

BNY Mellon Global Infrastructure Income ETF (BKGI)

# BUILT FOR RESILIENCE

Investors are currently facing a complex macro environment. Inflation, while trending down, remains sticky in key sectors. Tariff volatility, along with the move towards protectionism and the reconfiguration of global supply chains, add to the challenging landscape. We believe these headwinds highlight the need for investors to build an active, resilient and forward-looking portfolio. In our view, adding global infrastructure, and BKGI in particular, with its defensive qualities can help withstand external shocks and be part of a balanced portfolio.

## INFRASTRUCTURE

Navigating today's challenges

CHALLENGE	GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE'S DEFENSIVE QUALITIES
Inflation	Long-term contracts with inflation-link may hedge against rising prices
Tariffs	Companies tend to derive their revenues domestically
Market Volatility	Assets typically are essential services with predictable revenues and stable cash flows

## BKGI

An active long-term ETF positioned for steady growth

FOCUS	BNY MELLON GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE INCOME ETF (BKGI)
Income	Dual mandate to provide long-term total return and targeted yield
Diversification	Low correlation to traditional asset classes
Competitive Advantage	Traditional and non-traditional assets offer a broad and global opportunity set

# A PORTFOLIO THAT SEEKS TO OFFER RESILIENCE AND DIVERSIFICATION

## Income: Potentially steady income

Global infrastructure assets generally have stable, long-term revenue streams that make them less susceptible to market volatility, providing investors with a potential source of predictable income even during economic downturns.

**6%+**  
BKGI TARGETED YIELD<sup>1</sup>

## Diversification: A tried-and-true strategy to spread out portfolio risks

Global infrastructure tends to have a low correlation with traditional asset classes, offering a valuable source of diversification.

### BKGI'S LOWER CORRELATION PROFILE MAY IMPROVE RISK-ADJUSTED RETURNS

	U.S. Equities	International Equities	U.S. Real Estate	Intermediate Fixed Income	Global Fixed Income
BNY Mellon Global Infrastructure Income ETF	0.53	0.79	0.73	0.65	0.62

Source: Morningstar, since inception of BKGI (12/1/22) ending 9/30/25. U.S. Equities represented by the S&P 500 Index, International Equities represented by the MSCI EAFE Index, U.S. Real Estate represented by the S&P 500 Real Estate Index, Intermediate Fixed Income represented by the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index, and Global Fixed Income represented by the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index.

## Competitive advantages: Different sectors and economies offer different growth drivers

BKGI's worldwide reach provides investors the ability to tap into a wider range of infrastructure assets in both traditional and non-traditional securities. Investing across different sectors, as well as regions and countries, can enhance the potential for capital appreciation and steady income while differentiating BKGI from other infrastructure products. BKGI takes a nimble and active approach, investing where it finds the most compelling infrastructure opportunities.

### Traditional opportunity set<sup>2</sup>



### Nontraditional opportunity set



“Traditional” infrastructure is primarily economic-related.

“Nontraditional” infrastructure includes wider socioeconomic and environmental needs and benefits.

<sup>1</sup> The fund targets, but does not guarantee, an annualized gross forward-looking 12-month yield of 6% or more for its portfolio (the “targeted yield”). Targeted yield represents the forward-looking yield of the fund’s portfolio securities in the aggregate over the next 12 months, calculated before fund fees, expenses, and taxes, and does not represent the amount of distribution payable to fund shareholders. The targeted yield is based on the dividend yield of the securities in the portfolio. <sup>2</sup> Based on the S&P Global Infrastructure Index.

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BKGI'S ACTIVE APPROACH ALLOWS FOR VARIATION BASED ON WHERE THEY FIND THE MOST ATTRACTIVE OPPORTUNITIES

	U.S.	Europe ex-U.K.	U.K.	Canada	Japan	Asia Pacific ex-Japan	Emerging Markets
BKGI	43%	42%	7%	5%	0%	0%	2%
S&P Global Infrastructure Index	41%	22%	2%	8%	1%	15%	10%

Source: Newton, as of 9/30/25. Portfolio composition is subject to change at any time.

## POSITIONED FOR TOMORROW'S GROWTH

### Investing in long-term structural themes

BKGI participates in multiple long-term growth trends that they believe will reshape the global economy over the coming years. Advancements in artificial intelligence (AI), deglobalization and the need to upgrade aging infrastructure, for example, will likely provide a tailwind to global infrastructure assets.

#### DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE

**\$6.7 TRILLION**

Global investments in data centers needed to meet demand by 2030<sup>3</sup>

Capitalizing on AI growth and the increasing demand for connectivity and power consumption.

#### ELECTRIFICATION

**\$209 BILLION**

Global electrification market by 2034<sup>4</sup>

Investing in the modernization of power grids to support the shift towards renewable energy and energy storage solutions.

#### DEGLOBALIZATION

**\$2.1 TRILLION**

Global transport infrastructure investments needed by 2030<sup>5</sup>

Protectionism and reshoring initiatives are accelerating investments in local infrastructure, including transportation upgrades.

### About Newton Investment Management

Newton is a multi-strategy, active manager within BNY Investments.

<sup>3</sup> McKinsey & Company, Data center demands, May 2025. <sup>4</sup> Precedence Research, CSE Global, May 2025. <sup>5</sup> Global Infrastructure Outlook, a G20 Initiative, transport infrastructure includes airport, ports, rail and road sector data.

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