

BGF Emerging Markets Local Currency Bond Fund A6

GBP Hedged

MAY 2021 FACTSHEET

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-May-2021. All other data as at 13-Jun-2021.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund aims to maximise the return on your investment through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets. The Fund invests at least 70% of its total assets in fixed income securities denominated in local currencies of developing market countries. These include bonds and money market instruments.

GROWTH OF 10,000 SINCE LAUNCH



CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE

	Cumulative (%)					Annualised (% p.a.)		
	1 mth	3 mths	6 mths	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 years	Since Launch
Share Class	2.69	1.63	1.94	-1.87	8.72	-0.20	1.30	0.74
Share Class [Max. IC applied]	-2.44	-3.45	-3.16	-6.77	3.28	-1.90	0.27	-0.27
Base Share Class	2.74	1.66	2.20	-1.91	9.26	1.60	3.02	0.93
Base Share Class [Max. IC applied]	-2.40	-3.42	-2.91	-6.82	3.80	-0.12	1.97	0.57

The share class currency is as indicated in the "Key Facts" section. For currency hedged share classes only, the benchmark reflected is in the fund base currency.

CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%)

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016*
Share Class	0.03	9.43	-14.27	12.37	0.32

*Performance shown from share class launch date to calendar year end.

KEY FACTS

Asset Class	Fixed Income
Morningstar Cat.	Other Bond
Fund Launch	26-Jun-1997
Share Class Launch	11-May-2016
Fund Base CCY	U.S. Dollar
Share Class CCY	British Pound
Fund Size (mil)	2610.440867
Domicile	Luxembourg
Fund Type	UCITS
ISIN	LU1408528302
Bloomberg Ticker	BGELA6G
Distribution Frequency	Monthly

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

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TOP HOLDINGS (%)

BRAZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF (GOV 0 01/01/2024	2.75
BRAZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF (GO 10 01/01/2023	2.67
SOUTH AFRICA (REPUBLIC OF) 10.5 12/21/2026	2.38
BRAZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF 10 01/01/2025	2.21
BRAZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF (GOV 0 07/01/2023	1.91
CHINA PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF (GOVERNMENT 3.13 11/21/2029	1.90
BRAZIL FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF (GO 10 01/01/2027	1.80
CHINA PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF (GOVERNMENT 1.99 04/09/2025	1.71
BRAZIL (FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF) 0 07/01/2022	1.58
COLOMBIA (REPUBLIC OF) 7.5 08/26/2026	1.58
Total	20.49

SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)

	Fund
Local Govt. Debt	89.89%
Cash and/or Derivatives	6.76%
Ex. Govt. Debt	1.51%
LC Corp	1.30%
Other	0.39%
Quasi Govt. Debt	0.13%
HC Corp	0.03%

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Effective Duration (years)	4.29 yrs
Yield to Worst (%)	5.55
3 Years Volatility	14.79
5 Years Volatility	12.97
3 Years Beta	1.20
5 Years Beta	1.14

FEES AND CHARGES

Max Initial Charge (IC)	5.00%
Management Fee	1.00%
Performance Fee	0.00%

GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN (%)

	Fund
Brazil	13.50%
China	9.84%
South Africa	9.78%
Mexico	9.71%
Indonesia	8.76%
Malaysia	8.54%
Russia	7.90%
Cash and/or Derivatives	6.76%
Colombia	5.43%
Hungary	2.96%
Other	16.79%

CREDIT RATINGS (%)

	Fund
Cash and/or Derivatives	6.76%
AAA Rated	0.01%
AA rated	2.47%
A Rated	24.66%
BBB Rated	37.83%
BB Rated	25.20%
B Rated	2.43%
CCC Rated	0.20%
CC	0.00%
C Rated	0.00%
D Rated	0.02%
Not Rated	0.43%

LATEST DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION

Ex Date	Dividend per unit
31-May-2021	0.035000 British Pound



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MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC)	BB	MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10)	4.27
MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile	48.37%	MSCI ESG % Coverage	99.42%
Fund Lipper Global Classification	Bond Emerging Markets Global LC	MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES)	516.06
Funds in Peer Group	246		

All data is from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings as of **07-May-2021**, based on holdings as of **31-Dec-2020**. As such, the fund's sustainable characteristics may differ from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings from time to time.

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MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile: The fund's ESG Percentile compared to its Lipper peer group.

Fund Lipper Global Classification: The fund peer group as defined by the Lipper Global Classification.

Funds in Peer Group: The number of funds from the relevant Lipper Global Classification peer group that are also in ESG coverage.

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MSCI ESG % Coverage: Percentage of a fund's holdings that have MSCI ESG ratings data.

MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES): Measures a fund's exposure to carbon intensive companies. This figure represents the estimated greenhouse gas emissions per \$1 million in sales across the fund's holdings. This allows for comparisons between funds of different sizes.

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