



T. ROWE PRICE FUNDS SICAV

# Frontier Markets Equity Fund – Class Q

As at 31 October 2021

Figures shown in U.S. Dollars



**Portfolio Manager:**  
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**Managed Fund Since:**  
2020

**Joined Firm:**  
2015

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

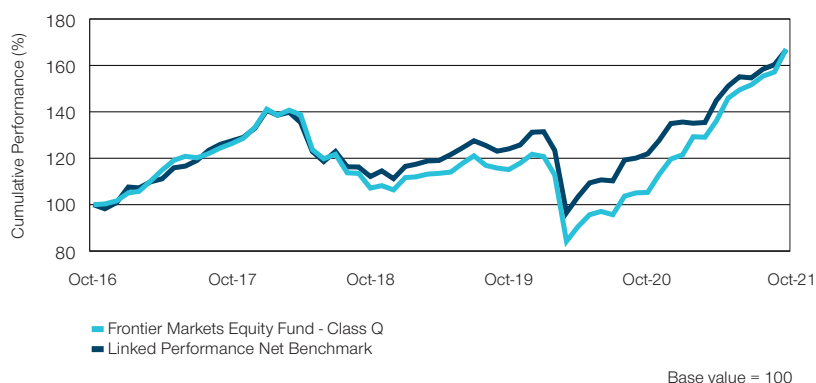
To increase the value of its shares, over the long term, through growth in the value of its investments. The fund is actively managed and invests mainly in a diversified portfolio of shares of frontier markets companies. For full investment objective and policy details refer to the prospectus.



## FUND OVERVIEW

Inception Date of Fund	24 Jun 2014
Inception Date - Class Q	24 Jun 2014
Base Currency of Fund	USD
Share Class Currency	USD
Categories of Shares	Accumulating
Total Fund Assets	US\$106.6 million
Number of Issuers	51
Percent in Cash	2.2%
Ongoing Charges - based on financial year ending 31 Oct 2021	1.27%
Maximum Initial Charge	—
Minimum Investment	US\$1000
Morningstar Category™	EAA Fund Global Frontier Markets Equity
Class Q - ISIN Code	LU1079764939
Class Q - Bloomberg Code	TRPFMEQ LX

## HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE



## PERFORMANCE

(NAV, total return)	Inception Date	One Month	Three Months	Year-to-Date	One Year	Annualised		
						Three Years	Five Years	Since Inception
Class Q	24 Jun 2014	6.32%	10.19%	39.62%	58.67%	15.96%	10.81%	6.11%
Linked Performance Net Benchmark		4.00%	7.81%	23.54%	36.77%	14.14%	10.76%	3.64%

## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE

(NAV, total return)	31 Oct 2016 to 31 Oct 2017	31 Oct 2017 to 31 Oct 2018	31 Oct 2018 to 31 Oct 2019	31 Oct 2019 to 31 Oct 2020	31 Oct 2020 to 31 Oct 2021
Class Q	26.35%	-15.21%	7.46%	-8.54%	58.67%
Linked Performance Net Benchmark	27.51%	-12.07%	10.64%	-1.74%	36.77%

### Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

Source for performance: T. Rowe Price. Fund performance is calculated using the official NAV with distributions reinvested, if any. Sales charges, taxes and other locally applied costs have not been deducted and if applicable, they will reduce the performance figures.

MSCI Index returns are shown with net dividends reinvested.

Effective 1 January 2020, the comparator benchmark for the fund changed to MSCI Frontier Markets 10/40 Net Index. Prior to this change, the comparator benchmark was MSCI Frontier Markets Net Index.

Historical benchmark representations have not been restated.

This benchmark is shown for comparison purposes only.

## KEY FUND RISKS

**Currency risk** - changes in currency exchange rates could reduce investment gains or increase investment losses. **Emerging markets risk** - emerging markets are less established than developed markets and therefore involve higher risks. **Frontier markets risk** - small market nations that are at an earlier stage of economic and political development relative to more mature emerging markets typically have limited investability and liquidity. **Sector concentration risk** - the performance of a fund that invests a large portion of its assets in a particular economic sector (or, for bond funds, a particular market segment), will be more strongly affected by events affecting that sector or segment of the fixed income market. **Small and mid-cap risk** - stocks of small and mid-size companies can be more volatile than stocks of larger companies.

**TOP 10 ISSUERS**

Issuer	Country/Industry	% of Fund
Mobile World Investment	Vietnam/Specialty Retail	5.8
FPT	Vietnam/IT Services	5.6
Safaricom	Kenya/Wireless Telecommunication Services	5.0
E-Finance Digital & Financial Inv	Egypt/IT Services	4.9
Marel HF	Iceland/Machinery	4.8
Kaspi.KZ JSC	Kazakhstan/Consumer Finance	4.7
Banca Transilvania	Romania/Banks	4.5
BRAC Bank	Bangladesh/Banks	4.4
Phu Nhuan Jewelry JSC	Vietnam/Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods	4.0
Bank for Foreign Trade of Vietnam	Vietnam/Banks	3.6

**GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSIFICATION (TOP 15)**

Country	% of Fund	Fund vs. Comparator Benchmark
Vietnam	30.8	1.7
Kazakhstan	10.8	1.9
Egypt	7.9	7.9
Kenya	6.5	0.1
Morocco	6.3	-4.7
Romania	5.9	-0.1
Bangladesh	5.9	2.3
United Kingdom	5.1	5.1
Iceland	4.8	-2.4
Pakistan	4.4	4.4
Slovenia	3.1	-1.1
Australia	1.7	1.7
Peru	1.7	1.7
Philippines	1.5	1.5
Argentina	0.6	0.6

The comparator benchmark data is for the MSCI Frontier Markets 10/40 Net Index.

**SECTOR DIVERSIFICATION**

Sector	% of Fund	Fund vs. Comparator Benchmark
Communication Services	9.4	-2.8
Consumer Discretionary	11.7	11.4
Consumer Staples	10.2	0.4
Energy	2.9	-3.1
Financials	33.3	-3.9
Health Care	1.5	-4.4
Industrials & Business Services	6.9	-0.3
Information Technology	17.7	17.7
Materials	0.1	-10.0
Real Estate	3.3	-6.5
Utilities	0.4	-1.1

T. Rowe Price uses the current MSCI/S&P Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS) for sector and industry reporting. T. Rowe Price will adhere to all updates to GICS for prospective reporting.

## GENERAL FUND RISKS

**General fund risks - to be read in conjunction with the fund specific risks above.** **Capital risk** - the value of your investment will vary and is not guaranteed. It will be affected by changes in the exchange rate between the base currency of the fund and the currency in which you subscribed, if different. **Equity risk** - in general, equities involve higher risks than bonds or money market instruments. **ESG and Sustainability risk** - may result in a material negative impact on the value of an investment and performance of the fund. **Geographic concentration risk** - to the extent that a fund invests a large portion of its assets in a particular geographic area, its performance will be more strongly affected by events within that area. **Hedging risk** - a Fund's attempts to reduce or eliminate certain risks through hedging may not work as intended. **Investment fund risk** - investing in funds involves certain risks an investor would not face if investing in markets directly. **Management risk** - the investment manager or its designees may at times find their obligations to a fund to be in conflict with their obligations to other investment portfolios they manage (although in such cases, all portfolios will be dealt with equitably). **Operational risk** - operational failures could lead to disruptions of fund operations or financial losses.

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