

# BlueBox Funds- BlueBox Global Technology Fund

## Direct Connection

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Global  
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### Investment Theme—Direct Connection

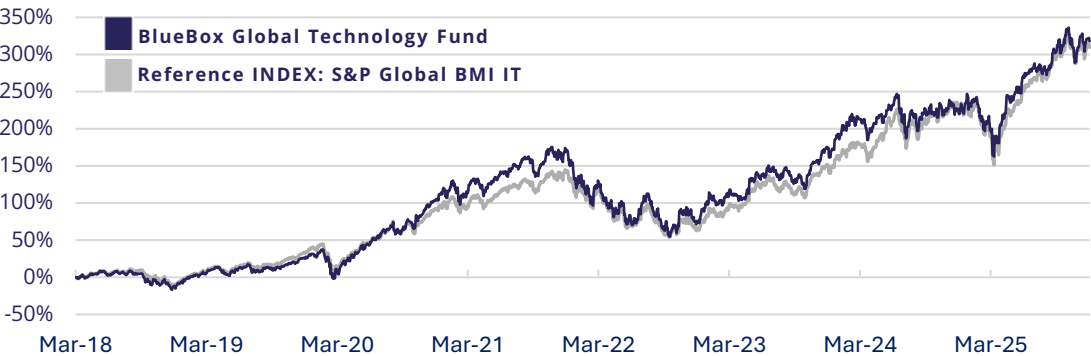
The Direct Connection of computers to the real world has enabled the technology revolution of the past 15 years, driving an acceleration in tech adoption simultaneously across all industry verticals. With every other industry investing its excess returns in technology, we expect the IT sector to continue to outperform the broader market as it steals the growth from the rest of the economy, though this is subject to regulatory and macroeconomic risks. The Fund focuses on the companies enabling Direct Connection, giving it exposure to the most exciting developments in the sector without needing to chase over-hyped themes or invest in over-valued stocks.

### Fund Objective

The Fund’s principal objective is to seek long term capital growth by investing globally at least 70% of its total assets in the equity securities of companies whose predominant economic activity is in the technology sector. The Fund is active and managed without any reference to a benchmark.

### BlueBox Global Technology Fund Performance

Past performance does not predict future returns



Performance to 31 Dec. 2025	1 month	3 months	YTD	3 yr Ann	5 yr Ann	ITD Ann
BlueBox Global Technology Fund	2.0%	3.0%	30.6%	33.7%	15.3%	20.2%
S&P Global BMI IT NTR Index	0.8%	2.8%	25.9%	35.0%	16.3%	19.9%

12M Rolling Performance to 31 December	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
BlueBox Global Technology Fund	30.6%	16.8%	56.8%	-35.2%	31.6%	63.8%	41.7%
S&P Global BMI IT NTR Index	25.9%	29.7%	50.9%	-31.3%	25.8%	44.9%	46.0%

The fund performance is **not** measured against the benchmark. This is for information purposes only. Performance is of a USD share class, on net of fees basis, with gross income reinvested. Source: at 31/12/2025. Performance related data will display only where relevant to the share class inception date. The value of an investment and the income from it can fall as well as rise and you may not get back the amount originally invested.

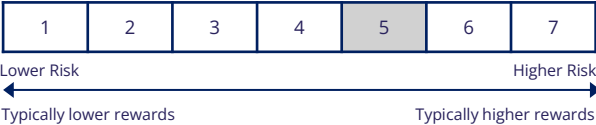
Equity Risk: The risk that investments depreciate because of stock market dynamics.

Market Risk: The Fund's assets may decrease because of sovereign acts and political transformation, which may also influence free trade of currency. In addition, risks may arise because of restricted information possibilities in addition to less stringent supervision and control of certain markets. The performance of these markets may be subject to significant volatility. The concentration of the Fund on a given country implies the risk that the events concerning the given country may significantly and negatively affect the value of the whole portfolio of the Fund.

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### Risk Indicator (PRIIPS SRI)

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.



### Investment Team

#### Lead Portfolio Manager

William de Gale,  
FCA, CFA



#### Portfolio Manager

Rupert de Borchgrave,  
CFA



### Portfolio Construction

Asset Class	Equity
Number of Securities	30-40
Weight	10% maximum
Turnover	Low
Market Cap	\$1bn+, mainly targeting \$10bn-\$250bn
Geographic Allocation	Global
Cash	Minimal cash, always below 10%
Benchmark	Agnostic
Reference	S&P Global BMI IT

<sup>1</sup> Performance based on Share Class S since launch 29.03.2018 **ISIN LU1793347128**.

<sup>2</sup> S&P Global BMI IT INDEX is Net Total Return, calculated since launch of BBGT on 29.03.2018.

The Fund was launched under Share Class S, with Management Fee of 1% until December 2020, 0% Management Fee since. The Share Class is closed to new investors.

The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 years. The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less. You may not be able to cash in early. You may not be able to sell your product easily or you may have to sell at a price that significantly impacts on how much you get back.

Medium-high risk class. This rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium-high level, and poor market conditions will likely impact our capacity to pay you.

Be aware of currency risk. In some circumstances, you may receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get may depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator. A complete description of risk factors is set out in the Prospectus in the section entitled 'Risk Factors Annex'.

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### Willam de Gale’s Monthly Comment

After investors paused in November for a critical re-think of generative AI spending levels, December saw continued healthy debate but a modest recovery in many AI-related names, with the BlueBox Global Technology Fund gaining 2.0%, well ahead of its benchmark.

The fund’s strongest performers in December were Salesforce (+15%), Synopsys (+12%), ASM International (+10%), Lam Research (+10%) and Adobe (+9%). The laggards were ARM Holdings (-19%), Sea Ltd (-8%), Veeva Systems (-7%) and ServiceNow (-6%).

This rounded off another strong year for the fund, up 30.6% in 2025, comfortably outperforming the benchmark and achieving an annualised net return of 20.2% since inception almost 8 years ago. This was despite a tough start to the year, with a 25% correction triggered first by DeepSeek’s Chinese challenge to US AI dominance in January, and then by President Trump’s “Liberation Day” on 2 April. This dip proved once again to be a buying opportunity for the BlueBox Global Technology Fund, with almost 60% upside by year end from the low in mid-April.

For 2025 as a whole, performance was led by Lam Research (+139%), Palantir Technologies (+135%), Amphenol (+95%) and KLA Corporation (+94%). Software names perceived as AI-losers were the weakest, in particular ServiceNow (-32%), Adobe (-21%) and Salesforce (-20%), while Sea Ltd has lost

31% since we bought it in October.

As mentioned in earlier commentaries, we trimmed our AI exposure a couple of times during the year, in January and November. Our view remains that the Technology sector as a whole is not over-extended, but that certain names, particularly some private companies, may face a significant reality check in coming months unless revenue from the use of AI accelerates improbably rapidly. If their sources of fresh funding start to run dry, future capex plans would need to be cut back, but that would not in our view be the end of AI or of tech spend, rather a healthy rebalancing before things start to get out of hand.

It remains important to emphasise that most of the technology industry is not generative AI. Even if the rest of tech is currently out of the limelight and starved of the resources going to massive AI investment, disruption continues in every industry and in many different forms. AI spend may wax and wane, but technology will remain the battleground for all those other industries, with technology enablers continuing to steal almost all the profit growth from the rest of the market, as they have done since 2007. These very profitable enablers therefore remain the main engine of earnings growth globally, giving BlueBox investors exposure to the strongest technology trends, without the absurd valuations and poor business models of many of the high-profile, but profitless, disrupters.

★★★★★  
Morningstar Overall Rating™

Among 1,381 Technology Equity funds. The Fund's risk adjusted returns based on Class S USD Accumulating had 3 stars for 3 years and 4 stars for 5 years of 1,381 and 928 Technology Equity Funds, respectively, for the period ended 30/11/2025.

★★★★★  
Morningstar Sustainability Rating™

The BlueBox Global Technology Fund is rated out of 1'400 Technology Equity funds as of 30/11/2025. Based on 100% of eligible corporate AUM. Data is based on long positions only.

CITYWIRE  
BRONZE

Rating as of 31/12/2025

Assets Under Management

Firm:

2,898 m

Strategy:

2,835 m

Fund:

2,037 m

Fund Characteristics

Number of holdings

35

Weighted average market cap

708 bn

Key Facts

Fund Base Currency

USD

Liquidity

Daily

Fund Type

UCITS

Legal Status

SICAV

SFDR

Article 8 – promotes ESG characteristics

Domicile

Luxembourg

Auditor

PwC

Custodian

Northern Trust Global Services SE

Launch Date

29 March 2018

Top 10 Holdings		Country Allocation		Market Capitalisation		Sector Allocation	
Arista Networks	4.2%	United States of America	71.9%	Mega cap (>\$500bn)	19.9%	Semiconductors & semi equipment	40.1%
Nvidia	4.2%	Netherlands	6.0%	Large cap – upper (\$250bn - \$500bn)	9.0%	Software & services	29.6%
Alphabet	4.1%	Japan	5.2%	Large cap – mid (\$100bn - \$250bn)	46.5%	Hardware & components	15.0%
MercadoLibre	4.1%	Argentina	4.1%	Large cap – lower (\$10bn - \$100bn)	23.8%	Consumer discretionary	8.8%
Taiwan Semiconductor	4.1%	Taiwan	4.1%	Mid cap (\$1bn - \$10bn)	0.0%	Communication services	5.7%
Intuit	4.0%	Spain	2.5%	Small cap (<\$1bn)	0.0%	Cash & equivalents	0.8%
ASML Holding	4.0%	Ireland	2.2%				
Applied Materials	3.9%	United Kingdom	1.6%				
Salesforce	3.9%	Singapore	1.6%				
Lam Research	3.6%	Cash & equivalents	0.8%				
Total	40.1%						

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UK Share Classes	
Registration:	
For UK Investors only	
I-UK Acc.	Institutional
Min. Initial Investment:	\$150,000.-
Annual Management Fee:	1.00 %
Total Ongoing Charges:	1.26 %
Launch Date:	Offering Period
ISIN	
USD	LU2992392170
EUR	LU2992391958
GBP	LU2992392097
R-UK Acc.	Retail
Min. Initial Investment:	\$150,000.-
Annual Management Fee:	1.00 %
Total Ongoing Charges:	1.30 %
Launch Date:	10 Mar 2025
ISIN	
USD	LU2992393228
EUR	LU2992392253
GBP	LU2992392337

Share Classes			
Registration Countries:			
AT, BE, CH, DE, ES, FR, IT, LU, PT			
I Acc.	Institutional	A Acc.	Retail
Min. Initial Investment:	\$150,000.-	Min. Initial Investment:	\$10,000.-
Annual Management Fee:	1.00 %	Annual Management Fee:	1.50 %
Total Ongoing Charges:	1.26 %	Total Ongoing Charges:	1.80 %
Launch Date:	5 Oct 2020	Launch Date:	10 Feb 2020
ISIN		ISIN	
USD	LU1793346666	USD	LU1793345262
EUR	LU1793346823	EUR	LU1793345429
CHF	LU1793347045	CHF	LU1793345692
R Acc.	Retail	C Acc.	Retail
Min. Initial Investment:	\$150,000.-	Min. Initial Investment:	\$1,000.-
Annual Management Fee:	1.00 %	Annual Management Fee:	2.20 %
Total Ongoing Charges:	1.30 %	Total Ongoing Charges:	2.50 %
Launch Date:	20 Sept 2022	Launch Date:	27 Nov 2020
ISIN		ISIN	
USD	LU2497703376	USD	LU2092176275
EUR	LU2497703533	EUR	LU2092176515
CHF	LU2497703616	CHF	LU2092176606

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.

The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) is an amount representing all operating charges and expenses of the Fund in the prior 12 months as a percentage of the Fund's average net assets for the period. Where that figure would not be a fair representation of future costs or if 12 months data is not available, an estimated figure will be shown.

### Important Information

#### SFDR Disclosure

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