

# Emerging Markets Select Fund

SUBADVISED BY PZENA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT AND WELLINGTON MANAGEMENT

Investor: **BIAQX** Institutional: **BAQAX** Advisor: **BAFQX**

First Quarter 2024

## DIVERSIFIED EMERGING MARKETS

### WHY INVEST IN THE BROWN ADVISORY - EMERGING MARKETS SELECT FUND?

**We are strong believers in the long-term opportunity in emerging markets presented by faster growth, improving corporate governance and increasing innovation.** We have identified two fund managers that we believe offer our clients attractive access to the opportunity set within broad emerging markets. The Brown Advisory Emerging Markets Select Fund is subadvised by Pzena Investment management ("Pzena") and Wellington Management ("Wellington").

**The Fund seeks to invest in well-capitalized emerging markets and Asian ex-Japan companies that exhibit the potential for long-term growth or earnings improvement.** The managers seek to purchase companies with strong management teams, sound governance and quality business models that they believe demonstrate the ability to succeed into the future.

**Pzena and Wellington believe in using bottom-up, fundamental analysis and robust diligence of a company's network to build their portfolios.** Using this approach, the managers believe the Fund offers investors the potential for attractive, risk-adjusted return within an inherently volatile market.

Portfolio Managers: Rakesh Bordia (Pzena); Caroline Cai, CFA (Pzena); Allison Fisch (Pzena); John Goetz (Pzena); Niraj Bhagwat (Wellington)

Benchmark Index: MSCI Emerging Markets Index

### INVESTMENT APPROACH

This Fund seeks to outperform the MSCI Emerging Markets Index by partnering with subadvisors incorporating bottom-up, fundamental research to build concentrated portfolios.

### SUITABILITY

This Fund may be appropriate for investors seeking potentially high-growth investments and enhanced diversification, and comfortable with higher risks and volatility associated with emerging-markets exposure.

### CHARACTERISTICS

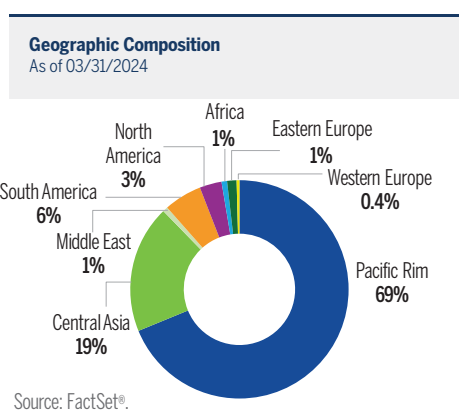
As of 03/31/2024	BIAQX	MSCI EMERGING MARKETS INDEX
Morningstar Category	Diversified Emerging Mkts	--
Fund Assets <sup>1</sup> (\$MM)	590.9	--
Weighted Avg. Market Capitalization <sup>2</sup> (\$B)	140.9	127.2
P/E Forward <sup>3</sup> (x)	11.5	12.5

### FUND PROFILE

Inception Date	12/12/2012 (All Classes)
# of Holdings as of 03/31/2024*	103
Gross Expense Ratio	
Investor Class (BIAQX)	1.27%
Institutional Class (BAFQX)	1.12%
Advisor Class (BAQAX)	1.52%
Minimum Investment	
Investor Class (BIAQX)	\$100
Institutional Class (BAFQX)	\$1,000,000
Advisor Class (BAQAX)	\$100

\*Source: U.S. Bank.

### GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSIFICATION



### AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS % (As of 03/31/2024)

	3 MOS.	1 YR.	3 YR.	5 YR.	10 YR.	INCEPTION (12/12/2012)
Brown Advisory - Emerging Markets Select Fund						
Investor Class: BIAQX Inception: 12/12/2012	2.13	7.28	-3.20	4.38	2.75	2.11
Institutional Class: BAQAX Inception: 12/12/2012	2.03	6.92	-3.44	4.12	2.49	1.84
Advisor Class: BAFQX Inception: 12/12/2012	2.22	7.52	-3.03	4.56	2.93	2.27
MSCI Emerging Markets Index	2.37	8.15	-5.05	2.22	2.95	2.45
<b>Excess Return vs. Index (Investor)</b>	<b>-0.24</b>	<b>-0.87</b>	<b>1.85</b>	<b>2.16</b>	<b>-0.19</b>	<b>-0.35</b>

Performance data quoted represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Performance for periods greater than one year is annualized. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than original cost. Shares redeemed or exchanged within 14 days of purchase will be charged a 1.00% fee. Performance data quoted does not reflect the redemption or exchange fee. If reflected, total returns would be reduced. For the most recent month end performance, please call 1-800-540-6807.

Source: U.S. Bank

## PORTFOLIO DIVERSIFICATION (As of 03/31/2024)

Sector Composition %	BIAQX	MSCI Emerging Markets Index	Weighting Difference
Communication Services	5.5	8.6	-3.1
Consumer Discretionary	15.9	12.4	3.5
Consumer Staples	5.3	5.6	-0.3
Energy	2.4	5.3	-2.9
Financials	24.2	22.4	1.8
Health Care	0.8	3.5	-2.7
Industrials	9.4	7.0	2.4
Information Technology	24.0	23.7	0.3
Materials	4.8	7.2	-2.4
Real Estate	4.6	1.5	3.0
Utilities	2.1	2.8	-0.6
Unassigned	1.0	--	1.0

Source: FactSet. Sector breakdown (excluding cash and equivalents) are subject to change at any time. Sectors are based on the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®) classification system. Numbers may not total due to rounding.

## TOP 10 PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS (As of 03/31/2024)

Shown as a % of total net assets

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	9.6
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	6.8
Tencent Holdings Ltd	3.7
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	3.0
Hon Hai Precision Industry Co Ltd	2.2
Larsen & Toubro Ltd	1.8
Bank Rakyat Indonesia Persero Tbk PT	1.7
Reliance Industries Ltd	1.6
ICICI Bank Ltd	1.6
Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd	1.5
Total	33.4

Source: U.S. Bank. Top 10 portfolio holdings include cash and equivalents which was 2.1%. Numbers may not total due to rounding. The information provided in this material is not intended to be and should not be considered to be a recommendation or suggestion to engage in or refrain from a particular course of action or to make or hold a particular investment or pursue a particular investment strategy, including whether or not to buy, sell, or hold any of the securities mentioned. It should not be assumed that investments in such securities have been or will be profitable.

## EXPERIENCED MANAGEMENT

### PZENA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

*Pzena Emerging Markets Select Value Fund Portfolio Managers*

Rakesh Bordia  
Caroline Cai, CFA  
Allison Fisch  
John Goetz



### WELLINGTON MANAGEMENT

*Wellington Asia Quality Equities Portfolio Manager*

Niraj Bhagwat

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- Independent since 1998
- Founded in 1993
- 100% of colleagues collectively own approximately 70% of the firm's equity

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Mutual fund investing involves risk. Principal loss is possible.

Diversification does not assure a profit and does not protect against loss in a declining market.

The Fund may invest in foreign securities which involve greater volatility and political, economic and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. These risks are greater in emerging markets. The Fund invests in smaller companies which carry greater risk than is associated with larger companies for various reasons, such as narrower markets, limited financial resources and less liquid stock. In addition, the fund is susceptible to risks from investments in derivatives, ETFs, REITs and its investments in other investment companies.

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### Terms & Definitions

1. Total net assets are as of the last day of the quarter and include all share classes.
2. Market Capitalization is the value of the fund as determined by the market price of its issued and outstanding stock. The Weighted Average Market Capitalization of a portfolio equals the average of each holding's market cap, weighted by its relative position size in the portfolio (in such a weighting scheme, larger positions have a greater influence on the calculation).
3. Forward P/E price earnings ratio is the sum of a company's price-to-earnings per share for the next four quarters, calculated by using earnings estimates for the next four quarters. This differs from the Historical P/E ratio which is the sum of a company's price-to-earnings, calculated by taking the current stock price and dividing it by the trailing earnings per share for the past 12 months.

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