



BNY Mellon Global Emerging Markets Fund

FACT SHEET
Sep 30, 2021

Class A **DGEAX** ★★★★★ Class C **DGECX** Class I **DGIEX** ★★★★★ Class Y **DGEYX** ★★★★★

Morningstar Rating™ based on risk-adjusted returns as of 9/30/2021 for the fund's Class A, I and Y shares; other classes may have different performance characteristics. Overall rating for the Diversified Emerging Markets category. Fund ratings are out of 5 stars: Overall 5 stars Class A, I and Y (708 funds rated); 3 Yrs. 5 stars Class A, I and Y (708 funds rated); 5 Yrs. 5 stars Class A, I and Y (598 funds rated). **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.***

CUSIP
Class A 05588L102
Class C 05588L201
Class I 05588L300
Class Y 05588L409

Assets for the Fund
\$615,373,539

Holdings²
50

Dividend Frequency
Annually

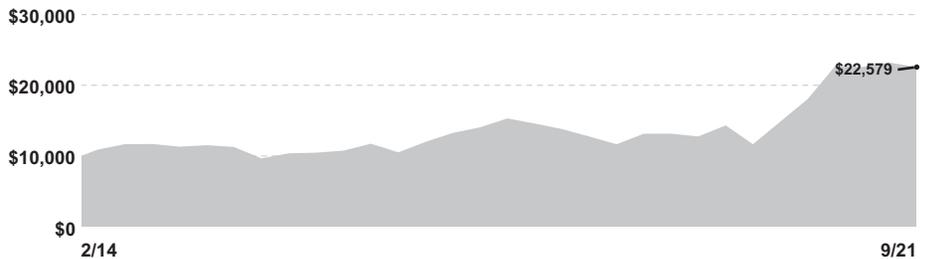
Morningstar Category
Diversified Emerging Markets

Lipper Category
Emerging Markets Funds



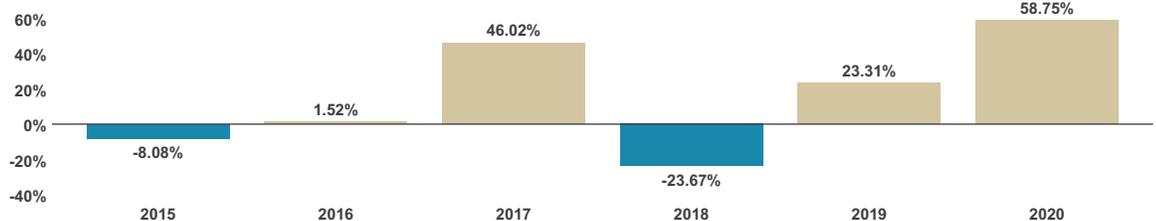
Investment Adviser
BNY Mellon Investment Adviser, Inc.

Growth of a \$10,000 Investment¹
A hypothetical \$10,000 investment in the fund's Class A shares on 2/3/14 would have been worth \$22,579 on 9/30/21.



This does not reflect the 5.75% maximum front-end sales load applicable to Class A shares which, if reflected, would have lowered performance. Assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Performance for the fund's other share classes would vary.

Historical Performance (C.I. @ NAV)³



Average Annual Total Returns (9/30/21)¹

Share Class/Inception Date	3 M	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	Inception
Class A (NAV) 02/03/14	-2.73%	-0.59%	25.08%	20.93%	13.97%	11.23%
Class A (5.75% max. load)	-8.33%	-6.31%	17.88%	18.57%	12.63%	10.38%
Class C (NAV) 02/03/14	-2.90%	-1.15%	24.15%	20.03%	13.12%	10.40%
Class C (1.00% max. CDSC)	-3.87%	-2.14%	23.15%	20.03%	13.12%	10.40%
Class I (NAV) 02/03/14	-2.64%	-0.37%	25.41%	21.25%	14.28%	11.48%
Class Y (NAV) 02/03/14	-2.63%	-0.33%	25.49%	21.30%	14.30%	11.57%
MSCI Emerging Markets Index ⁴	-8.09%	-1.25%	18.20%	8.58%	9.23%	-

DUE TO RECENT MARKET VOLATILITY, CURRENT PERFORMANCE MAY BE DIFFERENT THAN THE FIGURES SHOWN.

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Share price and investment return fluctuate, and an investor's shares may be worth more or less than original cost upon redemption. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance for periods less than 1 year is not annualized. Go to im.bnymellon.com for the fund's most recent month-end returns. The net expense ratio(s) reflect a contractual expense reduction agreement through 3/1/2022, without which, the returns would have been lower. Total Expense Ratios: Class A 1.29%, Class C 2.07%, Class I 1.02%, Class Y 0.93%. Net Expense Ratios: Class A 1.25%, Class C 2.00%, Class I 1.00%, Class Y 0.93%. Not all classes of shares may be available to all investors or through all broker-dealer platforms.

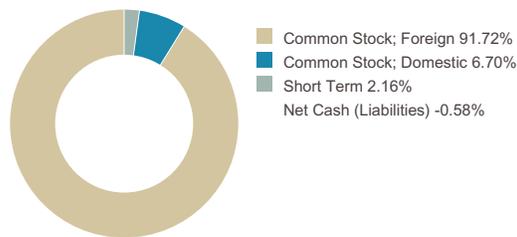
¹Investors should consider, when deciding whether to purchase a particular class of shares, the investment amount, class restrictions, anticipated holding period and other relevant factors. ²Portfolio composition is as of 9/30/2021 and is subject to change at any time. ³Performance figures may reflect reimbursements or fee waivers, without which the performance would have been lower. ⁴Source: FactSet. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index is a free float-adjusted, market capitalization-weighted index that is designed to measure equity market performance of emerging markets. Reflects reinvestment of net dividends and, where applicable, capital gain distributions. Investors cannot invest directly in any index.

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Asset Allocation¹



Top Ten Holdings¹

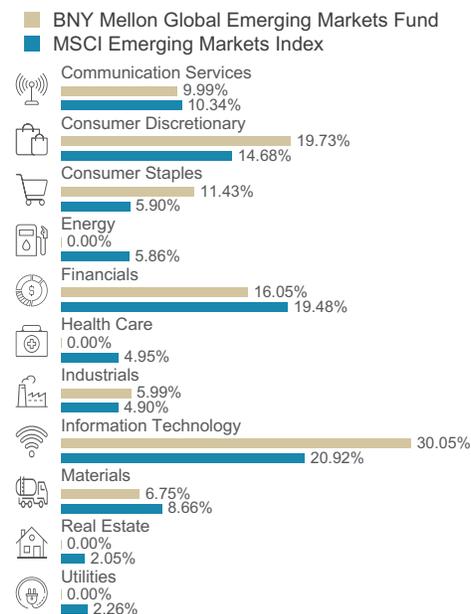
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing	5.62%
Housing Development Finance	4.54%
AIA Group	3.99%
Info Edge India	3.80%
Samsung SDI	3.27%
Ilijin Materials	3.23%
Maruti Suzuki India	3.05%
LONGi Green Energy Technology, Cl. A	2.98%
Asian Paints	2.86%
MercadoLibre	2.76%

The holdings listed should not be considered recommendations to buy or sell a security. Large concentrations can increase share price volatility.

Top Country Exposures¹

China	29.70%
India	27.82%
Korea	8.96%
United States	7.12%
Taiwan	6.55%
Netherlands	4.48%
Hong Kong	4.10%
Argentina	2.52%
Japan	1.64%
Russia	1.50%

Sector Allocation^{1,2}



Goal/Approach

The fund seeks long-term capital appreciation. To pursue its goal, the fund normally invests at least 80% of its net assets, plus any borrowings for investment purposes, in common stocks and other equity securities of companies organized or with their principal place of business, or majority of assets or business, in emerging market countries. The fund considers emerging market countries to be all countries represented in the MSCI Emerging Markets Index. Newton Investment Management (North America) Limited ("Newton") employs a fundamental bottom-up investment process that emphasizes quality, return on capital employed and governance. The process of identifying investment ideas begins by identifying a core list of investment themes. These themes are based primarily on observable global economic, industrial, or social trends that Newton believes will positively affect certain sectors or industries and cause stocks within these sectors or industries to outperform others.

Portfolio Management

The fund's investment adviser is BNY Mellon Investment Adviser, Inc. (BNYM Investment Adviser). BNYM Investment Adviser has engaged its affiliate, Newton Investment Management Limited (Newton), to serve as the fund's sub-investment adviser. Paul Birchenough and Ian Smith are the fund's primary portfolio managers. Messrs. Birchenough and Smith have held that position since December 2020. Each of the primary portfolio managers is an investment manager on the emerging markets equities team at Newton.

Investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of a mutual fund carefully before investing. To obtain a prospectus, or a summary prospectus, if available, that contains this and other information about a fund, contact your financial professional or visit im.bnymellon.com. Read the prospectus carefully before investing. Investors should discuss with their financial professional the eligibility requirements for Class I and Y shares, which are available only to certain eligible investors, and the historical results achieved by the fund's respective share classes.

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*Source: Morningstar. The Morningstar Rating™ for funds, or "star rating," is calculated for managed products with at least a 3-year history. It is calculated based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a managed product's monthly excess performance (not including the effects of sales charges, loads and redemption fees if applicable), placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. Managed products, including open-end mutual funds, closed-end funds and exchange-traded funds, are considered a single population for comparative purposes. The top 10% of products in each product category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% receive 4 stars, the next 35% receive 3 stars, the next 22.5% receive 2 stars, and the bottom 10% receive 1 star. The Overall Morningstar Rating for a managed product is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its 3-, 5-, and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Rating metrics. ©2021 Morningstar, Inc. All rights reserved. The information contained herein: (1) is proprietary to Morningstar and/or its content providers; (2) may not be copied or distributed; and (3) is not warranted to be accurate, complete, or timely. Neither Morningstar nor its content providers are responsible for any damages or losses arising from any use of this information. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.** The fund represents a single portfolio with multiple share classes that have different expense structures. Other share classes may have achieved different results. Ratings do not reduce investment risk and are subject to change.

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