# **Weekly ETP Equity Select List**

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# **Equity ETF Select List - Sectors**



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Ticker	Name	Focus	Region	TER	Risk*	Reward*	Quant*
1 XME	SPDR S&P Metals and Mining ETF	Basic Materials	North America	0.35%	5.49	7.67	66.00
2 GDX	Market Vectors TR Gold Miners ETF	Basic Materials	Global	0.53%	5.59	7.48	63.60
3 GDXJ	Market Vectors Junior Gold Miners ETF	Basic Materials	Global	0.56%	7.21	7.08	62.30
4 FMAT	Fidelity MSCI Materials Index ETF	Basic Materials	North America	0.12%	2.48	7.27	61.40
5 IYM	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Basic Materials Index ETF	Basic Materials	North America	0.45%	4.23	6.38	58.60
1 INCO	EGShares India Consumer ETF	Consumer Discretionary	Asia-Pacific	0.89%	6.39	6.69	55.20
2 FDIS	Fidelity MSCI Consumer Discretionary ETF	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.12%	2.02	6.45	55.10
3 ITB	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Home Construction Index Fund ETF	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.45%	3.27	5.68	54.60
4 PEJ	PowerShares Dynamic Leisure & Entertainment Portfolio ETF	Consumer Discretionary	North America	0.63%	3.87	5.85	53.80
5 CHIQ	Global X China Consumer ETF	Consumer Discretionary	Asia-Pacific	0.65%	4.66	6.49	53.60
1 FSTA	Fidelity MSCI Consumer Staples Index ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.12%	1.22	6.63	59.70
2 PSCC	PowerShares S&P SmallCap Consumer Staples Portfolio ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.29%	2.43	6.34	59.50
3 PBJ	PowerShares Dynamic Food & Beverage ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.63%	2.58	5.63	56.10
4 IYK	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Consumer Goods Index Fund ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.45%	2.80	5.81	55.90
5 XLP	SPDR Consumer Staples Select Sector Fund ETF	Consumer Staples	North America	0.15%	1.58	5.05	54.20
1 OIH	Market Vectors Oil Services ETF	Energy	Global	0.35%	5.53	10.00	77.30
2 XOP	SPDR S&P Oil & Gas Exploration & Production ETF	Energy	North America	0.35%	5.71	8.85	74.30
3 PSCE	PowerShares S&P SmallCap Energy Portfolio ETF	Energy	North America	0.29%	5.57	8.99	72.90
4 PXJ	PowerShares Dynamic Oil Services ETF	Energy	North America	0.62%	5.77	8.07	68.50
5 XES	SPDR S&P Oil & Gas Equipment & Services ETF	Energy	North America	0.35%	5.89	7.89	67.90
1 PEX	ProShares Global Listed Private Eq ETF	Financials	Global	3.13%	6.13	7.33	59.90
2 KBWR	PowerShares KBW Regional Banking Portfolio ETF	Financials	North America	0.35%	4.50	6.58	57.90
3 QABA	First Trust NASDAQ(R) ABA(R) Community Bank Index Fund ETF	Financials	North America	0.60%	3.84	6.42	56.00
4 XLF	SPDR Financial Select Sector Fund ETF	Financials	North America	0.15%	1.75	5.54	53.50
5 IYG	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Financial Services Index Fund ETF	Financials	North America	0.45%	4.33	5.73	53.10
1 XBI	SPDR S&P Biotech ETF	Health Care	North America	0.35%	5.12	7.80	65.40
2 PJP	PowerShares Dynamic Pharmaceuticals ETF	Health Care	North America	0.63%	3.93	6.50	59.20
3 IHI	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Medical Devices Index Fund ETF	Health Care	North America	0.45%	3.25	6.44	57.60
4 FHLC	Fidelity MSCI Health Care Index ETF	Health Care	North America	0.12%	1.70	6.39	56.10
5 FBT	First Trust Amex Biotech Index Fund ETF	Health Care	North America	0.60%	4.99	5.55	54.50
1 XLI	SPDR Industrial Select Sector Fund ETF	Industrials	North America	0.15%	2.25	6.93	63.80
2 FIDU	Fidelity MSCI Industrials Index ETF	Industrials	North America	0.12%	1.82	7.18	62.70
3 ITA	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Aerospace & Defense Index Fund ETF	Industrials	North America	0.44%	3.52	6.04	59.10
4 RGI	Guggenheim S&P Equal Weight Industrials ETF	Industrials	North America	0.40%	4.48	5.88	58.20
5 PSCI	PowerShares S&P SmallCap Industrials Portfolio ETF	Industrials	North America	0.29%	2.99	5.67	56.40
1 IGE	iShares Goldman Sachs Natural Resources Index Fund ETF	Natural Resources	Global	0.48%	4.47	5.72	56.60
2 GNAT	WisdomTree Global Natural Resources Fund ETF	Natural Resources	Global	0.58%	6.42	6.49	56.30
3 GUNR	FlexShares Morningstar Global Upstream Natural Resources Index		Global	0.48%	5.11	5.96	55.40

4	NFRA	FlexShares STOXX Global Broad Infras ETF	Natural Resources	Global	0.47%	3.47	6.40	55.20
5	HAP	Market Vectors Hard Assets Producers ETF	Natural Resources	Global	0.49%	5.45	6.00	55.20
1	soxx	iShares PHLX SOX Semiconductor Sector Index Fund ETF	Technology	North America	0.47%	4.19	8.20	68.50
2	QTEC	First Trust NASDAQ-100-Technology Sector Index Fund ETF	Technology	North America	0.60%	3.98	7.07	63.30
3	MTK	SPDR Morgan Stanley Technology ETF	Technology	North America	0.35%	4.01	6.79	61.70
4	PSJ	PowerShares Dynamic Software ETF	Technology	North America	0.63%	3.80	6.96	61.50
5	FTEC	Fidelity MSCI Information Technology ETF	Technology	North America	0.12%	1.90	7.14	60.90
1	FCOM	Fidelity MSCI Telecom Svcs ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.12%	2.70	5.60	52.90
2	IXP	iShares S&P Global Telecommunications Index Fund ETF	Telecommunications	Global	0.48%	5.02	5.37	51.60
3	vox	Vanguard Telecommunication Services Sector ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.12%	3.74	5.07	51.60
4	IYZ	iShares Dow Jones U.S. Telecommunications Index Fund ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.45%	3.41	3.78	44.90
5	XTL	SPDR S&P Telecom ETF	Telecommunications	North America	0.35%	4.23	3.61	44.60
1	FUTY	Fidelity MSCI Utilities Index ETF	Utilities	North America	0.12%	3.04	6.43	59.10
2	VPU	Vanguard Utilities Sector ETF	Utilities	North America	0.12%	4.34	6.15	58.10
3	UTLT	db X-trackers Regulated Utilities	Utilities	Global	0.45%	5.34	6.13	55.20
4	RYU	Guggenheim S&P Equal Weight Utilities ETF	Utilities	North America	0.40%	4.55	5.00	53.70
5	PUI	PowerShares DWA Utilities Momentum Portfolio ETF	Utilities	North America	0.63%	4.10	5.33	53.30
5	PUI	PowerShares DWA Utilities Momentum Portfolio ETF	Utilities	North America	0.63%	4.10	5.33	53.3



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Ticker		Region	Focus	TER Risk* Reward* Q			Quant*
1 EWY	iShares MSCI South Korea Index Fund ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.61%	3.94	8.14	67.10
2 EWA	iShares MSCI Australia Index Fund ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.51%	3.33	7.48	63.60
3 PGJ	PowerShares Golden Dragon China Portfolio	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.70%	4.92	8.41	63.20
4 DXJ	WisdomTree Japan Total Dividend Fund ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.48%	3.02	7.15	62.20
5 HEWJ	iShares Currency Hedged MSCI Japan ETF	Asia-Pacific	Broad Equity	0.48%	3.65	7.35	61.80
1 IEUS	iShares MSCI Europe Small-Cap ETF	Europe	Small Cap	0.40%	4.69	8.49	66.80
2 EWL	iShares MSCI Switzerland Index Fund ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.51%	2.20	7.69	64.80
3 DBGR	db X-trackers MSCI Germany Hedged Eq ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.45%	3.85	8.02	63.30
4 EWI	iShares MSCI Italy Index Fund ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.50%	4.71	7.54	63.20
5 HEWG	iShares Currency Hedged MSCI Germany ETF	Europe	Broad Equity	0.53%	3.68	7.33	61.20
1 OIH	Market Vectors Oil Services ETF	Global	Energy	0.35%	5.53	10.00	77.30
2 GDX	Market Vectors TR Gold Miners ETF	Global	Basic Materials	0.53%	5.59	7.48	63.60
3 FRAK	Market Vectors Unconventl Oil & Difference   Construction   Constr	Global	Energy	0.54%	5.55	7.07	62.70
4 GDXJ	Market Vectors Junior Gold Miners ETF	Global	Basic Materials	0.56%	7.21	7.08	62.30
5 IOIL	IndexIQ Global Oil Small Cap ETF	Global	Energy	0.76%	6.49	7.55	61.90
1 FNDC	Schwab Fundamental International Small Cap Company Index ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Small Cap	0.46%	2.94	7.77	64.60
2 FNDF	Schwab Fundamental International Large Company Index ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Large Cap	0.32%	2.75	7.67	63.80
3 FWDI	AdvisorShares Madrona Forward International ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Large Cap	1.25%	6.98	8.11	62.40
4 HEFA	iShares Currency Hedged MSCI EAFE ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Broad Equity	0.39%	2.43	6.67	58.60
5 IDOG	ALPS International Sector Div Dogs ETF	Global Ex-U.S.	Large Cap	0.50%	4.00	6.20	57.50
1 GXG	Global X FTSE Colombia 20 ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.61%	6.09	8.14	62.60
2 DBMX	db X-trackers MSCI Mexico Hedged Eq ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.50%	7.15	7.54	56.30
3 ILF	iShares Latin America 40 Index Fund ETF	Latin America	Large Cap	0.49%	6.23	6.13	55.70
4 BRF	Market Vectors Brazil Small-Cap ETF	Latin America	Small Cap	0.59%	7.52	6.35	55.20
5 AND	Global X FTSE Andean 40 ETF	Latin America	Broad Equity	0.72%	6.00	6.40	54.90
1 ISRA	Market Vectors Israel ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.59%	3.18	6.49	54.80
2 AFK	Market Vectors-Africa Index ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.78%	6.70	6.26	52.70
3 GAF	SPDR S&P Emerging Middle East & Africa ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.49%	6.27	6.34	52.60
4 EZA	iShares MSCI South Africa Index Fund ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.61%	5.87	5.37	51.00
5 NGE	Global X Nigeria Index ETF	Middle East & Africa	Broad Equity	0.68%	7.06	6.04	49.60
1 XOP	SPDR S&P Oil & Gas Exploration & Production ETF	North America	Energy	0.35%	5.71	8.85	74.30
2 PSCE	PowerShares S&P SmallCap Energy Portfolio ETF	North America	Energy	0.29%	5.57	8.99	72.90
3 SOXX	iShares PHLX SOX Semiconductor Sector Index Fund ETF	North America	Technology	0.47%	4.19	8.20	68.50
4 PXJ	PowerShares Dynamic Oil Services ETF	North America	Energy	0.62%	5.77	8.07	68.50
5 XES	SPDR S&P Oil & Gas Equipment & Services ETF	North America	Energy	0.35%	5.89	7.89	67.90
1 FEMS	First Trust Emerging Markets SC AlphaDEX ETF	Emerging Markets	Small Cap	0.80%	6.03	8.58	65.40
2 ADRE	PowerShares BLDRS Emerging Markets 50 ADR Index Fund ETF	Emerging Markets	Large Cap	0.30%	5.43	7.75	63.60
3 EEB	Guggenheim BRIC ETF	Emerging Markets	Broad Equity	0.64%	6.71	8.20	61.00

Γ	4	EEM	iShares MSCI Emerging Index Fund ETF	Emerging Markets	Broad Equity	0.67%	4.86	7.03	60.80
	5	PXR	PowerShares Global Emerging Markets Infrastructure Portfolio ETF	Emerging Markets	Theme	0.76%	6.83	7.21	59.40
r	1	PID	PowerShares Intl Dividend Achievers ETF	Developed Markets	High Dividend Yield	0.54%	3.07	6.62	58.60
Г	2	IPK	SPDR S&P International Technology Sector ETF	Developed Markets	Technology	0.40%	3.16	6.37	56.00
	3	IDHB	PowerShares S&P Intl Dev High Beta ETF	Developed Markets	Broad Equity	0.25%	5.89	6.04	55.20
Γ	4	DLS	WisdomTree International SmallCap Fund ETF	Developed Markets	Small Cap	0.58%	5.01	5.89	55.20
ſ	5	EFA	iShares MSCI EAFE Index Fund ETF	Developed Markets	Broad Equity	0.33%	4.04	5.45	53.90



### **Equity ETF Select List - Strategies**



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	Ticker	Name	Focus	Region	TER	Risk*	Reward*	Quant*
1	FVL	First Trust Value Line 100 Fund ETF	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.70%	3.75	6.85	60.10
2	WMW	ELEMENTS Linked to the Morningstar Wide Moat FocusSM Total Retur	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.75%	4.22	7.10	58.20
3	EPRO	AdvisorShares EquityPro ETF	Alpha-Seeking	Global	1.48%	5.39	7.12	57.80
4	SYLD	Cambria Shareholder Yield ETF	Alpha-Seeking	Global	0.59%	3.43	6.76	57.10
5	DWAQ	PowerShares DWA NASDAQ Momentum Portfolio	Alpha-Seeking	North America	0.61%	6.68	6.39	56.50
1	EWY	iShares MSCI South Korea Index Fund ETF	Broad Equity	Asia-Pacific	0.61%	3.94	8.14	67.10
		iShares MSCI USA Quality Factor ETF	Broad Equity	North America	0.15%	2.23	7.88	65.50
		iShares MSCI Switzerland Index Fund ETF	Broad Equity	Europe	0.51%	2.20	7.69	64.80
		iShares MSCI Australia Index Fund ETF	Broad Equity	Asia-Pacific	0.51%	3.33	7.48	63.60
5	DBGR	db X-trackers MSCI Germany Hedged Eq ETF	Broad Equity	Europe	0.45%	3.85	8.02	63.30
1	IQDY	FlexShares International Qual Div Dyn ETF	High Dividend Yield	North America	0.47%	3.91	7.27	60.70
2	RDVY	First Trust NASDAQ Rising Div Achiev ETF	High Dividend Yield	North America	0.50%	3.24	6.76	60.50
3	DGRW	WisdomTree US Dividend Growth	High Dividend Yield	North America	0.28%	1.67	6.64	59.20
		WisdomTree Emerging Markets High-Yielding Fund ETF	High Dividend Yield	Emerging Markets	0.63%	6.20	7.31	58.90
5	PID	PowerShares Intl Dividend Achievers ETF	High Dividend Yield	Developed Markets	0.54%	3.07	6.62	58.60
1	MNA	IndexIQ ARB Merger Arbitrage ETF	Long/Short	Global	0.75%	2.28	6.26	54.60
2		Credit Suisse Long Short Equity ETN	Long/Short	Global	0.45%	4.77	6.36	54.60
3	CSMA	Credit Suisse Merger Arbitrage ETN	Long/Short	Developed Markets	0.55%	7.02	5.98	51.90
4	AGLS	AdvisorShares Accuvest Mars Hill Global Relative Value ETF	Long/Short	Global	4.29%	6.31	5.17	48.60
5	CHEP	QuantShares U.S. Market Neutral Value Fund ETF	Long/Short	North America	1.49%	7.54	5.34	47.90
1	IPFF	iShares S&P Intl Preferred Stock Index ETF	Preferred Stock	Developed Markets	0.55%	4.81	4.93	49.20
2	PFF	iShares S&P US Preferred Stock Fund ETF	Preferred Stock	North America	0.47%	1.93	4.21	47.30
3	PSK	SPDR Wells Fargo Preferred Stock ETF	Preferred Stock	North America	0.45%	3.36	4.50	46.00
4	PGX	PowerShares Preferred Portfolio ETF	Preferred Stock	North America	0.50%	1.82	3.48	41.90
5	PGF	PowerShares Financial Preferred ETF	Preferred Stock	North America	0.64%	2.39	2.68	37.90
1	PXR	PowerShares Global Emerging Markets Infrastructure Portfolio ETF	Theme	Emerging Markets	0.76%	6.83	7.21	59.40
2	PUW	PowerShares WilderHill Progressive Energy Portfolio ETF	Theme	Global	0.70%	5.46	6.47	59.30
3	NASH	LocalShares Nashville Area ETF	Theme	North America	0.49%	6.41	7.55	58.60
4	IPO	Renaissance IPO ETF	Theme	North America	0.60%	4.58	7.17	58.00
5	ROBO	Robo-Stox Glbl Robotics & Automation ETF	Theme	Global	0.95%	4.87	6.85	56.80
		First Trust Capital Strength ETF	Large Cap	North America	0.65%	3.20	7.71	66.00
2	FNDX	Schwab Fundamental U.S. Large Company Index ETF	Large Cap	North America	0.32%	1.90	7.82	64.60
		Schwab Fundamental International Large Company Index ETF	Large Cap	Global Ex-U.S.	0.32%	2.75	7.67	63.80
		Vanguard S&P 500 ETF	Large Cap	North America	0.05%	2.96	7.39	63.70
5	ADRE	PowerShares BLDRS Emerging Markets 50 ADR Index Fund ETF	Large Cap	Emerging Markets	0.30%	5.43	7.75	63.60
1	RFG	Guggenheim S&P MidCap 400 Pure Growth ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.35%	4.26	7.09	61.80
2		PowerShares Fundamental Pure Mid Growth Portfolio ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.39%	3.92	6.72	59.60
3	IWP	iShares Russell Midcap Growth Index ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.25%	2.89	6.11	57.30

4	PXMC	PowerShares Fundamental Pure Mid Core Portfolio ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.39%	5.57	6.44	57.00
5	IJK	iShares S&P MidCap 400 Growth Index Fund ETF	Mid Cap	North America	0.25%	3.97	6.02	56.90
1	IEUS	iShares MSCI Europe Small-Cap ETF	Small Cap	Europe	0.40%	4.69	8.49	66.80
2	FEMS	First Trust Emerging Markets SC AlphaDEX ETF	Small Cap	Emerging Markets	0.80%	6.03	8.58	65.40
3	FNDC	Schwab Fundamental International Small Cap Company Index ETF	Small Cap	Global Ex-U.S.	0.46%	2.94	7.77	64.60
4	TWOK	SPDR Russell 2000 ETF	Small Cap	North America	0.12%	3.61	7.42	62.70
5	FNDA	Schwab Fundamental U.S. Small Company Index ETF	Small Cap	North America	0.32%	2.46	7.22	62.30
1	PZI	PowerShares Zacks Micro Cap ETF	Micro Cap	North America	0.93%	3.62	6.12	56.10
2	FDM	First Trust DJ Select MicroCap ETF	Micro Cap	North America	0.60%	3.47	5.92	55.30
3	WMCR	Guggenheim Wilshire Micro-Cap ETF	Micro Cap	North America	0.50%	3.31	4.90	49.50
4	IWC	iShares Russell Microcap Index Fund ETF	Micro Cap	North America	0.60%	3.91	4.41	48.20



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