

# EMERGING MARKETS FUND

## Investor Class

As of June 30, 2020



### FUND STATISTICS

**Fund Inception:** Mar. 30, 2007

**CUSIP:** 149498206

**Ticker:** CEMVX

**Minimum Initial Investment:**  
\$5,000

**Maximum Sales Charge:** None

**Shareholder Service fees:**  
0.25%

**Net Expenses:\*** 1.35%

**Gross Expenses:** 1.41%

**Net Assets:** \$407,772,660

\* Contractual fee waivers are in effect until 1/31/2022.

## Investment objective

The Fund's investment objective is to seek long-term growth of capital.

The Fund normally invests at least 80% of its total assets in equity securities of companies in emerging (less developed) markets and other investments that are tied economically to emerging markets.

## Fund features

- Actively managed, tracking-error oriented, quantitative strategy
- Combines bottom-up and top-down factors in security selection
- Supports strict risk controls in stock selection process
- Provides diversification benefits to a developed markets portfolio

## About the adviser

Causeway Capital Management LLC is an investment management firm which began operations in June 2001. Causeway has approximately \$38.0 billion in global, international, emerging market and absolute return equities assets under management, and has 101 employees, 37 of whom are investment professionals.

**ARJUN JAYARAMAN, PhD, CFA Portfolio Manager** Dr. Jayaraman joined the firm in January 2006 and is head of the quantitative research group at Causeway. He has been co-portfolio manager of Causeway Emerging Markets Fund since March 2007.

**MACDUFF KUHNERT, CFA Portfolio Manager** Mr. Kuhnert performs quantitative research for Causeway. His responsibilities include product development, asset allocation, risk management, and the design and implementation of proprietary valuation models and other quantitative tools. He joined the firm in July 2001 and has been co-portfolio manager of Causeway Emerging Markets Fund since March 2007.

**JOE GUBLER, CFA Portfolio Manager** Mr. Gubler is a quantitative portfolio manager for Causeway. He joined Causeway as a quantitative research associate in April 2005 and was promoted to portfolio manager in January 2014.

### TOTAL RETURNS AS OF 06/30/2020

	Investor Class	MSCI EM (Gross)
<b>Curr. Qtr.</b>	16.29%	18.18%
<b>YTD</b>	-10.55%	-9.67%
<b>1 year</b>	-4.44%	-3.05%
<b>3 year</b>	-0.11%	2.27%
<b>5 year</b>	0.95%	3.24%
<b>10 year</b>	3.95%	3.63%
<b>Since Inc.</b>	3.16%	3.33%



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Returns greater than one year are annualized. Total returns assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains distributions at net asset value when paid. Investor Class shares charge up to a 0.25% annual shareholder service fee.

The MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Gross) is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure equity market performance of emerging markets. The Index is gross of withholding taxes, assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, and assumes no management, custody, transaction or other expenses. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

**TOP TEN COUNTRIES**

China	41.8%
South Korea	13.4%
Taiwan	13.3%
India	8.1%
Brazil	6.0%
Russia	5.6%
Mexico	1.7%
South Africa	1.4%
Thailand	1.3%
Malaysia	1.1%

**TOP TEN SECTORS**

Information	20.2%
Technology	17.0%
Financials	15.5%
Communication	14.1%
Services	6.1%
Consumer	5.9%
Discretionary	4.7%
Energy	3.1%
Materials	2.4%
Consumer Staples	2.0%
Industrials	
Health Care	
Real Estate	

**TOP TEN ACTIVE HOLDINGS**

Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. (S. Korea)	1.9%	Baidu (China)	0.9%
Tencent Holdings Ltd. (China)	1.9%	Lukoil (Russia)	0.9%
China Construction Bank Corp. (China)	1.9%	Investimentos Itau (Brazil)	0.9%
Anhui Conch Cement Co., Ltd. (China)	1.2%	MediaTek, Inc. (Taiwan)	0.9%
Jd.com (China)	1.0%	JBS SA (Brazil)	0.9%

Active defined as Fund weight minus MSCI EM Index weight. The holdings identified above can and will differ from the Fund's Top 10 holdings measured by Fund weight. Holdings are subject to change.

**Market commentary**

After a sharp selloff in the first quarter of 2020 as the novel coronavirus pandemic accelerated, emerging market ("EM") equities rebounded strongly during the second quarter. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index ("Index") returned 16.85% in local currency terms during the three-month period. Emerging Latin America was the top performing region group within the Index in local currency terms. Health care, communication services, and materials were the top performing sectors in the Index. Real estate, financials, and utilities were the weakest sectors during the quarter.

Causeway Emerging Markets Fund ("Fund") underperformed the Index in the second quarter. We use both bottom-up "stock-specific" and top-down factor categories to seek to forecast alpha for the stocks in the Fund's investable universe. Our value and earnings growth factors were both negative indicators during the period. Our bottom-up price momentum factor was a positive indicator during the quarter. Of our top-down factors, macroeconomic and country were negative indicators. Sector and currency were positive indicators during the period.

Over the quarter, Fund holdings in emerging Latin America detracted from performance, primarily attributable to negative stock selection in Brazil. Within emerging Asia, negative stock selection in China and South Korea more than offset positive stock selection in Taiwan and India. Positioning in emerging Europe, Middle East, and Africa was neutral for performance. From a sector perspective, the largest detractors from relative performance were materials, consumer discretionary, and industrials. The greatest contributors to relative performance were real estate, utilities, and energy. The largest stock-level detractors from relative performance included overweight positions in China Construction Bank Corp. and full-service construction company, China Railway Construction Corp. as well as an underweight position in e-commerce platform for local products & services, Meituan Dianping (China). The greatest stock-level contributors to relative performance included overweight positions in semiconductor engineer, MediaTek Inc. (Taiwan), e-commerce company, Jd.com (China), and online services company, Tencent Holdings Ltd. (China).

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