

**PASSIVE**

# iShares Emerging Market Screened Equity Index Fund (IE)

## Class Flexible U.S. Dollar

### BlackRock Index Selection Fund



**December 2024**

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Dec-2024. All other data as at 16-Jan-2025.

This document is marketing material. For Investors in the UK. Investors should read the KIID/PRIPs document and prospectus prior to investing, and should refer to the prospectus for the funds full list of risks.

#### FUND OVERVIEW

- The Fund aims to achieve a return on your investment, through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets, which reflects the return of the global emerging equity markets, excluding companies which do not meet certain environmental, social and governance ("ESG") related criteria.
- The Fund is passively managed and aims to invest, in equity securities (e.g. shares) of companies in global emerging markets that make up the MSCI Emerging Markets ex Select Controversies Index (the Index).
- The Index measures the performance of a subset of equity securities within the MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Parent Index). Further details regarding the Index (including the methodology and its constituents) are available on the index provider's website at <https://www.msci.com/index-methodology>

#### RISK INDICATOR

##### Lower Risk

Potentially Lower Rewards

##### Higher 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.
- Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies. This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political, sustainability-related or regulatory events.
- The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.
- The benchmark index only excludes companies engaging in certain activities inconsistent with ESG criteria if such activities exceed the thresholds determined by the index provider. Such ESG screening may reduce the potential investment universe and this may adversely affect the value of the Fund's investments compared to a fund without such screening.
- 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.
- Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

#### RATINGS\*\*



#### KEY FACTS

**Asset Class :** Equity

**Benchmark :** MSCI Emerging Markets ex Select Controversies Net Index

**Fund Launch Date :** 06-May-2021

**Share Class Launch Date :** 06-May-2021

**Share Class Currency :** USD

**Use of Income :** Accumulating

**Net Assets of Fund (M) :** 587.03 USD

**Morningstar Category :** -

**SFDR Classification :** Article 8

**Domicile :** Ireland

**ISIN :** IE00BKPTWX81

**Management Company :** BlackRock Asset Management Ireland Limited

**Analyst-Driven %<sup>i</sup> :** 20.00%

**Data Coverage %<sup>i</sup> :** 63.00%

#### FEES AND CHARGES

**Annual Management Fee :** 0.00%

**Ongoing Charge :** 0.10%

**Performance Fee :** 0.00%

#### DEALING INFORMATION

**Dealing Frequency :** Daily, forward pricing basis

**Settlement :** Trade Date + 3 days

#### PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

**Price to Book Ratio :** 1.96x

**Price to Earnings Ratio :** 16.65x

**Standard Deviation (3y) :** 17.94

**3y Beta :** 1.00

**Number of Holdings :** 1,079

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)

Kieran Doyle

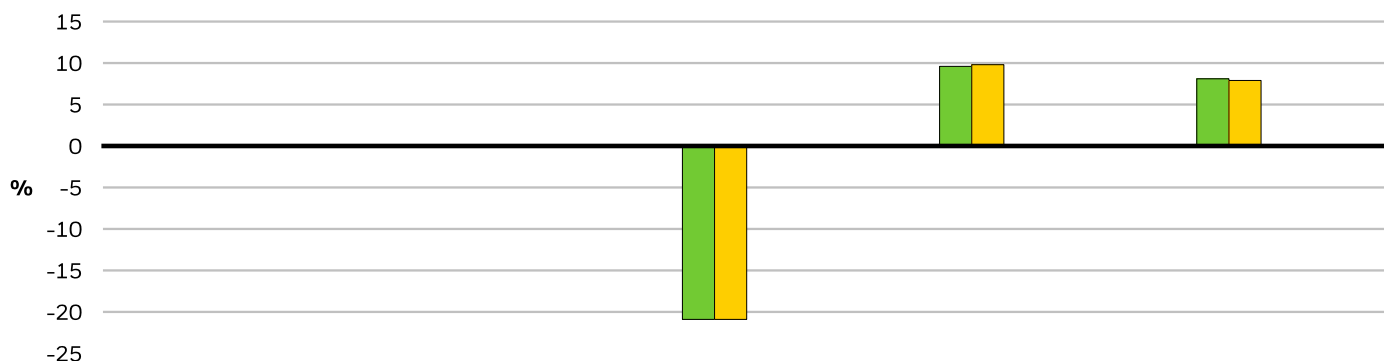
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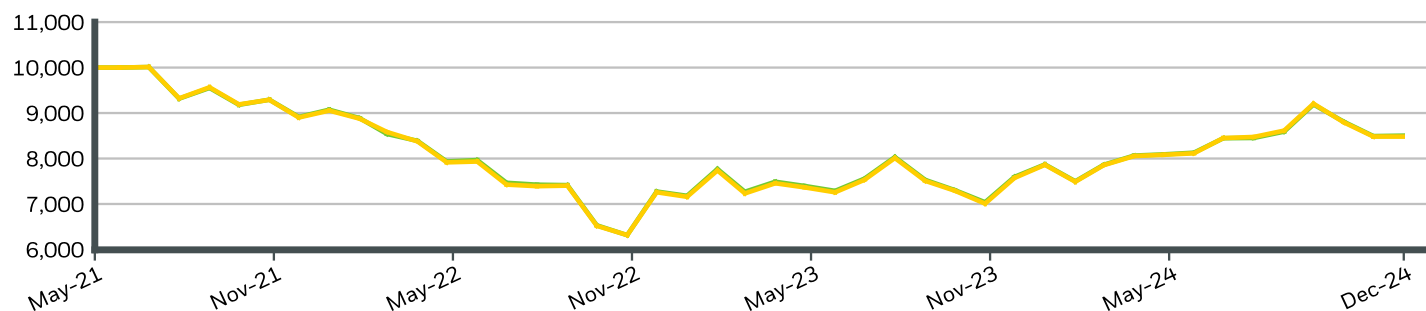


#### CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE



	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Share Class	-	-	-20.87	9.61	8.05
Benchmark	-	-	-20.94	9.83	7.90

#### GROWTH OF HYPOTHETICAL 10,000 USD SINCE INCEPTION



#### CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE

	CUMULATIVE (%)					ANNUALISED (% p.a.)		
	1m	3m	6m	YTD	1y	3y	5y	Since Inception
Share Class	0.12	-7.45	0.67	8.05	8.05	-2.14	-	-3.59
Benchmark	-0.01	-7.86	0.38	7.90	7.90	-2.15	-	-3.68

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 USD, 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      iShares Emerging Market Screened Equity Index Fund (IE) Class Flexible U.S. Dollar  
■ Benchmark      MSCI Emerging Markets ex Select Controversies Net Index

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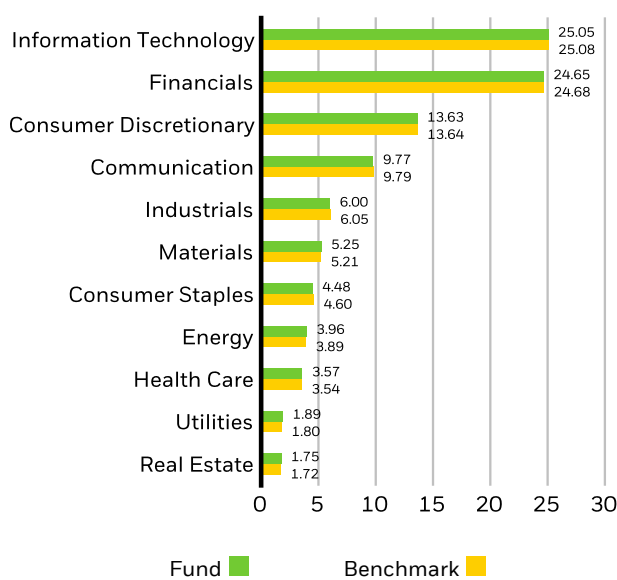


#### TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)

TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING	10.94%
TENCENT HOLDINGS LTD	4.72%
ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING LTD	2.34%
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS LTD	2.33%
HDFC BANK LTD	1.56%
MEITUAN	1.31%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD	1.18%
CHINA CONSTRUCTION BANK CORP H	1.08%
ICICI BANK LTD	1.06%
INFOSYS LTD	0.98%
<b>Total of Portfolio</b>	<b>27.50%</b>

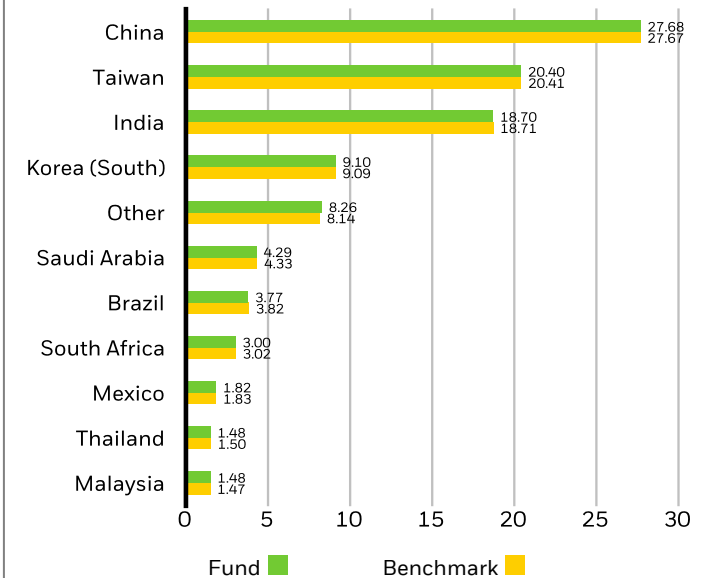
Holdings subject to change

#### SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)



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

#### GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN (%)



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## 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.

**Price to Earnings:** A valuation ratio of a company's current share price compared to its per-share earnings in the current forecast year, calculated as current share price divided by current earnings per share.

**Data Coverage %** is available input data for rating calculation at the Pillar level

**Price to Book Ratio:** represents the ratio of the current closing price of the share to the latest quarter's book value per share.

**Analyst Driven %** is the analyst input into the overall rating assignment, including direct analyst coverage and inheritance of an analyst-rated pillar

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

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