



EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY FUND

BARRON'S

Best Fund Families

2025

#1

OVERALL FUND FAMILY

OVERALL MORNINGSTAR RATING<sup>‡</sup>



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LOWER EXPENSES - CLASS A

Fund Expense Ratio <sup>1†</sup>	1.15%
Category Average <sup>2</sup>	1.34%

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund's investment objective is to seek long-term capital appreciation.

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Number of Holdings: 93  
Wtd. Avg. Market Cap (\$B): \$186.1  
Price/Earnings Ratio: 15.1x

FUND SYMBOLS/CUSIPS

Class A:	EAMAX	54401T538
Class C:	ELMCX	54401T520
Class F:	ELMFX	54401T512
Class F3:	EMOLX	54401T496
Class I:	EMILX	54401T488
Class R6:	EMWLX	54401T439

Not all share classes are available to all investors. Please see prospectus for more information.

AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (%) AS OF 03/31/2025

CLASS A SHARES	YTD	1 YEAR	3 YEARS	SINCE INCEPTION	EXPENSE RATIOS <sup>1</sup>	
Net Asset Value (without sales charge)	3.61	9.35	2.89	3.81	Gross	Net <sup>‡</sup>
Maximum Offering Price (with 5.75% sales charge)	-2.37	3.04	0.88	1.83	6.02%	1.15%

CALENDAR YEAR TOTAL RETURNS AT NAV (%)

	2023	2024
NAV	10.07	10.76

Reflects the percent change in net asset value (NAV) of Class A shares and includes the reinvestment of all distributions. Performance is shown for each calendar year. Performance of Class A shares with sales charge reflects the reinvestment of all distributions and includes initial maximum sales charge. Certain purchases of Class A shares without a sales charge are subject to a contingent deferred sales charge (CDSC). The CDSC is not reflected in the performance shown. Returns for less than one year are not annualized. Instances of high double-digit returns were achieved primarily during favorable market conditions and may not be sustainable over time.

**Performance data quoted reflect past performance and are no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the performance quoted. The investment return and principal value of an investment in the Fund will fluctuate so that shares, on any given day or when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. You can obtain performance data current to the most recent month-end by calling Lord Abbett at 888-522-2388 or referring to lordabbett.com.**

Barron's Top Fund Families of 2024, February 27, 2025, Lord Abbett Funds ranked 1 out of 48, 6 out of 46, 23 out of 46 mutual fund families within the overall category for the 1-, 5- and 10-year periods ending 12/31/2024, respectively.

**The Emerging Markets Equity Fund A share rankings** within the Lipper Emerging Markets Funds Average as of 03/31/2025 for the one-year time period was 19% (137/756). Source: Lipper Analytical Services. Lipper Funds Average ranking reflect all share classes within the category and are based on total return and do not reflect the effect of sales charges.

<sup>1</sup>Reflects expenses for the Fund's fiscal year end and is subject to change. Fund expenses may fluctuate with market volatility. A substantial reduction in Fund assets (since its most recently completed fiscal year), whether caused by market conditions or significant redemptions or both, will likely cause total operating expenses (as a percentage of Fund assets) to become higher than those shown.

<sup>2</sup>Reflects the average net expenses of Class A shares of all funds within the Lipper Emerging Markets Funds Category based on Lipper data available.

**A Note about Risk:** The value of investments in equity securities will fluctuate in response to general economic conditions and to changes in the prospects of particular companies and/or sectors in the economy. The foreign securities in which the Fund primarily invests generally pose greater risks than domestic securities, including greater price fluctuations and higher transaction costs. Foreign investments also may be affected by changes in currency rates or currency controls. With respect to certain foreign countries, there is a possibility of nationalization, expropriation or confiscatory taxation, imposition of withholding or other taxes, and political or social instability that could affect investments in those countries. These risks can be greater in the case of emerging country securities. Investments in either growth or value stocks may shift in and out of favor for long periods of time, depending on market and economic conditions. The Fund is subject to the risks associated with derivatives, which may be different from and greater than the risks associated with investing directly in securities and other investments. These factors can affect Fund performance.

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## INVESTMENT TEAM

## Team Leader(s):

Sue Kim, Partner & Director  
25 Years Industry Experience

## Supported By:

15 Investment Professionals  
23 Years Avg. Industry Experience

## FUND BASICS

Total Net Assets (\$M):<sup>3</sup> \$5.7

Inception Date: 03/11/2022 (Class A)

Capital Gains Distribution: December

Dividend Frequency: Annually

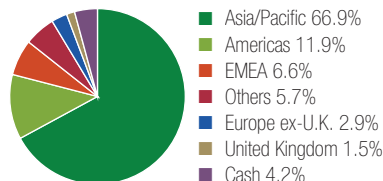
Minimum Initial Investment: \$1,500

<sup>3</sup>Includes all share classes.

EXPENSE RATIOS <sup>1</sup>	GROSS	NET <sup>†</sup>
Class A:	6.02%	1.15%
Class C:	6.77%	1.90%
Class F:	5.87%	0.90%
Class F3:	5.76%	0.89%
Class I:	5.77%	0.90%
Class R6:	5.76%	0.89%

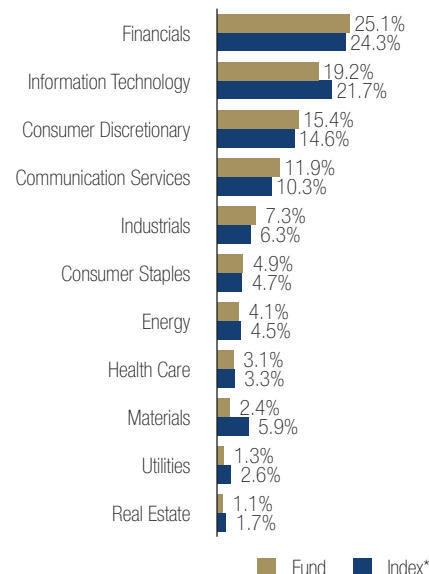
<sup>†</sup>The net expense is based on estimates for the current fiscal year and takes into account contractual fee waivers/expense reimbursements that currently are scheduled to remain in place through 11/30/2025. For periods when fees and expenses were waived and/or reimbursed, the Fund benefited by not bearing such expenses. Without such fee waivers/reimbursements, performance would have been lower.

## REGIONAL ALLOCATION



Regional Allocation source: Lord Abbett and Bloomberg. Region classifications of countries are defined by Lord Abbett and may not be consistent with the MSCI region definitions. Country classifications of securities held within the universe of MSCI indexes are defined by MSCI. Country classifications of securities held by the portfolio only, and not included within the universe of MSCI indexes, are defined by Lord Abbett.

## SECTOR ALLOCATION



\* The MSCI Emerging Markets Net (USD) Index  
Sector allocations exclude cash therefore Fund percentage allocations may not equal 100%.

## TEN LARGEST HOLDINGS

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	9.1%	China Construction Bank Corp	2.0%
Tencent Holdings Ltd	5.3%	BYD Co Ltd	2.0%
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	3.4%	Meituan	1.7%
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	2.6%	HDFC Bank Ltd	1.7%
Bharti Airtel Ltd	2.6%	Hanwha Aerospace Co Ltd	1.7%

Holdings are for informational purposes only and are not a recommendation to buy, sell, or hold any security.

## GLOSSARY OF TERMS

**Weighted Average Market Capitalization** is the average market capitalization of all companies held in the portfolio, with each company weighted according to its percent held in the portfolio.

**Price/Earnings Ratio** is the weighted average of each holding's P/E ratio (price of a stock divided by its earnings per share).

**The MSCI Emerging Markets Net (USD) Index** measures the performance of the large and mid cap segments of emerging market equity securities. It is free float-adjusted market-capitalization weighted.

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**Lipper Emerging Markets Funds Average** is based on a universe of funds with similar investment objectives as the Fund. Source: Lipper Analytical Services.

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