# Handelsbanken Tillväxtmarknad Tema (A9 SEK)

The fund is actively managed and invests in equities issued by companies in Asia, Latin America, Africa and Eastern Europe, including the Balkans and the Baltics. As a result, the fund has a currency exposure to these markets. The thematic investment strategy provides for investments that occur in a limited area in which development is deemed to result in a structural change to the economy and society. This change provides favorable conditions for companies active within the area to create profitable growth over time. The fund is reported as an Article 8 fund pursuant to EU regulation 2019/2088 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector (SFDR).

#### **Performance**

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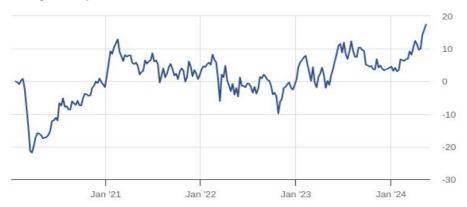
YTD	1 week	1 mth.	3 mån	1 year	5 years	10 years
13.58%	0.99%	8.73%	11.64%	15.09%	-	-

#### Average performance

Average. perf.	2 years	3 years	5 years	10 years
Fund <sup>1</sup>	7.30%	2.73%	-	-
Index <sup>2</sup>	7.67%	2.69%	-	-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Calculated on the fund's monthly closing price

#### Five years performance



#### **Portfolio**



Fund performance was positive during the quarter and the fund rose 6.5% in SEK. The Asian markets posted positive trends overall. Several of the Asian central banks continued to take measures to support the economy by retaining low interest rates and implementing quantitative easing. These measures helped to maintain a positive investment climate.

## **Fund manager**



#### **Lisa Synning**

Experience in the fund industry 2000. Portfolio Manager since 15 March 2016.

Main category **Equity Fund** 

Risk Rate 116.70 (20.05.2024)

Reporting Currency SEK Price/Trade Daily Total Rating™ \*\*\*

10,000,000 SEK Minimum investment

Monthly savings Traded on the Internet No 0.8% Management Fee Entry charge 0% Exit charge 0%

Fund assets 20,708 MSEK

Distribution per fund unit Distribution date

Fund, date of launch 25.11.1997 Share class, date of 20.01.2020

#### Largest holdings

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co 9.89%

9.05%
6.85%
3.58%
3.19%
2.96%
2.87%
2.79%
2.74%
2.57%

Technology equities continued to be the strongest drivers behind growth and the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Benchmark index: Solactive ISS ESG Emerging Markets Index NTR. The information in the table refers to the benchmark index valid at any given time. In the event the fund has previously had other benchmark indexes, this information can be found in the fund's annual report.

Taiwanese semiconductor companies TSMC and Mediatek were the strongest contributors to fund performance. Tencent, the Chinese internet company, also contributed positively after a recovery from the proposed video gaming regulations in December and also presented a strong report during the quarter. Indian Indus Towers also contributed to fund returns.

The most negative impact on performance was Indian HDFC Bank, which previously had strong growth and profitability but is currently experiencing setbacks in yield rates and loan growth after the ongoing integration with HDFC. The Chinese insurance company AIA and the Brazilian stock exchange operator B3 were also negative contributors. New holdings added to the fund included Samsung Electronics and HDFC Life.

As of: 26.04.2024

Historical yields are not a guarantee of future returns. A fund can both increase and decrease in value and it is not guaranteed that you will recover the entire invested amount. Note that a fund with risk level 5-7, as stated in the fund's fact sheet (KID), can vary greatly in value due to the fund's composition and management methodology. The prospectus, fund rules and KID are available under each fund. Summary of investors' rights.

The fund's fact sheet, risk level, fund rules and prospectus are available at www.handelsbanken.se/funds. Handelsbanken does not assume liability for any errors in the information.

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