

Emerging Markets Small Cap

Informed Momentum

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Investment Philosophy

Based on three core beliefs:

- Momentum is a significant source of alpha
- Behavioral inefficiencies create the opportunity
- Actively addressing risk retains alpha

Investment Process

Our Informed Momentum® approach combines momentum with stock selection, tailored risk management, and efficient implementation to deliver alpha for our clients.

Investment Objecti				Benchmark MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index		
To deliver consistent alpha by investing in emerging markets small cap companies that correspond to the market capitalization range of the MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index.		Joshua Moss Managing Director, Portfolio Manager John Scripp Managing Director, Portfolio Manager		Inception Date April 1, 2012 Firm AUM \$2.6 Billion		
Strong inception- to-date alpha	Benchmark-like volatility with beta at or below 1.0	Favorable upside and downside capture ratios	Consistent exposure to stock-specific risk and momentum	Excess return correlations complement traditional styles		

		Per	formance					
	QTD	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	7 Year	10 Year	ITD*
EAM Emerging Markets Small Cap (Gross)	7.13%	7.13%	33.27%	4.86%	11.96%	8.87%	5.76%	9.29%
EAM Emerging Markets Small Cap (Net)	7.00%	7.00%	32.61%	4.34%	11.40%	8.32%	5.23%	8.75%
MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index	1.05%	1.05%	20.56%	4.23%	8.51%	6.59%	5.09%	5.02%
MSCI EM Small Cap Growth Index	0.81%	0.81%	17.63%	2.33%	8.64%	6.32%	4.17%	4.54%
MSCI EM Small Cap Value Index	1.29%	1.29%	23.63%	6.13%	8.26%	6.76%	5.92%	5.42%

Risk Statistics

	EAM Emerging Markets Small Cap	MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index
Excess Return (Gross)	4.27%	-
Excess Return (Net)	3.73%	-
Alpha	4.74%	-
Tracking Error	8.58%	-
Standard Deviation	17.1%	16.9%
R-Squared	0.76	1.00
Beta	0.89	1.00
Information Ratio	0.50	-
Sharpe Ratio	0.47	0.23

Risk statistics are annualized for the period beginning April 1, 2012, and calculated gross of fees. Source: Northern Trust

Performance data is based on the firm's composite for this strategy. Past performance does not guarantee future results. All periods greater than one year are annualized. * Inception date for the strategy is April 1, 2012. EAM Investors, LLC claims compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS)

Market Capture



Market capture is calculated versus the MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index for the inception to date period beginning April 1, 2012, gross of fees. Source: Northern Trust

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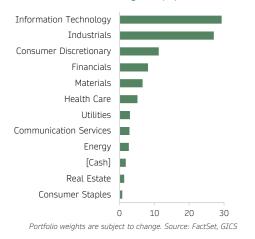


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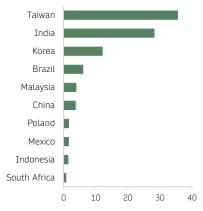
Sector Weights (%)



Characteristics

	EAM Emerging Markets Small Cap	MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index
# of holdings	132	2,053
% of Portfolio in the Top 10	9.9%	3.5%
Market Cap (Wtd Avg, \$M)	4,183	1,955
Active Share	91%	-
% of Stocks with Positive Earnings Surprise	32%	20%
% of Stocks with Upward Earnings Revisions	45%	19%
Earnings Growth, FY2	21.8%	19.4%
Price/Earnings, FY2	15.4x	11.7x
Enterprise Value/Sales, FY2	0.92x	1.04x

Top 10 Country Weights (%)



Portfolio weights are subject to change. Source: FactSet, MSCI

About EAM

EAM Investors is solely focused on delivering alpha for clients in global equity markets. Our momentum-driven approach to investing leverages our collective insight within a systematic process designed to deliver consistent and predictable outcomes. EAM's Informed Momentum[®] investment process has been applied consistently across all strategies since inception of the firm in 2007.

Source: FactSet

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All periods greater than one year are annualized. Inception-To-Date returns for the EAM Emerging Markets Small Cap portfolio is from the period beginning April 1, 2012.

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