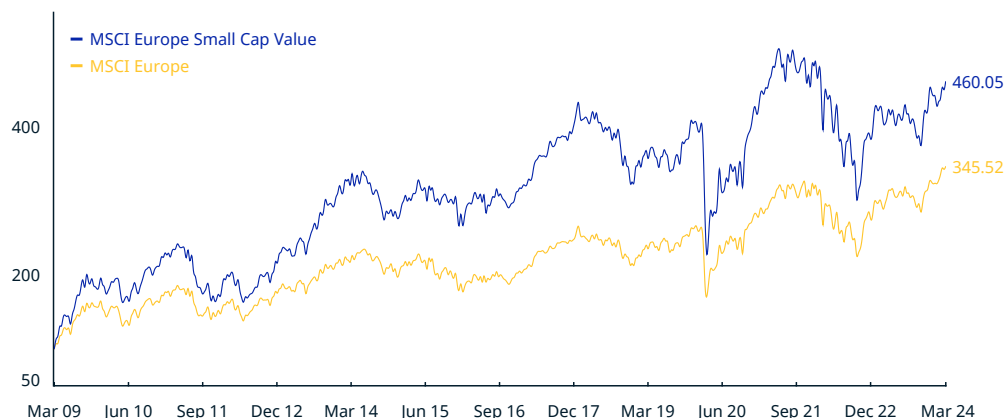


# MSCI Europe Small Cap Value Index (USD)

The **MSCI Europe Small Cap Value Index** captures small cap securities exhibiting overall value style characteristics across the 15 Developed Markets (DM) countries in Europe\*. The value investment style characteristics for index construction are defined using three variables: book value to price, 12-month forward earnings to price and dividend yield. With 534 constituents, the index targets 14% coverage of the free float-adjusted market capitalization of the MSCI Europe Index.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (MAR 2009 – MAR 2024)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Europe Small Cap Value	MSCI Europe
2023	18.21	19.89
2022	-20.74	-15.06
2021	15.73	16.30
2020	2.04	5.38
2019	26.25	23.77
2018	-20.27	-14.86
2017	33.25	25.51
2016	0.75	-0.40
2015	6.55	-2.84
2014	-8.52	-6.18
2013	44.04	25.23
2012	28.86	19.12
2011	-22.88	-11.06
2010	17.64	3.88

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (MAR 29, 2024)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 31, 1994
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI Europe Small Cap Value	5.45	1.63	12.47	1.63	0.69	5.16	3.30	8.44	
MSCI Europe	3.74	5.23	14.11	5.23	6.19	7.96	4.44	6.97	

## FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 29, 2024)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
4.43	11.34	9.83	1.05
3.14	15.12	13.74	2.11

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAR 29, 2024)

	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since May 31, 1994	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Europe Small Cap Value	28.66	21.87	25.03	20.20	0.02	0.25	0.19	0.38	69.58	2007-07-16–2009-03-09
MSCI Europe	3.30	18.28	19.46	16.36	0.28	0.39	0.26	0.33	62.99	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Based on monthly net returns data

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

\* **DM countries in Europe** include: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK.

The MSCI Europe Small Cap Value Index was launched on Jun 01, 2007. 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

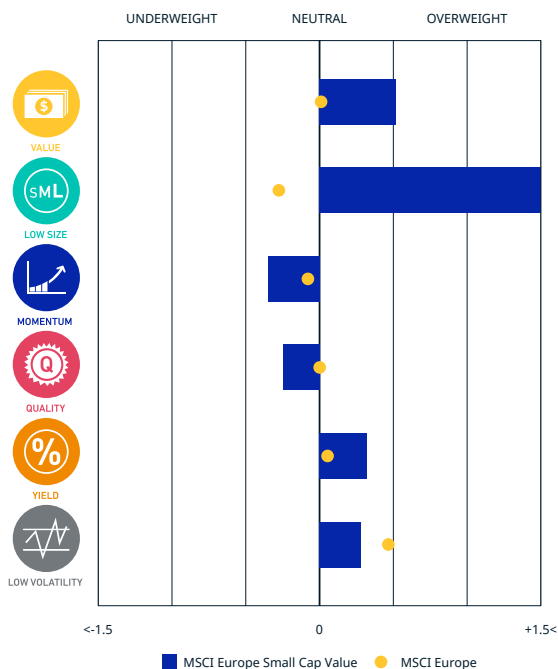
MSCI Europe Small Cap Value	
Number of Constituents	534
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	643,489.32
Largest	8,548.76
Smallest	31.45
Average	1,205.04
Median	789.37

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
BANCO SABADELL	ES	8.55	1.33	Financials
DS SMITH	GB	6.90	1.07	Materials
PSP SWISS PROPERTY	CH	6.02	0.94	Real Estate
BEAZLEY	GB	5.65	0.88	Financials
HISCOX	GB	5.45	0.85	Financials
SCOR	FR	5.28	0.82	Financials
LONDONMETRIC PROPERTY	GB	5.23	0.81	Real Estate
CASTELLUM	SE	5.19	0.81	Real Estate
VISTRY GROUP	GB	5.09	0.79	Cons Discr
BANKINTER	ES	4.94	0.77	Financials
Total		58.30	9.06	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



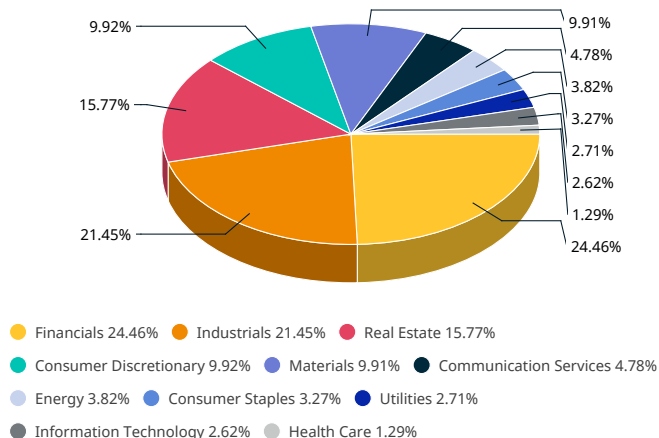
MSCI FaCS

- 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

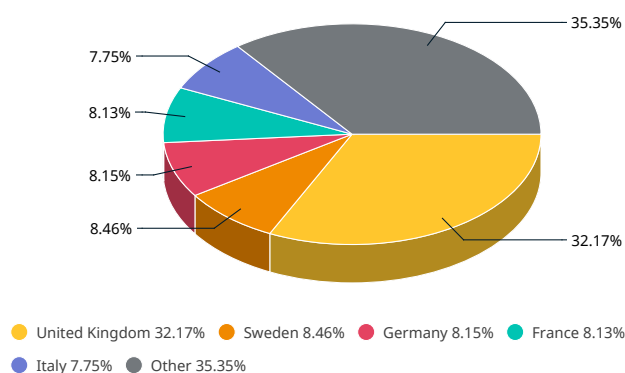
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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

SECTOR WEIGHTS



COUNTRY WEIGHTS



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

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