



Fourth Quarter 2021

## Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity

### Quarterly Update

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Long and short performance attribution: Fourth Quarter 2021

| Sector                 | EM Dynamic Equity Fund |              | MSCI EM Index  |              | Attribution  |
|------------------------|------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
|                        | Average Weight         | Total Return | Average Weight | Total Return | Total Effect |
| <b>Long</b>            | <b>99.02</b>           | <b>-1.81</b> | <b>100.00</b>  | <b>-1.24</b> | <b>-0.46</b> |
| Communication Services | 6.99                   | -20.09       | 10.62          | -0.34        | -1.51        |
| Consumer Discretionary | 21.01                  | -4.97        | 14.78          | -8.11        | 0.15         |
| Consumer Staples       | 9.22                   | -2.44        | 5.82           | -1.94        | -0.19        |
| Energy                 | 5.40                   | 0.52         | 5.70           | -3.59        | 0.21         |
| Financials             | 17.71                  | -0.91        | 19.55          | -0.33        | -0.12        |
| Health Care            | 3.32                   | -7.21        | 4.47           | -15.37       | 0.45         |
| Industrials            | 3.72                   | -16.32       | 4.88           | -0.22        | -0.58        |
| Information Technology | 23.81                  | 13.74        | 21.37          | 7.31         | 1.56         |
| Materials              | 5.30                   | -7.16        | 8.55           | -2.81        | -0.53        |
| Real Estate            | 2.54                   | 0.43         | 2.02           | -8.47        | 0.16         |
| Utilities              | --                     | --           | 2.23           | 0.91         | -0.05        |
| <b>Short</b>           | <b>-46.71</b>          | <b>2.54</b>  | <b>--</b>      | <b>-1.24</b> | <b>-1.68</b> |
| Communication Services | -6.25                  | -15.69       | --             | -0.34        | 0.65         |
| Consumer Discretionary | -3.06                  | -16.84       | --             | -8.11        | 0.53         |
| Consumer Staples       | -11.47                 | 3.99         | --             | -1.94        | -0.57        |
| Energy                 | -1.54                  | -0.53        | --             | -3.59        | -0.04        |
| Financials             | -2.39                  | 1.69         | --             | -0.33        | -0.06        |
| Health Care            | -3.13                  | -7.60        | --             | -15.37       | -0.17        |
| Industrials            | -2.86                  | 1.71         | --             | -0.22        | -0.07        |
| Information Technology | -13.25                 | 11.20        | --             | 7.31         | -1.63        |
| Materials              | -2.13                  | 21.58        | --             | -2.81        | -0.40        |
| Real Estate            | -0.07                  | 10.19        | --             | -8.47        | -0.00        |
| Utilities              | -0.56                  | -8.29        | --             | 0.91         | 0.10         |

| Market Cap                                 | EM Dynamic Equity Fund |              | MSCI EM Index  |              | Attribution  |
|--|------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
|  | Average Weight         | Total Return | Average Weight | Total Return | Total Effect |
| <b>Long</b>                                | <b>99.02</b>           | <b>-1.81</b> | <b>100.00</b>  | <b>-1.24</b> | <b>-0.46</b> |
| <b>Mega: &gt; \$100 Billion</b>            | 15.55                  | -0.86        | 27.04          | -0.46        | -0.16        |
| <b>Large: \$15 Billion - \$100 Billion</b> | 17.27                  | 1.76         | 42.34          | -1.20        | 0.41         |
| <b>Mid: \$2 Billion - \$15 Billion</b>     | 37.82                  | -0.37        | 29.78          | -1.76        | 0.48         |
| <b>Small: &lt; \$2 Billion</b>             | 28.37                  | -6.11        | 0.84           | -9.64        | -1.18        |
| <b>Short</b>                               | <b>-46.71</b>          | <b>2.54</b>  | <b>--</b>      | <b>-1.24</b> | <b>-1.68</b> |
| <b>Mega: &gt; \$100 Billion</b>            | -1.37                  | -5.95        | --             | -0.46        | 0.07         |
| <b>Large: \$15 Billion - \$100 Billion</b> | -4.37                  | 3.47         | --             | -1.20        | -0.24        |
| <b>Mid: \$2 Billion - \$15 Billion</b>     | -24.92                 | 0.61         | --             | -1.76        | -0.40        |
| <b>Small: &lt; \$2 Billion</b>             | -16.06                 | 5.37         | --             | -9.64        | -1.10        |

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Long and short performance attribution: Year to Date 2021

| Sector                 | EM Dynamic Equity Fund |              | MSCI EM Index  |              | Attribution  |
|------------------------|------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
|                        | Average Weight         | Total Return | Average Weight | Total Return | Total Effect |
| <b>Long</b>            | <b>99.65</b>           | <b>-2.56</b> | <b>100.00</b>  | <b>-2.22</b> | <b>-0.26</b> |
| Communication Services | 9.05                   | -12.76       | 11.23          | -8.51        | -0.11        |
| Consumer Discretionary | 21.03                  | -13.43       | 16.58          | -28.91       | 2.55         |
| Consumer Staples       | 9.88                   | 9.93         | 5.70           | -4.57        | 0.54         |
| Energy                 | 5.55                   | 9.26         | 5.16           | 22.10        | -0.67        |
| Financials             | 14.41                  | 0.69         | 18.50          | 8.60         | -1.44        |
| Health Care            | 2.24                   | -33.07       | 4.67           | -19.78       | -0.07        |
| Industrials            | 2.51                   | -44.15       | 4.50           | 8.84         | -1.63        |
| Information Technology | 25.42                  | 11.68        | 21.05          | 9.78         | 0.76         |
| Materials              | 4.75                   | 62.75        | 8.41           | 9.83         | 0.31         |
| Real Estate            | 4.36                   | -11.96       | 2.15           | -20.19       | -0.11        |
| Utilities              | 0.45                   | 12.29        | 2.06           | 12.36        | -0.26        |
| <b>Short</b>           | <b>-46.47</b>          | <b>-0.15</b> | <b>--</b>      | <b>-2.22</b> | <b>0.20</b>  |
| Communication Services | -5.68                  | -23.87       | --             | -8.51        | 1.33         |
| Consumer Discretionary | -2.07                  | -12.96       | --             | -28.91       | 0.39         |
| Consumer Staples       | -10.98                 | 6.88         | --             | -4.57        | -0.01        |
| Energy                 | -2.53                  | 18.60        | --             | 22.10        | -0.55        |
| Financials             | -7.06                  | 19.52        | --             | 8.60         | -0.77        |
| Health Care            | -2.99                  | -53.81       | --             | -19.78       | 1.86         |
| Industrials            | -2.21                  | -7.73        | --             | 8.84         | -0.04        |
| Information Technology | -10.12                 | 34.30        | --             | 9.78         | -1.97        |
| Materials              | -1.49                  | 15.38        | --             | 9.83         | -0.39        |
| Real Estate            | -0.14                  | -67.31       | --             | -20.19       | 0.17         |
| Utilities              | -1.20                  | -23.34       | --             | 12.36        | 0.32         |

| Market Cap                                 | EM Dynamic Equity Fund |              | MSCI EM Index  |              | Attribution  |
|--|------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
|  | Average Weight         | Total Return | Average Weight | Total Return | Total Effect |
| <b>Long</b>                                | <b>99.65</b>           | <b>-2.56</b> | <b>100.00</b>  | <b>-2.22</b> | <b>-0.26</b> |
| <b>Mega: &gt; \$100 Billion</b>            | 18.11                  | -13.41       | 27.62          | -11.17       | 0.56         |
| <b>Large: \$15 Billion - \$100 Billion</b> | 24.03                  | -0.27        | 40.20          | -0.48        | 0.07         |
| <b>Mid: \$2 Billion - \$15 Billion</b>     | 32.25                  | -2.44        | 31.43          | 4.38         | -2.27        |
| <b>Small: &lt; \$2 Billion</b>             | 25.25                  | 3.76         | 0.75           | -20.00       | 1.49         |
| <b>Short</b>                               | <b>-46.47</b>          | <b>-0.15</b> | <b>--</b>      | <b>-2.22</b> | <b>0.20</b>  |
| <b>Mega: &gt; \$100 Billion</b>            | -1.38                  | 9.34         | --             | -11.17       | 0.01         |
| <b>Large: \$15 Billion - \$100 Billion</b> | -8.87                  | -8.17        | --             | -0.48        | 0.79         |
| <b>Mid: \$2 Billion - \$15 Billion</b>     | -26.18                 | -1.22        | --             | 4.38         | 0.13         |
| <b>Small: &lt; \$2 Billion</b>             | -10.04                 | 12.51        | --             | -20.00       | -0.62        |

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# Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity

Portfolio characteristics: as of December 31, 2021

## Portfolio Characteristics

|                         | EM Dynamic – Long | EM Dynamic – Short | MSCI EM Index |
|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| P/E FY0                 | 9.3x              | 11.8x              | 12.1x         |
| OROA (5 Yr.)            | 18.4%             | 14.5%              | 15.0%         |
| Wtd. Avg. \$US Mkt. Cap | \$51.4 B          | \$38.7 B           | \$126.7 B     |
| Median \$US Mkt. Cap    | \$5.8 B           | \$4.8 B            | \$6.7 B       |
| Number of Holdings      | 87                | 87                 | 1,418         |
| Equity Exposure         | 100.0%            | 45.3%              | –             |

## Sector Exposure

|                        | EM Dynamic – Long % | EM Dynamic – Short % | EM Dynamic – Net % | MSCI EM Index |
|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Communication Services | 8.4                 | 4.8                  | 3.6                | 10.7          |
| Consumer Discretionary | 19.8                | 3.7                  | 16.1               | 13.5          |
| Consumer Staples       | 7.3                 | 11.3                 | -4.0               | 5.9           |
| Energy                 | 5.3                 | 1.3                  | 4.0                | 5.6           |
| Financials             | 19.1                | 2.2                  | 16.9               | 19.4          |
| Health Care            | 2.9                 | 2.7                  | 0.2                | 4.2           |
| Industrials            | 2.0                 | 3.2                  | -1.2               | 5.1           |
| Information Technology | 29.8                | 13.8                 | 16.1               | 22.7          |
| Materials              | 3.1                 | 2.0                  | 1.1                | 8.6           |
| Real Estate            | 2.3                 | 0.1                  | 2.2                | 2.0           |
| Utilities              | 0.0                 | 0.2                  | -0.2               | 2.4           |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>100.0%</b>       | <b>45.3%</b>         | <b>54.7%</b>       | <b>100.0%</b> |

## Country Exposure

|                      | EMDE Long %   | EMDE Short % | EMDE Net %   | MSCI EM Index |
|----------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| China                | 24.7          | 11.4         | 13.4         | 29.7          |
| Taiwan               | 20.4          | 11.4         | 9.0          | 16.1          |
| South Korea          | 15.6          | 8.0          | 7.6          | 12.8          |
| India                | 7.0           | 0.0          | 7.0          | 12.5          |
| Singapore            | 3.9           | 0.1          | 3.8          | 0.1           |
| Brazil               | 3.7           | 2.3          | 1.4          | 4.0           |
| Russia               | 3.5           | 1.1          | 2.4          | 3.1           |
| Austria              | 3.1           | 0.0          | 3.1          | 0.0           |
| United States        | 3.0           | 0.0          | 3.0          | 0.1           |
| Mexico               | 2.8           | 0.3          | 2.5          | 2.0           |
| Malaysia             | 2.0           | 2.1          | -0.1         | 1.4           |
| Hong Kong            | 2.0           | 1.4          | 0.6          | 2.6           |
| South Africa         | 1.7           | 0.6          | 1.1          | 3.1           |
| France               | 1.7           | 0.0          | 1.7          | 0.0           |
| Saudi Arabia         | 1.3           | 1.6          | -0.4         | 3.3           |
| Chile                | 1.1           | 0.0          | 1.1          | 0.4           |
| Indonesia            | 0.9           | 1.4          | -0.5         | 1.4           |
| Canada               | 0.6           | 0.0          | 0.6          | 0.0           |
| Hungary              | 0.5           | 0.0          | 0.5          | 0.2           |
| Portugal             | 0.5           | 0.0          | 0.5          | 0.0           |
| Cayman Islands       | 0.1           | 0.0          | 0.1          | 0.0           |
| Israel               | 0.0           | 1.5          | -1.5         | 0.0           |
| Thailand             | 0.0           | 1.1          | -1.1         | 1.7           |
| United Kingdom       | 0.0           | 0.7          | -0.7         | 0.0           |
| Luxembourg           | 0.0           | 0.2          | -0.2         | 0.1           |
| Kuwait               | 0.0           | 0.1          | -0.1         | 0.6           |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.0           | 0.0          | 0.0          | 1.1           |
| Qatar                | 0.0           | 0.0          | 0.0          | 0.8           |
| Other                | 0.0           | 0.0          | 0.0          | 2.9           |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>45.3%</b> | <b>54.7%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

Portfolio characteristics are based upon a representative account in the Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity composite and are subject to change. Individual portfolio results may vary. A GIPS® compliant report is contained herein. Please refer to the appendix for other important disclosures.



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## *Appendix*

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Investment performance through December 31, 2021<sup>1</sup>

| Investment Performance (%)        |         |        |        |        |       |       |       |        |       |       |                   |                              |
|-----------------------------------|---------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------------------|------------------------------|
|                                   | 4Q 2021 | 1 Year | 3 Year | 5 Year | 2021  | 2020  | 2019  | 2018   | 2017  | 2016  | 2015 <sup>2</sup> | Since Inception <sup>2</sup> |
| EM Dynamic Equity - Gross of Fees | -3.99   | -4.25  | 9.09   | 6.72   | -4.25 | 13.43 | 19.53 | -16.64 | 27.89 | 8.08  | -3.67             | 5.49                         |
| EM Dynamic Equity- Net of Fees    | -4.27   | -5.37  | 7.71   | 5.23   | -5.37 | 12.08 | 17.82 | -17.87 | 25.69 | 5.69  | -5.47             | 3.78                         |
| MSCI EM Index-Net <sup>3</sup>    | -1.31   | -2.54  | 10.94  | 9.87   | -2.54 | 18.31 | 18.42 | -14.57 | 37.28 | 11.19 | -17.96            | 5.70                         |

| Supplemental Performance (%) <sup>4</sup> |         |        |        |        |       |        |        |        |        |       |                   |                              |
|---|---------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------------------|------------------------------|
|   | 4Q 2021 | 1 Year | 3 Year | 5 Year | 2021  | 2020   | 2019   | 2018   | 2017   | 2016  | 2015 <sup>2</sup> | Since Inception <sup>2</sup> |
| EM Long Portfolio - Gross of Fees         | -2.37   | -2.82  | 14.70  | 11.28  | -2.82 | 19.28  | 30.19  | -21.20 | 43.48  | 11.70 | -17.40            | 6.87                         |
| EM Short Portfolio - Gross of Fees        | -2.82   | -0.63  | -15.28 | -11.60 | -0.63 | -25.75 | -21.06 | 16.44  | -35.25 | 2.30  | 26.53             | -3.23                        |
| MSCI EM Index-Net <sup>3</sup>            | -1.31   | -2.54  | 10.94  | 9.87   | -2.54 | 18.31  | 18.42  | -14.57 | 37.28  | 11.19 | -17.96            | 5.70                         |

<sup>1</sup> Data are preliminary and unaudited.

<sup>2</sup> Inception date is March 1, 2015.

<sup>3</sup> Net total return indices reinvest dividends after the deduction of withholding taxes using (for international indices) a tax rate applicable to non-resident institutional investors who do not benefit from double taxation treaties.

<sup>4</sup> Returns reflect results from a representative account in the composite. A GIPS® compliant report is contained herein.

Boston Partners has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the GIPS®. Returns reflect composite results and individual portfolio results may vary. Past performance is not an indication of future results. Please refer to the appendix for other important disclosures.

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### Composite Construction

The Boston Partners Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity Composite includes all separately managed and commingled vehicles, fully discretionary, fee-paying accounts under management with a similar investment mandate. No composites have a minimum account size for inclusion as of June 1, 2019. Prior to that, minimum account size for

inclusion in the composite was \$1 million. The composite may contain proprietary assets. The inception date and creation date of the Boston Partners Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity Composite is March 1, 2015. Prior to July 1, 2020, the Boston Partners Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity Composite was named the Boston Partners Emerging Markets Long/Short Composite. The strategy is composed of securities with market capitalizations primarily greater than \$250 million and is benchmarked against the MSCI Emerging Markets Index-Net. Non-performance related statistics are measured against the MSCI Emerging Markets Index. Prior to August 1, 2017, the strategy was benchmarked to the MSCI Emerging Markets Index. The HFRI Equity Hedge (Total) Index is presented as supplemental information.

### Benchmark

Index returns are provided for comparison purposes only to show how the composite’s returns compare to a broad-based index of securities, as the indices do not have costs, fees, or other expenses associated with their performance. In addition, securities held in indices may not be similar to securities held in the composite’s accounts.

The MSCI Emerging Markets Index captures large and mid cap representation across 26 emerging market countries covering approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country..

Constituent funds of the HFRI Equity Hedge (Total) Index typically maintain at least 50% exposure to, and may in some cases be entirely invested in, equities or equity derivative securities, both long and short. Constituents use a wide variety of investment processes and techniques, net exposure levels, leverage employed, holding periods, market capitalizations concentrations, and valuation ranges. Data cannot be shared or distributed without written consent.

Net total return indexes reinvest dividends after the deduction of withholding taxes, using (for international indexes) a tax rate applicable to non-resident institutional investors who do not benefit from double taxation treaties.

### Calculation Methodology

Composite account returns are asset value weighted using beginning of month asset values and composite account returns are calculated on a total return, time-weighted basis using trade date valuations. Composite returns are geometrically linked on a monthly basis. Effective January 1, 2011, Boston Partners adopted a significant cash flow policy.

Accounts are temporarily removed from the composite when a significant external cash flow occurs, which is typically defined as a flow that is greater than or equal to 10% of the beginning market value of an account on the day of the flow; and greater than or equal to 10% of the beginning market value of the composite for that month. An account is generally added back to the composite as of the first full month following the significant cash flow. Returns reflect the reinvestment of dividends and other earnings and are expressed in U.S. Dollars unless otherwise noted. Additional information regarding policies for valuing accounts, calculating performance, and preparing compliant reports is available upon request.

### Fees and Expenses

Composite returns are provided on a gross and net of fee basis. Composite account returns will be reduced by any fees and expenses incurred in the management of the account. Net of fee composite returns are asset weighted and reflect the deduction of management fees, which may include performance-based fees, commissions and transaction costs, and are calculated by deducting actual fees charged to the accounts in a composite. Net of fee returns for commingled vehicles that are members of a composite are calculated using a model advisory fee equal to the highest applicable fee for the product; that fee is deducted from a composite’s gross monthly returns. Gross composite returns are calculated by deducting commissions and transaction costs charged to accounts in a composite. Fees are applied to gross returns at month end. Actual fees may vary depending on the applicable fee schedule and account size. Additional information regarding policies for valuing accounts, calculating performance, and preparing compliant reports is available upon request. Investment advisory fees are listed herein and are fully described in Boston Partners’ Form ADV, Part 2.

### Composite Dispersion

The measurement of composite dispersion is calculated by the weighted average standard deviation of the annual account gross-of-fee returns within the composite. Dispersion in composites with less than five accounts included for the entire year is not considered meaningful and is denoted with “N/A”. The three-year annualized standard deviation measures the variability of the composite and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period. This calculation has been adopted effective with the period ended December 31, 2011.

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## Performance disclosures (continued)

### Emerging Markets Dynamic Equity:

|               | # of Accts. in Comp. | Total Assets in Comp. | Comp. Dispersion | Comp. 3-Yr. Std. Dev. | Bench. 3-Yr. Std. Dev. | % of Firm AUM |
|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| <b>2019:</b>  | 2                    | \$210 mm              | n/a              | 10.80%                | 14.17%                 | 0%            |
| <b>2018:</b>  | 1                    | \$177 mm              | n/a              | 9.48%                 | 14.60%                 | 0%            |
| <b>2017:</b>  | 1                    | \$211 mm              | n/a              | n/a                   | n/a                    | 0%            |
| <b>2016:</b>  | 1                    | \$11 mm               | n/a              | n/a                   | n/a                    | 0%            |
| <b>2015*:</b> | 1                    | \$3 mm                | n/a              | n/a                   | n/a                    | 0%            |

\* 2015 performance period is from March 1.

### Firm Assets:

| Year         | Assets (mm) | Year         | Assets (mm) |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| <b>2019:</b> | \$89,368    | <b>2014:</b> | \$73,250    |
| <b>2018:</b> | \$81,550    | <b>2013:</b> | \$52,334    |
| <b>2017:</b> | \$99,241    | <b>2012:</b> | \$29,023    |
| <b>2016:</b> | \$87,222    | <b>2011:</b> | \$21,098    |
| <b>2015:</b> | \$78,363    | <b>2010:</b> | \$18,419    |

### Other Disclosures

GICS (Global Industry Classification Standard) sector classification is used. All product characteristics and sector weightings are calculated using a representative account. Risk statistics are calculated using composite data. Account composition is subject to change and information contained in this publication may not be representative of the current account.

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### Annual Fee Schedule

Investment advisory fees, which are more fully described in Boston Partners' ADV, Part 2, are 150 basis points ("bp") on all assets under management.

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