

# Dreyfus Diversified Emerging Markets Fund

Sep 30  
2018

Class A DBEAX    Class C DBECX    Class I SBCEX

**Goal/Approach**

The fund seeks long-term growth of capital. To pursue its goal, the fund normally invests at least 80% of its net assets, plus any borrowings for investment purposes, in equity securities of companies located, organized, or with a majority of assets or business in emerging market countries, including underlying funds that invest in such securities. The fund uses a "manager of managers" approach by selecting one or more investment managers to serve as subadvisers to the fund. The fund also uses a "fund of funds" approach by investing in one or more underlying funds.

CUSIP  
Class A 26203E729  
Class C 26203E711  
Class I 26203E802

**Assets for the Fund**  
\$230,977,723

**Holdings<sup>2</sup>**  
202

**Dividend Frequency**  
Annually

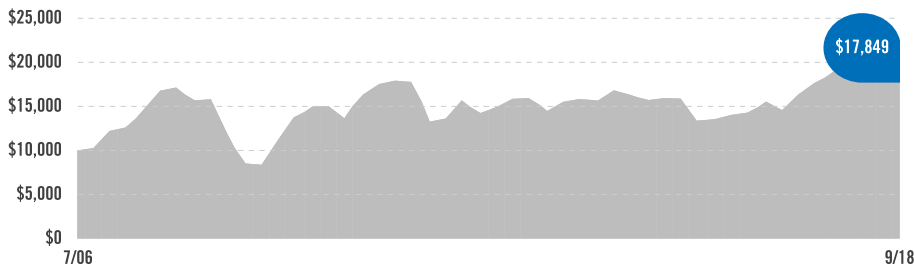
**Morningstar Category**  
Diversified Emerging Markets

**Lipper Category**  
Emerging Markets

**Redemption Fee<sup>3</sup>**  
2.00%

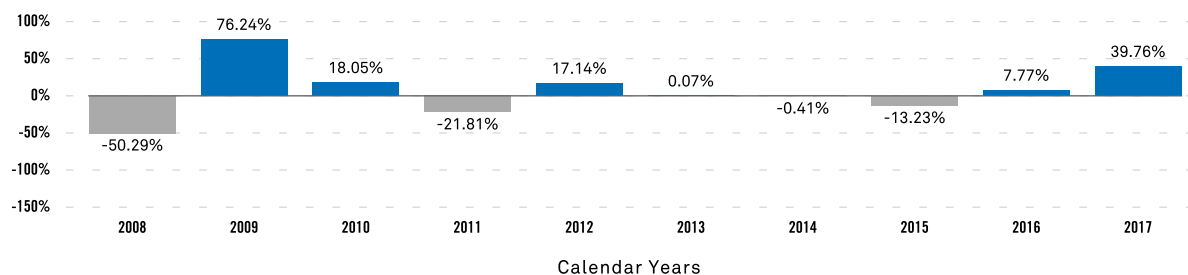
**Growth of a \$10,000 Investment<sup>1</sup>**

A hypothetical \$10,000 investment in the fund's Class A shares on 7/10/06 would have been worth \$17,849 on 9/30/18.



This does not reflect the 5.75% maximum front-end sales load applicable to Class A shares which, if reflected, would have lowered performance. Assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Performance for the fund's other share classes would vary.

**HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE (CL.I @ NAV)<sup>1,4</sup>**



**AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (9/30/18)<sup>1</sup>**

Share Class/Inception Date	YTD	3M	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR
Class A (NAV) 03/31/09	-12.02%	-4.06%	-5.50%	10.08%	2.84%	4.07%
Class A (5.75% max. load)	-17.07%	-9.56%	-10.95%	7.93%	1.63%	3.45%
Class C (NAV) 03/31/09	-12.67%	-4.21%	-6.48%	9.00%	1.96%	3.27%
Class C (1.00% max. CDSC)	-13.54%	-5.17%	-7.41%	9.00%	1.96%	3.27%
Class I (NAV) 07/10/06	-11.73%	-3.86%	-5.10%	10.49%	3.24%	4.54%
MSCI Emerging Markets Index <sup>5</sup>	-7.68%	-1.09%	-0.81%	12.36%	3.61%	5.40%

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Share price and investment return fluctuate and an investor's shares may be worth more or less than original cost upon redemption. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. For funds with less than 1 year's history, year-to-date and 3-month performance are not annualized. Go to [dreyfus.com](http://dreyfus.com) for the fund's most recent month-end returns. The net expense ratio(s) reflect a contractual expense reduction agreement through 02/01/2019. Total Expense Ratios: Class A 1.79%, Class C 2.83%, Class I 1.46%. Net Expense Ratios: Class A 1.79%, Class C 2.81%, Class I 1.46%.

**Mellon Capital**

THE BOSTON COMPANY

ASSET MANAGEMENT

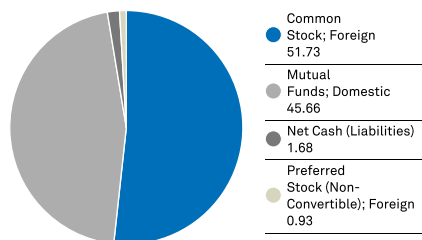
Mellon Capital and The Boston Company Asset Management is a brand of BNY Mellon Asset Management North America Corporation

**Investment Adviser**  
The Dreyfus Corporation

Effective on January 31, 2018, The Boston Company Asset Management LLC (TBCAM) and Standish Mellon Asset Management Company LLC (Standish) merged into Mellon Capital Management Corporation (Mellon Capital), which immediately changed its name to BNY Mellon Asset Management North America Corporation.

<sup>1</sup>On 3/31/09 existing shares were designated Class I shares and the fund began to offer Class A and C shares. The total return performance figures for Class A and C shares presented for periods prior to 3/31/09 reflect the performance of the fund's Class I shares, adjusted to reflect the applicable sales load for that class. Performance has not been adjusted to reflect any class-specific distribution or servicing fees or any differences in operating expenses but these fees and expenses are reflected in returns for periods after 3/31/09. Had these fees and expenses been reflected for periods prior to the fund's reorganization, performance would have been lower. Investors should consider, when deciding whether to purchase a particular class of shares, the investment amount, class restrictions, anticipated holding period and other relevant factors. <sup>2</sup>Portfolio composition is as of 9/30/18 and is subject to change at any time. <sup>3</sup>Redemption Fee on all shares redeemed within 60 days of purchase. This fee is retained by the fund. (Not charged on shares sold through Auto Withdrawal or Auto-Exchange, or on shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.) Please see the fund's SAI for more details. <sup>4</sup>Performance figures may reflect reimbursements or fee waivers, without which the performance would have been lower. <sup>5</sup>Source: FactSet. Reflects reinvestment of net dividends and, where applicable, capital gain distributions. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization-weighted index that is designed to measure equity market performance of emerging markets. Investors cannot invest directly in any index.

## ASSET ALLOCATION (%)<sup>1</sup>



## TOP COUNTRY EXPOSURES<sup>1</sup>

China	25.48%
South Korea	15.66%
India	11.54%
Tanzania	9.17%
United States	8.58%
South Africa	4.84%
Hong Kong	4.55%
Brazil	3.38%
Russia	2.87%
Mexico	2.84%

## PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

The fund's investment adviser is The Dreyfus Corporation (Dreyfus), and the fund's sub-adviser is BNY Mellon Asset Management North America Corporation, an affiliate of Dreyfus. The day-to-day management of the fund's portfolio is the responsibility of The Boston Company Asset Management global research portfolio and Mellon Capital Management active equity portfolio management team. The Boston Company Asset Management global research portfolio members are Elizabeth Slover, Michelle Y. Chan, CFA and Julianne McHugh. Ms. Slover has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since January 2014. Ms. Chan has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since January 2014. Ms. McHugh has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since November 2015. The Mellon Capital Management active equity portfolio management team members are C. Wesley Boggs, William S. Cazalet, CAIA, Peter D. Goslin, CFA and Syed A. Zamil, CFA. Mr. Boggs has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since March 2017. Mr. Cazalet has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since February 2015. Mr. Goslin has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since January 2014. Mr. Zamil has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since March 2017.

## TOP TEN HOLDINGS<sup>1</sup>

Dreyfus Global Emerging Markets Fund, Cl. Y	33.17%
Dreyfus Strategic Beta Emerging Markets Equity Fund, Cl. Y	8.57%
Tencent Holdings	3.41%
Samsung Electronics	3.19%
Alibaba Group Holding, ADR	2.56%
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing	2.54%
IShares MSCI Emerging Market ETF	1.88%
Ping An Insurance Group Company Of China, Cl. H	1.27%
China Construction Bank, Cl. H	1.19%
Lukoil, ADR	0.74%

The holdings listed should not be considered recommendations to buy or sell a security. Large concentrations can increase share price volatility.

## TOP SECTORS AND INDUSTRIES<sup>1</sup>

Internet Software & Services	10.62%
Banks	8.46%
Semiconductors & Semiconductor	6.04%
Technology Hardware, Storage & Equipment	5.59%
Insurance	5.53%
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	4.82%
Electronic Equipment & Instrument	4.39%
Metals & Mining	2.98%
Tobacco	2.98%
Chemicals	2.82%

Investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of a mutual fund carefully before investing. To obtain a prospectus, or a summary prospectus, if available, that contains this and other information about a Dreyfus fund, contact your financial advisor or visit [dreyfus.com](http://dreyfus.com). Read the prospectus carefully before investing. Investors should discuss with their advisor the eligibility requirements for Class I shares, which are available only to certain eligible investors, and the historical results achieved by the fund's respective share classes.

The Dreyfus Corporation and MBSC Securities Corporation are affiliated with The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation.

<sup>1</sup>Portfolio composition is as of 9/30/18 and is subject to change at any time.

### Risks

**Equities** are subject to market, market sector, market liquidity, issuer, and investment style risks, to varying degrees. Investing in **foreign denominated and/or domiciled securities** involves special risks, including changes in currency exchange rates, political, economic, and social instability, limited company information, differing auditing and legal standards, and less market liquidity. These risks generally are greater with emerging market countries. **Small and midsize company stocks** tend to be more volatile and less liquid than larger company stocks as these companies are less established and have more volatile earnings histories.

*The information being provided is general information about our firm and its products and services. It should not be construed as investment advice or a recommendation with respect to any product or service. Please consult a legal, tax or investment advisor in order to determine whether an investment product or service is appropriate for a particular situation.*