



East Capital Global Emerging Markets ex China

East Capital Global Emerging Markets ex China is a high-conviction equity fund that invests in approximately 40 companies across a broad range of emerging markets, intentionally excluding China. The fund is designed to complement portfolios where investors may already have dedicated exposure to China through separate strategies.

Focus on growth at a reasonable price

The fund targets high-quality, reasonably valued companies that benefit from structural growth trends across the emerging world. A disciplined bottom-up approach—anchored in extensive on-the-ground research—drives stock selection. The result is a focused portfolio with a strong mid- and small-cap bias and high active share, typically above 70%.

A robust and disciplined investment process

Stock returns in emerging markets are influenced by more than just company fundamentals. The investment team also integrates macroeconomic, political, geopolitical, and market structure considerations to build a balanced and resilient portfolio. One key aspect of the portfolio construction process is country neutrality, which means the team avoid large macro bets (and high tracking error) and instead let their stock picking drive the alpha.

ESG integration

The fund is classified as an Article 9 fund under SFDR. ESG factors are fully integrated throughout the investment process, with the team using proprietary tools to identify and assess sustainability-related risks and opportunities. This enhances the understanding of long-term value drivers and strengthens the quality of the investment case for each company.

Experienced team with local insights

The core portfolio management team has been with East Capital for an average of 16 years and is primarily based in Asia, maintaining strong access to companies and developments across the fund's key markets.

Fund benefits

- › Fundamental, on-the-ground research
- › High-conviction, active approach
- › Focus on quality and valuation
- › Access to under-researched mid and small-cap names
- › Integrated ESG analysis
- › Led by a long-tenured and locally embedded team

Investment team



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Information

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