

# Franklin NextStep Moderate Fund

**A (acc) USD: LU1350352206**

**Target Risk | Factsheet as of 30 September 2025**

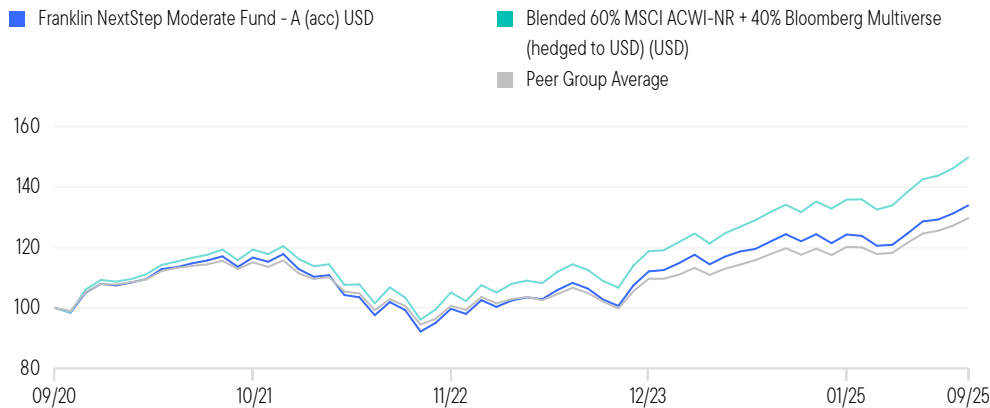
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## Investment Overview

To seek to maximise income and growth of capital (total return) over the long term. The Fund mainly invests, indirectly through Funds, in equities (50% to 70% of assets) and corporate and government bonds (30% to 50%). These investments may be of any market capitalisation and from anywhere in the world, including emerging markets, and some of the bond investments may be below investment grade.

Past performance does not predict future returns.

## Performance Over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)



## Discrete Annual Performance (%)

|                    | 09/24 | 09/23 | 09/22 | 09/21  | 09/20 | 09/19 | 09/18 | 09/17 | 09/16 | 09/15 |
|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                    | 09/25 | 09/24 | 09/23 | 09/22  | 09/21 | 09/20 | 09/19 | 09/18 | 09/17 | 09/16 |
| A (acc) USD        | 7.70  | 20.94 | 11.51 | -18.82 | 13.59 | 6.99  | 2.11  | 3.27  | 8.45  | —     |
| Benchmark (USD)    | 11.72 | 23.14 | 13.35 | -17.05 | 15.88 | 8.43  | 5.32  | 6.22  | 11.01 | —     |
| Peer Group Average | 8.26  | 17.48 | 7.97  | -16.31 | 13.00 | 3.38  | 3.08  | 2.83  | 8.24  | —     |

## Total Returns (%)

|                    | Cumulative |      |       |       |       |       | Average Annual |       |      |           | Inception Date |
|--------------------|------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|-------|------|-----------|----------------|
|                    | 1-Mo       | 3-Mo | YTD   | 1-Yr  | 3-Yr  | 5-Yr  | Inception      | 3-Yr  | 5-Yr | Inception |                |
| A (acc) USD        | 1.98       | 4.16 | 10.27 | 7.70  | 45.26 | 33.94 | 80.43          | 13.25 | 6.02 | 6.31      | 05/02/2016     |
| Benchmark (USD)    | 2.47       | 5.05 | 12.75 | 11.72 | 55.92 | 49.87 | 125.34         | 15.95 | 8.43 | 8.78      | —              |
| Peer Group Average | 1.89       | 4.11 | 10.35 | 8.26  | 37.32 | 29.87 | 66.97          | 11.15 | 5.37 | 5.46      | —              |
| Quartile Ranking   | 2          | 3    | 3     | 3     | 2     | 2     | —              | 2     | 2    | —         | —              |

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 tax and are net of management fees. Sales charges, taxes and other locally applied costs have not been deducted. The fund's returns may increase or decrease as a result of changes to foreign exchange rates.

Up to date performance figures can be found on our 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.

## Fund Overview

|                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Umbrella                   | Franklin Templeton Investment Funds |
| Fund Base Currency         | USD                                 |
| Fund Inception Date        | 05/02/2016                          |
| Share Class Inception Date | 05/02/2016                          |
| Minimum Investment         | USD 1000                            |
| ISIN                       | LU1350352206                        |
| Bloomberg                  | FRNMAAU LX                          |
| Morningstar Peer Group     | USD Moderate Allocation             |
| EU SFDR Category           | Article 6                           |

## Benchmark(s) and Type

|                                                                     |            |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Blended 60% MSCI ACWI-NR + 40% Bloomberg Multiverse (hedged to USD) | Comparator |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|

## Charges

|                        |       |
|------------------------|-------|
| Maximum Initial Charge | 5.75% |
| Exit Charge            | —     |
| Ongoing Charges Figure | 1.75% |
| Performance Fee        | —     |

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.

## Fund Characteristics

|                           | Fund            |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| NAV-A (acc) USD           | \$18.04         |
| Total Net Assets (USD)    | \$71.91 Million |
| Standard Deviation (5 Yr) | 9.96%           |

Asset Allocation (% of Total)

|                         | Fund  |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Equity Funds            | 62.38 |
| Fixed Income Funds      | 34.94 |
| Alternatives            | 1.50  |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | 1.18  |

Top Issuers (% of Total)

|                                                              | Fund  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| FRANKLIN U.S. EQUITY UCITS ETF                               | 12.57 |
| ISHARES CORE S&P 500 UCITS ETF                               | 10.36 |
| JPMORGAN FUNDS - AGGREGATE BOND FUND                         | 9.74  |
| ISHARES CORE GLOBAL AGGREGATE BOND UCITS ETF                 | 9.54  |
| FTGF-FTGF CLEARBRIDGE US LARGE CAP GROWTH FUND               | 8.26  |
| JPMORGAN EUROPE RESEARCH ENHANCED INDEX EQUITY ACTIVE UCITS  | 6.43  |
| FTGF CLEARBRIDGE US VALUE FUND                               | 6.19  |
| FRANKLIN USD INVESTMENT GRADE CORPORATE BOND UCITS ETF       | 5.11  |
| FRANKLIN TEMPLETON INVESTMENT FUNDS - FRANKLIN FLEXIBLE ALPH | 4.57  |
| FTGF-FTGF BRANDYWINE GLOBAL INCOME OPTIMISER FUND            | 4.27  |

Geographic Allocation (% of Total)

|                         | Fund  |
|-------------------------|-------|
| United States           | 54.43 |
| Europe                  | 8.43  |
| Emerging Markets        | 6.96  |
| Japan                   | 2.68  |
| Australasia             | 1.40  |
| Others                  | 24.92 |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | 1.18  |

Portfolio Management

|                         | Years with Firm | Years of Experience |
|-------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Marzena Hofrichter, CFA | 15              | 19                  |
| Matthias Hoppe          | 17              | 25                  |
| Thomas Nelson, CFA      | 18              | 34                  |

What are the Risks?

The Fund does not offer any capital guarantee or protection and you may not get back the amount invested. The Fund is subject to the following risks which are materially relevant: **Counterparty risk:** the risk of failure of financial institutions or agents (when serving as a counterparty to financial contracts) to perform their obligations, whether due to insolvency, bankruptcy or other causes. **Credit risk:** the risk of loss arising from default that may occur if an issuer fails to make principal or interest payments when due. This risk is higher if the Fund holds low-rated, sub-investment-grade securities. **Derivative Instruments risk:** the risk of loss in an instrument where a small change in the value of the underlying investment may have a larger impact on the value of such instrument. Derivatives may involve additional liquidity, credit and counterparty risks. **Emerging markets risk:** the risk related to investing in countries that have less developed political, economic, legal and regulatory systems, and that may be impacted by political/economic instability, lack of liquidity or transparency, or safekeeping issues. **Foreign Currency risk:** the risk of loss arising from exchange-rate fluctuations or due to exchange control regulations. **Investment funds risk:** the risk that investing in other funds may be more costly or provide less liquidity than investing in underlying securities directly, or that a closed-end fund holding may trade at a premium or discount to its net asset value. Complete information on the risks of investing in the Fund are set out in the Fund's prospectus.

Glossary

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Portfolio Data Information

Holdings are provided for information purposes only and should not be deemed a recommendation to buy or sell the securities mentioned.

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**Benchmark(s)** 60% MSCI ACWI and 40% Bloomberg Multiverse (hedged to USD). Used for performance comparison only.

The Fund is actively managed and may deviate materially from that of the benchmark(s).

**Intended retail Investor** Investors who understand the risks of the Fund and plan to invest for at least 5 years. The Fund may appeal to investors who are looking for a combination of income and investment growth, are interested in exposure to a mixed asset allocation globally as part of a diversified portfolio, have a high risk profile and can tolerate significant short-term changes in the share price.

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