# **MSCI UK Selection Index (GBP)**

The MSCI UK Selection Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization-weighted index designed to represent the performance of companies that are selected from the MSCI UK Index ("Parent Index") based on Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) criteria. These criteria exclude constituents based on involvement in specific business activities, as well as ESG ratings and exposure to ESG controversies. The Indexes are derived from the MSCI UK Index and aim to achieve sector weights that reflect the sector weights of the corresponding Parent Index. the MSCI UK Selection Index consists of Large and Mid cap companies in UK markets. The Index construction targets 50% free float-adjusted market capitalization coverage of each Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®) sector by selecting constituents primarily based on criteria including the ESG rating, and the company's industry-adjusted ESG score. The Index is a member of the MSCI Selection Index series.

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

# CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (GBP) (AUG 2010 – AUG 2025)

# - MSCI UK Selection - MSCI United Kingdom 305.50 200 100 Aug 10 Nov 11 Feb 13 May 14 Aug 15 Nov 16 Feb 18 May 19 Aug 20 Nov 21 Feb 23 May 24 Aug 25

## **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

MSCI UK Selection	MSCI United Kingdom
10.30	9.46
9.51	7.66
-2.76	7.15
14.08	19.59
-8.05	-13.23
22.77	16.37
-8.71	-8.82
7.88	11.71
5.12	19.16
3.05	-2.21
-1.39	0.50
22.73	18.43
10.80	10.19
-2.00	-1.84
	10.30 9.51 -2.76 14.08 -8.05 22.77 -8.71 7.88 5.12 3.05 -1.39 22.73 10.80

**FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 29, 2025)** 

### INDEX PERFORMANCE - NET RETURNS (%) (AUG 29, 2025)

### **ANNUALIZED** Since 1 Yr P/BV 1 Mo 3 Mo YTD 3 Yr 5 Yr 10 Yr Div Yld (%) P/E P/E Fwd Sep 28, 2007 **MSCI UK Selection** 1.56 4.78 10.45 14.59 11.77 10.11 6.19 5.33 3.42 14.62 12.81 2.09 3.35 12.88 2.08 1.54 5.83 13.32 15.59 12.00 13.69 7.95 5.81 14.12 MSCI United Kingdom

### INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (SEP 28, 2007 - AUG 29, 2025)

				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 Sep 28, 2007	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI UK Selection	0.92	4.40	5.16	11.22	11.55	11.72	0.66	0.65	0.43	0.35	43.86	2007-10-31-2009-03-09
MSCI United Kingdom	1.00	0.00	2.47	10.26	11.06	11.77	0.73	0.96	0.57	0.37	45.33	2007-10-12-2009-03-03
	<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months <sup>2</sup> Based on monthly net returns data <sup>3</sup> Based on Bank of England Overnight SONIA from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date											

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The MSCI UK Selection Index was launched on Jun 28, 2011. 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.



AUG 29, 2025 Index Factsheet

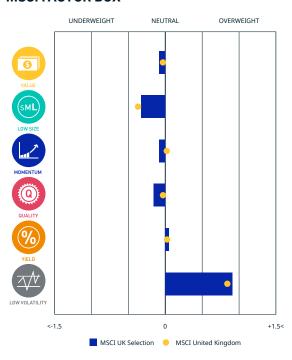
### **INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

	MSCI UK Selection	MSCI United Kingdom				
Number of	43	73				
Constituents						
	Weight (%)					
Largest	17.27	8.68				
Smallest	0.26	0.12				
Average	2.33	1.37				
Median	0.80	0.59				

### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Wt. (%)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
ASTRAZENECA	17.27	8.68	Health Care
HSBC HOLDINGS (GB)	15.60	7.84	Financials
UNILEVER PLC (GB)	10.77	5.42	Cons Staples
RELX (GB)	5.97	3.00	Industrials
NATIONAL GRID	4.82	2.42	Utilities
LLOYDS BANKING GROUP	4.50	2.26	Financials
3I GROUP	3.69	1.86	Financials
RECKITT BENCKISER GROUP	3.55	1.78	Cons Staples
TESCO	2.62	1.32	Cons Staples
PRUDENTIAL	2.41	1.21	Financials
Total	71.20	35.80	

# 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



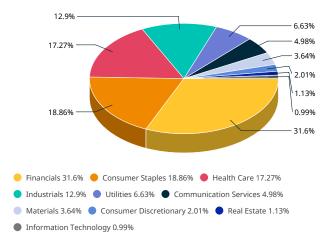
LOW VOLATILITY Lower Risk Stocks

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**





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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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