## **MSCI Europe Minimum Volatility (EUR) Index (EUR)**

The MSCI Europe Minimum Volatility (EUR) Index aims to reflect the performance characteristics of a minimum variance strategy applied to the large and mid cap equity universe across the European Developed Markets (DM) countries\*. The index is calculated by optimizing the MSCI Europe Index, its parent index, in EUR 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 Europe Index.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — PRICE RETURNS (EUR) (JUN 2010 – JUN 2025)



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

Year	MSCI Europe Min Vol (EUR)	MSCI Europe
2024	8.84	5.75
2023	8.37	12.73
2022	-15.54	-11.86
2021	18.69	22.39
2020	-6.51	-5.38
2019	19.31	22.24
2018	-6.78	-13.10
2017	6.00	7.28
2016	-5.49	-0.50
2015	12.04	5.47
2014	11.66	4.10
2013	12.72	16.42
2012	7.96	13.38
2011	-0.54	-10.94

#### INDEX PERFORMANCE — PRICE RETURNS (%) (JUN 30, 2025)

### **FUNDAMENTALS (JUN 30, 2025)**

					ANNUALIZED							
	1 Mo	3 Мо	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr <sub>D</sub>	Since Dec 31, 1998	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI Europe Min Vol (EUR)	-2.78	-0.05	10.30	6.61	7.50	5.72	2.98	3.44	3.32	17.78	16.14	2.48
MSCI Europe	-1.40	1.08	5.31	6.45	9.79	8.56	3.42	2.26	3.13	15.91	14.28	2.13

#### INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (DEC 31, 1998 – JUN 30, 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 Dec 31, 1998	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Europe Min Vol (EUR)	0.68	6.44	20.10	10.14	10.93	10.97	0.50	0.43	0.28	0.22	52.96	2007-06-01-2009-03-09
MSCI Europe	1.00	0.00	3.42	12.77	13.62	13.90	0.58	0.57	0.27	0.12	61.72	2000-09-04-2009-03-09
	<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months <sup>2</sup> Based on monthly price returns data <sup>3</sup> Based on EMMI EURIBOR 1M from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date											

The MSCI Europe Minimum Volatility (EUR) 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.



<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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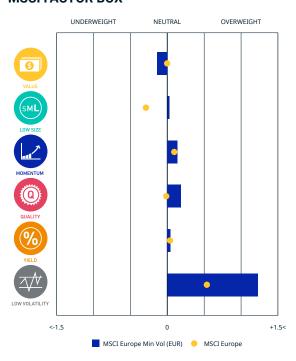
#### INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

	MSCI Europe Min Vol (EUR)	MSCI Europe					
Number of	173	402					
Constituents							
	Weight (%)						
Largest	1.61	2.54					
Largest Smallest	1.61 0.05	2.54 0.02					
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#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
NOVARTIS	CH	1.61	1.84	Health Care
IBERDROLA	ES	1.57	0.89	Utilities
KONINKLIJKE KPN	NL	1.55	0.15	Comm Srvcs
SWISSCOM	CH	1.55	0.15	Comm Srvcs
ORANGE	FR	1.51	0.23	Comm Srvcs
SAMPO A	FI	1.49	0.21	Financials
ZURICH INSURANCE GROUP	CH	1.47	0.82	Financials
RELX (GB)	GB	1.47	0.80	Industrials
DEUTSCHE BOERSE	DE	1.46	0.49	Financials
AHOLD DELHAIZE	NL	1.46	0.30	Cons Staples
Total		15.13	5.87	

# 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

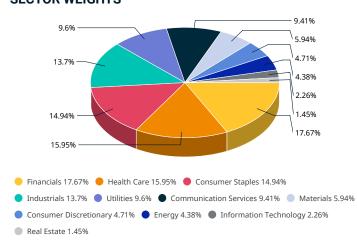


LOW VOLATILITY Lower Risk Stocks

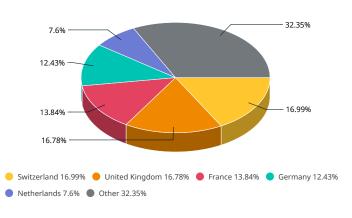
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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