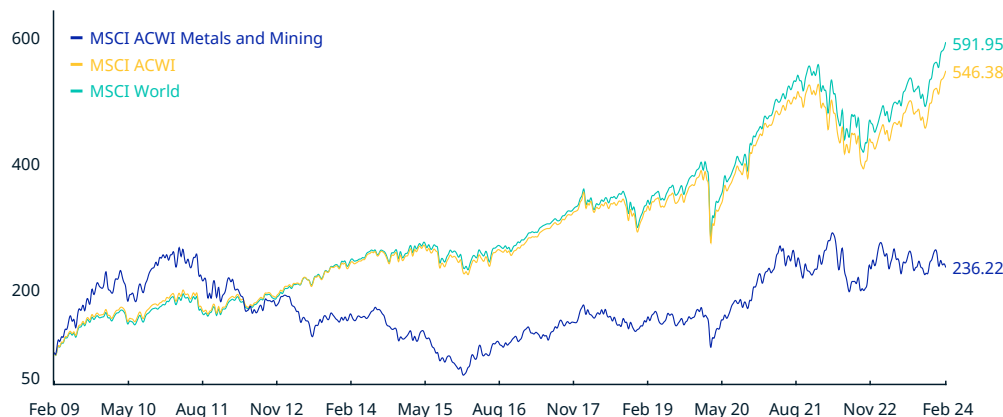


MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining Index (USD)

The MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining Index is composed of large and mid cap stocks across 23 Developed Markets (DM) countries* and 24 Emerging Markets (EM) countries. All securities in the index are classified in the Metals & Mining industry (within the Materials sector) according to the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®).

For a complete description of the index methodology, please see [Index methodology - MSCI](#).

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (FEB 2009 – FEB 2024)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining	MSCI ACWI	MSCI World
2023	8.96	22.20	23.79
2022	1.67	-18.36	-18.14
2021	12.89	18.54	21.82
2020	25.70	16.25	15.90
2019	21.73	26.60	27.67
2018	-14.22	-9.41	-8.71
2017	33.53	23.97	22.40
2016	56.93	7.86	7.51
2015	-39.15	-2.36	-0.87
2014	-19.18	4.16	4.94
2013	-17.31	22.80	26.68
2012	2.03	16.13	15.83
2011	-28.41	-7.35	-5.54
2010	22.24	12.67	11.76

INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (FEB 29, 2024)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED			
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000
MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining	-4.43	-3.90	-3.95	-10.84	1.49	8.88	4.11	7.68
MSCI ACWI	4.29	9.94	23.15	4.90	6.79	10.51	8.37	6.24
MSCI World	4.24	10.67	24.96	5.49	8.64	11.66	9.06	6.38

FUNDAMENTALS (FEB 29, 2024)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
4.04	11.55	11.14	1.56
1.96	20.78	17.38	2.98
1.86	21.67	18.32	3.27

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (FEB 29, 2024)

	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since Dec 29, 2000	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining	4.07	27.95	28.26	27.42	0.10	0.37	0.23	0.35	80.05	2008-05-19–2016-01-20
MSCI ACWI	2.41	16.60	17.72	14.72	0.33	0.54	0.53	0.35	58.38	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI World	2.16	17.05	18.05	14.90	0.43	0.59	0.56	0.36	57.82	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

¹ Last 12 months

² Based on monthly net returns data

³ Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

* DM countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US. EM countries include: Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey and United Arab Emirates.

The MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining Index was launched on Jan 01, 2001. Data prior to the launch date is back-tested test (i.e. calculations of how the index might have performed over that time period had the index existed). There are frequently material differences between back-tested performance and actual results. Past performance – whether actual or back-tested – is no indication or guarantee of future performance.

INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

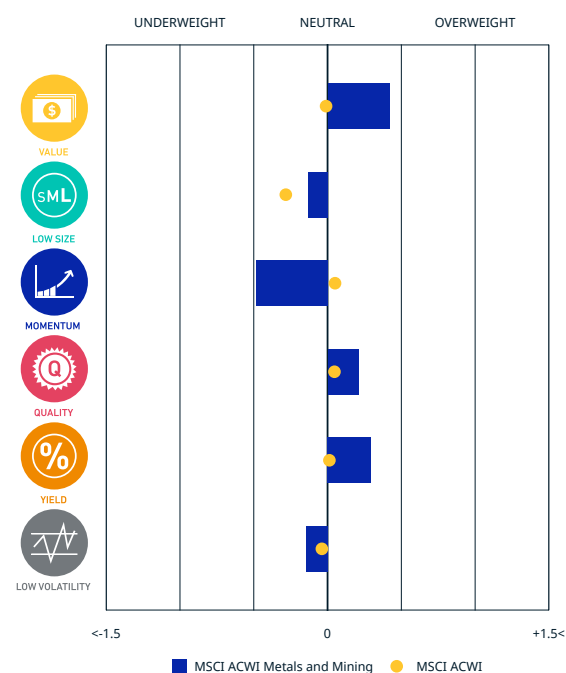
MSCI ACWI Metals and Mining	
Number of Constituents	113
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	1,054,164.59
Largest	144,991.40
Smallest	101.13
Average	9,328.89
Median	3,053.53

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)
BHP GROUP (AU)	AU	144.99	13.75
RIO TINTO PLC (GB)	GB	72.34	6.86
FREEPORT MCMORAN B	US	54.21	5.14
GLENCORE	GB	49.67	4.71
NUCOR CORP	US	47.83	4.54
VALE ON	BR	45.90	4.35
NEWMONT CORP	US	36.02	3.42
RIO TINTO LTD (AU)	AU	29.92	2.84
FORTESCUE	AU	28.59	2.71
ANGLO AMERICAN	GB	27.34	2.59
Total		536.81	50.92

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



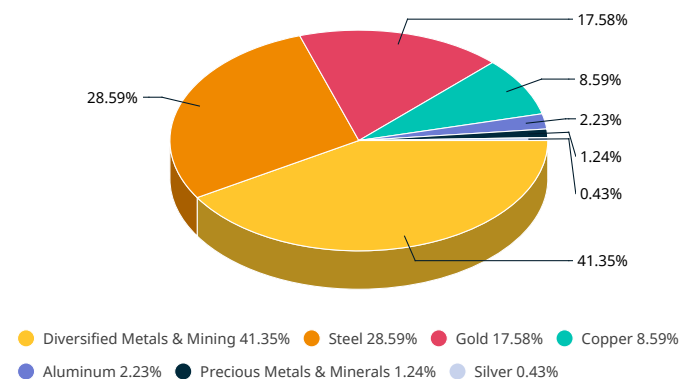
MSCI FaCS

- VALUE**
Relatively Inexpensive Stocks
- LOW SIZE**
Smaller Companies
- MOMENTUM**
Rising Stocks
- QUALITY**
Sound Balance Sheet Stocks
- YIELD**
Cash Flow Paid Out
- LOW VOLATILITY**
Lower Risk Stocks

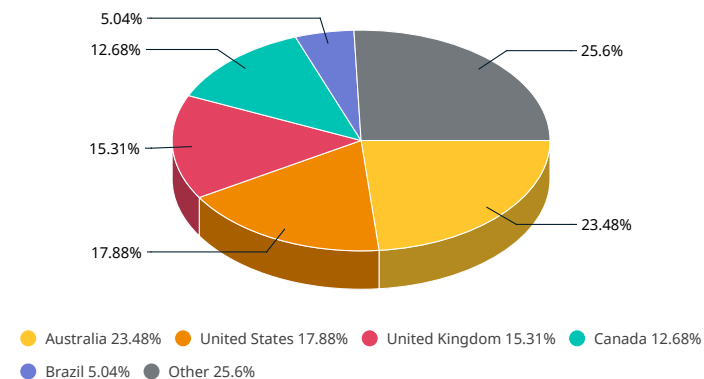
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

SUB-INDUSTRY WEIGHTS



COUNTRY WEIGHTS



MSCI FACTOR BOX AND FaCS FRAMEWORK (Please refer to complete description of the MSCI FaCS methodology [here](#))

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