ARKX

ARK Space & Defence Innovation UCITS ETF

ARK INVEST

FUND DESCRIPTION

The ARK Space & Defence Innovation UCITS ETF ("ARKX") 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, AI, 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 30 September, 2026

ETF	**ARK Space & Defence Innovation UCITS ETF**
Type	**Active Equity ETF**
ISIN	**IE000AON7ET1**
Fund Size (AUM)	**$47.40m**
TER	**0.75%**
Inception Date	**23 Oct 2025**
SFDR Classification	**Article 8**
Holdings	**30**
Base Currency	**USD**
Income Treatment	**Accumulating**
Exposure	**Global Equities**
Domicile	**Ireland**
UCITS	**Yes**
Issuer	**ARK Invest UCITS ICAV**
Promoter	**ARK Invest International Ltd**
Manager	**IQ EQ Fund Management (Ireland) Limited**
Investment Manager	**ARK Investment Management LLC**
Depositary / Custodian	**Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Limited**
ISA Eligible (UK)	**Yes**
SIPP Eligible (UK)	**Yes**
Reporting Fund Status (UK)	**Yes**
Equity Fund (DE)	**Yes**
Portfolio Manager	**Catherine D. Wood**
Associate Portfolio Managers	**Dan White, Nicholas Grous**

SUSTAINABILITY PROFILE

As of 30 September, 2026

MSCI ESG Rating	**Pending**

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

The "top down" approach explicitly selects for technologies that the Investment Manager anticipates will have high degrees of impact on the UN SDGs. For a company to be eligible for selection, it must be involved in a technology platform that makes a "meaningful" contribution to at least two UN SDGs, as determined by the Investment Manager.

The following ESG considerations are also 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.

INVESTMENT FOCUS

As of 30 September, 2026

Autonomous Mobility	**31.0%**
Reusable Rockets	**20.1%**
Next Gen Cloud	**13.3%**
Intelligent Devices	**12.9%**
Neural Networks	**10.4%**
Advanced Battery Technology	**6.2%**
Specialised Robots	**4.2%**
Digital Wallets	**0.9%**
Cryptocurrencies Economy Pioneers	**0.6%**
Humanoid Robots	**0.4%**
Total	**100.0%**

Total may not sum to 100% due to rounding

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Information as of 30 September, 2026

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TRADING INFORMATION

Exchange	Currency	Listing Date	SEDOL	Bloomberg Ticker	RIC
Borsa Italiana	EUR	1 December 2025	BS4BHY7	ARKX IM	ARKX.MI
Deutsche Börse Xetra	EUR	29 October 2025	BS4BHX6	ARXX GY	ARXX.DE
London Stock Exchange	USD	4 November 2025	BS4BHZ8	ARKX LN	ARKX.L
London Stock Exchange	GBP	4 November 2025	BS4BJ07	ARCX LN	ARCX.L
SIX Swiss Exchange	CHF	9 December 2025	BS4BJ18	ARKX SE	ARKX.S

TOP 10 HOLDINGS

SPACE EXPL TECHNOLOGIES CORP	**9.9%**
ADVANCED MICRO DEVICES INC	**7.0%**
NVIDIA CORP	**5.9%**
ROCKET LAB CORP	**5.8%**
L3HARRIS TECHNOLOGIES INC	**5.7%**
KRATOS DEFENSE & SEC SOLUTIONS INC	**5.2%**
AMAZON COM INC	**4.8%**
TERADYNE INC	**4.6%**
ALPHABET INC	**4.3%**
KOMATSU	**4.2%**
	57.4%

TOP 10 COUNTRIES

United States	**86.3%**
Japan	**4.2%**
Taiwan	**2.8%**
France	**2.3%**
Switzerland	**1.9%**
Netherlands	**1.1%**
China	**1.0%**
Total	**99.6%**

Total may not sum to 100% due to rounding

REGISTRATIONS

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

MARKET CAPITALISATION

Mega ($100B+)	**46.2%**
Large ($10 - $100B)	**34.4%**
Medium ($2 - $10B)	**19.0%**
Small ($300M - $2B)	**0.0%**
Micro ($50 - $300M)	**0.0%**
Total	**99.6%**

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RESEARCH TEAM

Our research process is centred 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 who are dedicated to specific technology areas. Stocks are analysed through these technological lenses 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.

INVESTMENT TEAM

ARK Investment Management LLC is the investment manager for the ARK Space & Defence 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 size 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.
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