

# GQG Partners Emerging Markets Equity Fund

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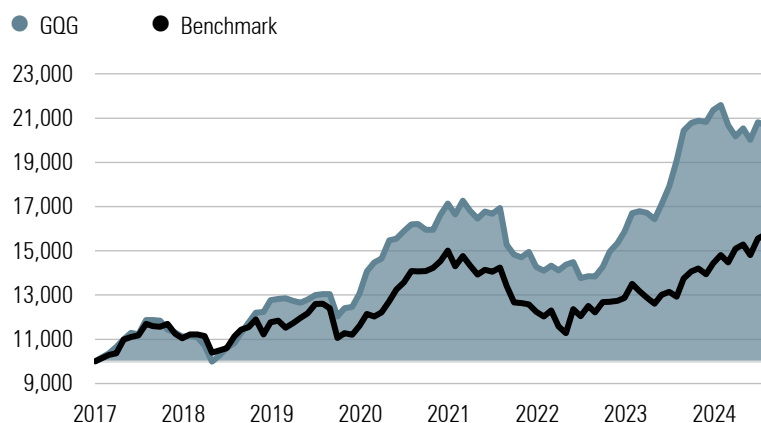
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## Investment Objective and Strategy

The Fund seeks long-term capital appreciation.

GQG Partners seeks to invest in high-quality, attractively priced companies exhibiting competitive advantages. Our investment process aims to evaluate each business with a focus on financial strength, sustainability of earnings growth, and quality of management. The resulting portfolio seeks to manage the downside risk of equity investments while providing attractive returns to long-term investors over a full market cycle.

## Growth of \$10,000 Since Inception (AUD, Net of Fees)



This chart assumes initial investment of \$10,000 made on 5 Jul 2017, reinvestment of dividends and capital gain distributions, and no sales charges.

## Total Return Performance % (AUD)

Investment	1mo	3mos	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	ITD
Fund (Gross of Fees)	-0.57	0.94	-0.57	9.44	7.92	10.71	11.27
Fund (Net of Fees)	-0.65	0.69	-0.65	8.40	6.89	9.65	10.15
Benchmark	1.05	2.91	1.05	21.62	3.37	4.52	6.25
+/- (net vs benchmark)	-1.70	-2.22	-1.70	-13.22	3.52	5.12	3.90

The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Returns greater than one year are annualized. Returns are presented both gross and net of fees and are based on end of month hard close redemption prices assuming the reinvestment of all distributions and capital gains. Gross performance is calculated after the deduction of actual trading expenses and is net of taxes withheld on foreign dividends, interest and capital gains. Net performance is calculated in same manner as gross performance but also deducts the stated management fee, which includes management and other administrative fees (custody, legal, admin, audit and organisation fees). Current Fund performance may be lower or higher than quoted performance. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's units, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. Characteristics calculations exclude cash. Unless otherwise indicated, data and calculations are sourced from GQG Partners, Northern Trust, MSCI, Standard and Poor's (S&P), Morningstar, and certain fund rating agencies.

## Fund Facts

Fund AUM (mm)	A\$1,622
Share Class	A Class
Benchmark	MSCI EM ex Tobacco (Net)
Legal Structure	Open End Fund
Inception	5 Jul 2017
APIR Code	ETL4207AU
ARSN Code	616 386 344
ISIN	AU60ETL42073

## Portfolio Characteristics

Characteristics	Fund	Index
# of Holdings	80	1,247
Wtd Avg Mkt Cap (bn)	A\$369	A\$285
Median Mkt Cap (bn)	A\$99	A\$13
Dividend Yield %	2.98	2.75
Long-Term EPS Gr %	19.97	18.43
Price/Earnings	11.66	6.22

## Risk Statistics % (Net of Fees)

Inception to Date	Fund	Index
Alpha	5.23	—
Beta	0.66	1.00
Standard Deviation	10.96	11.43
Sharpe Ratio	0.75	0.37
Upside Capture Ratio	88.40	100.00
Downside Capture Ratio	54.72	100.00
R2	47.71	100.00
Tracking Error	8.79	—

## Portfolio Managers

**Rajiv Jain**, Portfolio Manager, CIO

**Brian Kersman**, Portfolio Manager

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**Sid Jain**, Deputy Portfolio Manager

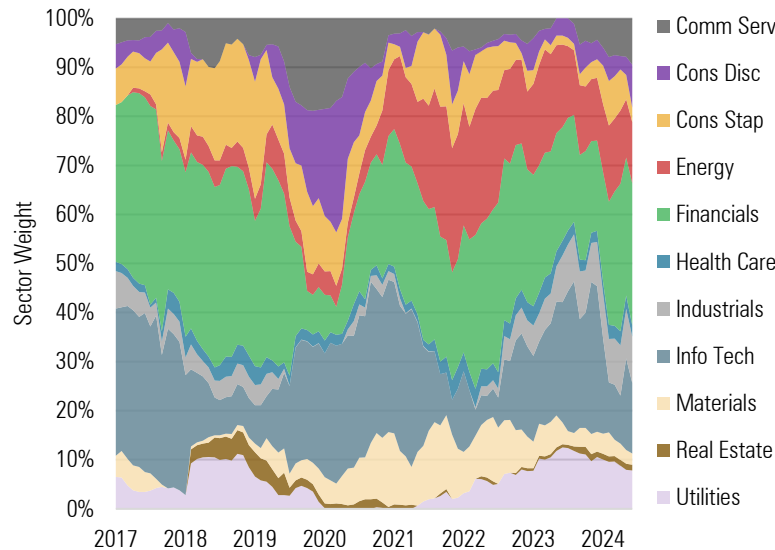
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## Fund Sectors Over Time



## Fund Expense

**Buy Spread** 0.25%, **Sell Spread** 0.25%, **Management Fee\*** 0.96%

\*Charged on Fund gross assets, inclusive of goods and services tax (GST) and any reduced input tax credit.

## Fund Ratings and Awards

Lonsec Rating	Zenith Rating	Morningstar Medalist	Morningstar Overall Rating	Fund Awards
Highly Recommended	Highly Recommended	Gold	★★★★★	Zenith 2020, 2023, 2024

Morningstar Rating Overall based on the risk-adjusted returns out of 63 investments in the Australia Fund Equity Emerging Markets Category as of 31 January 2025.

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## GICS Sectors %

Sector	Fund	Index	-/+
Comm Serv	9.02	9.35	-0.33
Cons Disc	8.31	13.14	-4.84
Cons Stap	2.82	4.37	-1.55
Energy	11.86	4.60	7.26
Financials	27.54	23.87	3.67
Health Care	2.20	3.38	-1.18
Industrials	8.96	6.52	2.44
Info Tech	13.66	24.69	-11.03
Materials	2.15	5.86	-3.70
Real Estate	1.13	1.59	-0.46
Utilities	7.40	2.63	4.77
Cash	4.96	-	4.96

## Top 10 Holdings %

Holding	Fund
TSMC	9.96
Petroleo Brasileiro SA	6.21
Itau Unibanco Holding SA	3.01
ICICI Bank Ltd	2.92
Bank Central Asia Tbk PT	2.75
MercadoLibre Inc	2.62
Bank Mandiri Persero Tbk PT	2.50
INTERNATIONAL HOLDING COMPANY	2.43
Adani Enterprises Ltd	2.40
Meta Platforms Inc	2.35

**Top 10 Holdings %** **37.15**

## Top 10 Countries %

Country	Fund	Index	-/+
India	30.86	18.28	12.58
Brazil	14.16	4.51	9.65
Taiwan	9.96	20.09	-10.14
China	9.38	27.58	-18.20
United States	7.72	-	7.72
United Arab Emirates	5.47	-	5.47
Indonesia	5.25	1.44	3.81
Singapore	3.89	-	3.89
Saudi Arabia	3.08	4.21	-1.14
France	2.18	-	2.18

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Risk statistics utilize monthly returns. **Standard Deviation:** Absolute volatility measured as the dispersion of monthly returns around an average. **Sharpe Ratio:** Return per unit of risk measured as the excess return (over a risk-free rate) divided by standard deviation. **Alpha:** Outperformance measured as risk-adjusted excess returns over the benchmark. **Beta:** Relative volatility measured as systematic risk relative to a benchmark. **Upside Capture Ratio:** Performance in periods where the benchmark was up. **Downside Capture Ratio:** Performance in periods where the benchmark was down. **R-Squared (R<sup>2</sup>):** Benchmark fit measured as the percentage of return movements explained by the index. **Tracking Error:** Standard deviation of excess returns relative to the benchmark. **Dividend Yield:** Annualized percentage of stock price paid out as dividends. **Earnings Growth:** Annualized growth rate of companies earnings per share. **Price/Earnings:** Price to earnings per share ex negative earners.

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