# **MSCI Europe GDP Weighted Index (USD)**

The MSCI Europe GDP Weighted Index is based on the MSCI Europe Index, its parent index, and includes large and mid cap stocks across 15 Developed Markets (DM) countries\* in Europe. The index uses a different weighting scheme than its cap weighted parent index. However, the weight of each country in the index is derived from its economic size (using GDP data) rather than the size of its equity market.

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

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

# - MSCI Europe 345.5 300 200 100 50 Mar 09 Jun 10 Sep 11 Dec 12 Mar 14 Jun 15 Sep 16 Dec 17 Mar 19 Jun 20 Sep 21 Dec 22 Mar 24

# **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

MSCI Europe GDP Weighted	MSCI Europe
22.01	19.89
-15.42	-15.06
14.27	16.30
5.39	5.38
22.58	23.77
-16.62	-14.86
27.10	25.51
-0.03	-0.40
-2.06	-2.84
-8.15	-6.18
26.22	25.23
20.53	19.12
-15.83	-11.06
-0.71	3.88
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# INDEX PERFORMANCE - NET RETURNS (%) (MAR 29, 2024)

### **FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 29, 2024)**

					ANNUALIZED							
	1 Mo	3 Мо	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr <sub>D</sub>	Since Dec 31, 1969	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI Europe GDP Weighted	4.57	5.98	15.81	5.98	6.08	7.90	4.04	8.80	3.48	13.46	12.20	1.76
MSCI Europe	3.74	5.23	14.11	5.23	6.19	7.96	4.44	8.74	3.14	15.12	13.74	2.11

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# INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (DEC 31, 1969 - MAR 29, 2024)

				ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2		SHARPE RATIO 2,3				MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN		
	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 31, 1969	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Europe GDP Weighted	1.02	4.04	6.64	19.20	21.13	17.74	0.27	0.37	0.23	na	64.66	2007-10-31-2009-03-09
MSCI Europe	1.00	0.00	3.30	18.28	19.46	16.36	0.28	0.39	0.26	na	62.99	2007-10-31-2009-03-09
	<sup>1</sup> Last	<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										

The MSCI Europe GDP Weighted Index was launched on May 31, 1990. 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.



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

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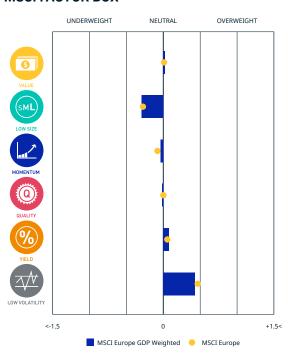
### INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

	MSCI Europe GDP Weighted	MSCI Europe					
Number of	421	421					
Constituents							
	Weight (%)						
Largest	3.00	3.78					
Smallest	0.01	0.02					
Average	0.24	0.24					
Median	0.10	0.10					

### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
SAP	DE	3.00	1.85	Info Tech
ASML HLDG	NL	2.61	3.52	Info Tech
SIEMENS	DE	2.14	1.32	Industrials
LVMH MOET HENNESSY	FR	1.74	2.25	Cons Discr
ALLIANZ	DE	1.73	1.07	Financials
STELLANTIS	IT	1.64	0.57	Cons Discr
NOVO NORDISK B	DK	1.62	3.78	Health Care
UNICREDIT	IT	1.52	0.53	Financials
SHELL	GB	1.47	1.96	Energy
FERRARI (IT)	IT	1.43	0.50	Cons Discr
Total		18.89	17.34	

# 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



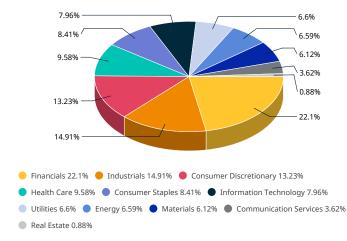
LOW VOLATILITY
Lower Risk Stocks

MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a

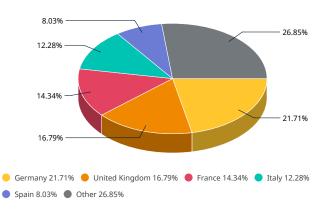
broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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