

## BGF Emerging Markets Local Currency Bond Fund

### **Class D3 Hedged British Pound**

### **BlackRock Global Funds**

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Dec-2024. All other data as at 10-Jan-2025.

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#### **FUND OVERVIEW**

- The Fund aims to maximise the return on your investment through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets.
- The Fund invests at least 70% of its total assets in fixed income (FI) securities denominated in local currencies of developing market countries and may include investments with a relatively low credit rating or which are unrated. These include bonds and money market instruments (i.e. debt securities with short term maturities) and may be issued by governments and government agencies of, and companies and supranationals (e.g. the Asian Development Bank) domiciled in, or the main business of which is in, emerging markets.
- The investment adviser (IA) may use financial derivative instruments (FDIs) (i.e. investments the prices of which are based on one or more underlying assets) to help achieve the Fund's investment objective and to reduce risk within the Fund's portfolio. This may generate market leverage (i.e. where the Fund gains market exposure in excess of the value of its assets).

#### **RISK INDICATOR**

Potentially Lower Rewards

#### **Lower Risk**



Potentially Higher Rewards



**CAPITAL AT RISK:** The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

#### **KEY RISKS:**

- Emerging markets are generally more sensitive to economic and political conditions than developed markets. Other factors include greater 'Liquidity Risk', restrictions on investment or transfer of assets, failed/delayed delivery of securities or payments to the Fund and sustainability-related risks.
- Derivatives may be highly sensitive to changes in the value of the asset on which they are based and can increase the size of losses and gains, resulting in greater fluctuations in the value of the Fund. The impact to the Fund can be greater where derivatives are used in an extensive or complex way.
- Fixed income securities issued or guaranteed by government entities in emerging markets generally experience higher 'Credit Risk' than developed economies.
- This Share Class may pay dividends or take charges from capital. While this may allow more income to be distributed, it may reduce the value of your holdings and impact the potential for long term capital growth.
- Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Credit Risk: The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

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#### **KEY FACTS**

Constraint\*1: J.P. Morgan GBI-EM Global **Diversified Index** Asset Class : Fixed Income Fund Launch Date: 26-Jun-1997 Share Class Launch Date: 04-Dec-2013 Fund Base Currency: USD Share Class Currency : GBP Use of Income : Distributing Net Assets of Fund (M): 1,496.42 USD Morningstar Category: Other Bond SFDR Classification : Other Domicile : Luxembourg ISIN: LU0995345831 Management Company : BlackRock (Luxembourg) S.A. FEES AND CHARGES

Annual Management Fee: 0.50%

Ongoing Charge: 0.76% Performance Fee: 0.00%

#### **DEALING INFORMATION**

**Dealing Frequency :** Daily, forward pricing basis **Settlement :** Trade Date + 3 days

#### PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Effective Duration : 5.91 yrs

Average Weighted Maturity: 7.47 yrs

Yield To Maturity: 8.79%

Standard Deviation (3y): 12.36

3y Beta: 1.09

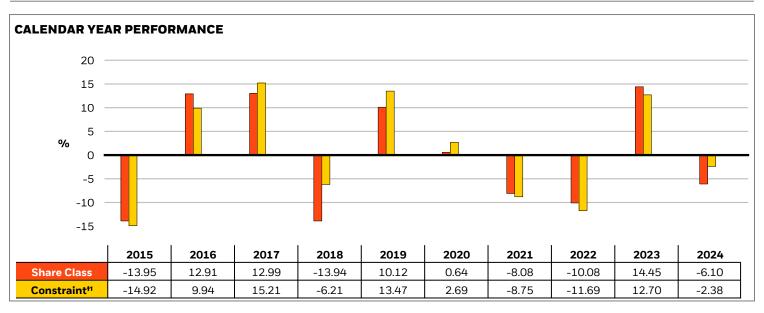
Number of Holdings : 181

#### **PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)**

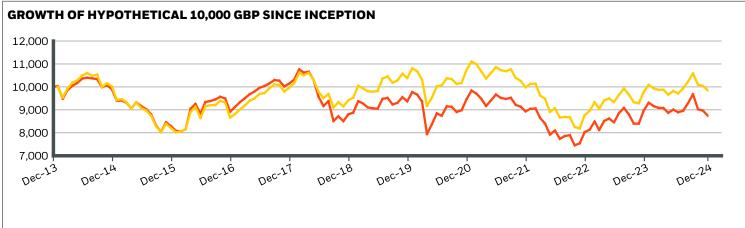
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CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE										
	CUMULATIVE (%)					ANNUALISED (% p.a.)				
	1m	3m	6m	YTD	<b>1</b> y	Зу	5у	Since Inception		
Share Class	-2.49	-9.68	-1.72	-6.10	-6.10	-1.14	-2.22	-1.21		
Constraint <sup>+1</sup>	-1.93	-6.98	1.38	-2.38	-2.38	-0.96	-1.86	-0.09		

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in GBP, hedged share class benchmark performance is displayed in USD. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. **Source:** BlackRock

Share Class Constraint<sup>†1</sup>

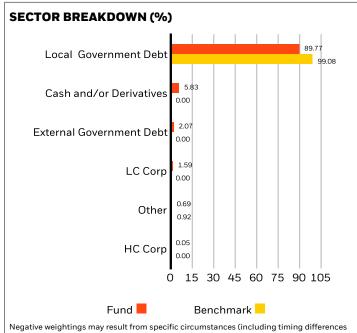
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J.P. Morgan GBI-EM Global Diversified Index

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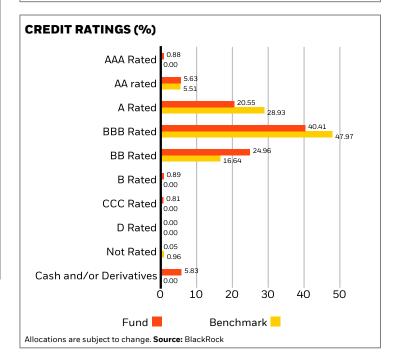
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ТО	P 10 HOLDINGS (%)	
PE	RU (REPUBLIC OF) 6.95 08/12/2031	2.90%
CO	LOMBIA (REPUBLIC OF) 13.25 02/09/2033	2.26%
CO	LOMBIA (REPUBLIC OF) 7 03/26/2031	2.09%
	AZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF (GOV 10 /01/2029	2.06%
SO	UTH AFRICA (REPUBLIC OF) 8.875 02/28/2035	1.87%
PO	LAND (REPUBLIC OF) 6 10/25/2033	1.80%
	AZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF (GOV 0 /01/2026	1.76%
SO	UTH AFRICA (REPUBLIC OF) 8.25 03/31/2032	1.74%
SO	UTH AFRICA (REPUBLIC OF) 8 01/31/2030	1.71%
TU	RKEY (REPUBLIC OF) 26.2 10/05/2033	1.58%
Tot	tal of Portfolio	19.77%
Hold	lings subject to change	



Negative weightings may result from specific circumstances (including timing differences between trade and settlement dates of securities purchased by the funds) and/or the use of certain financial instruments, including derivatives, which may be used to gain or reduce market exposure and/or risk management. Allocations are subject to change

#### **MATURITY BREAKDOWN (%)** 3.49 0 - 1 Years 3.73 5.22 1-2 Years 11.84 6.90 2 - 3 Years 942 15.08 3 - 5 Years 19.04 8.64 5 - 7 Years 13.48 23.47 7 - 10 Years 17.67 10.65 10 - 15 Years 11.76 5.50 15 - 20 Years 6.46 5.22 20+ Years 6.61 5.83 Cash and Derivatives 0.00 5 10 15 20 25 $\cap$ Fund Benchmark Allocations are subject to change. Source: BlackRock



#### GLOSSARY

**SFDR Classification: Article 8:** Products that promote environmental or social characteristics and promote good governance practices. **Article 9:** Products that have sustainable investments as an objective and follow good governance practices. **Other:** Products that do not meet the criteria to be classified as Article 8 or 9.

**Yield to Maturity:** Yield to Maturity (YTM) is the discount rate that equates the present value of bond's cash flows with its market price (including accrued interest). The fund YTM is the weighted average of fund's individual bond holding YTMs based upon Net Asset Value ('NAV'). The measure does not include fees and expenses. For callable bonds, YTM is the Yield-to-Worst.

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