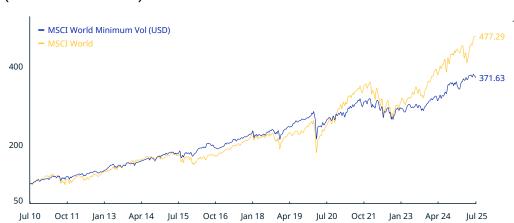
# **MSCI World Minimum Volatility (USD) Index (USD)**

The MSCI World Minimum Volatility (USD) Index aims to reflect the performance characteristics of a minimum variance strategy applied to the MSCI large and mid cap equity universe across 23 Developed Markets countries\*. The index is calculated by optimizing the MSCI World Index, its parent index, for the lowest absolute risk (within a given set of constraints). Historically, the index has shown lower beta and volatility characteristics relative to the MSCI World Index.

For a complete description of the index methodology, please see Index methodology - MSCI.

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (JUL 2010 – JUL 2025)



## **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

Year	MSCI World Minimum Vol (USD)	MSCI World					
2024	10.87	18.67					
2023	7.42	23.79					
2022	-9.79	-18.14					
2021	14.26	21.82					
2020	2.61	15.90					
2019	23.17	27.67					
2018	-2.03	-8.71					
2017	17.32	22.40					
2016	7.47	7.51					
2015	5.16	-0.87					
2014	11.37	4.94					
2013	18.61	26.68					
2012	8.06	15.83					
2011	7.29	-5.54					

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (JUL 31, 2025)

## FUNDAMENTALS (JUL 31, 2025)

					ANNUALIZED							
	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr <sub>M</sub>	Since lay 31, 1988	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI World Minimum Vol (USD)	-2.13	-0.80	9.21	8.08	8.54	7.15	7.53	7.79	2.26	19.68	17.20	2.92
MSCI World	1.29	11.91	15.72	10.88	15.83	13.78	10.60	7.98	1.69	23.68	19.92	3.69

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 1988 - JUL 31, 2025)

			gTurnover ) (%) 1	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2			SHARPE RATIO 2,3			8	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN		
	Beta	Tracking Error (%)		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since May 31, 1988	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD	
MSCI World Minimum Vol (USD)	0.67	6.97	20.33	11.37	11.73	11.22	0.37	0.41	0.52	0.43	48.17	2007-10-31-2009-03-09	
MSCI World	1.00	0.00	2.37	14.62	15.78	15.14	0.77	0.72	0.61	0.37	57.82	2007-10-31-2009-03-09	
	<sup>1</sup> Last	12 months	<sup>2</sup> Based o	n monthly	net returns	s data <sup>3</sup>	Based on	NY FED Ov	ernight SC	FR from Se	o 1 2021 & d	on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date	

\* Developed Markets 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.

The MSCI World Minimum Volatility (USD) Index was launched on Apr 14, 2008. 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 World Minimum Vol (USD)	MSCI World					
Number of	283	1,322					
Constituents							
	Weight (%)						
Largest	1.46	5.69					
Smallest	0.04	0.00					
Average	0.35	0.08					
Median	0.23	0.03					

## **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

Total

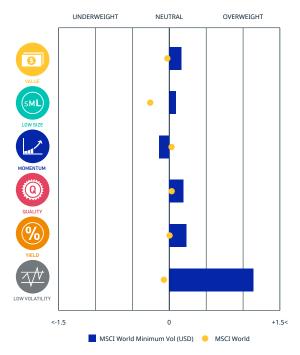
	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM	DE	1.46	0.16	Comm Srvcs
DUKE ENERGY CORP	US	1.43	0.12	Utilities
SOUTHERN COMPANY (THE)	US	1.42	0.14	Utilities
REPUBLIC SERVICES	US	1.40	0.07	Industrials
CENCORA	US	1.39	0.07	Health Care
ROPER TECHNOLOGIES	US	1.33	0.08	Info Tech
MCKESSON CORP	US	1.32	0.11	Health Care
T-MOBILE US	US	1.32	0.14	Comm Srvcs
CISCO SYSTEMS	US	1.31	0.36	Info Tech
MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS	US	1.30	0.10	Info Tech

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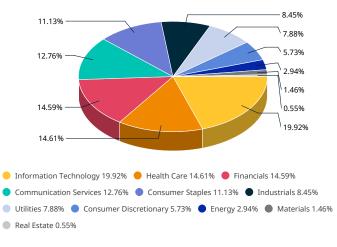
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**Index Factsheet** 

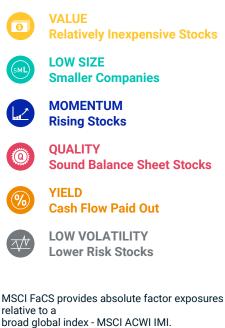
## FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN **MSCI FACTOR BOX**



## SECTOR WEIGHTS

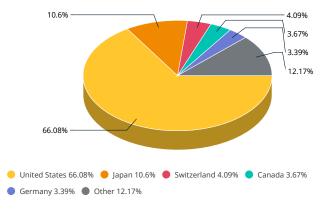


## **MSCI FaCS**



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

## **COUNTRY WEIGHTS**



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

MSCI FaCS is a standard method for evaluating and reporting the Factor characteristics of equity portfolios. MSCI FaCS consists of Factor Groups (e.g. Value, Size, Momentum, Quality, Yield, and Volatility) that have been extensively documented in academic literature and validated by MSCI Research as key drivers of risk and return in equity portfolios. These Factor Groups are constructed by aggregating 16 factors (e.g. Book-to-Price, Earnings/Dividend Yields, LT Reversal, Leverage, Earnings Variability/Quality, Beta) from the latest Barra global equity factor risk model, GEMLT, designed to make fund comparisons transparent and intuitive for use. The MSCI Factor Box, which is powered by MSCI FaCS, provides a visualization designed to easily compare absolute exposures of funds/indexes and their benchmarks along 6 Factor Groups that have historically demonstrated excess market returns over the long run.

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