

# Merlin Fidelis Emerging Markets Fund

Fact Sheet at 31 March 2026

## Investment Strategy

The Fund has a dual objective, to preserve capital while generating real (inflation adjusted) growth in value over the longer-term (5+ years). It targets a higher return than the average of the equity markets of the world's emerging market countries, spread across Asia, Eastern Europe, Africa, and Latin America. The Fund aims to build a durable portfolio that outperforms the MSCI Emerging Markets Index ("benchmark") over 5-year rolling periods.

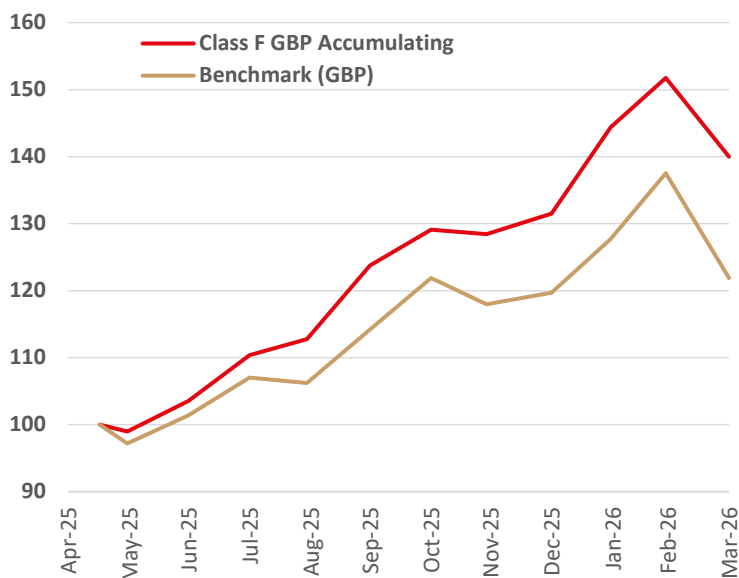
## Portfolio Characteristics

Total number of holdings	72
Active share <sup>1</sup> (%)	82.9
NAV in top 10 holdings (%)	42.1
NAV in top 30 holdings (%)	74.2
NAV weighted median market cap (USD billion)	33.2

## Net Returns<sup>2</sup> (%)

	1 month	3 months	YTD	Since Inception
Class F GBP Accumulating	-7.76	6.43	6.43	39.97
Benchmark (GBP) <sup>3</sup>	-11.36	1.83	1.83	21.90
Active	3.60	4.60	4.60	18.07

## Growth of GBP100 investment, net of fees since inception

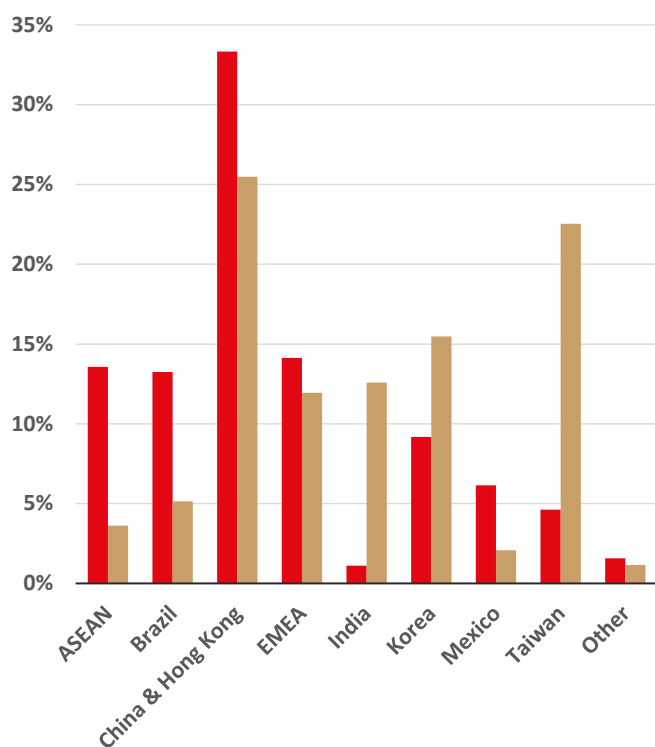


## Fund Information

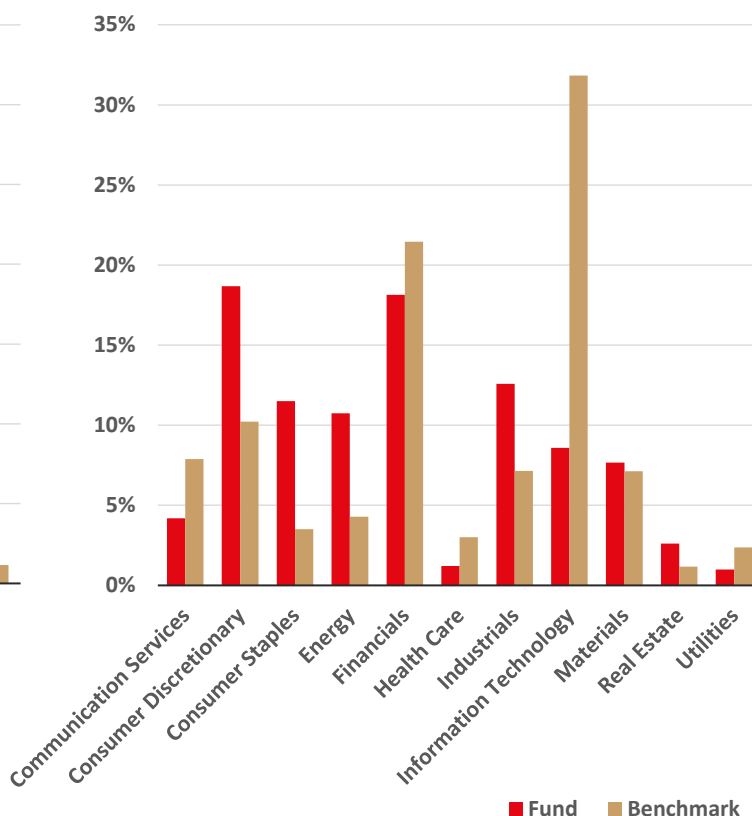
Share Class	Class F GBP Accumulating
ISIN	IE000TEA7R54
Investment Manager	Merlin Fidelis Asset Management Limited
Inception Date	16 May 2025
Structure	Sub-Fund of Bridge UCITS Funds ICAV
Fund Administrator	Caceis Investment Services Ireland Limited
Auditor	PricewaterhouseCoopers
Minimum Investment	GBP 1,000,000
Benchmark	MSCI Emerging Markets Net Index (GBP)
Management Fee	0.45%
Dealing	Daily – Subscription (T+2), Redemption (T+3)
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- Active share measures the percentage of a fund's portfolio holdings differing from its benchmark. Active share can range from 0% (index fund) to 100% (no commonality with the benchmark index).
- Investment returns are calculated with reference to the Fund's Unit Price in the share class (excluding the impact of any Initial or Redemption charge) and include both the capital return and income return (if any) for the period. Returns are calculated net of operating costs and management fee. Returns are provided/calculated by Fund Administrator/Merlin Fidelis. Inception date for performance calculations is 16/05/2025 for Class F GBP Accumulating. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future returns. The benchmark is a reference only.
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**Geographic Exposure**



**Sector Exposure (GICS)**



**Investment Manager**

Merlin Fidelis is an independent, privately owned investment management firm dedicated to Emerging Markets equities. All principals are heavily co-invested in the strategy alongside clients.

We are fundamental investors in pursuit of those companies whose stocks present the most rewarding payoffs. We apply this single approach in a systematic manner that often leads to contrarian portfolios that can differ substantially from the benchmark index.

The team's decision-making capability, tested over a long track record, is founded on a relentless preparation for opportunity that requires clarity, fortitude to act, and full accountability.

**Portfolio Managers**

Aaron Macksey, CFA, and Sam Dyson, CFA, each have over 20 years of investment experience. They have been colleagues for more than 15 years of this period. Mr. Macksey has managed over USD 3 billion on behalf of institutional clients in Emerging Markets strategies, while Mr. Dyson has managed more than USD 1 billion for institutional clients.

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