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Developed by the Research team at ETF Global, the ETFG Weekly ETF Select List features the 5 most highly rated ETFs by Sector, Geographic Region and Strategy as ranked by the ETFG Quant model. This weekly reference guide enables you to quickly and easily identify ETFs which meet your chosen criteria. Because the list highlights just five ETFs per category and the ETFG Quant model is cross-sectional in its rankings, each ETF on the list has earned its respective spot by achieving the highest relative scoring versus its eligible peer group. The universe of equity ETFs reviewed by ETFG Quant represents the broadest range of industry groups, sectors and geographic regions.

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- ETFG Quant has four primary drivers: Behavioral Finance (Technical Analysis & Sentiment), Fundamental Analysis, Global Themes and Quality
- Selection is performed prior to trading on Monday of each week

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	Ticker	Name	Focus	Region	TER	Risk*	Reward*	Quant*
1	XME	SPDR S&P Metals & Mining ETF	Basic Materials	North America	0.35%	5.07	6.44	60.50
2	MATF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Materials ETF	Basic Materials	North America	0.35%	5.42	6.62	58.40
3	JHMA	John Hancock Multifactor Materials ETF	Basic Materials	North America	0.50%	4.75	6.62	58.20
4	SGDJ	Sprott Junior Gold Miners ETF	Basic Materials	Global	0.57%	6.50	6.19	55.70
5	GOEX	Global X Gold Explorers ETF	Basic Materials	Global	0.66%	6.98	5.88	53.50
1	XRT	SPDR S&P Retail ETF	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.35%	4.66	8.09	67.80
2	PMR	PowerShares Dynamic Retail Portfolio	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.63%	6.08	7.40	62.80
3	IBUY	Amplify Online Retail ETF	Consumer Discretionary	Global	0.65%	5.87	7.25	58.80
4	FTXD	First Trust Nasdaq Retail ETF	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.60%	4.77	6.63	57.10
5	JHMC	John Hancock Multifactor Consumer Discretionary ETF	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.50%	3.62	6.51	55.90
1	PSCC	PowerShares S&P SmallCap Consumer Staples Portfolio	Consumer Staples	North America	0.29%	4.22	7.82	67.40
2	CNSF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Consumer Staples ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.35%	3.44	6.05	58.50
3	XLP	Consumer Staples Select Sector SPDR Fund	Consumer Staples	North America	0.14%	2.48	5.67	57.80
4	PBJ	Powershares Dynamic Food & Beverage Portfolio	Consumer Staples	North America	0.58%	3.67	5.99	57.30
5	JHMS	John Hancock Multifactor Consumer Staples ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.50%	3.64	5.40	53.60
1	JHME	John Hancock Multifactor Energy ETF	Energy	North America	0.50%	5.07	7.10	63.00
2	PXI	PowerShares DWA Energy Momentum Portfolio	Energy	North America	0.60%	6.88	6.72	61.00
3	OIH	VanEck Vectors Oil Service ETF	Energy	Global	0.35%	5.98	6.27	58.50
4	ERGF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Energy ETF	Energy	North America	0.35%	5.36	6.04	57.90
5	MLPA	Global X MLP ETF	Energy	North America	0.47%	5.83	7.13	57.50
1	FTXO	First Trust Nasdaq Bank ETF	Financials	North America	0.60%	4.11	8.04	66.60
2	KIE	SPDR S&P Insurance ETF	Financials	North America	0.35%	6.25	7.29	62.30
3	KBWD	PowerShares KBW High Dividend Yield Financial Portfolio	Financials	North America	2.99%	5.39	7.07	60.50
4	FNCF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Financials ETF	Financials	North America	0.35%	4.84	6.88	59.60
5	DFNL	Davis Select Financial ETF	Financials	Global	0.65%	6.00	7.33	59.40
1	IBB	iShares Nasdaq Biotechnology ETF	Health Care	North America	0.47%	5.01	10.00	75.50
2	HCRF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Healthcare ETF	Health Care	North America	0.35%	4.47	7.59	64.30
3	BBH	VanEck Vectors Biotech ETF	Health Care	Global	0.35%	5.86	7.64	64.20
4	XPH	SPDR S&P Pharmaceuticals ETF	Health Care	North America	0.35%	5.79	7.62	62.90
5	PPH	VanEck Vectors Pharmaceutical ETF	Health Care	Global	0.35%	5.80	7.29	62.80
1	INDF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Industrials ETF	Industrials	North America	0.35%	5.71	6.99	63.10
2	JHMI	John Hancock Multifactor Industrials ETF	Industrials	North America	0.50%	4.25	6.79	60.40
3	FTXR	First Trust Nasdaq Transportation ETF	Industrials	North America	0.60%	4.47	6.51	58.70
4	FIDU	Fidelity MSCI Industrials Index ETF	Industrials	North America	0.08%	2.67	6.04	57.10
5	AIRR	First Trust RBA American Industrial Renaissance ETF	Industrials	North America	0.70%	3.83	5.61	55.90

1	FTRI	First Trust Indxx Global Natural Resources Income ETF	Natural Resources	Global	0.70%	4.06	6.72	58.70
2	TBLU	Tortoise Water Fund	Natural Resources	North America	0.40%	5.76	6.31	56.50
3	FTAG	First Trust Indxx Global Agriculture ETF	Natural Resources	Global	0.72%	5.23	6.29	55.00
4	NANR	SPDR S&P North American Natural Resources ETF	Natural Resources	North America	0.35%	3.59	5.35	53.90
5	NFRA	FlexShares STOXX Global Broad Infrastructure Index Fund	Natural Resources	Global	0.47%	3.79	5.17	52.30
1	FTXL	First Trust Nasdaq Semiconductor ETF	Technology	North America	0.60%	5.10	7.17	63.00
2	IFLY	ETFMG Drone Economy Strategy ETF	Technology	Global	0.75%	5.72	7.29	61.90
3	XNTK	SPDR NYSE Technology ETF	Technology	North America	0.35%	6.10	6.78	61.00
4	JHMT	John Hancock Multifactor Technology ETF	Technology	North America	0.50%	4.93	7.25	60.80
5	TCHF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Technology ETF	Technology	North America	0.35%	5.16	7.01	60.70
1	XTL	SPDR S&P Telecom ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.35%	4.55	6.40	58.20
2	IYZ	iShares US Telecommunications ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.44%	4.73	5.44	53.70
3	FCOM	Fidelity MSCI Telecommunication Services Index ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.08%	3.29	5.42	52.20
4	VOX	Vanguard Telecommunication Services ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.10%	4.72	5.03	51.60
5	IXP	iShares Global Telecom ETF	Telecommunications	Global	0.48%	5.59	4.71	48.70
1	XLU	Utilities Select Sector SPDR Fund	Utilities	North America	0.14%	2.86	5.15	55.20
2	JHMU	John Hancock Multifactor Utilities ETF	Utilities	North America	0.50%	3.83	5.61	54.60
3	UTLF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Utilities ETF	Utilities	North America	0.35%	4.37	5.41	54.30
4	FXU	First Trust Utilities AlphaDEX Fund	Utilities	North America	0.62%	3.79	5.15	52.70
5	VPU	Vanguard Utilities ETF	Utilities	North America	0.10%	3.77	4.51	50.60

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1	FNI	First Trust ISE Chindia Index Fund	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.60%	5.17	9.25	69.50
2	EWH	iShares MSCI Hong Kong ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.48%	1.97	8.17	67.40
3	FXI	iShares China Large-Cap ETF	Asia-Pacific	Large Cap	0.74%	5.33	7.75	64.70
4	IPAC	iShares Core MSCI Pacific ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.10%	3.57	7.42	64.00
5	QJPN	SPDR MSCI Japan Quality Mix ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.30%	4.78	7.52	64.00
1	EWM	iShares MSCI United Kingdom ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.48%	3.20	6.67	60.50
2	EWP	iShares MSCI Spain Capped ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.48%	5.18	6.81	60.10
3	ERUS	iShares MSCI Russia Capped ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.62%	5.94	6.54	58.50
4	DAX	Horizons DAX Germany ETF	Europe	Large Cap	0.20%	4.86	6.69	57.50
5	EURZ	Deutsche Xtrackers Eurozone Equity ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.09%	4.35	6.52	56.90
1	ACWF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Global ETF	Global	Broad Equity	0.35%	5.13	7.69	64.30
2	BBH	VanEck Vectors Biotech ETF	Global	Health Care	0.35%	5.86	7.64	64.20
3	ARKW	ARK Web x.0 ETF	Global	Theme	0.75%	5.95	7.92	63.00
4	ARKG	ARK Genomic Revolution Multi-Sector ETF	Global	Theme	0.75%	6.77	8.35	62.90
5	PPH	VanEck Vectors Pharmaceutical ETF	Global	Health Care	0.35%	5.80	7.29	62.80
1	AADR	AdvisorShares Dorsey Wright ADR ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Broad Equity	0.99%	7.01	9.27	70.80
2	IDHD	PowerShares S&P International Developed High Dividend Low Volatil	Global Ex-U.S.	High Dividend Yield	0.30%	4.59	7.28	61.70
3	IDLB	PowerShares FTSE International Low Beta Equal Weight Portfolio	Global Ex-U.S.	Broad Equity	0.45%	3.19	6.48	59.70
4	IMOM	MomentumShares International Quantitative Momentum ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Broad Equity	0.79%	6.01	6.81	59.60
5	ESGN	Columbia Sustainable International Equity Income ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Broad Equity	0.45%	3.72	6.74	59.10
1	EWW	iShares MSCI Mexico Capped ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.48%	5.11	7.44	63.70
2	ILF	iShares Latin America 40 ETF	Latin America	Large Cap	0.49%	5.46	6.84	61.00
3	EPU	iShares MSCI All Peru Capped ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.63%	4.76	6.54	57.60
4	EWZ	iShares MSCI Brazil Capped ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.63%	5.67	5.77	54.90
5	GXG	Global X MSCI Colombia ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.61%	5.84	6.32	54.90
1	EIS	iShares MSCI Israel Capped ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.62%	4.91	7.82	63.10
2	ITEQ	BlueStar TA-BIGTECH Israel Technology ETF	Middle East & Africa	Technology	0.75%	4.83	7.40	58.50
3	NGE	Global X MSCI Nigeria ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	1.10%	5.98	6.44	54.70
4	ISRA	VanEck Vectors Israel ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.60%	5.11	6.02	52.40
5	KSA	iShares MSCI Saudi Arabia Capped ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.74%	4.54	6.15	50.50
1	IBB	iShares Nasdaq Biotechnology ETF	North America	Health Care	0.47%	5.01	10.00	75.50
2	QQQE	Direxion NASDAQ 100 Equal Weighted Index Shares	North America	Large Cap	0.35%	4.47	9.40	73.70
3	SPYG	SPDR Portfolio S&P 500 Growth ETF	North America	Large Cap	0.04%	4.57	8.15	67.80
4	XRT	SPDR S&P Retail ETF	North America	Consumer Discretionary	0.35%	4.66	8.09	67.80
5	FVL	First Trust Value Line 100 Exchange-Traded Fund	North America	Alpha-Seeking	0.70%	4.48	8.11	67.50

1	ESGE	iShares MSCI EM ESG Select ETF	Emerging Markets	Theme	0.25%	4.10	7.48	62.90
2	EMIF	iShares Emerging Markets Infrastructure ETF	Emerging Markets	Theme	0.75%	5.76	6.75	60.30
3	SPEM	SPDR Portfolio Emerging Markets ETF	Emerging Markets	Broad Equity	0.11%	4.06	7.35	60.00
4	EEM	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	Emerging Markets	Broad Equity	0.69%	5.16	6.65	59.40
5	XCEM	EGShares EM Core ex-China ETF	Emerging Markets	Broad Equity	0.35%	5.12	6.95	58.60
1	INTF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Intl ETF	Developed Markets	Broad Equity	0.30%	3.13	6.94	61.50
2	KLDW	Knowledge Leaders Developed World ETF	Developed Markets	Broad Equity	0.75%	4.81	7.47	60.80
3	BFIT	Global X Health & Wellness Thematic ETF	Developed Markets	Theme	0.50%	4.71	6.87	58.00
4	GCOW	Pacer Global High Dividend ETF	Developed Markets	High Dividend Yield	0.60%	3.39	5.74	54.40
5	HEDJ	WisdomTree Europe Hedged Equity Fund	Developed Markets	Broad Equity	0.58%	4.41	5.51	54.10

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1	FVL	First Trust Value Line 100 Exchange-Traded Fund	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.70%	4.48	8.11	67.50
2	DWAQ	PowerShares DWA NASDAQ Momentum Portfolio	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.60%	6.57	7.86	65.50
3	KNOW	Direxion All Cap Insider Sentiment Shares	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.59%	4.65	6.90	59.40
4	VALX	Validea Market Legends ETF	Alpha-Seeking	Global	0.79%	5.71	6.77	57.30
5	IBLN	Direxion iBillionaire Index ETF	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.59%	4.73	6.26	57.10
1	AADR	AdvisorShares Dorsey Wright ADR ETF	Broad Equity	Global Ex-U.S.	0.99%	7.01	9.27	70.80
2	FNI	First Trust ISE Chindia Index Fund	Broad Equity	Asia-Pacific	0.60%	5.17	9.25	69.50
3	EWH	iShares MSCI Hong Kong ETF	Broad Equity	Asia-Pacific	0.48%	1.97	8.17	67.40
4	ACWF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor Global ETF	Broad Equity	Global	0.35%	5.13	7.69	64.30
5	IPAC	iShares Core MSCI Pacific ETF	Broad Equity	Asia-Pacific	0.10%	3.57	7.42	64.00
1	FDRR	Fidelity Dividend ETF for Rising Rates	High Dividend Yield	Global	0.29%	2.40	7.01	61.80
2	IDHD	PowerShares S&P International Developed High Dividend Low Volatility	High Dividend Yield	Global Ex-U.S.	0.30%	4.59	7.28	61.70
3	SPHD	PowerShares S&P 500 High Dividend Portfolio	High Dividend Yield	North America	0.30%	2.52	6.50	61.50
4	FDVV	Fidelity Core Dividend ETF	High Dividend Yield	Global	0.29%	2.40	6.64	59.30
5	WBIY	WBI Power Factor High Dividend ETF	High Dividend Yield	North America	0.67%	4.22	6.97	59.10
1	MNA	IQ Merger Arbitrage ETF	Long/Short	Global	0.77%	1.89	6.26	55.40
2	FTLS	First Trust Long/Short Equity ETF	Long/Short	Global	1.41%	4.31	5.55	54.80
3	HTUS	Hull Tactical US ETF	Long/Short	North America	0.91%	5.04	5.84	52.70
4	MOM	AGFIQ US Market Neutral Momentum Fund	Long/Short	North America	0.75%	6.36	6.50	49.50
5	CHEP	AGFIQ US Market Neutral Value Fund	Long/Short	North America	0.75%	7.08	5.64	43.50
1	SPFF	Global X SuperIncome Preferred ETF	Preferred Stock	North America	0.58%	3.93	5.54	48.60
2	PFXF	VanEck Vectors Preferred Securities ex Financials ETF	Preferred Stock	Global	0.41%	2.78	4.45	48.20
3	PFF	iShares US Preferred Stock ETF	Preferred Stock	North America	0.47%	2.84	4.15	45.50
4	VRP	PowerShares Variable Rate Preferred Portfolio	Preferred Stock	North America	0.50%	2.44	4.47	45.00
5	PGF	PowerShares Financial Preferred Portfolio	Preferred Stock	North America	0.63%	2.83	3.71	42.50
1	KRMA	Global X Conscious Companies ETF	Theme	North America	0.43%	3.22	7.51	64.90
2	ARKW	ARK Web x.0 ETF	Theme	Global	0.75%	5.95	7.92	63.00
3	ARKG	ARK Genomic Revolution Multi-Sector ETF	Theme	Global	0.75%	6.77	8.35	62.90
4	ESGE	iShares MSCI EM ESG Select ETF	Theme	Emerging Markets	0.25%	4.10	7.48	62.90
5	HECO	EcoLogical Strategy ETF	Theme	Global	0.95%	8.22	7.74	62.20
1	QQQE	Direxion NASDAQ 100 Equal Weighted Index Shares	Large Cap	North America	0.35%	4.47	9.40	73.70
2	SPYG	SPDR Portfolio S&P 500 Growth ETF	Large Cap	North America	0.04%	4.57	8.15	67.80
3	FXI	iShares China Large-Cap ETF	Large Cap	Asia-Pacific	0.74%	5.33	7.75	64.70
4	EEH	ELEMENTS SPECTRUM ETN	Large Cap	North America	0.75%	6.32	8.23	64.00
5	EPS	WisdomTree Earnings 500 Fund	Large Cap	North America	0.28%	4.87	7.43	62.90

1	SPMD	SPDR Portfolio Mid Cap ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.05%	3.44	7.50	63.70
2	PTMC	Pacer Trendpilot 450 ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.60%	3.24	6.95	61.30
3	REGL	ProShares S&P MidCap 400 Dividend Aristocrats ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.40%	4.30	6.47	60.30
4	NUMG	NuShares ESG Mid-Cap Growth ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.40%	3.77	6.78	59.30
5	DON	WisdomTree MidCap Dividend Fund	Mid Cap	North America	0.38%	5.05	5.98	56.90
1	SPSM	SPDR Portfolio Small Cap ETF	Small Cap	North America	0.05%	3.07	7.68	64.60
2	HAO	Guggenheim China Small Cap ETF	Small Cap	Asia-Pacific	0.75%	5.98	7.55	60.70
3	SMLF	iShares Edge MSCI Multifactor USA Small-Cap ETF	Small Cap	North America	0.30%	4.96	6.81	60.30
4	JPSE	JPMorgan Diversified Return U.S. Small Cap Equity ETF	Small Cap	North America	0.29%	2.59	6.91	60.30
5	DESC	Deutsche X-trackers Russell 2000 Comprehensive Factor ETF	Small Cap	North America	0.30%	3.60	7.14	59.80
1	PZI	Powershares Zacks Micro Cap Portfolio	Micro Cap	North America	0.81%	4.97	6.85	58.40
2	FDM	First Trust Dow Jones Select Microcap Index Fund	Micro Cap	North America	0.60%	5.07	5.54	51.90
3	IWC	iShares Micro-Cap ETF	Micro Cap	North America	0.60%	5.26	4.90	49.10
4	WMCR	Wilshire Micro-Cap ETF	Micro Cap	North America	0.59%	5.76	4.88	47.00

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