Emerging Markets Equity ESG Strategy

Quarter 2, 2026

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Quarterly Headlines

The MSCI EM Index gained 24.1% in the second quarter, resuming its upward trend following March's sell off triggered by the Iran conflict. The quarter ended with the US and Iran agreeing a memorandum of understanding to establish a framework for peace.

EM returns were highly concentrated in AI enablers expected to benefit from rising AI capital expenditure. These beneficiaries were primarily located in South Korea (+87.6%) and Taiwan (+48.9%), driving the exceptional performance of both markets. Outside these areas, most markets and sectors lagged the broader index. EMEA rose just 2.3%, while Latin America declined 3.6%, highlighting the narrow nature of EM returns during the quarter.

The portfolio underperformed the index, reflecting a combination of top-down positioning and stock selection. Valuations of South Korean and Taiwanese AI beneficiaries increasingly imply a prolonged period of exceptional growth and profitability that we consider unlikely. As a result, our underweight positions in both markets and the IT sector were the largest contributors to relative underperformance. Elsewhere, positioning in China and an overweight allocation to Indonesia also detracted from returns.

At the sector level, the underweight position in IT, an overweight allocation to the weak communication services sector, and stock selection within financials were the main detractors from relative performance.

Strategy at a Glance

- Strategy Inception: September 2021
- Investment Team Size of 7
- Value-oriented strategy
- Detailed, long-term fundamental analysis
- Consistent application of income-oriented valuation approach
- History of outperformance versus the benchmark
- Portfolio contains 40 - 60 issuers
- Annual turnover is generally 30 - 50%

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Performance Summary

	Composite (Gross)	Composite (Net)	Benchmark	Secondary Benchmark
Quarter 2, 2026	9.7%	9.4%	24.1%	21.7%
1 Year	27.3%	26.0%	43.5%	42.3%
3 Years (Annualized)	17.2%	16.0%	23.0%	22.3%
Since Inception (Annualized) October 1, 2021	8.7%	7.6%	9.5%	10.9%

Attribution

Market and Currency	Stock Selection	Total
-6.9%	-5.1%	-11.6%

Sector	Stock Selection	Total
-6.1%	-5.9%	-11.6%

All returns in: USD
Composite: Emerging Markets Equity ESG
Benchmark: MSCI Emerging Markets Index
Secondary Benchmark: MSCI Emerging Markets Value Index
Source: MSCI and Mondrian
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Country Allocation

Country	Portfolio Weight	Relative Weight
China	22.0%	+3.0%
Taiwan	18.9%	-8.4%
South Korea	15.7%	-8.0%
India	9.7%	-1.4%
Other EMEA	5.8%	+2.4%
Brazil	4.8%	+1.0%
Other Asia Pacific	4.0%	+1.8%
Mexico	3.7%	+2.1%
UAE	3.4%	+2.3%
Indonesia	3.0%	+2.5%
Saudi Arabia	2.7%	+0.3%
Other Latin America	2.5%	+1.5%
South Africa	1.6%	-1.3%

Sector Allocation

Sector	Portfolio Weight	Relative Weight
Info. Technology	30.6%	-14.6%
Financials	23.5%	+5.1%
Comm. Services	13.2%	+7.2%
Cons. Discretionary	11.0%	+3.8%
Utilities	4.8%	+2.9%
Industrials	4.4%	-2.4%
Consumer Staples	3.5%	+0.9%
Materials	2.4%	-3.1%
Health Care	2.3%	0.0%
Real Estate	2.3%	+1.3%
Energy	0.0%	-3.1%
Cash	2.1%	-

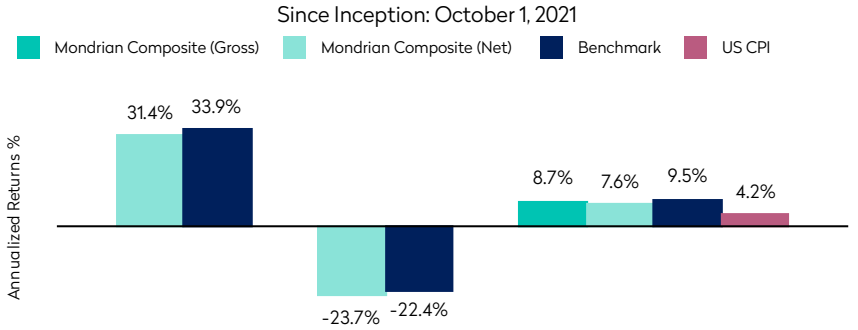
Strategy Characteristics

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Weighted Average P/E (trailing 12 months)	13.8x	18.6x
Weighted Average P/B	2.0x	2.6x
Weighted Average Dividend Yield	3.4%	1.9%
Number of Holdings	53	1,178
Weighted Average Market Cap (USD, billion)	331.3	545.1
Median Market Cap (USD, billion)	18.2	7.2

Our Organization

- Founded in 1990, with over 35 years of stable, consistent leadership
- Over USD 50 billion under management and advisement
- Mondrian is employee-owned; approximately half of employees are partners today
- Consistent, income-oriented value discipline has been applied to all products since the firm's inception
- Highly experienced team of 49 investment professionals in London

Defensive Characteristics



	Bull Market	Bear Market	Total
No. of Quarters	12	7	19

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Calculations for P/E, P/B, dividend yield and market caps are based on generally accepted industry standards. All Strategy characteristics are derived by first calculating the characteristics for each security, and then calculating the weighted-average of these values for the Strategy. The details of exact calculations can be provided upon request. All characteristic data provided is produced using Mondrian's accounting system data.

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