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# TARGET EM DEBT WITH ISHARES ETFS

iShares Fixed Income Strategy

LEMB

iShares J.P. Morgan EM Local Currency Bond ETF

Expense Ratio: 0.30%

**EMB** 

iShares J.P. Morgan USD Emerging Market Bond ETF

Expense Ratio: 0.20%

**BEMB** 

iShares J.P. Morgan Broad USD Emerging Market Bond ETF

Expense Ratio: 0.18%

**EMHY** 

iShares J.P. Morgan EM High Yield Bond ETE

Expense Ratio: 0.50%

СЕМВ

iShares J.P. Morgan EM Corporate Bond ETF

Expense Ratio: 0.50%

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### **Key attributes of EM debt**

Income

EM debt indices' yields range from 7% to 9%, and have historically generated competitive yields versus other fixed income segments.<sup>1</sup>



#### **Diversification**

With an investable universe that spans over 50 different countries and 20 different currencies, investing in EM debt ETFs provides access to a diverse set of demographic and economic drivers.

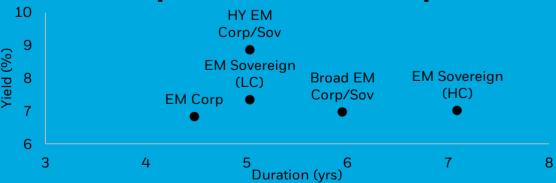


#### Maturing asset class

EM corporates have expanded at a fast pace, reaching \$2.5tn, with sovereigns now at \$13.9tn (\$12.4tn local, \$1.5tn hard).<sup>2</sup>

## Emerging market bonds can help cover the risk/reward spectrum

Emerging market bond indexes offer a range of yield and duration profiles



1 Source: JP Morgan, as of 2/29/2024 Yields shown are yields to maturity and indicates the weighted average yield to maturity of each bond within the index. This metric does not account for fees. Table is for illustrative purposes only. Yield to Maturity (YTM) is represented by the JP Morgan EM Sovereign and Corporate Credit Core Index, JP Morgan EMBI Global Core Index, JP Morgan CEMBI Broad Diversified Core Index, JP Morgan EM HY Bond Index and JP Morgan GBI-EM Global 15% Cap 4.5% Floor Index. 2 Source: JP Morgan, as of 12/29/2023.

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#### **Key facts**

	Sovereign				Corporate
	LEMB	ЕМВ	ВЕМВ	ЕМНҮ	СЕМВ
Sector exposure	Sovereign	Sovereign	Sovereign/Corporate	Sovereign/Corporate	Corporate
Currency exposure	Local Currency	Hard Currency	Hard Currency	Hard Currency	Hard Currency
Benchmark	JP Morgan GBI- EM Global Diversified 15% Cap 4.5% Floor	JP Morgan EMBI Global Core	JP Morgan EM Sovereign and Corporate Credit Core	JP Morgan EM HY Bond	JP Morgan CEMBI Broad Core
Expense ratio	0.30%	0.39%	0.18%	0.50%	0.50%
Inception date	Oct 20, 2011	Dec 19, 2007	Feb 24, 2023	Apr 03, 2012	Apr 19, 2012

Source: BlackRock, as of 02/29/2024. BlackRock Fund Advisors, the investment adviser to the Fund and an affiliate of BlackRock Investments, LLC, has contractually agreed to waive a portion of its management fees through 2/29/2024. Please see the Fund's prospectus for additional details.

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