



Sector Equity  
LU0976566736  
31 October 2021

## Fund Overview

Base Currency for Fund	USD
Total Net Assets (USD)	11.36 billion
Fund Inception Date	03.04.2000
Number of Issuers	95
Benchmark	MSCI World Information Technology Index
Morningstar Category™	Sector Equity Technology

The Fund aims to achieve capital appreciation by investing at least two-thirds of its assets in equity securities of companies expected to benefit from the development, advancement and use of technology.

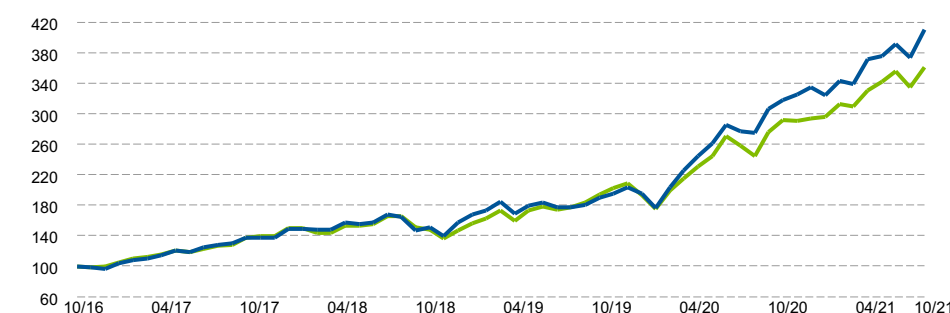
Jonathan T. Curtis: United States  
Dan H. Searle III, CFA: United States  
Matthew Cioppa, CFA: United States

Overall Morningstar Rating™: ★★★★★

	%
Equity	97.52
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.48

## Performance

■ Franklin Technology Fund W (acc) USD ■ MSCI World Information Technology Index



	10/20 10/21	10/19 10/20	10/18 10/19	10/17 10/18	10/16 10/17
W (acc) USD	48.96	52.24	22.93	6.44	38.56
Benchmark in USD	47.11	33.03	21.72	9.63	38.39

	Cumulative								Annualised		
	1 Mth	3 Mths	6 Mths	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Since Incept	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Since Incept
W (acc) USD	9.87	9.32	19.40	28.82	48.96	178.76	311.13	428.81	40.73	32.68	8.02
Benchmark in USD	7.55	5.37	15.47	23.55	47.11	138.20	261.38	216.21	33.54	29.30	5.48

**Past performance is not an indicator or a guarantee of future performance.** The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up, and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Performance details provided are in share class currency, include the reinvested dividends gross of basic rate UK tax and are net of management fees. Sales charges and other commissions, other taxes and relevant costs to be paid by an investor are not included in the calculations. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Up to date performance figures can be found on our local website.

When performance for either the portfolio or its benchmark has been converted, different foreign exchange closing rates may be used between the portfolio and its benchmark.

The W (acc) USD share class launched on 25.10.2013. Performance data prior to that date is for the A (acc) USD share class launched on 03.04.2000 which has higher annual charges.

Issuer Name	
MICROSOFT CORP	5.10
AMAZON.COM INC	3.91
APPLE INC	3.77
NVIDIA CORP	3.46
SERVICENOW INC	2.75
CLOUDFLARE INC	2.54
ALPHABET INC	2.50
SALESFORCE.COM INC	2.40
WORKDAY INC	2.28
BILL.COM HOLDINGS INC	2.23

P/E to Growth	2.18x
Historical 3 Yr Sales Growth	24.78%
Estimated 3-5 Yr EPS Growth	17.28%
Price to Earnings (12-mo Forward)	45.12x
Standard Deviation (5 Yrs)	18.56%

**Share Class Information** (For a full list of available share classes, please visit your local website)

Share Class	Incept Date	NAV	Ongoing Charges (%)	Fees		Dividends			Fund Identifiers	
				Max. Sales Charge (%)	Max. Annual Charge (%)	Frequency	Last Paid Date	Last Paid Amount	SEDOL	ISIN
W (acc) USD	25.10.2013	USD 59.82	0.90	N/A	0.70	N/A	N/A	N/A	BFTDHH0	LU0976566736

## Composition of Fund

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Geographic	% of Total
United States	90.58 / 86.31
Netherlands	3.67 / 3.00
China	1.18 / 0.00
Taiwan	1.01 / 0.00
Canada	0.62 / 1.83
Germany	0.31 / 1.62
United Kingdom	0.16 / 0.23
Japan	0.00 / 4.10
France	0.00 / 1.00
Others	0.00 / 1.91
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.48 / 0.00

## Market Capitalisation Breakdown in USD

	% of Equity
<2.0 Billion	1.23
2.0-5.0 Billion	1.92
5.0-10.0 Billion	3.46
10.0-25.0 Billion	4.55
25.0-50.0 Billion	14.01
>50.0 Billion	70.63
N/A	4.19

## What Are the Key Risks?

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Currency fluctuations may affect the value of overseas investments. The Fund invests mainly in equity securities of technology companies worldwide. Such securities have historically been subject to significant price movements that may occur suddenly due to market or company-specific factors. As a result, the performance of the Fund can fluctuate significantly over relatively short time periods. Other significant risks include: equity risk, securities lending risk. For full details of all of the risks applicable to this Fund, please refer to the "Risk Considerations" section of the Fund in the current prospectus of Franklin Templeton Investment Funds.

## Glossary

**Estimated 3-5 Yr EPS Growth:** An estimated measure of the growth of earnings per share over a forward-looking period. For a portfolio, the value represents a weighted average of the stocks it holds.

**Historical 3 Yr Sales Growth:** The rate at which sales have increased for the fund's underlying holdings over the last three years.

**P/E to Growth:** A ratio used to determine a stock's value while taking into account earnings growth. For a portfolio, the value represents a weighted average of the stocks it holds.

**Price to Earnings (12-mo Forward):** A measure of the price to earnings ratio for a stock using the forecasted earnings for the next 12 months. For a portfolio, the value represents a weighted average of the stocks it holds.

**Standard Deviation:** A measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return.

## Important Information

**Effective 29 September 2017, Franklin Technology Fund changed its benchmark to the MSCI World Information Technology Index, following the discontinuation of the ICE BofA Technology 100 Index.**

Given the variety of investment options available today, we suggest investors seek guidance from a Financial Adviser.

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