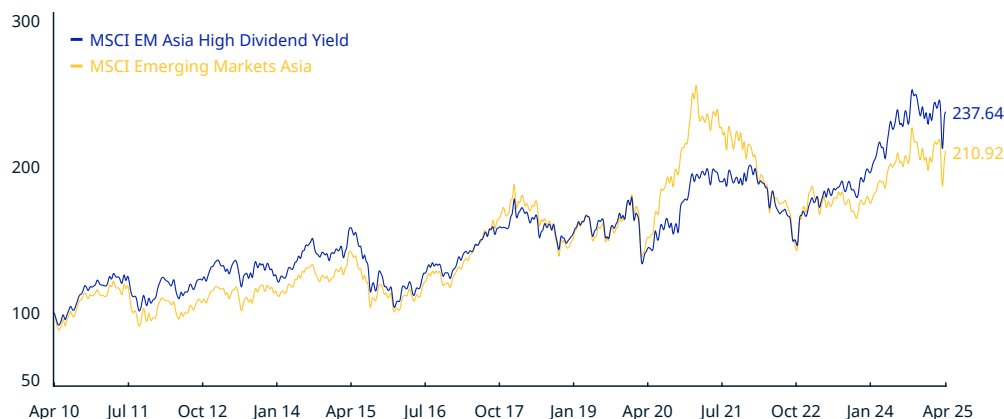


# MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield Index (USD)

The **MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield Index** is based on the MSCI EM Asia Index, its parent index, and includes large and mid cap stocks across 8 Emerging Markets (EM) countries\* in Asia. The index is designed to reflect the performance of equities in the parent index (excluding REITs) with higher dividend income and quality characteristics than average dividend yields that are both sustainable and persistent. The index also applies quality screens and reviews 12-month past performance to omit stocks with potentially deteriorating fundamentals that could force them to cut or reduce dividends.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (APR 2010 – APR 2025)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield	MSCI Emerging Markets Asia
2024	17.04	12.56
2023	21.48	8.17
2022	-15.39	-20.76
2021	7.83	-4.80
2020	3.54	28.77
2019	17.12	19.65
2018	-7.55	-15.16
2017	29.12	43.26
2016	7.85	6.53
2015	-17.22	-9.47
2014	8.17	5.27
2013	-1.04	2.31
2012	22.12	21.24
2011	-10.42	-17.16

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (APR 30, 2025)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since Dec 31, 1998
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield	0.47	0.32	11.89	0.23	9.00	9.71	4.28	10.33	
MSCI Emerging Markets Asia	0.78	1.45	10.20	2.21	4.38	6.21	4.18	7.96	

## FUNDAMENTALS (APR 30, 2025)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
4.58	9.69	9.01	1.15
2.22	15.02	12.55	1.82

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (DEC 31, 1998 – APR 30, 2025)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since Dec 31, 1998	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN (%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr			
MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield	0.83	7.52	38.77	16.45	15.08	15.87	0.34	0.52	0.22	0.50	56.65	2007-10-29–2008-11-20
MSCI Emerging Markets Asia	1.00	0.00	5.13	19.36	17.85	17.42	0.09	0.28	0.21	0.36	66.26	2007-10-29–2008-10-27

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

\* EM countries include: China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, Taiwan and Thailand.

The MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield Index was launched on Jan 16, 2012. 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**

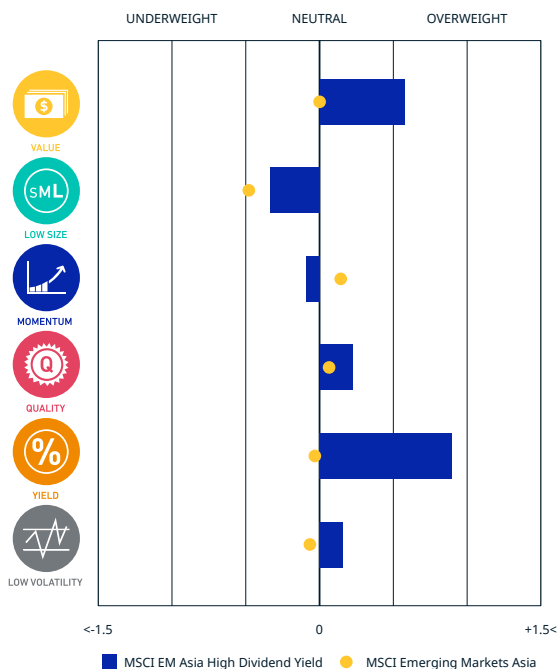
	MSCI EM Asia High Dividend Yield	MSCI Emerging Markets Asia
<b>Number of Constituents</b>	210	976
	Weight (%)	
<b>Largest</b>	12.11	11.07
<b>Smallest</b>	0.02	0.00
<b>Average</b>	0.48	0.10
<b>Median</b>	0.19	0.03

**TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO	KR	12.11	2.95	Info Tech
CHINA CONSTRUCTION BK H	CN	6.01	1.25	Financials
MEDIATEK INC	TW	4.88	1.02	Info Tech
HON HAI PRECISION IND CO	TW	4.20	0.88	Info Tech
ICBC H	CN	3.62	0.75	Financials
NETEASE	CN	3.17	0.66	Comm Srvc
BANK CENTRAL ASIA	ID	2.24	0.47	Financials
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS PREF	KR	1.76	0.43	Info Tech
CHINA MERCHANTS BANK H	CN	1.62	0.34	Financials
CTBC FINANCIAL HOLDING	TW	1.56	0.32	Financials
<b>Total</b>		<b>41.18</b>	<b>9.07</b>	

**FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN**

**MSCI FACTOR BOX**



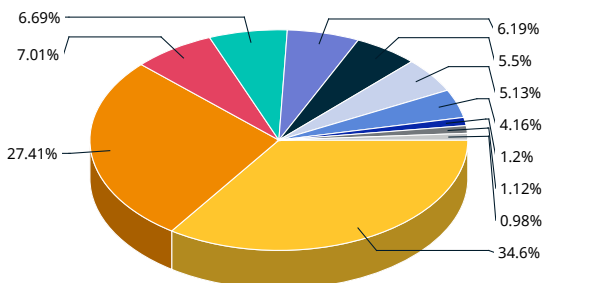
**MSCI FaCS**

- 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.

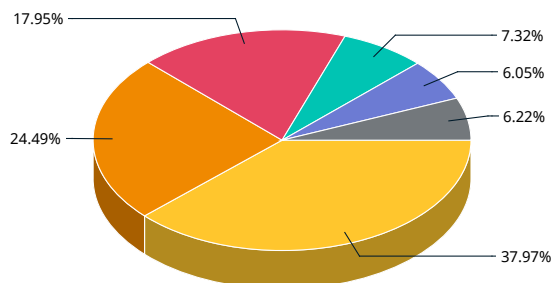
Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

**SECTOR WEIGHTS**



- Information Technology 34.6%
- Financials 27.41%
- Consumer Discretionary 7.01%
- Communication Services 6.69%
- Energy 6.19%
- Consumer Staples 5.5%
- Industrials 5.13%
- Utilities 4.16%
- Real Estate 1.2%
- Materials 1.12%
- Health Care 0.98%

**COUNTRY WEIGHTS**



- China 37.97%
- Taiwan 24.49%
- South Korea 17.95%
- India 7.32%
- Indonesia 6.05%
- Other 6.22%

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

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