

MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted Index (USD)

The **MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted Index** represents an alternative weighting scheme to its market cap weighted parent index, the MSCI EAFE Index. The index includes the same constituents as its parent (large and mid cap securities from Developed Markets countries* around the world excluding the US and Canada). However, at each quarterly rebalance date, all index constituents are weighted equally, effectively removing the influence of each constituents current price (high or low). Between rebalances, index constituent weightings will fluctuate due to price performance.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (FEB 2011 – FEB 2026)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted	MSCI EAFE
2025	30.13	31.89
2024	2.31	4.35
2023	16.90	18.85
2022	-16.70	-14.01
2021	7.30	11.78
2020	7.47	8.28
2019	20.76	22.66
2018	-13.79	-13.36
2017	27.84	25.62
2016	4.12	1.51
2015	3.06	-0.39
2014	-2.57	-4.48
2013	23.10	23.29
2012	16.91	17.90

INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (FEB 27, 2026)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since Jun 30, 1994
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted	5.22	12.97	35.31	10.27	17.50	8.65	9.48	6.77	
MSCI EAFE	4.64	13.42	35.31	10.11	19.38	11.34	10.80	6.44	

FUNDAMENTALS (FEB 27, 2026)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
2.66	20.03	16.00	1.91
2.54	18.81	16.50	2.34

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (JUN 01, 1994 – FEB 27, 2026)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since Jun 01, 1994	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted	0.99	4.43	26.41	12.46	14.81	15.14	0.98	0.41	0.53	0.32	60.37	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI EAFE	1.00	0.00	3.34	11.64	14.48	14.65	1.18	0.59	0.62	0.30	60.15	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

¹ Last 12 months ² Based on monthly gross returns data ³ Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

* Developed Market Countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK.

The MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted Index was launched on Jan 22, 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

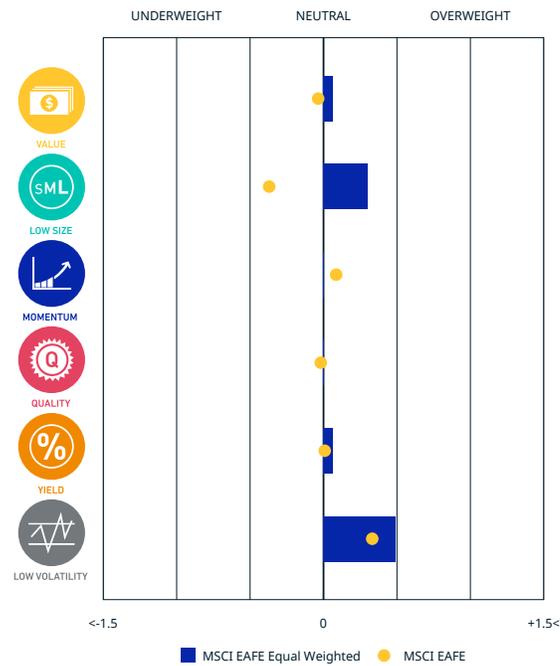
	MSCI EAFE Equal Weighted	MSCI EAFE
Number of Constituents	692	692
	Weight (%)	
Largest	0.32	2.52
Smallest	0.01	0.01
Average	0.14	0.14
Median	0.14	0.07

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
SUMITOMO METAL MINING CO	JP	0.32	0.09	Materials
JX ADVANCED METALS	JP	0.28	0.07	Materials
HELVETIA BALOISE HOLDING	CH	0.26	0.09	Financials
SCREEN HOLDINGS CO	JP	0.25	0.05	Info Tech
FRESNILLO PLC	GB	0.24	0.06	Materials
JAPAN POST BANK CO	JP	0.23	0.16	Financials
SUMITOMO ELECTRIC IND	JP	0.23	0.21	Cons Discr
BOLIDEN	SE	0.23	0.10	Materials
KAWASAKI HEAVY IND	JP	0.23	0.08	Industrials
ENDEAVOUR MINING (GB)	GB	0.22	0.06	Materials
Total		2.48	0.96	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



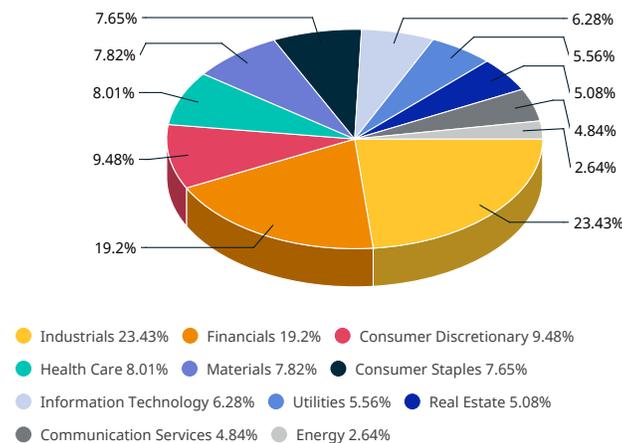
MSCI FaCS

- 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

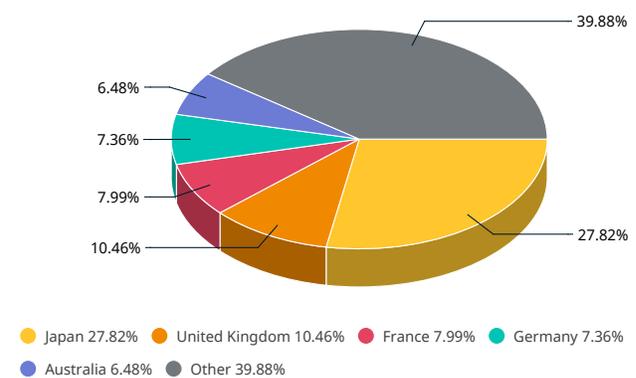
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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](#))

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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