

# Franklin Templeton Investment Funds Franklin Biotechnology Discovery Fund

Sector Equity LU0109394709 31 December 2021

## **Fund Fact Sheet**

### **Fund Overview**

Base Currency for Fund	USD
Total Net Assets (USD)	2.15 billion
Fund Inception Date	03.04.2000
Number of Issuers	104
Benchmark	NASDAQ Biotechnology Index
Investment Style	Sector
Morningstar Category™	Sector Equity Biotechnology

#### **Summary of Investment Objective**

The Fund aims to achieve capital appreciation by investing principally in equity securities of biotechnology companies and discovery research firms mainly located in the US.

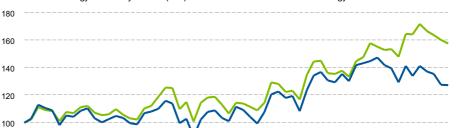
#### **Fund Management**

Evan McCulloch. CFA: United States Wendy Lam, PhD: United States Akiva Felt: United States

**Asset Allocation** 

	%
Equity	97.93
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.07

## Performance Performance over 5 Years in EUR (%) Franklin Biotechnology Discovery Fund A (acc) USD NASDAQ Biotechnology Index



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A (acc) USD	<u>12/21</u> -11 27	<u>12/20</u> 17.06	<u>12/19</u> 36.43	<u>12/18</u> -12 37	12/17 2 54
A (acc) USD	-11.27	17.06	36.43	-12.37	2.54
A (acc) EUR-H1	-18.22	26.32	29.15	N/A	N/A
Benchmark in EUR	6.70	15.37	27 11	-5.05	6.17

### Performance in EUR (%)

	Cumulative					Annualised			
	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	20 Yrs	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	20 Yrs
A (acc) USD	-11.27	41.71	27.34	278.80	227.27	12.32	4.95	14.24	6.11
A (acc) EUR-H1	-18.22	33.42	N/A	N/A	N/A	10.08	N/A	N/A	N/A
Benchmark in EUR	6.70	56.47	57.73	399.29	313.54	16.09	9.54	17.44	7.36

Past performance is not an indicator or a guarantee of future performance. The value of shares in the fund and income received from it can go down as well as up, and investors may not get back the full amount invested. All performance data shown is in the currency stated, include reinvested dividends and are net of management fees. Sales charges and other commissions, taxes and other relevant costs paid by the investor are not included in the calculations. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Currency fluctuations may affect the value of overseas investments. The fund offers other share classes subject to different fees and expenses, which will affect their performance. Please see the prospectus for details. Up to date performance figures can be found on our local website.

Top Ten Holdings (% of Total)		Fund Measures	
Issuer Name		P/E to Growth	1.39x
REGENERON PHARMACEUTICALS INC	5.99	Historical 3 Yr Sales Growth	45.22%
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC	5.64	Estimated 3-5 Yr EPS Growth	7.79%
AMGEN INC	5.55	Price to Earnings (12-mo	13.89x
GILEAD SCIENCES INC	5.30	Forward)	
HORIZON THERAPEUTICS PLC	4.96	Standard Deviation (5 Yrs, USD)	21.41%
ILLUMINA INC	4.45		
MIRATI THERAPEUTICS INC	3.03		
ASCENDIS PHARMA A/S	2.96		
BIOGEN INC	2.90		
PTC THERAPEUTICS INC	2.87		

#### **Share Class Information**

			Fees			Dividends			Fund Identifiers	
			TER (%)	Max. Sales	Max. Annual		Last Paid	Last Paid		
Share Class	Incept Date	NAV	30.11.2021	Charge (%)	Charge (%)	Frequency	Date	Amount	Bloomberg ID	ISIN
A (acc) USD	03.04.2000	USD 37.26	1.81	5.75	1.50	N/A	N/A	N/A	TEMBDAI LX	LU0109394709
A (acc) EUR-H1	06.04.2018	EUR 11.58	1.81	5.75	1.50	N/A	N/A	N/A	FTBAEH1 LX	LU1803069274

## Franklin Biotechnology Discovery Fund

#### **Composition of Fund**

Market Capitalisation Breakdown in USD <2.0 Billion	% of Equity 21.04
2.0-5.0 Billion	13.13
5.0-10.0 Billion	15.01
10.0-25.0 Billion	9.74
25.0-50.0 Billion	5.66
>50.0 Billion	34.10
N/A	1.31

#### What Are the Key Risks?

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Currency fluctuations may affect the value of overseas investments. The Fund invests mainly in equity securities of biotechnology companies. Such securities have historically been subject to significant price movements that may occur suddenly due to market, sector or company-specific factors. As a result, the performance of the Fund can fluctuate very significantly over relatively short time periods. Other significant risks include: securities lending risk, equity risk. For full details of all of the risks applicable to this Fund, please refer to the "Risk Considerations" section of the Fund in the current prospectus of Franklin Templeton Investment Funds.

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