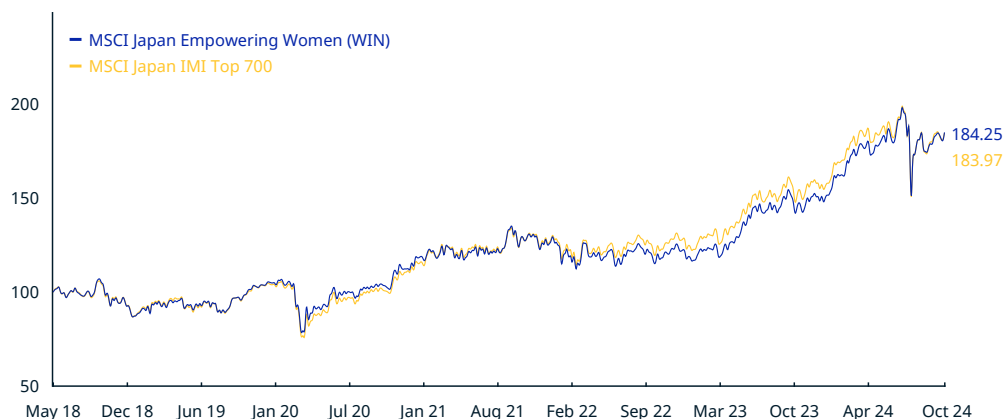


MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN) (JPY)

The MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN) is based on the MSCI Japan IMI Top 700 Index, its parent index, which includes large, mid and small-cap securities in the Japanese markets. The Index is designed to represent the performance of those Japanese companies that exhibit a commitment towards promoting and maintaining high level of gender diversity among their workforce. The index aims to include companies that lead their respective GICS® sector groups in terms of supporting women's participation and advancement in the workforce and adopting diversity policies.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (JPY) (MAY 2018 – OCT 2024)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Japan Empowering Women (WIN)	MSCI Japan IMI Top 700
2023	28.66	27.79
2022	-6.97	-3.11
2021	10.70	13.35
2020	9.14	8.20
2019	20.20	18.86

INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (OCT 31, 2024)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 31, 2018
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI Japan Empowering Women (WIN)	3.02	-2.73	28.77	21.65	12.94	12.56	na	9.98	
MSCI Japan IMI Top 700	2.01	-2.34	22.75	16.62	12.96	12.80	na	9.95	

FUNDAMENTALS (OCT 31, 2024)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
2.21	16.83	15.15	1.49
2.28	15.27	14.14	1.39

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 2018 – OCT 31, 2024)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since May 31, 2018	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Japan Empowering Women (WIN)	1.00	2.73	24.41	12.72	13.94	na	1.02	0.92	na	0.73	27.60	2018-10-02–2020-03-16
MSCI Japan IMI Top 700	1.00	0.00	1.73	11.89	13.64	na	1.08	0.95	na	0.74	29.13	2018-10-02–2020-03-16

¹ Last 12 months ² Based on monthly gross returns data ³ Based on JBA TIBOR 1M from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

The MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN) was launched on Jul 03, 2017. 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

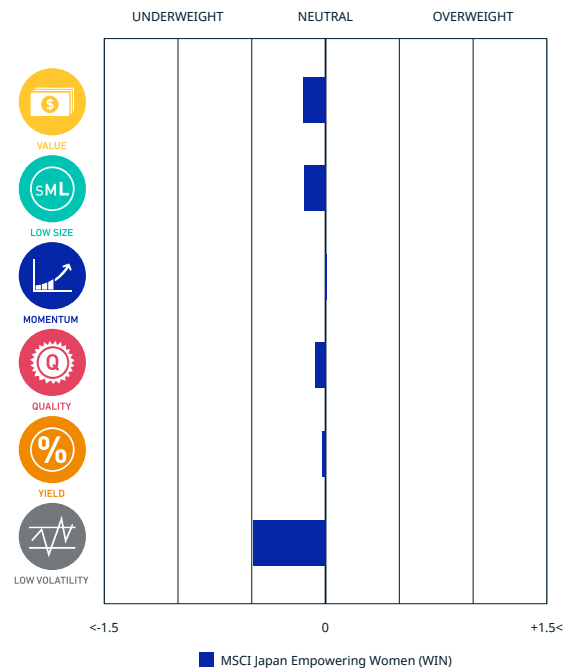
	MSCI Japan Empowering Women (WIN)	MSCI Japan IMI Top 700
Number of Constituents	345	700
Weight (%)		
Largest	5.37	3.94
Smallest	0.01	0.01
Average	0.29	0.14
Median	0.08	0.04

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
MITSUBISHI UFJ FIN GRP	5.37	2.59	Financials
RECRUIT HOLDINGS CO	4.66	2.03	Industrials
SUMITOMO MITSUI FINL GRP	3.77	1.76	Financials
TOKIO MARINE HOLDINGS	3.33	1.50	Financials
SOFTBANK GROUP CORP	2.77	1.40	Comm Svcs
TOKYO ELECTRON	2.53	1.50	Info Tech
DAIICHI SANKYO CO	2.30	1.32	Health Care
MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP	2.29	1.11	Financials
KDDI	1.94	1.05	Comm Svcs
SHIN-ETSU CHEMICAL CO	1.86	1.48	Materials
Total	30.81	15.72	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



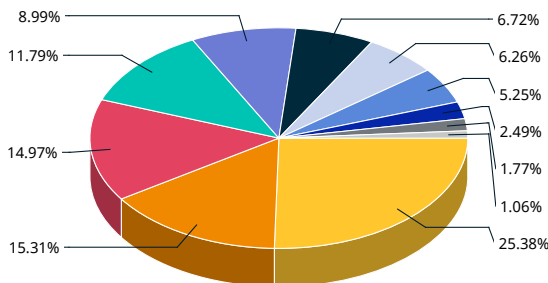
MSCI FaCS

- 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



- Financials 25.38%
- Information Technology 15.31%
- Industrials 14.97%
- Health Care 11.79%
- Communication Services 8.99%
- Consumer Discretionary 6.72%
- Consumer Staples 6.26%
- Materials 5.25%
- Real Estate 2.49%
- Utilities 1.77%
- Energy 1.06%

MSCI FACTOR BOX AND FaCS FRAMEWORK (Please refer to complete description of the MSCI FaCS methodology [here](#))

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