

# Franklin Templeton Investment Funds

# Franklin U.S. Opportunities Fund

U.S. Equity 30.06.2023

## **Fund Fact Sheet**

For the source and calculation basis of Fund information, please refer to the \*Explanatory Notes section.

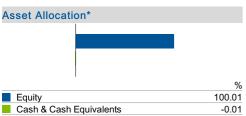
Fund Overview				
Base Currency for Fund	USD			
Total Net Assets (USD)	6.42 billion			
Fund Inception Date	e 03.04.2000			
Number of Issuers	79			
Benchmark	Russell 3000® Growth Index, S&P 500 Index			
Morningstar Category™*	US Large-Cap Growth Equity			

## Summary of Investment Objective

The Fund aims to achieve capital appreciation by investing principally in equity securities of US companies believed to possess sustainable growth characteristics and which meet growth, quality and valuation criteria. These include small, medium, and large capitalisation companies with strong growth potential across a wide range of sectors that have exceptional growth potential and fast growing, innovative companies within these sectors.

#### Fund Management\*

Grant Bowers: United States Sara Araghi, CFA: United States



## Offering Documents



# Shareholder Letters



#### **Risk Considerations**

INVESTMENT INVOLVES RISKS. The value of the Fund can be volatile and investors may not get back the amount originally invested. Past performance is not indicative of future results.

- Franklin U.S. Opportunities Fund invests principally in equity securities of U.S. companies with strong growth potential across a wide range of sectors.
- The Fund is subject to market risk, equity risk, warrants risk, convertible securities risk, liquidity risk, concentration risk, growth stocks risk, smaller and midsize companies risk, foreign currency risk, RMB currency and conversion risk, securities lending risk, class hedging risk, counterparty risk, Private Investments in Public Equity risk, private companies risk, special purpose acquisition companies risk and derivative instruments risk.
- Security lending may involve the risk that the borrower may fail to return the securities lent out in a timely manner and the value of the collateral may fall below the value of the securities lent out, which may result in a substantial loss to the Fund.
- The Fund may at its discretion pay dividends out of the capital or out of gross income of the Fund while paying all or part of the Fund's fees and expenses out of the capital of the Fund, which results in effectively paying dividends out of capital. Payment of dividends out of capital amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of an investor's original investment or from any capital gains attributable to that original investment. Any distributions involving payment of dividends out of the Fund's capital or payment of dividends effectively out of the Fund's capital (as the case may be) may result in an immediate reduction of the net asset value per share.
- Investors should not invest based on this marketing material alone. Offering documents should be read for further details, including the risk factors. Before you decide to invest, you should make sure the intermediary has explained to you that the Fund is suitable to you.

#### Performance\*

#### Past performance does not predict future returns.

Performance over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)

Franklin U.S. Opportunities Fund A (acc) USD



# Performance in Share Class Currency (%)

	Cumulative						
	3 Mths	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	Since Incept
A (acc) USD	12.43	24.81	19.60	13.03	51.42	188.17	151.78
Russell 3000® Growth Index in USD	12.47	28.05	26.60	45.22	95.87	313.93	315.54
S&P 500 Index in USD	8.74	16.89	19.59	50.51	78.66	235.35	360.05

#### Calendar Year Performance in Share Class Currency (%)

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
A (acc) USD	-37.14	16.53	42.66	32.10	-1.85
Russell 3000® Growth Index in USD	-28.97	25.85	38.26	35.85	-2.12
S&P 500 Index in USD	-18.11	28.71	18.40	31.49	-4.38

Top Ten Holdings* (% of Total)	
Issuer Name	
AMAZON.COM INC	6.35
MICROSOFT CORP	6.32
APPLE INC	5.82
NVIDIA CORP	4.78
MASTERCARD INC	4.72
META PLATFORMS INC	3.60
ALPHABET INC	3.41
SERVICENOW INC	3.05
ADOBE INC	2.16
ELI LILLY & CO	2.14

Fund Measures	
P/E to Growth	2.05x
Historical 3 Yr Sales Growth	20.74%
Estimated 3-5 Yr EPS Growth	20.12%
Price to Earnings (12-mo	35.14x
Forward)	
Standard Deviation (5 Yrs)	21.93%

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#### **Share Class Information**

				Fees			Dividends		Fund Identifiers
				Max. Sales	Max. Annual	Max. Serv.	Last Paid	Last Paid	
Share Class	Incept Date	NAV	TER (%)	Charge (%)	Charge* (%)	Charge (%)	Date	Amount	ISIN
A (acc) USD	03.04.2000	USD 25.50	1.81	5.00	1.50	N/A	N/A	N/A	LU0109391861
A (acc) HKD	02.12.2011	HKD 34.77	1.81	5.00	1.50	N/A	N/A	N/A	LU0708995401
A (acc) RMB-H1	07.11.2014	CNH 250.28	1.81	5.00	1.50	N/A	N/A	N/A	LU1129996390
B (acc) USD	03.04.2000	USD 18.88	3.11	N/A	1.75	1.06	N/A	N/A	LU0109391945

The charges are the fees the fund charges to investors to cover the costs of running the Fund. Additional costs, including transaction fees, will also be incurred. These costs are paid out by the Fund, which will impact on the overall return of the Fund.

Fund charges will be incurred in multiple currencies, meaning that payments may increase or decrease as a result of currency exchange fluctuations.

#### Composition of Fund\*

Franklin U.S. Opportunities Fund Russell 3000® Growth Index

Sector	c.	% (	of Total
Information Technology	40.64	1	42.18
Health Care	12.70	/	11.64
Consumer Discretionary	12.59	/	15.70
Financials	9.67	/	6.37
Communication Services	8.62	/	10.29
Industrials	6.61	/	6.76
Consumer Staples	3.74	/	4.41
Real Estate	2.68	/	0.93
Materials	1.78	/	0.89
Others	0.99	/	0.83
Cash & Cash Equivalents	-0.01	1	0.00

Market Capitalisation Breakdown in USD	% of Equity
<5.0 Billion	0.88
5.0-15.0 Billion	1.96
15.0-25.0 Billion	2.82
25.0-50.0 Billion	13.78
50.0-100.0 Billion	10.84
100.0-150.0 Billion	9.43
>150.0 Billion	56.65
N/A	3.63

#### Important Information

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# \*Explanatory Notes

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Benchmark performance: Benchmarks are used for comparison purposes. The Russell 3000 Growth index is considered to be the main benchmark of the sub-fund as it is made up of growth stocks, which corresponds to the emphasis placed by the manager in the management of the sub-fund. The S&P 500 Index can also be provided as it is considered to be an indicator of the US equity market. Although the manager is not subject to any constraints in the active management of the sub-fund and may invest in companies not included in the benchmarks, the performance of the sub-fund may, from time to time, show close similarities with these benchmarks.

Top 10 Holdings: These securities do not represent all of the securities purchased, sold or recommended for clients, and the reader should not assume that investment in the securities listed was or will be profitable.

Asset Allocation/Composition of Fund: Due to rounding, the sum of portfolio may not equal 100%.

Fees: Maximum Annual Charge includes Management Fee and Maximum Maintenance Charge.