# Franklin FTSE South Korea ETF (FLKR)



Blend Factsheet as of March 31, 2024

#### **Investment Overview**

Seeks to provide investment results that closely correspond, before fees and expenses, to the performance of the FTSE South Korea RIC Capped Index (the FTSE South Korea Capped Index), a market-capitalization weighted index representing the performance of South Korean large and mid capitalization stocks.

# **Total Returns (%)**

	Cumulative			Average Annual					Inception
	3-Mth	6-Mth	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	Inception	Date
Market Price Return	3.04	16.87	3.04	13.87	-7.53	4.34	-	0.62	11/2/2017
NAV Returns	1.70	16.51	1.70	13.47	-7.20	4.18	-	0.61	11/2/2017
Benchmark	1.90	16.40	1.90	13.40	-7.22	4.13	-	0.58	_

#### Calendar Year Total Returns (%)

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Market Price Return	19.18	-27.52	-7.53	42.65	8.85	-21.31	-	-	-	_
NAV Returns	20.99	-28.31	-6.59	42.82	8.05	-20.34	-	-	-	_
Benchmark	20.62	-28.32	-6.44	42.65	7.83	-20.44	_	_	_	_

Performance data quoted represents past performance, which does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the figures shown. Principal value and investment returns will fluctuate, and investors' shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than the original cost. Performance would have been lower if fees had not been waived in various periods. Total returns assume the reinvestment of all distributions and the deduction of all fund expenses. An investor cannot invest directly in an index, and unmanaged index returns do not reflect any fees, expense or sales charges. Returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized. For current month-end performance, please call Franklin Templeton at (800) DIAL BEN/(800) 342-5236 or visit www.franklintempleton.com.

Net Asset Value (NAV) returns are based on the NAV of the ETF; Market Price returns are based upon the official closing price of the ETF's shares. Returns are average annualized total returns, except for those periods of less than one year, which are cumulative. Market Price returns are calculated using the closing price as of 1 p.m. Pacific time on each trading day (when NAV is normally determined for most funds), and do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times. Since shares of the Fund did not trade in the secondary market until after the Fund's inception, for the period from inception to the first day of secondary trading November 6, 2017, the NAV of the Fund is used as a proxy for the Market Price to calculate market returns.

The total annual operating expenses are as of the fund's prospectus available at the time of publication. Actual expenses may be higher and may impact portfolio returns.

#### Growth of \$10,000

Inception through March 31, 2024

Market Price Returns, assuming dividends reinvested



The Growth of \$10,000 chart reflects a hypothetical \$10,000 investment on Market Price and assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Fund expense, including management fees and other expenses were deducted.

#### **Fund Overview**

ETF Category         Passive           Frequency of Index         Semiannually           Reconstitution         Semiannually           Asset Class         Equity           Listed Exchange         NYSE Arca           NYSE Arca Ticker         FLKF           CUSIP         35473P710           ISIN         US35473P710	Fund Inception Date	11/02/2017
Frequency of Index Reconstitution Semiannually Asset Class Equity Listed Exchange NYSE Arca NYSE Arca Ticker CUSIP 35473P710 ISIN US35473P7107	Total Expense Ratio (%)	0.09
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CUSIP 35473P710 ISIN US35473P7107	Listed Exchange	NYSE Arca
ISIN US35473P7107	NYSE Arca Ticker	FLKR
	CUSIP	35473P710
Shares Outstanding 12,900,000	ISIN	US35473P7107
	Shares Outstanding	12,900,000

#### Benchmark(s)

FTSE South Korea Capped Index

<b>Fund Characteristics</b>	Fund
Total Net Assets	\$301.48 Million
Number of Holdings	164
Average Market Cap (Millions USD)	\$110,779
Price to Book	1.03x
Price to Earnings (12-Month Trailing)	12.92x

# **Risk Statistics (3-Year)**

	Fund	Benchmark
Standard Deviation (%)	27.05	27.08

## **Top Equity Issuers (% of Total)**

	Fund
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO LTD	21.48
SK HYNIX INC	9.01
HYUNDAI MOTOR CO	3.73
CELLTRION INC	2.92
POSCO HOLDINGS INC	2.88
KIA CORP	2.46
NAVER CORP	2.46
KB FINANCIAL GROUP INC	2.42
SAMSUNG SDI CO LTD	2.30
LG CHEM LTD	2.09

# **Sector Allocation (% of Total)**

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Information Technology	35.96
Industrials	15.18
Financials	11.84
Consumer Discretionary	10.57
Health Care	7.34
Materials	7.28
Communication Services	6.09
Consumer Staples	2.62
Other	1.77
Cash & Cash Equivalents	1.34

## Market Cap Breakdown (% of Equity) (USD)

	Fund
<2.0 Billion	4.65
2.0-5.0 Billion	10.10
5.0-10.0 Billion	14.53
10.0-25.0 Billion	25.82
25.0-50.0 Billion	12.50
>50.0 Billion	32.36
N/A	0.04

#### **Portfolio Management**

	Years with Firm	Years of Experience
Dina Ting, CFA	8	28
Hailey Harris	5	14
Joe Diederich	4	13
Basit Amin, CFA	3	13

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Fund

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