

International equity fund Investor fact sheet

John Hancock Emerging Markets Equity Fund

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Summary

Objective

International diversification

Long-term growth of capital

Morningstar category

Diversified Emerging Markets

Strategy

Active bottom-up approach

Employing fundamentally driven research to identify best-in-class emerging-market growth companies with strong business fundamentals

Focus on emerging-market leaders

Targeting countries that are benefiting from structural reforms and that possess rising spending power

Veteran portfolio manager

With direct experience in emerging markets dating to the 1980s and support from a team of veteran analysts and traders

Managed by 1

Manulife

Investment Management

Established asset manager with global resources and expertise extending across equity, fixed-income, and alternative investments as well as asset allocation strategies



Kathryn Langridge

On the fund since 2015. Investing since 1980



Charlie Dutton, CFA On the fund since 2023.

Investing since 1997



Talib Saifee On the fund since 2021.

Investing since 1999



Bryony Deuchars, CFA, FCA On the fund since 2023.

Investing since 2000



David Dugdale, Ph.D., CFA On the fund since 2023. Investing since 2002



Bhupinder Sachdev, CFA On the fund since 2023. Investing since 2014

Average annual total returns²

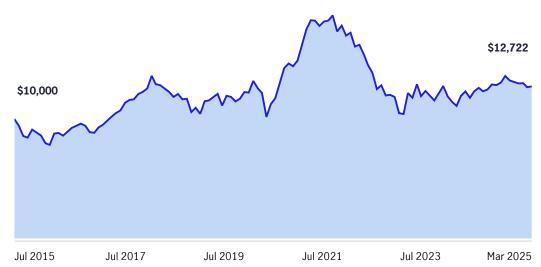
	Qtd	Ytd	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr	Since inception	Inception date
Class I without sales charge	-1.90	-1.90	0.96	-2.78	4.59	_	2.36	6/16/15
Class A without sales charge	-1.90	-1.90	0.67	-3.05	4.28	_	2.08	6/16/15
Class A with sales charge (Maximum initial sales charge 5.00%)	-6.83	-6.83	-4.41	-4.70	3.22	_	1.54	6/16/15
MSCI Emerging Markets Index	2.93	2.93	8.09	1.44	7.94	_	3.78	_
Diversified emerging markets category	1.75	1.75	4.82	1.49	8.45	_	_	_

Expense ratios 3	Gross	Net (what you pay)	Contractual through	
Class I	1.17%	1.01%	2/28/2026	
Class A	1.47%	1.31%	2/28/2026	

The performance data shown represents past performance, which does not guarantee future results. Returns for periods shorter than one year are cumulative, and results for other share classes will vary. Shares will fluctuate in value and, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance cited. Performance figures assume that all distributions are reinvested. For the most recent month-end performance, visit jhinvestments.com.

Growth of a hypothetical \$10,000 investment

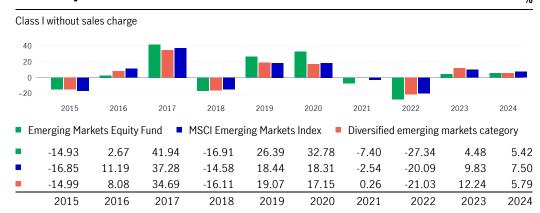
Class I without sales charge - 7/1/15 - 3/31/25



This chart illustrates the growth of a hypothetical \$10,000 investment based on net asset value beginning on the date noted with all distributions reinvested. Performance data shown excludes fees and expenses. The performance data would be lower if such fees and expenses were included. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Returns for periods shorter than one year are cumulative.

¹ Effective 10/31/25, Kathryn Langridge no longer serves as portfolio manager of the fund. 2 It is not possible to invest in an index. Index definitions can be found within the "What you should know before Investing" section on the last page of this fact sheet. 3 "Net (what you pay)" represents the effect of a contractual fee waiver and/or expense reimbursement and is subject to change.

Calendar year returns⁴



10 largest countries⁵



What you should know before investing

The stock prices of midsize and small companies can change more frequently and dramatically than those of large companies. Foreign investing, especially in emerging markets, has additional risks, such as currency and market volatility and political and social instability. Investments in foreign securities listed and traded on a foreign stock exchange are subject to additional risks that may affect the performance of the fund. Value stocks may not increase in price as anticipated or may decline further in value. Frequent trading may increase transaction costs. Please see the fund's prospectus for additional risks.

The MSCI Emerging Markets Index tracks the performance of publicly traded large- and mid-cap emerging-market stocks. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

Request a prospectus or summary prospectus from your financial professional, by visiting jhinvestments.com, or by calling us at 800-225-5291. The prospectus includes investment objectives, risks, fees, expenses, and other information that you should read and consider carefully before investing.

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Key facts

%

Total net assets	\$1.24 b
Portfolio turnover 6 (%)	46
Number of holdings	56
Benchmark	MSCI Emerging Markets
	Index (Net)
Average market cap 7	
Fund	\$162.54 b
Benchmark	\$158.33 b
Beta ⁸	1.09
R-squared 9 (%)	91.15
Sharpe ratio 10	0.24
Standard deviation 11 (%)	
Fund	18.84
Benchmark	16.56
Upside capture ratio 12 (%) 102.58
$ \ \hbox{Downside capture ratio}^{12}$	(%) 119.60

Based on Class I shares for the five-year period.

10	largest holdings ⁵	%
1.	Tencent Holdings, Ltd.	8.61
2.	Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company, Ltd.	8.39
3.	Samsung Electronics Company, Ltd.	5.11
4.	ICICI Bank, Ltd.	3.12
5.	Meituan	3.00
6.	Trip.com Group, Ltd.	2.96
7.	SK Hynix, Inc.	2.59
8.	Mahindra & Mahindra, Ltd.	2.53
9.	Piraeus Financial Holdings SA	2.42
10.	Tata Consultancy Services, Ltd.	2.28

4 Returns for the fund's first year are since fund inception. 5 Listed holdings reflect the largest portions of the fund's total and may change at any time. They are not recommendations to buy or sell any security. Data is expressed as a percentage of net assets and excludes cash and cash equivalents. 6 The portfolio turnover is as of the fund's fiscal year end and is subject to change. The fund's annual report includes further details regarding the portfolio turnover ratio. 7 Weighted average market cap - Source: FactSet. The weighted average market cap measures the average market capitalization of a group of companies, with each company's market cap weighted by its size. 8 Beta measures the sensitivity of a security or portfolio to its benchmark. The beta of the market (as represented by the benchmark) is 1.00. Accordingly, a security or portfolio with a 1.10 beta is expected to have 10% more volatility than the market. 9 R-squared is a measurement that indicates how closely a security or portfolio's performance correlates with the performance of its benchmark index. R-squared can range from 0.00 to 1.00, with 1.00 indicating perfect correlation to the index. 10 Sharpe ratio is a measure of excess return per unit of risk, as defined by standard deviation. A higher Sharpe ratio suggests better risk-adjusted performance. 11 Standard deviation is a statistical measure of the historic volatility of a portfolio. It measures the fluctuation of a security or portfolio's periodic returns from the mean or average. The larger the deviation, the larger the standard deviation and the higher the risk. 12 Upside capture ratio measures a manager's performance in up markets relative to the market itself. Downside capture ratio measures a manager's performance in down markets relative to the market itself.



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