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31 July 2026

Ashmore
Marketing Communication

Ashmore SICAV Emerging Markets Global Small Cap Equity Fund (SICAV ESC)

Share class: USD Inst

EQUITIES

Fund objective and strategy

SICAV ESC is an actively managed open ended daily dealing UCITS V Luxembourg registered fund. The Fund seeks to maximise capital appreciation by investing primarily in smaller Emerging Markets equity and equity related securities. The Fund adopts a disciplined approach targeting stocks with higher quality and higher growth attributes. The structured investment process is primarily bottom up and fundamentally driven with top down analysis an additional source of performance and risk control. The result is a high conviction stock portfolio of best ideas. While the Fund references the benchmark for performance comparison, it can differ from the benchmark's composition and also hold assets which are not part of the benchmark. The fund has adhered to its policy objective.

Fund facts Information at 31.07.2026.

Fund size	Fund inception date	Share Class inception date	Unit Price	Number of units	Benchmark
USD 35.8 million	06 October 2011	03 October 2011	$288.95	60720	MSCI EM Small Cap Net TR

Performance

Past Performance (actual or simulated) does not predict future returns.

Net returns %	1 month	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Fund	-7.25	7.19	19.45	11.55	3.06	8.04	7.46
Benchmark	-6.73	5.30	12.05	11.25	5.95	8.26	7.13
Excess	-0.53	1.89	7.39	0.30	-2.89	-0.22	0.33

Where net performance figures are displayed, Index returns are for illustrative purposes only. Index performance returns do not reflect any management fees, transaction costs or expenses. Where gross performance figures are displayed periods greater than one year are annualised and dividends reinvested or distributed depending on Shareclass. The value of an investment in the Fund may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the amount originally invested. Changes in rates of exchange between currencies may cause the value of investments to decrease or increase.

Calendar year performance

Net returns %	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Fund	24.82	1.60	18.81	-24.54	10.69	42.31	16.58
Benchmark	18.58	4.79	23.92	-18.02	18.75	19.29	11.51
Excess	6.24	-3.19	-5.10	-6.52	-8.06	23.02	5.07

The historical performance prior to 6 October 2011 is for the Ashmore Global Small Capitalisation Fund (GSCF), an Irish-domiciled fund managed by SICAV ESC's investment team that was merged into SICAV ESC on 6 March 2014. Since its inception on 15th March 2004, GSCF was managed in a materially similar manner as SICAV ESC and the returns shown incorporate SICAV ESC's current Institutional Share Class fee structure. The figures for these periods are for illustrative purposes only and do not represent the actual returns achieved since inception.

Positioning

Top 10 country exposure %	Fund	Benchmark	Active
Taiwan	27.5	24.8	2.7
India	24.0	22.4	1.6
South Korea	12.3	13.4	-1.1
China	7.4	9.2	-1.8
Brazil	5.2	3.6	1.5
Malaysia	4.0	3.1	0.9
Mexico	3.8	1.7	2.1
South Africa	3.3	3.8	-0.4
Poland	3.2	1.9	1.3
Saudi Arabia	2.3	3.2	-1.0
Total number of countries	14	26	

Sector exposure %	Fund	Benchmark	Active
Information Technology	32.1	22.6	9.5
Industrials	20.9	16.9	4.0
Financials	14.3	11.0	3.3
Consumer Discretionary	12.7	10.6	2.0
Health Care	6.2	8.9	-2.7
Materials	5.8	9.7	-3.9
Consumer Staples	5.8	5.6	0.2
Communication Services	1.9	3.2	-1.3
Real Estate	0.0	6.1	-6.1
Energy	0.0	2.3	-2.3
Total	99.7	100.0	

Fund information

Bloomberg
USD Inst: AEMGSCI LX

ISIN
USD Inst: LU0688431898

SEDOL
USD Inst: B6X5LF5

Domicile
Luxembourg

Distributions
See Distribution statistics

Minimum initial investment
$1,000,000

Subscriptions + Redemptions
Daily dealing fund

Annual Management Charge
1.50%

Registered for sale
For registered countries, please visit www.ashmoregroup.com

Dealing cut off times
1pm (13:00 CET) for same day trades

Fund Classification
Luxembourg SICAV

Investment manager
Ashmore Investment Management Limited (AIML)

Administrator
Northern Trust Luxembourg

Management company
Ashmore Investment Management (Ireland) Limited

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Top 10 issuers %	Country	Fund	Benchmark	Active
CreditAccess Grameen Ltd	India	4.3	0.1	4.2
Zetrix Ai Bhd	Malaysia	4.0	0.1	3.9
MakeMyTrip Ltd	India	3.8	-	3.8
AP Memory Technology Corp	Taiwan	3.7	0.1	3.6
E Ink Holdings Inc	Taiwan	3.7	-	3.7
Hansol Chemical Co Ltd	South Korea	3.6	0.1	3.5
Eugene Technology Co Ltd	South Korea	3.6	0.1	3.5
Sinbon Electronics Co Ltd	Taiwan	3.3	0.1	3.1
Benefit Systems SA	Poland	3.2	0.3	3.0
International Gemological Institute Ltd	India	3.2	0.0	3.2
Total number of holdings		44	1832	

Fund statistics	Fund
Dividend Yield	1.8%
Standard Deviation	18.2%
Cash and equivalents	0.4%
Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)	1.92%

Distribution statistics	Fund
Distribution Frequency	Annual
Last distribution date	31/12/2022
Cents per Unit	0.4

Asset allocation %	Jun-26	Jul-26	Quarter to date changes
Equity	99.4	99.6	0.3
Cash/Cash Management	0.6	0.4	-0.3

Risk Reward Profile

We have classified this product as class 5 out of 7, which is a medium-high risk class. The Share Class is suitable for Institutional Investors who (i) have experience investing in volatile products, debt instruments and/or emerging markets, (ii) have a medium to long-term investment horizon (iii) have sufficient resources to be able to bear the loss of their entire capital when investing in the Share Class and can afford to set aside capital and (iv) are looking for an investment with a risk indicator of 5 which corresponds to a medium-high risk. The need of the institutional investor to be able to bear the loss of their entire investment is due to several risks, including market and credit risk, which can significantly impact your return on investment. Please refer to the "Risk Factors" section of the Fund's Prospectus. As a result of these risks, Investors are strongly advised to seek independent professional advice on the implications of investing in the Fund.

1. All performance statistics shown over rolling 3 years (or 1 year where 3 years of data is not yet available). 2. Top 10 positions are presented at issuer level and do not include derivatives apart from total return swaps and p-notes. 3. For investments in Ashmore managed funds (where applicable), allocation and holdings information is shown on a "look through" basis. 4. Fund statistics based on trailing 12 month actual figures. 5. Hedged benchmarks are used where applicable. 6. Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) as at 30.06.2026. 7.A dash (-) represents zero holding. 0.0 and 0.00 represents a fractional holding. Sources are Ashmore or administrator where appropriate and fund statistics (dividend yield) Source: Bloomberg Finance L.P, data based on Bloomberg consensus estimates.

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Ashmore SICAV Emerging Markets Global Small Cap Equity Fund (SICAV ESC) has been approved for distribution in South Africa under s.65 of the Collective Investment Schemes Control Act 2002 as a foreign collective investment scheme in securities.

Risk Warning: Investors should consider certain risk factors peculiar to investing in Emerging Markets, before taking any investment decision. Emerging Markets (EM) carry risks as well as rewards. These require consideration of matters not usually associated with investing in securities of issuers or financial derivative instruments linked to securities of issuers in the Developed Markets. The economic and political conditions differ from those in Developed Markets, and may offer less social, political and economic stability. EM may be more volatile than more mature markets. The value of your investment could go down as well as up. In extreme circumstances, this could result in a total loss of your investment. EM may suffer from liquidity problems; changes in rates of exchange between currencies may cause the value of your investment to decrease or increase; operational risks of investing are higher than in more developed markets. For a full description of these and further risks, you should refer to the latest Prospectus.

Important Marketing Information

1. This is a marketing communication. You should obtain appropriate independent professional advice and a copy of the current KI(I)Ds and Prospectus prior to making a decision to invest.
2. Ashmore SICAV (société d'investissement à capital variable) is regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier in Luxembourg. Ashmore Investment Management (Ireland) Limited (the "Management Company"), 32 Molesworth Street, Dublin 2 which is authorised and regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland is the Management Company and Principal Sales Agent.
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12. The summary of investors' rights for the purposes of the European Union Cross Border Distribution Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2019/1156), which are your key rights as an investor in the investment fund, are available in English here. For redress mechanism please contact the Management Company at the address above provided or at dp-ireland@ashmoregroup.com.

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Collective Investment Schemes in Securities (CIS) should be considered as medium to long-term investments. The value may go up as well as down and past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. CISs are traded at the ruling price and can engage in scrip lending and borrowing. The collective investment scheme may borrow up to 10% of the market value of the portfolio to bridge insufficient liquidity. A schedule of fees, charges and maximum commissions is available on request from the Manager. There is no guarantee in respect of capital or returns in a portfolio. A CIS may be closed to new investors in order for it to be managed more efficiently in accordance with its mandate. CIS prices are calculated on a net asset basis, which is the total value of all the assets in the portfolio including any income accruals and less any permissible deductions (brokerage, STT, VAT, auditor's fees, bank charges, trustee and custodian fees and the annual management fee) from the portfolio divided by the number of participatory interests (units) in issue. Forward pricing is used. The Fund's Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) reflects the percentage of the average Net Asset Value (NAV) of the portfolio that was incurred as charges, levies and fees related to the management of the portfolio. A higher OCF does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low OCF imply a good return. The current OCF cannot be regarded as an indication of future OCF. This figure may vary from year to year and excludes portfolio transaction costs. The Fund's annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

For more information on charges, please refer to the Fund's Prospectus which is available at www.ashmoregroup.com.

Ashmore reports a funds Ongoing Charges figure as opposed to a funds TER (Total Expense Ratio). While the OCF and TER are very similar, the OCF is a more representative figure of the associated costs and charges of a given fund. The TER excludes any performance fees or one-off charges, whereas the OCF includes them. Therefore, the OCF is a more accurate measure of what it actually costs to invest in a fund.

Where foreign securities are included in a portfolio there may be potential constraints on liquidity and the repatriation of funds, macroeconomic risks, political risks, foreign exchange risks, tax risks, settlement risks, and potential limitations on the availability of market information. The investor acknowledges the inherent risk associated with the selected investments and that there are no guarantees. Please note that all documents, notifications of deposit, investment, redemption and switch applications must be received by Northern Trust Global Services SE by or before 13:00 CET to be transacted at the net asset value price for that day. Where all required documentation is not received before the stated cut-off time Northern Trust Global Services SE shall not be obliged to transact at the net asset value price as agreed to. The SICAV is priced on T+1 at 4pm CET.

Performance has been calculated using net NAV to NAV numbers with income reinvested. The performance for each period shown reflects the return for investors who have been fully invested for that period. Individual investor performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestments and dividend withholding tax. Full performance calculations are available from the manager on request.

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Glossary Summary:

- Annual Management Charge: the management fee payable to the Investment Manager.
- Annualised performance: Annualised performance shows longer term performance rescaled to a 1-year period. Annualised performance is the average return per year over the period. Actual annual figures are available to the investor on request.
- Accumulation Shares: Shares providing for the net income earned to be retained in the net asset value of the Share and representing such number of Shares in the capital of the Fund as is equal to a Share issued at subscription and increased by the amount of retained net income proportionately equal to that paid on Distribution Shares in respect of each intervening accounting period.
- Cash: means ancillary liquid assets as referred to in Article 41(2) of the Law of 2010, which are bank deposits at sight (such as cash held in a current account with a bank accessible at any time), but excludes any cash held as collateral in relation to financial derivatives.
- CET: Central European Time.
- Dividend Yield: The weighted average dividend yield of all the underlying equity in the Fund. The dividend yield of each company is the dividends per share divided by the price.
- Excess: Denoted the outperformance of the fund over the benchmark.
- Emerging Market: means any Sovereign included by the International Monetary Fund in its list of Emerging and Developing Economies, any country which is considered a low-income, lower-middle-income, or upper-middle-income economy by the World Bank, any country which is included in an Emerging Market Index, any EM Supra-National and any other Sovereign which the Investment Manager determines qualifies as an Emerging Market.
- Institutional Class Shares: Classes of Shares which are only available for subscription and holding by Institutional Investors.
- NAV: The net asset value represents the assets of a Fund less its liabilities.

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