



# ARKX

## ARK SPACE & DEFENCE INNOVATION UCITS ETF



### FUND DESCRIPTION

The ARK Space & Defence Innovation UCITS ETF seeks to invest in companies driving next-generation defence capabilities and space infrastructure. These are companies that are expected to focus on and benefit from the development of new products or services, technological improvements and advancements in scientific research related to, among other things, autonomous mobility, intelligent devices, advanced battery technologies, 3D printing, reusable rockets, adaptive robotics and neural networks.

### WHY INVEST IN ARKX?



**Exposure to Innovation:** Aims for thematic exposure to defence and space exploration, including autonomous systems, hypersonics, A.I., orbital and sub-orbital aerospace.



**Growth Potential:** Aims to capture long-term growth with low correlation to relative returns to traditional growth strategies and negative correlation to value strategies.



**Tool for Diversification:** Offers a tool for diversification due to little overlap with traditional indices or traditional defence exposures. It can be a complement to traditional value/growth strategies.



**Grounded in Research:** Combines top-down and bottom-up research in its portfolio management to identify innovative companies transforming the landscape of defence and creating new frontiers in space.



**Cost Effective:** Provides a lower cost alternative to mutual funds with true active management in an Exchange Traded Fund (ETF) that invests in rapidly moving themes.

### FUND DETAILS

As of 31 March, 2026

ETF	<b>ARK Space &amp; Defence Innovation UCITS ETF</b>
Type	<b>Active Equity ETF</b>
ISIN	<b>IE000AON7ET1</b>
Fund Size (AUM)	<b>\$18.4 Million</b>
TER	<b>0.75%</b>
Inception Date	<b>23 October 2025</b>
SFDR Classification	<b>Article 8</b>
Holdings	<b>28</b>
Base Currency	<b>USD</b>
Income Treatment	<b>Accumulating</b>
Exposure	<b>Global Equities</b>
Domicile	<b>Ireland</b>
UCITS	<b>Yes</b>
Portfolio Manager	<b>Catherine D. Wood</b>
Associate Portfolio Managers	<b>Dan White, Nicholas Grous</b>
Issuer	<b>ARK Invest UCITS ICAV</b>
Promoter	<b>ARK Invest International Ltd</b>
Manager	<b>IQ EQ Fund Management (Ireland) Ltd</b>
Investment Manager	<b>ARK Investment Management LLC</b>
Depository / Custodian	<b>Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Ltd</b>
ISA Eligible (UK)	<b>Yes</b>
SIPP Eligible (UK)	<b>Yes</b>
Reporting Fund Status (UK)	<b>Yes</b>
Equity Fund (DE)	<b>Yes</b>

### SUSTAINABILITY PROFILE

As of 31 March, 2026

MSCI ESG Rating **Pending**

In its "bottom up" investment approach, the Investment Manager evaluates environmental, social and governance ("ESG") considerations.

The following ESG considerations are integrated into the "bottom up" approach:

- Business Involvement Screens (Controversial Weapons, Thermal Coal, Oil & Gas, Gambling, Adult Entertainment, Tobacco, Alcohol)
- Violations of International Norms and Standards
- Controversies
- Poor Governance

The Fund is also supported by the Investment Manager's Engagement and Voting programmes.

### TECHNOLOGY BREAKDOWN

As of 31 March, 2026

Autonomous Mobility	<b>29.9%</b>
Neural Networks	<b>17.8%</b>
3D Printing (deprecated)	<b>11.8%</b>
Advanced Battery Technology	<b>9.2%</b>
Digital Wallets	<b>8.0%</b>
Intelligent Devices	<b>7.2%</b>
Precision Therapies	<b>7.0%</b>
Programmable Biology	<b>6.9%</b>
Next Gen Cloud	<b>0.9%</b>
Cryptocurrency Economy Pioneers	<b>0.6%</b>
Multiomic Technologies	<b>0.5%</b>

### TRADING INFORMATION

Exchange	Currency	Listing Date	SEDOL	Bloomberg Ticker	RIC
Borsa Italiana	EUR	01 December 2025	BS4BHY7	ARKX IM	ARKX.MI
Deutsche Börse Xetra	EUR	29 October 2025	BS4BHX6	ARXX GY	ARXX.DE
London Stock Exchange	USD	04 November 2025	BS4BHZ8	ARKX LN	ARKX.L
London Stock Exchange	GBP	04 November 2025	BS4BJ07	ARCX LN	ARCX.L
SIX Swiss Exchange	CHF	Pending	BS4BJ18	ARKX SE	ARKX.S

### TOP 10 HOLDINGS

L3Harris Technologies Inc	9.7%
Teradyne Inc	7.8%
Kratos Defense & Sec Solutions Inc	6.4%
Rocket Lab Corp	6.1%
Aerovironment Inc	4.8%
Deere & Co	4.6%
Advanced Micro Devices Inc	4.6%
Trimble Inc	4.3%
Amazon Com Inc	4.1%
Iridium Communications Inc	4.1%
	56.5%

### REGISTRATIONS

Austria	Ireland	Portugal
Denmark	Italy	Spain
France	Luxembourg	Sweden
Finland	Netherlands	Switzerland
Germany	Norway	United Kingdom

### RESEARCH TEAM

Our research process is centered on utilising first principles research on disruptive technologies to inform our stock selection. Our collaboration with industry leaders through our open source research ecosystem helps us stay on the cutting edge of innovation. Our research team consists of individuals with deep domain expertise that are dedicated to specific technology areas. Stocks are analysed through these lenses of technology to inform our investment theses. Innovation Research Team: Brett Winton (Chief Futurist), Dr. Charles Roberts (Chief Investment Strategist), and broad collaboration across the research team.

### TOP 10 COUNTRIES

Total may not sum to 100% due to rounding

China	1.5%
France	4.0%
Japan	3.9%
Switzerland	2.2%
Taiwan	2.2%
United States	85.9%
	99.7%

### MARKET CAPITALISATION

Mega (\$100B+)	31.0%
Large (\$10 - \$100B)	51.1%
Medium (\$2 - \$10B)	17.9%
Small (\$300M - \$2B)	0.0%
Micro (\$50 - \$300M)	0.0%

### INVESTMENT TEAM

ARK Investment Management LLC is the investment manager for the ARK Innovation UCITS ETF and is responsible for the day-to-day investment management decisions. The team is highly experienced in all aspects relating to the management of a fund portfolio, including the execution of equities, foreign exchange and cash management. The firm's investment process begins with top-down research to identify truly disruptive innovation and sizing the opportunity. This is followed by meticulous bottom-up research and analysis, leading to the selection of portfolio companies. ARK emphasises sizing the opportunity, stock selection, valuation and risk management, ensuring a dynamic approach to capturing technologically-enabled growth whilst navigating market volatility.

## RISK FACTORS

- All financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it will vary and your initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed.
- The Fund is subject to the risks associated with technology-focused companies including the risk of: (1) failure of new technologies and solutions to replace existing ones or to be approved by governments/regulators or to achieve their aim; (2) the failure of individual companies to successfully capitalise on such new technologies and reach profitability; (3) competition, including rapid developments in competitive technologies (which may leave a company's products out-of-date); (4) government intervention or excessive regulation; and (5) legal attacks from competitors.
- Other risks: (1) The Fund also invests in small publicly traded companies which may be less mature and more vulnerable to adverse business or economic events and greater share price changes than larger companies, the wider technology sector or stock market. (2) The Fund invests in global equity securities and there is a risk of loss arising from exchange rate fluctuations or exchange control regulations. (3) The ICAV's depository or other service providers may go bankrupt and fail to return money or property belonging to the Fund. (4) It may not always be possible to buy and sell the Fund's shares on a stock exchange or at prices closely reflecting the Fund's Net Asset Value. (5) There is no capital guarantee or protection on the value of the Fund and investors can lose all the capital invested in the Fund.

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