

# BlueBox Funds- BlueBox Global Technology Fund

## Direct Connection

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### Investment Theme—Direct Connection

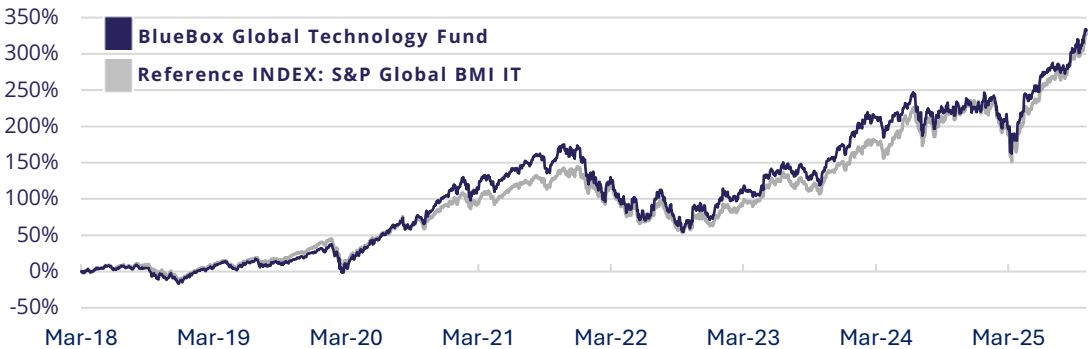
The Direct Connection of computers to the real world has enabled the technology revolution of the past 15 years, driving an acceleration in tech adoption simultaneously across all industry verticals. With every other industry investing its excess returns in technology, we expect the IT sector to continue 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 Oct. 2025	1 month	3 months	YTD	3 yr Ann	5 yr Ann	ITD Ann
BlueBox Global Technology Fund	6.9%	13.8%	35.6%	36.9%	21.3%	21.3%
S&P Global BMI IT NTR Index	7.1%	16.1%	31.2%	36.6%	21.9%	21.0%

12M Rolling Performance to 31 October	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
BlueBox Global Technology Fund	37.7%	40.5%	32.6%	-34.0%	54.9%	44.6%	22.2%
S&P Global BMI IT NTR Index	38.1%	46.8%	25.7%	-27.5%	45.5%	31.2%	21.8%

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 31/10/2025. 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.

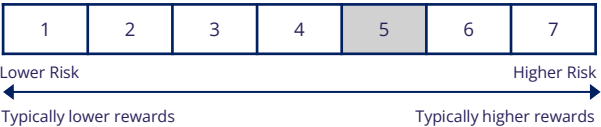
Equity Risk: The risk that investments depreciate because of stock market dynamics.

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.



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'.

### 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.

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### Willam de Gale’s Monthly Comment

October was another strong month for the Technology sector: as September quarter reports started to come in, there was absolutely no sign of any slowdown in AI spending ... yet. The BlueBox Technology Fund rose 6.9% on the month, slightly behind our benchmark, and ended October up 35.6% year-to-date, comfortably ahead.

The fund’s leading positive contributors were all semiconductor names, clear beneficiaries of the vast investment in computing capacity globally: Advanced Micro Devices (+58%), Tokyo Electron (+24%), ARM Holdings (+20%) and Lam Research (+18%). In contrast, the laggards were a much more mixed bunch. At the beginning of the month we bought an initial small position in Sea Ltd, a company with strong growth but largely independent of the AI story – it promptly demonstrated this by going down 15% in the rising, AI-driven market! Texas Instruments (-11%), Synopsys (-8%) and Booking Holdings (-6%) all reported disappointing quarterly results.

Investment in AI continues to get ever bigger, making yet more money for our technology enablers, but is the spending sustainable? This is clearly investors’ biggest concern at present, but the fact that the risk of an AI Bubble is the subject of so many mainstream media articles, as well as most of our investors’ questions, is to an extent reassuring – society is not yet “all in” on AI. Naturally we are having constant discussions with other market participants and observers, and reading their notes, as we attempt to work out whether current spending is sustainable. Two comments have recently caught my fancy as useful descriptions of the current situation.

Harvard’s Andy Wu describes the essential problem as being that AI has low marginal revenue, but very high marginal cost. This is the reverse of 2010s internet disruption, when each new user brought in additional revenue (typically through advertising), while the cost of delivery to that new user was virtually zero. This model rewarded explosive growth, in order to achieve break-even and then profitability. For GenAI, the cost of delivering an incremental result is high (apparently as much as a dollar or so for video), while revenue per user is generally a fixed monthly fee – and most users don’t even pay that – so revenue doesn’t automatically increase with usage

and costs. Without getting more users to pay more fees, growth in usage is just a faster way to bankruptcy.

Taking this a stage further, Richard Kramer of Arete, a long-time friend of BlueBox, suggests that OpenAI is the black hole at the centre of the AI industry, and this rings very true. Judged from numbers reported by Microsoft, now a 27% owner of OpenAI, the latter lost something like \$15 billion in the September quarter, an almost inconceivable amount of money, because it is growing a business with low marginal revenue and high marginal cost very fast indeed, and thus needs to suck in huge amounts of funding, while endeavouring to achieve artificial general intelligence, in the hope that this will accelerate revenue growth faster than costs. Can the AI industry keep spinning around its central, super-massive black hole until OpenAI develops AGI and reverses its gravity, or is the entire Technology sector in danger of being sucked in?

Microsoft’s unusual lack of transparency in discussing that OpenAI quarterly loss with analysts, and its attempt to distract investors by highlighting proforma results excluding the loss, suggest that the company is both embarrassed and worried by it, and that in turn concerns us. While it looks as though spending still has a long way to go, we are nevertheless just starting to hedge our bets on AI, favouring businesses such as Sea Ltd that are strong, but largely independent of the AI story.

And that is the key thing to remember: most of the Technology industry is not driven by GenAI. Those other areas are currently out of the limelight, and in many cases being starved of resources to feed the insatiable AI beast, but 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.

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Morningstar Overall Rating™

Among 1,366 Technology Equity funds. The Fund's risk adjusted returns based on Class S USD Accumulating had 4 stars for 3 years and 4 stars for 5 years of 1,366 and 888 Technology Equity Funds, respectively, for the period ended 30/09/2025.

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Morningstar Sustainability Rating™

The BlueBox Global Technology Fund is rated out of 1'366 Technology Equity funds as of 31/08/2025. Based on 100% of eligible corporate AUM. Data is based on long positions only.

CITYWIRE

BRONZE

Rating as of 30/09/2025

Assets Under Management	
Firm:	3,029 m
Strategy:	2,987 m
Fund:	2,163 m
Fund Characteristics	
Number of holdings	34
Weighted average market cap	716 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	
Microsoft	5.5%	United States of America	70.2%	Mega cap (>\$500bn)	18.5%	Semiconductors & semi equipment	41.2%
Arista Networks	4.2%	Netherlands	6.3%	Large cap – upper (\$250bn - \$500bn)	9.4%	Software & services	31.9%
Nvidia	4.2%	Japan	5.5%	Large cap – mid (\$100bn - \$250bn)	46.3%	Hardware & components	13.2%
Applied Materials	4.1%	Taiwan	4.1%	Large cap – lower (\$10bn - \$100bn)	24.2%	Consumer discretionary	8.5%
Taiwan Semiconductor	4.1%	Argentina	4.0%	Mid cap (\$1bn - \$10bn)	0.0%	Communication services	3.6%
ASML Holding	4.0%	Spain	2.4%	Small cap (<\$1bn)	0.0%	Cash & equivalents	1.6%
MercadoLibre	4.0%	Ireland	2.3%	Cash & equivalents	1.6%		
Intuit	3.9%	United Kingdom	2.1%				
Salesforce	3.8%	Singapore	1.5%				
Lam Research	3.6%	Cash & equivalents	1.6%				
Total	41.4%						

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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			
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			
USD	LU2497703376	USD	LU2092176275
EUR	LU2497703533	EUR	LU2092176515
CHF	LU2497703616	CHF	LU2092176606

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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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