%	15.8%	75.7%	0.22	0.68	-3.7%	64.1%	81.3%
JPEM	JPMorgan Diversified Return Emerging M	\$308.9M	2.6%	13.0%	70.6%	0.20	0.52	-3.0%	49.4%	63.6%
EYLD	Cambria Emerging Shareholder Yield ETF	\$330.3M	2.8%	17.5%	67.0%	0.16	0.66	-4.0%	57.8%	75.4%
UEVM	VictoryShares Emerging Markets Value M	\$174.7M	2.2%	15.0%	70.5%	0.14	0.60	-4.2%	54.6%	73.7%
EDOG	ALPS Emerging Sector Dividend Dogs ETF	\$25.9M	2.1%	16.1%	75.1%	0.13	0.69	-5.1%	61.4%	84.0%

Top 10 Funds by Greatest Alpha (3 Year)

Risk Benchmark: ACWX - iShares MSCI ACWI ex U.S. ETF

Ticker	Name	AUM	Annualized Return	Volatility	Correlation (SPY)	Sharpe Ratio	Beta	Alpha	Up Capture	Down Capture
EDIV	SPDR S&P Emerging Markets Dividend ETF	\$375.6M	8.5%	15.3%	60.9%	0.54	0.53	2.8%	61.8%	55.9%
EELV	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Low Volatil	\$459.1M	4.5%	12.4%	72.2%	0.36	0.51	-1.1%	48.7%	54.0%
DEM	WisdomTree Emerging Markets High Divid	\$2,792.3M	4.9%	16.7%	63.2%	0.29	0.60	-1.3%	60.3%	69.5%
RNEM	First Trust Emerging Markets Equity Select	\$18.1M	4.2%	13.2%	70.4%	0.31	0.53	-1.6%	54.2%	63.8%
EMMF	$Wisdom Tree\ Emerging\ Markets\ Multifactor$	\$23.5M	3.2%	11.9%	68.8%	0.26	0.46	-1.9%	46.5%	56.8%
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ROAM	Hartford Multifactor Emerging Markets ETF	\$19.7M	3.6%	15.8%	75.7%	0.22	0.68	-3.7%	64.1%	81.3%
EYLD	Cambria Emerging Shareholder Yield ETF	\$330.3M	2.8%	17.5%	67.0%	0.16	0.66	-4.0%	57.8%	75.4%
UEVM	VictoryShares Emerging Markets Value Mo	\$174.7M	2.2%	15.0%	70.5%	0.14	0.60	-4.2%	54.6%	73.7%
FNDE	Schwab Fundamental Emerging Markets L	\$5,536.3M	1.5%	16.8%	61.7%	0.09	0.59	-4.4%	56.0%	78.9%

Equity Composition

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Fund Count*	Assets Under	Average Top 10 Holdings	Average Weighted Avg	Average Sector	Average Stock
	Management	Weight	Market Cap	Concentration	Concentration
82	\$245.4B	25.13%	\$90,127M	Average	Below Average

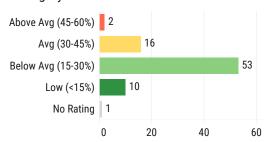
Average Size & Style Exposure



Average Geographic Exposure



Category Breakdown: Stock Concentration



U.S.	0.42%
Developed ex-U.S.	12.68%
Emerging	83.07%
Frontier	3.40%
Rest of World	0.43%
Unassigned	0.00%

Average Market Development

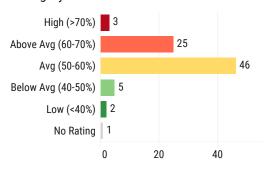
Average Regional Exposure North America 4.45% Europe 5.44% Asia Pacific 72.75% Latin America 8.50% Africa 8.87% Unassigned 0.00%

Average Top 10 Country Exposure

Taiwan	18.41%
China	17.60%
India	16.96%
South Korea	9.84%
Brazil	6.83%
Mexico	3.83%
South Africa	3.26%
Saudi Arabia	2.93%
Indonesia	2.45%
Thailand	1.98%

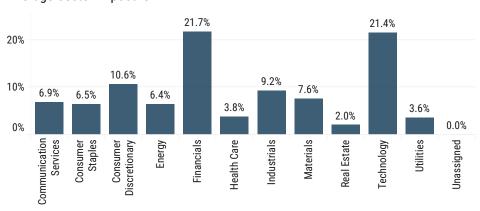
Stock Concentration measured by weighting in top 10 portfolio holdings.

Category Breakdown: Sector Concentration



Sector Concentration measured by greatest weight within one sector of the portfolio

Average Sector Exposure



^{*}Fund count for composition and fundamentals excludes funds with no recent holdings date (ie: ETNs)

Equity Fundamentals

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Valuation

Fun	d Count*		Avg Price rnings (T		Avg P Earnings		Avg Price / Sale (TTM)	es Avg Price / Sales (NTM)	Avg Price / Cash Flow (TTM)	Avg Price / Free Cash Flow (TTM)	Avg Price / Book (TTM)
82 14.92 11.4 Category Breakdown: Value Rating		40	1.22	1.34	13.69	7.70	1.80				
Category Breakdown: Value Rating							Top 10 Fund	s by Value Score			
			43				Ticker Name			AUM	Value Rating (0-5)
± 40)						EEMD AAM S&P	Emerging Markets High Div	vidend Value ETF	\$7.81M	4.92
Fund Count							DVYE iShares E	merging Markets Dividend E	ETF	\$678.42M	4.55
pe «	,	19					FEM First Trus	t Emerging Markets AlphaD	EX Fund	\$418.43M	4.42
를 20				10			FNDE Schwab F	undamental Emerging Mark	cets Large Co. Index E	\$5,536.29M	4.34
	8			10			MFEM PIMCO RA	AFI Dynamic Multi-Factor Er	merging Markets Equit	\$95.99M	4.25
()				1	1	SDEM Global X I	MSCI SuperDividend Emergi	ing Markets ETF	\$44.60M	4.17
	ح	் வ	a)	> Պ	>	g	DFEV Dimensio	nal Emerging Markets Value	e ETF	\$564.88M	4.13
	High	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Low	No Rating	UEVM VictorySh	ares Emerging Markets Val	ue Momentum ETF	\$174.67M	4.03
		We A	ķ	We We		88	EYLD Cambria	Emerging Shareholder Yield	ETF	\$330.26M	3.99
		4	4	4		2	AVES Avantis E	merging Markets Value ETF		\$406.04M	3.97

Quality

Fund Count*	Avg Return On Equity	Avg Return On Assets	Avg Return On Invested Capital	Avg Long Term Debt / Equity	Avg Interest Coverage
82	16.0%	7.3%	11.8%	52.7%	43.7%

Category Breakdown: Quality Rating 46 Average Averag

Top 10 Funds by Quality Score

Ticker	Name	AUM	Quality Rating (0-5)
DEHP	Dimensional Emerging Markets High Profitability ETF	\$199.70M	4.24
MEMX	Matthews Emerging Markets ex China Active ETF	\$12.12M	4.12
EMC	Global X Emerging Markets Great Consumer ETF	\$159.38M	4.10
MEM	Matthews Emerging Markets Equity Active ETF	\$57.88M	3.93
PIE	Invesco Dorsey Wright Emerging Markets Momentum ETF	\$130.76M	3.83
RAYE	Rayliant Quantamental Emerging Market ex-China Equity E	\$46.12M	3.83
EYLD	Cambria Emerging Shareholder Yield ETF	\$330.26M	3.81
EEMO	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Momentum ETF	\$6.33M	3.69
PEMX	Putnam Emerging Markets ex-China ETF	\$7.50M	3.68
OAEM	OneAscent Emerging Markets ETF	\$47.94M	3.68

Growth

Fund Count*	Avg LT	Avg Earnings	Avg Earnings	Avg Sales	Avg Sales	Avg Cash Flow	Avg Book	Avg Dividend
	Earnings	Growth (TTM)	Growth (NTM)	Growth (TTM)	Growth (NTM)	Growth (TTM)	Growth (TTM)	Growth (TTM)
82	12.4%	1.9%	12.9%	3.1%	6.3%	1.7%	8.3%	4.1%

Category Breakdown: Growth Rating

Count of Category :		56			
of Cat			17		
Count 0	6			2	1
	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Low	No Rating

Top 10 Funds by Growth Score

Licker	Name	AUM	Growth Rating (0-5)
EMSF	Matthews Emerging Markets Sustainable Future Active E	\$19.34M	3.76
EMM	Global X Emerging Markets ETF	\$26.44M	3.45
PEMX	Putnam Emerging Markets ex-China ETF	\$7.50M	3.38
EMC	Global X Emerging Markets Great Consumer ETF	\$159.38M	3.30
MEM	Matthews Emerging Markets Equity Active ETF	\$57.88M	3.09
MEMX	Matthews Emerging Markets ex China Active ETF	\$12.12M	3.09
OAEM	OneAscent Emerging Markets ETF	\$47.94M	2.95
NSI	National Security Emerging Markets Index ETF	\$6.61M	2.85
XS0E	WisdomTree Emerging Markets ex-State-Owned Enterpri	\$1,979.40M	2.79
EEMO	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Momentum ETF	\$6.33M	2.72

^{*}Fund count for composition and fundamentals excludes funds with no recent holdings date (ie: ETNs)

Appendix: Category Funds



Appendix: Top Category Funds 1-50 By AUM

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	1 Month	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year*	5 Year*
IEMG	iShares Core MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	10/18/2012	\$76,134M	2.50%	2.02%	2.02%	9.94%	-4.17%	2.77%
VWO	Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets ETF	3/4/2005	\$75,632M	1.92%	1.72%	1.72%	7.89%	-3.62%	2.82%
EEM	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	4/7/2003	\$18,152M	2.73%	2.16%	2.16%	7.88%	-5.92%	1.43%
EMXC	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ex China ETF	7/18/2017	\$12,723M	3.10%	3.90%	3.90%	19.95%	1.35%	5.76%
SPEM	SPDR Portfolio Emerging Markets ETF	3/19/2007	\$8,539M	2.20%	2.20%	2.20%	9.80%	-2.94%	3.16%
SCHE	Schwab Emerging Markets Equity ETF	1/14/2010	\$8,476M	2.35%	1.86%	1.86%	7.81%	-4.15%	2.43%
FNDE	Schwab Fundamental Emerging Markets Large Co. Index ETF	8/15/2013	\$5,536M	2.59%	2.28%	2.28%	12.53%	1.58%	4.25%
AVEM	Avantis Emerging Markets Equity ETF	9/17/2019	\$5,086M	2.06%	2.78%	2.78%	14.14%	-1.00%	
EEMV	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets Min Vol Factor ETF	10/18/2011	\$4,409M	0.48%	1.80%	1.80%	7.03%	-1.07%	1.51%
ESGE	iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF	6/28/2016	\$4,122M	2.12%	0.53%	0.53%	6.00%	-6.69%	1.31%
DFAE	Dimensional Emerging Core Equity Market ETF	12/1/2020	\$3,725M	2.66%	2.66%	2.66%	11.11%	-1.60%	
DFEM	Dimensional Emerging Markets Core Equity 2 ETF	4/26/2022	\$3,461M	2.50%	2.26%	2.26%	11.72%		
DEM	WisdomTree Emerging Markets High Dividend Fund	7/13/2007	\$2,792M	1.83%	3.41%	3.41%	18.50%	5.10%	5.21%
XSOE	WisdomTree Emerging Markets ex-State-Owned Enterprises Fund	12/10/2014	\$1,979M	2.68%	2.01%	2.01%	9.10%	-8.29%	2.22%
PXH	Invesco FTSE RAFI Emerging Markets ETF	9/27/2007	\$1,207M	2.12%	2.23%	2.23%	11.92%	0.25%	2.47%
JEMA	JPMorgan ActiveBuilders Emerging Markets Equity ETF	3/10/2021	\$1,018M	2.06%	1.10%	1.10%	5.69%	-6.53%	
XCEM	Columbia EM Core ex-China ETF	9/2/2015	\$943M	3.25%	2.74%	2.74%	17.32%	1.15%	6.10%
GEM	Goldman Sachs ActiveBeta Emerging Markets Equity ETF	9/29/2015	\$927M	2.08%	2.12%	2.12%	8.52%	-4.30%	1.93%
FRDM	Freedom 100 Emerging Markets ETF	5/23/2019	\$791M	4.09%	2.60%	2.60%	18.87%	3.00%	
JHEM	John Hancock Multifactor Emerging Markets ETF	9/27/2018	\$683M	2.45%	1.96%	1.96%	11.05%	-2.49%	2.84%
DVYE	iShares Emerging Markets Dividend ETF	2/23/2012	\$678M	0.40%	-0.85%	-0.85%	18.65%	-4.68%	-0.95%
EMGF	iShares Emerging Markets Equity Factor ETF	12/8/2015	\$580M	2.20%	3.92%	3.92%	15.04%	-0.63%	4.39%
BBEM	JPMorgan BetaBuilders Emerging Markets Equity ETF	5/10/2023	\$574M	2.37%	1.81%	1.81%			
DFEV	Dimensional Emerging Markets Value ETF	4/26/2022	\$565M	2.52%	3.13%	3.13%	16.35%		
EMCR	Xtrackers Emerging Markets Carbon Reduction and Climate Improvers E	12/6/2018	\$564M	2.66%	2.30%	2.30%	8.40%	-2.35%	4.10%
EELV	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Low Volatility ETF	1/13/2012	\$459M	0.92%	0.02%	0.02%	7.01%	4.93%	3.72%
FM	iShares Frontier and Select EM ETF	9/12/2012	\$452M	6.03%	8.94%	8.94%	17.13%	1.86%	3.14%
FEM	First Trust Emerging Markets AlphaDEX Fund	4/18/2011	\$418M	-0.67%	3.77%	3.77%	14.10%	0.68%	2.73%
AVES	Avantis Emerging Markets Value ETF	9/28/2021	\$406M	1.52%	3.09%	3.09%	16.80%		
EDIV	SPDR S&P Emerging Markets Dividend ETF	2/23/2011	\$376M	2.33%	3.59%	3.59%	35.41%	8.56%	5.56%
EYLD	Cambria Emerging Shareholder Yield ETF	7/14/2016	\$330M	3.17%	7.64%	7.64%	26.22%	3.17%	7.51%
JPEM	JPMorgan Diversified Return Emerging Markets Equity ETF JPMorgan Di	1/7/2015	\$309M	0.29%	2.38%	2.38%	11.25%	2.92%	3.86%
TLTE	${\it FlexShares\ Morningstar\ Emerging\ Markets\ Factor\ Tilt\ Index\ Fund\ Morni.}$	9/25/2012	\$267M	1.72%	0.60%	0.60%	9.99%	-1.97%	2.81%
NUEM	Nuveen ESG Emerging Markets Equity ETF	6/7/2017	\$244M	1.48%	2.04%	2.04%	5.55%	-5.31%	3.03%
DFSE	Dimensional Emerging Markets Sustainability Core 1 ETF	11/1/2022	\$230M	2.07%	1.89%	1.89%	11.86%		
DEHP	Dimensional Emerging Markets High Profitability ETF	4/26/2022	\$200M	2.84%	2.51%	2.51%	9.04%		
UEVM	VictoryShares Emerging Markets Value Momentum ETF	10/24/2017	\$175M	0.73%	2.38%	2.38%	16.18%	2.43%	4.12%
EMC	Global X Emerging Markets Great Consumer ETF	5/15/2023	\$159M	2.19%	2.95%	2.95%			
HEEM	iShares Currency Hedged MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	9/23/2014	\$139M	3.69%	4.37%	4.37%	10.76%	-3.39%	3.45%
DGRE	WisdomTree Emerging Markets Quality Dividend Growth Fund	8/1/2013	\$135M	2.63%	4.93%	4.93%	18.27%	-1.65%	3.68%
PIE	Invesco Dorsey Wright Emerging Markets Momentum ETF	12/28/2007	\$131M	3.05%	5.93%	5.93%	15.89%	-1.83%	6.45%
GSEE	Goldman Sachs MarketBeta Emerging Markets Equity ETF	5/12/2020	\$110M	2.41%	2.14%	2.14%	9.82%	-4.52%	
DBEM	Xtrackers MSCI Emerging Markets Hedged Equity ETF	6/9/2011	\$103M	3.19%	3.71%	3.71%	10.81%	-3.48%	3.36%
BKEM	BNY Mellon Emerging Markets Equity ETF	4/24/2020	\$98M	2.74%	2.65%	2.65%	8.58%	-5.57%	
MFEM	PIMCO RAFI Dynamic Multi-Factor Emerging Markets Equity ETF	8/31/2017	\$96M	1.77%	1.93%	1.93%	13.41%	-0.02%	4.69%
STXE	Strive Emerging Markets Ex-China ETF	1/31/2023	\$88M	2.87%	3.20%	3.20%	18.16%		
ECOW	Pacer Emerging Markets Cash Cows 100 ETF	5/2/2019	\$88M	2.51%	-0.29%	-0.29%	12.59%	-2.00%	
EEMX	SPDR MSCI Emerging Markets Fossil Fuel Free ETF	10/24/2016	\$81M	2.88%	1.81%	1.81%	7.35%	-5.43%	2.19%
KEMX	KraneShares MSCI Emerging Markets EX China Index ETF	4/12/2019	\$78M	3.18%	2.89%	2.89%	19.18%	1.97%	
EMXF	iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EM ETF	10/6/2020	\$75M	1.74%	0.28%	0.28%	4.56%	-4.20%	

^{*}Annualized performance. Returns based on market price.

Appendix: Category Funds



Appendix: Top Category Funds 51-100 By AUM

Ticker	Name	Inception	AUM	1 Month	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year*	5 Year*
AVSE	Avantis Responsible Emerging Markets Equity ETF	3/28/2022	\$71M	1.68%	2.30%	2.30%	14.48%		
BKF	iShares MSCI BIC ETF	11/12/2007	\$70M	1.18%	-0.18%	-0.18%	0.70%	-11.32%	-2.76%
MEM	Matthews Emerging Markets Equity Active ETF	7/13/2022	\$58M	3.40%	4.16%	4.16%	9.90%		
FDEM	Fidelity Emerging Markets Multifactor ETF	2/26/2019	\$49M	2.43%	3.79%	3.79%	18.84%	0.68%	3.23%
OAEM	OneAscent Emerging Markets ETF	9/15/2022	\$48M	3.97%	2.36%	2.36%	8.93%		
RAYE	Rayliant Quantamental Emerging Market ex-China Equity ETF	12/16/2021	\$46M	1.92%	6.67%	6.67%	29.71%		
QEMM	SPDR MSCI Emerging Markets StrategicFactors ETF	6/4/2014	\$45M	0.66%	1.02%	1.02%	10.00%	-1.34%	2.97%
SDEM	Global X MSCI SuperDividend Emerging Markets ETF	3/16/2015	\$45M	-2.41%	2.80%	2.80%	15.90%	-4.06%	-2.88%
FTHF	First Trust Emerging Markets Human Flourishing ETF	10/31/2023	\$43M	3.92%	1.82%	1.82%			
XC	WisdomTree Emerging Markets Ex-China Fund	9/22/2022	\$43M	3.20%	3.94%	3.94%	21.61%		
RFEM	First Trust Riverfront Dynamic Emerging Markets ETF	6/14/2016	\$37M	1.79%	3.56%	3.56%	19.19%	-0.86%	3.54%
LDEM	iShares ESG MSCI EM Leaders ETF	2/5/2020	\$33M	1.34%	-0.32%	-0.32%	0.52%	-8.32%	
EMM	Global X Emerging Markets ETF	5/15/2023	\$26M	3.15%	4.65%	4.65%			
EDOG	ALPS Emerging Sector Dividend Dogs ETF	3/28/2014	\$26M	0.27%	-2.02%	-2.02%	5.25%	2.14%	4.43%
EMSG	Xtrackers MSCI Emerging Markets ESG Leaders Equity ETF	12/6/2018	\$26M	2.96%	2.03%	2.03%	2.87%	-8.34%	0.98%
PPEM	Putnam PanAgora ESG Emerging Markets Equity ETF	1/19/2023	\$24M	2.77%	3.65%	3.65%	8.66%		
EMMF	WisdomTree Emerging Markets Multifactor Fund	8/10/2018	\$24M	2.03%	6.59%	6.59%	24.51%	3.51%	4.72%
ROAM	Hartford Multifactor Emerging Markets ETF	2/26/2015	\$20M	2.24%	4.25%	4.25%	21.15%	4.08%	4.33%
EMSF	Matthews Emerging Markets Sustainable Future Active ETF	9/22/2023	\$19M	1.46%	0.60%	0.60%			
RNEM	First Trust Emerging Markets Equity Select ETF	6/20/2017	\$18M	1.76%	0.47%	0.47%	19.32%	4.39%	3.08%
EMFM	Global X MSCI Next Emerging & Frontier ETF	11/6/2013	\$17M	0.11%	-2.33%	-2.33%	1.90%	0.75%	0.55%
EMDV	ProShares MSCI Emerging Markets Dividend Growers ETF	1/25/2016	\$13M	-1.21%	-0.63%	-0.63%	-4.72%	-7.87%	-2.81%
DIEM	Franklin Emerging Market Core Dividend Tilt Index ETF Franklin LibertyQ \dots	6/1/2016	\$13M	2.35%	3.43%	3.43%	13.74%	-0.88%	1.85%
MEMX	Matthews Emerging Markets ex China Active ETF	1/11/2023	\$12M	2.64%	4.90%	4.90%	18.43%		
QLVE	${\it FlexShares Emerging Markets Quality Low Volatility Index Fund FlexShar.}.$	7/15/2019	\$12M	0.81%	3.26%	3.26%	9.21%	-1.46%	
EEMD	AAM S&P Emerging Markets High Dividend Value ETF	11/28/2017	\$8M	-2.03%	-2.70%	-2.70%	14.83%	0.69%	2.46%
PEMX	Putnam Emerging Markets ex-China ETF	5/17/2023	\$7M	3.04%	8.97%	8.97%			
NSI	National Security Emerging Markets Index ETF	12/6/2023	\$7M	1.01%	1.23%	1.23%			
EEMO	Invesco S&P Emerging Markets Momentum ETF	2/24/2012	\$6M	2.50%	6.87%	6.87%	26.84%	-1.98%	2.99%
EMDM	First Trust Bloomberg Emerging Market Democracies ETF	3/2/2023	\$6M	5.07%	0.75%	0.75%	16.14%		
FEEM	${\it FlexShares ESG \& Climate Emerging Markets Core Index Fund FlexShare.}.$	4/20/2022	\$5M	2.86%	1.99%	1.99%	8.66%		
KEM	KraneShares Dynamic Emerging Markets Strategy ETF	8/25/2023	\$4M	2.01%	0.63%	0.63%			
AVXC	Avantis Emerging Markets ex-China Equity ETF	3/19/2024	\$3M						

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Standard deviation is a measure of the dispersion of a set of data from its mean. The more spread apart the data is, the higher the deviation. Calculated using monthly returns.

Alpha refers to the performance differential between a specific investment and that of the investment's beta multiplied by its benchmark. It isolates the portion of total return not accredited to movement in the broader market. Calculated using monthly returns.

Beta is a measure of the volatility—or systematic risk—of a security or portfolio compared to its relative benchmark. Securities with betas higher than 1.0 can be interpreted as more volatile relative to movements in the market benchmark while securities with a beta less than 1.0 can be interpreted as less volatile relative to movements in the market benchmark. Calculated using monthly returns.

The Sharpe ratio is the average return earned in excess of the risk-free rate per unit of volatility or total risk. Volatility is a measure of the price fluctuations of an asset or portfolio. Calculated using monthly returns.

The correlation coefficient is a statistical measure of the strength of the relationship between the relative movements of two variables. The values range between -1.0 and 1.0. A calculated number greater than 1.0 or less than -1.0 means that there was an error in the correlation measurement. A correlation of -1.0 shows a perfect negative correlation, while a correlation of 1.0 shows a perfect positive correlation. A correlation of 0.0 shows no linear relationship between the movement of the two variables. Calculated using monthly returns.

R-squared (R2) is a statistical measure that represents the proportion of the variance for a dependent variable that's explained by an independent variable or variables in a regression model. Calculated using monthly returns.

Tracking error is the divergence between the price behavior of a position or a portfolio and the price behavior of a benchmark. This is often in the context of a hedge fund, mutual fund, or exchange-traded fund (ETF) that did not work as effectively as intended, creating an unexpected profit or loss. Tracking error is reported as a standard deviation percentage difference, which reports the difference between the return an investor receives and that of the benchmark they were attempting to imitate. Calculated using monthly returns.

The upside capture ratio measures an investment manager's relative performance during bull markets. The ratio is calculated by comparing the manager's returns in up-markets with that of a benchmark. Calculated using monthly returns.

The down-market capture ratio is a statistical measure of an investment manager's overall performance in down-markets. It is used to evaluate how well an investment manager performed relative to an index during periods when that index has dropped. The ratio is calculated by dividing the manager's returns by the returns of the index during the down-market and multiplying that factor by 100. Calculated using monthly returns.

A drawdown refers to how much an investment or trading account is down from the peak before it recovers back to the peak. Drawdowns are typically quoted as a percentage, but dollar terms may also be used if applicable for a specific trader. Drawdowns are a measure of downside volatility. Calculated using monthly returns.

Market capitalization is the sum of the total value of a company's outstanding shares multiplied by the price of one share. With a weighted average market capitalization, components that have a higher market cap have more influence because they constitute a higher percentage in the index; those with smaller caps have less influence.

The Price/Earnings Ratio or P/E Ratio is a valuation metric that assesses how many dollars investors are willing to pay for one dollar of a company's earnings. It's calculated by dividing a stock's price by the company's trailing 12-month earnings per share from continuous operations. Negative P/E ratios are excluded. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The forward (or leading) P/E uses future earnings guidance rather than trailing figures. Negative P/E ratios are excluded. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The Price/Sale (P/S) ratio is a stock's current price divided by the company's trailing 12-month sales per share. This represents the weighted average of the price/sales ratios of the stocks in a fund's portfolio. Price/sales represents the amount an investor is willing to pay for a dollar generated from a particular company's operations. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The forward (or leading) P/S uses future sales estimates rather than trailing figures. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The price/book (P/B) ratio of a fund is the weighted average of the price/book ratios of all the stocks in a fund's portfolio. Book value is the total assets of a company, less total liabilities (sometimes referred to as carrying value). A company's book value is calculated by dividing the market price of its outstanding stock by the company's book value, and then adjusting for the number of shares outstanding (Stocks with negative book values are excluded from this calculation.). Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The price-to-cash flow (P/CF) ratio is a stock valuation indicator or multiple that measures the value of a stock's price relative to its operating cash flow per share over the trailing twelve months. The ratio uses operating cash flow (OCF), which adds back non-cash expenses such as depreciation and amortization to net income. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

Price to free cash flow is an equity valuation metric used to compare a company's per-share market price to its per-share amount of free cash flow (FCF) over the trailing twelve months. This metric is very similar to the valuation metric of price to cash flow but is considered a more exact measure, owing to the fact that it uses free cash flow, which subtracts capital expenditures (CAPEX) from a company's total operating cash flow, thereby reflecting the actual cash flow available to fund non-asset-related growth. Negative P/E ratios are excluded. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The price/earnings to growth ratio (PEG ratio) is a stock's price-to-earnings (P/E) ratio divided by the growth rate of its earnings for a specified time period (NTM - next twelve months). The PEG ratio is used to determine a stock's value while also factoring in the company's expected earnings growth, and it is thought to provide a more complete picture than the more standard P/E ratio. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

The dividend yield, expressed as a percentage, is a financial ratio (dividend/price) that shows how much a company pays out in dividends each year relative to its stock price. Unless otherwise stated, dividend yield takes the distributions over the trailing 12 months divided by the price on the as of date. Note that the dividend yield is a look through of all funds and securities to underlying holdings, and may not reflect what the fund or model actually distributes. Calculated using weighted harmonic average.

Gross margin is a ratio that equates to net sales minus the cost of goods sold divided by net sales. The gross margin shows the ratio of profit made before deducting selling, general, and administrative (SG&A) costs. Calculated using weighted average.

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The net margin is a measure of profitability. It is equal to annual net income divided by revenues over the trailing 12 months. The resulting figure is then multiplied by 100. Calculated using weighted average.

Return on equity (ROE) is the percentage a company earns on its total equity in a given year. ROE shows how much profit a company generates on the money shareholders have invested in the firm. Calculated using weighted average.

Return on assets (ROA) is the percentage a company earns on its assets in a given year (Year 1, 2, etc.). The calculation is net income divided by end-of-year total assets. The resulting figure is then multiplied by 100. For a mutual fund, ROA represents a weighted median figure such that approximately 50% of the domestic stocks in the portfolio will have a greater ROA and roughly 50% of these domestic stocks will have a lower ROA than the weighted median. Calculated using weighted average.

Return on invested capital (ROIC) is the percentage of money a company earns that is above the average cost it pays for its debt and equity capital. Calculated using weighted average.

The interest coverage ratio is a debt and profitability ratio used to determine how easily a company can pay interest on its outstanding debt. The interest coverage ratio is calculated by dividing a company's earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT) by its interest expense during a given period. Calculated using weighted average.

The debt-to-equity (D/E) ratio is used to evaluate a company's financial leverage and is calculated by dividing a company's total liabilities by its shareholder equity. Calculated using weighted average.

The payout ratio, also known as the dividend payout ratio, shows the percentage of a company's earnings paid out as dividends to shareholders over the trailing twelve months. Calculated using weighted average.

Per share growth metrics calculate the growth metrics over the trailing twelve months (TTM) or estimated growth metrics over the next twelve months (NTM) for Earnings, Sales, Cash Flow, Free Cash Flow, Book Value, and Dividends. Calculated using weighted median.

Long-Term earnings (LT Earnings) calculates the growth in earnings per share over longer time horizons (5 years). Calculated using weighted median.

The coupon rate is calculated by weighting each bond's coupon by its relative size in the portfolio. It indicates whether the underlying fund owns more high- or low-coupon bonds. There can be advantages to holding higher coupon bonds, but many funds buy them simply to tempt investors with a high payout. This can be damaging to investors for two reasons. The first is that higher-coupon bonds often carry greater risk than lower-coupon issues. The second is that when these bonds don't carry extra risk, they are old issues that the fund has paid up for and if the offering doesn't amortize the extra yield, investors are likely to find that their principal erodes over time. Calculated using weighted average.

Effective duration is a measure of a fund's interest-rate sensitivity; the longer a fund's duration, the more sensitive the fund is to shifts in interest rates. Duration is determined by a formula that includes coupon rates and bond maturities. Small coupons tend to increase duration, while shorter maturities and higher coupons shorten duration. The relationship between funds with different durations is straightforward: A fund with a duration of 10 years is twice as volatile as a fund with a five-year duration. Calculated using weighted average.

Modified Duration expresses the measurable change in the value of a security in response to a change in interest rates Calculated using weighted average.

Average effective maturity is a weighted average of all the maturities of the bonds in a portfolio, computed by weighting each bond's effective maturity by the market value of the security. Average effective maturity takes into consideration all mortgage prepayments, puts, and adjustable coupons. Longer-maturity funds are generally considered more interest-rate sensitive than their shorter counterparts. We list Average Effective Maturity for Taxable Fixed-Income and Hybrid funds and Average Nominal Maturity for Municipal Bond Funds. Since this is collected by survey, it is important to bear in mind that different fund companies may use different interest-rate assumptions in determining call likelihood and timing. Generally speaking, the longer the maturity, the greater the interest rate risk. When duration is unavailable, this is used in the calculation of the fixed income style box. Calculated using weighted average.

Yield to Maturity: is the holding weighted average yield of all applicable holdings within a portfolio. Yield is a measure of the expected rate of return. Calculation of yield to maturity of a security ignores the impact of options such as a call or put feature. Calculated using weighted average.

Yield to worst is calculated on all possible call dates. It is assumed that prepayment occurs if the bond has call or put provisions and the issuer can offer a lower coupon rate based on current market rates. If market rates are higher than the current yield of a bond, the yield to worst calculation will assume no prepayments are made, and yield to worst will equal the yield to maturity.

The assumption is made that prevailing rates are static when making the calculation. The yield to worst will be the lowest of yield to maturity or yield to call (if the bond has prepayment provisions); yield to worst may be the same as yield to maturity but never higher. Calculated using weighted average.

Convexity demonstrates how the duration of a bond changes as the interest rate changes. If a bond's duration increases as yields increase, the bond is said to have negative convexity. If a bond's duration rises and yields fall, the bond is said to have positive convexity. Calculated using weighted average.

Key rate duration measures how the value of a debt security or a debt instrument portfolio, generally bonds, changes at a specific maturity point along the entirety of the yield curve. When keeping other maturities constant, the key rate duration is used to measure the sensitivity in a debt security's price to a 1% change in yield for a specific maturity.

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