

## Schroder International Selection Fund QEP Global Emerging Markets

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## Fund objectives and investment policy

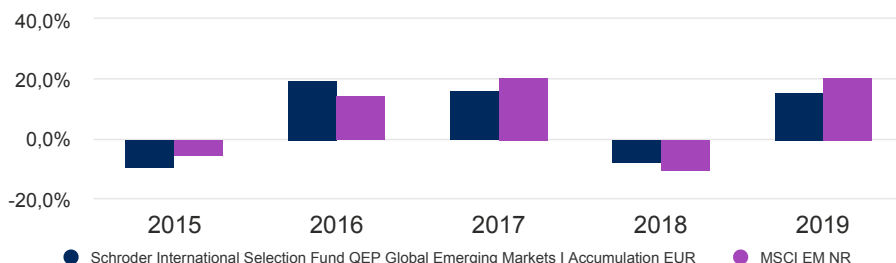
The fund aims to provide capital growth and income in excess of the MSCI Emerging Markets (Net TR) Index after fees have been deducted over a three to five year period by investing in equities of companies in emerging market countries. The fund is actively managed and invests at least two-thirds of its assets in a diversified portfolio of equities of companies in emerging market countries. The fund focuses on companies that have certain "Value" and/or "Quality" characteristics. Value means looking at indicators such as cash flows, dividends and earnings to identify securities which have been undervalued by the market. Quality means looking at indicators such as a company's profitability, stability, financial strength and governance. The fund may also invest directly or indirectly in other securities (including other asset classes), countries, regions, industries or currencies, investment funds, warrants and money market investments, and hold cash. The fund may use derivatives with the aim of reducing risk or managing the fund more efficiently.

Relevant risk as associated with this Fund are shown overleaf and should be carefully considered before making any investment.

## Share class performance

Cumulative performance	1 month	3 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	Since inception
Share class (Net)	-16,4	-24,5	-24,5	-20,8	-15,9	-9,9	20,5
Target	-15,3	-21,8	-21,8	-15,8	-7,2	-3,9	21,0
Discrete yearly performance	Mar 15 - Mar 16	Mar 16 - Mar 17	Mar 17 - Mar 18	Mar 18 - Mar 19	Mar 19 - Mar 20		
Share class (Net)	-16,6	28,5	3,9	2,1	-20,8		
Target	-17,1	24,9	8,6	1,4	-15,8		
Calendar year performance	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019		
Share class (Net)	-9,2	19,8	16,3	-8,0	15,4		
Target	-5,2	14,5	20,6	-10,3	20,6		

## Performance over 5 years (%)



Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results, prices of shares and the income from them may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

Exchange rate movements may cause the value of investments to fall as well as rise. The performance shown does not take account of any commissions, entry or exit charges.

Source: Morningstar, bid to bid, net income reinvested, net of fees. The fund's performance should be assessed against its target benchmark, being to exceed the MSCI Emerging Markets (Net TR) index. The majority of the fund's investments may be components of the benchmark. The investment manager invests on a discretionary basis and is not limited to investing in accordance with the composition of the benchmark. The investment manager will invest in companies or sectors not included in the benchmark in order to take advantage of specific investment opportunities.

The fund is not managed with reference to a benchmark but its performance may be measured against one or more.

## Fund facts

Fund manager	QEP Investment Team led by Justin Abercrombie
Managed fund since	29.03.2012
Fund management company	Schroder Investment Management (Europe) S.A.
Domicile	Luxembourg
Fund launch date	29.03.2012
Share class launch date	29.03.2012
Fund base currency	USD
Share class currency	EUR
Fund size (Million)	USD 426,25
Number of holdings	552
Target	MSCI EM NR
Unit NAV	EUR 120,5036
Dealing frequency	Daily
Distribution frequency	No Distribution

## Fees &amp; expenses

Ongoing charge	0,10%
Redemption fee	0,00%
Entry charge up to	0,00%

## Purchase details

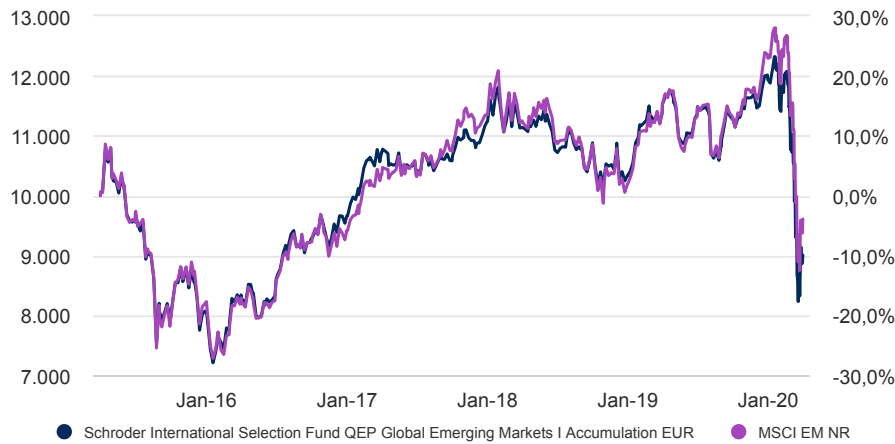
Minimum initial subscription	EUR 5M ; USD 5M or their near equivalent in any other freely convertible currency.
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## Codes

ISIN	LU0747140720
Bloomberg	SGEMIEA LX
SEDOL	B5SJY89
Reuters	LU0747140720.LUF

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## 5 year return of EUR 10.000



**Past Performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. The value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amounts originally invested. Exchange rate changes may cause the value of any overseas investments to rise or fall.**

The chart is for illustrative purposes only and does not reflect an actual return on any investment.

Returns are calculated bid to bid (which means performance does not include the effect of any initial charges), net income reinvested, net of fees.

## Risk considerations

**Liquidity risk:** In difficult market conditions, the fund may not be able to sell a security for full value or at all. This could affect performance and could cause the fund to defer or suspend redemptions of its shares.

**Operational risk:** Operational processes, including those related to the safekeeping of assets, may fail. This may result in losses to the fund.

**Currency risk:** The fund may lose value as a result of movements in foreign exchange rates.

**Derivatives risk – Efficient Portfolio Management and Investment Purposes:** Derivatives may be used to manage the portfolio efficiently. A derivative may not perform as expected, may create losses greater than the cost of the derivative and may result in losses to the fund. The fund may also materially invest in derivatives including using short selling and leverage techniques with the aim of making a return. When the value of an asset changes, the value of a derivative based on that asset may change to a much greater extent. This may result in greater losses than investing in the underlying asset.

**Emerging Markets & Frontier risk:** Emerging markets, and especially frontier markets, generally carry greater political, legal, counterparty, operational and liquidity risk than developed markets.

**Counterparty risk:** The fund may have contractual agreements with counterparties. If a counterparty is unable to fulfil their obligations, the sum that they owe to the fund may be lost in part or in whole.

**Higher volatility risk:** The price of this fund may be volatile as it may take higher risks in search of higher rewards.

**Performance risk:** Investment objectives express an intended result but there is no guarantee that such a result will be achieved. Depending on market conditions and the macro economic environment, investment objectives may become more difficult to achieve.

**IBOR:** The transition of the financial markets away from the use of interbank offered rates (IBORs) to alternative reference rates may impact the valuation of certain holdings and disrupt liquidity in certain instruments. This may impact the investment performance of the fund.

## Ratings and accreditation

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Please refer to the Important information section for the disclosure. The above are external ratings and the internal ESG accreditation.

## Synthetic risk &amp; reward indicator (SRI)

## LOWER RISK

Potentially lower reward

## HIGHER RISK

Potentially higher reward



The risk category was calculated using historical performance data and may not be a reliable indicator of the fund's future risk profile. The fund's risk category is not guaranteed to remain fixed and may change over time. A fund in the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment. The fund is in this category because it can take higher risks in search of higher rewards and its price may rise and fall accordingly.

## Risk statistics &amp; financial ratios

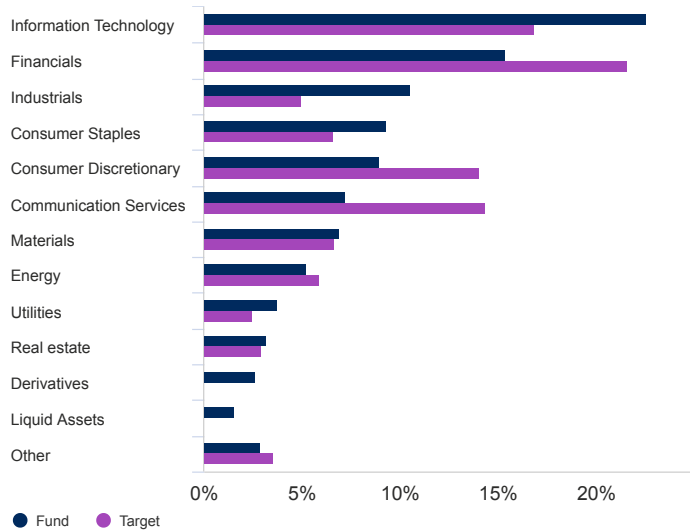
	Fund	Target
<b>Annual volatility (%) (3y)</b>	14,6	14,9
<b>Alpha (%) (3y)</b>	-3,4	-
<b>Beta (3y)</b>	1,0	-
<b>Sharpe ratio (3y)</b>	-0,3	-0,1
<b>Information ratio (3y)</b>	-0,9	-
<b>Dividend Yield (%)</b>	5,0	-
<b>Price to book</b>	1,1	-
<b>Price to earnings</b>	8,8	-

Source: Morningstar. The above ratios are based on bid to bid price based performance data. These financial ratios refer to the average of the equity holdings contained in the fund's portfolio and in the benchmark (if mentioned) respectively.

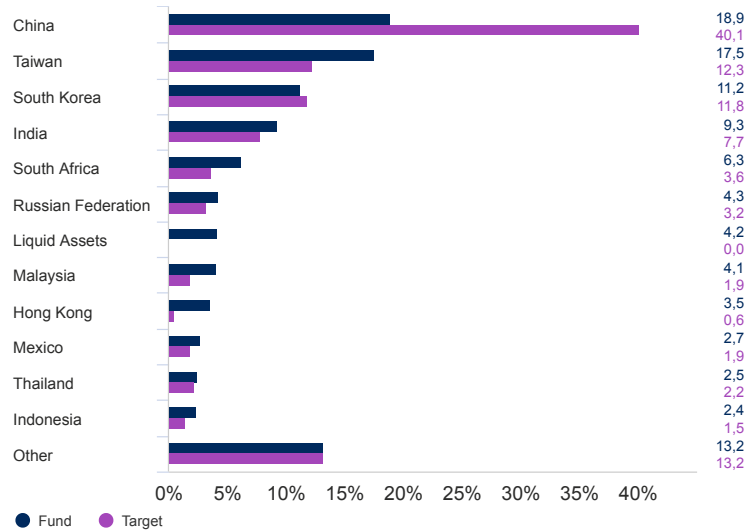
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## Asset allocation

## Sector (%)



## Geographical Breakdown (%)



## Top 10 holdings (%)

	Holding name	%
1	Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	2,2
2	Tata Consultancy Services Ltd	1,5
3	Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	1,4
4	Vodacom Group Ltd	1,4
5	Infosys Ltd	1,3
6	Want Want China Holdings Ltd	1,3
7	Wipro Ltd	1,0
8	Sanlam Ltd	1,0
9	Advantech Co Ltd	1,0
10	DiGi.Com Bhd	0,9

Source: Schroders. Top holdings and asset allocation are at fund level.

## Share class available

	I Accumulation EUR	I Distribution EUR
Distribution frequency	No Distribution	Annually
ISIN	LU0747140720	LU1078768121
Bloomberg	SGEMIEA LX	SGEMMIE LX
SEDOL	B5SJY89	BNFX6N9

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**Benchmark:** The target benchmark has been selected because the target return of the fund is to deliver the return of that benchmark as stated in the investment objective.

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