# **MSCI World Low Carbon Target Index (GBP)**

The MSCI World Low Carbon Target Index is based on the MSCI World Index, its parent index, and includes large and mid-cap stocks across 23 Developed Markets (DM) countries\*. The Index is a benchmark for investors who wish to manage potential risks associated with the transition to a low carbon economy. The index aims for a tracking error target of 0.5% (50 basis points) while minimizing the carbon exposure. By overweighting companies with low carbon emissions (relative to sales) and those with low potential carbon emissions (per dollar of market capitalization), the index reflects a lower carbon exposure than that of the broad market. It uses MSCI ESG CarbonMetrics data from MSCI ESG Research Inc.

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

# CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (GBP) (NOV 2010 – MAY 2025)



### **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

Year	MSCI World Low Carbon Target	MSCI World		
2024	22.88	21.33		
2023	17.32	17.40		
2022	-8.12	-7.37		
2021	23.21	23.48		
2020	13.48	12.90		
2019	24.28	23.44		
2018	-2.72	-2.50		
2017	12.26	12.42		
2016	28.41	29.01		
2015	6.06	5.45		
2014	12.50	12.07		
2013	24.86	25.00		
2012	12.27	11.42		
2011	-4.09	-4.31		

**FUNDAMENTALS (MAY 30, 2025)** 

19.14

3.49

22.46

1.78

# INDEX PERFORMANCE - GROSS RETURNS (%) (MAY 30, 2025)

4.98

#### ANNUALIZED 10 Yr Since Nov 30, 2010 1 Mo 3 Мо 1 Yr YTD 3 Yr 5 Yr Div Yld (%) P/E P/E Fwd P/BV **MSCI World Low Carbon** 4.79 -4.778.94 -2.65 11.50 12.77 11.92 12.30 1.75 22.37 18.83 3.49 **Target**

12.74

11.88

#### INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (NOV 30, 2010 - MAY 30, 2025)

7.83

-2.32

-4.50

				ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2		SHARPE RATIO 2,3				MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN		
	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) 1	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Nov 30, 2010	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI World Low Carbon Target	1.00	0.44	19.48	12.26	11.99	12.26	0.61	0.85	0.86	0.96	25.68	2020-02-20-2020-03-16
MSCI World	1.00	0.00	2.39	12.11	11.84	12.20	0.60	0.86	0.86	0.95	26.04	2020-02-20-2020-03-16
	1 Last	12 months	<sup>2</sup> Based o	n monthly	aross retu	rns data 3	Based on	Bank of En	gland Ove	rniaht SONI	A from Sep	1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

11.19

The MSCI World Low Carbon Target Index was launched on Feb 27, 2015. 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.



**MSCI World** 

<sup>\*</sup> 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.

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#### INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

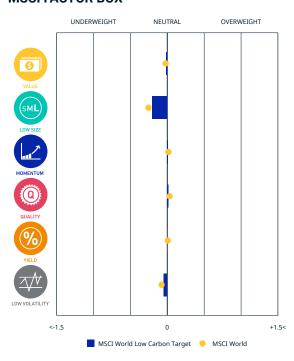
	MSCI World Low Carbon Target	MSCI World			
Number of	704	1,353			
Constituents					
	Weight (%)				
Largest	4.61	4.56			
Smallest	0.00	0.00			
Average	0.14	0.07			
Median	0.07	0.03			

#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
NVIDIA	4.61	4.56	Info Tech
MICROSOFT CORP	4.52	4.48	Info Tech
APPLE	4.28	4.16	Info Tech
AMAZON.COM	2.70	2.68	Cons Discr
META PLATFORMS A	1.98	1.95	Comm Srvcs
BROADCOM	1.54	1.49	Info Tech
TESLA	1.44	1.38	Cons Discr
ALPHABET A	1.44	1.38	Comm Srvcs
ALPHABET C	1.17	1.19	Comm Srvcs
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO	1.11	1.02	Financials
Total	24.80	24.30	

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# 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



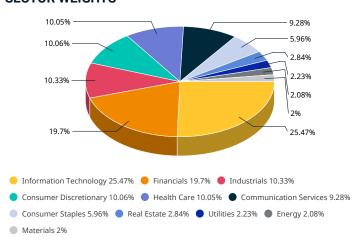
LOW VOLATILITY
Lower Risk Stocks

MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a

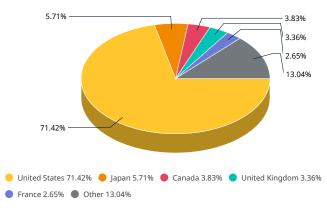
broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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

# **SECTOR WEIGHTS**



### **COUNTRY WEIGHTS**





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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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