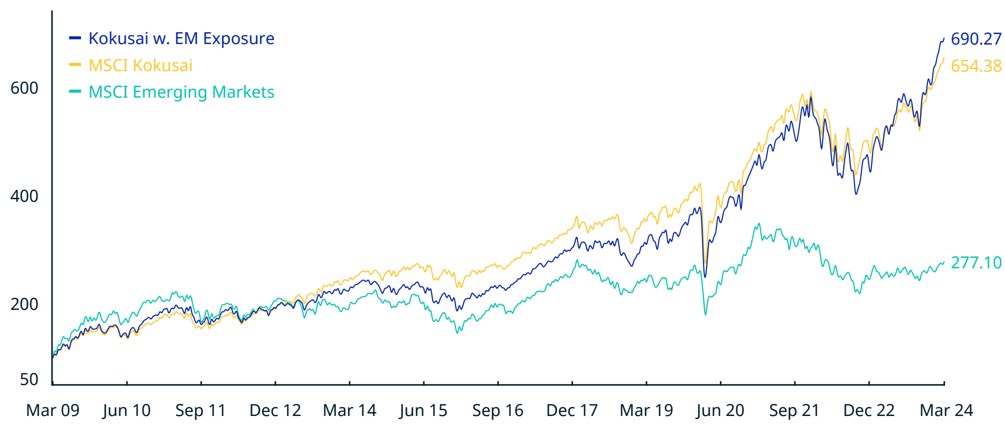
# MSCI Kokusai with EM Exposure Index (USD)

The **MSCI Kokusai with Emerging Markets (EM) Exposure Index** is derived from the MSCI Kokusai Index, its parent index. Following a review of the geographic distribution of revenues for each company in the MSCI Kokusai Index, the top-ranked constituents with the highest proportion of revenues derived from EM countries are selected for the **MSCI Kokusai with EM Exposure Index**. With a relatively stable 353 constituents, the index concentrates on companies with high revenue exposure to EM. As a complement to the MSCI Emerging Markets Index, investors may consider this index a new benchmark for capturing the sizeable business activity in emerging markets that is conducted by developed markets* (excluding Japan) companies.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAR 2009 – MAR 2024)




## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

| Year | Kokusai w. EM Exposure | MSCI Kokusai | MSCI Emerging Markets |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2023 | 37.76 | 24.66 | 10.27 |
| 2022 | -22.07 | -17.83 | -19.74 |
| 2021 | 28.40 | 24.03 | -2.22 |
| 2020 | 22.65 | 16.63 | 18.69 |
| 2019 | 34.96 | 29.19 | 18.88 |
| 2018 | -10.76 | -7.78 | -14.24 |
| 2017 | 28.54 | 22.94 | 37.75 |
| 2016 | 13.03 | 8.69 | 11.60 |
| 2015 | -7.54 | -1.21 | -14.60 |
| 2014 | -1.26 | 6.38 | -1.82 |
| 2013 | 19.27 | 27.37 | -2.27 |
| 2012 | 13.75 | 17.36 | 18.63 |
| 2011 | -6.73 | -3.99 | -18.17 |
| 2010 | 15.78 | 11.99 | 19.20 |

## INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (%) (MAR 29, 2024)

## FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 29, 2024)

| | | | | | ANNUALIZED | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 Mo | 3 Mo | 1 Yr | YTD | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since May 31, 2002 | Div Yld (%) | P/E | P/E Fwd | P/BV |
| **Kokusai w. EM Exposure** | 3.16 | 11.82 | 31.62 | 11.82 | 13.79 | 17.16 | 11.66 | 9.83 | 1.58 | 25.16 | 21.03 | 4.70 |
| **MSCI Kokusai** | 3.28 | 8.87 | 25.68 | 8.87 | 9.51 | 12.98 | 10.21 | 8.88 | 1.81 | 22.41 | 18.94 | 3.61 |
| **MSCI Emerging Markets** | 2.52 | 2.44 | 8.59 | 2.44 | -4.68 | 2.61 | 3.33 | 8.10 | 2.83 | 15.61 | 12.13 | 1.71 |

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAR 29, 2024)

| | | ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) [2] | | | SHARPE RATIO [2,3] | | | | MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Turnover (%) [1] | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since May 31, 2002 | (%) | Period YYYY-MM-DD |
| **Kokusai w. EM Exposure** | 5.78 | 20.45 | 20.73 | 17.14 | 0.61 | 0.78 | 0.65 | 0.53 | 56.46 | 2007-10-31—2009-03-03 |
| **MSCI Kokusai** | 2.23 | 17.35 | 18.47 | 15.20 | 0.46 | 0.65 | 0.62 | 0.51 | 58.31 | 2007-10-31—2009-03-09 |
| **MSCI Emerging Markets** | 6.15 | 17.76 | 19.06 | 17.19 | -0.33 | 0.12 | 0.19 | 0.40 | 65.14 | 2007-10-29—2008-10-27 |

[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 Markets countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US.

The MSCI Kokusai with EM Exposure Index was launched on Feb 12, 2013. 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

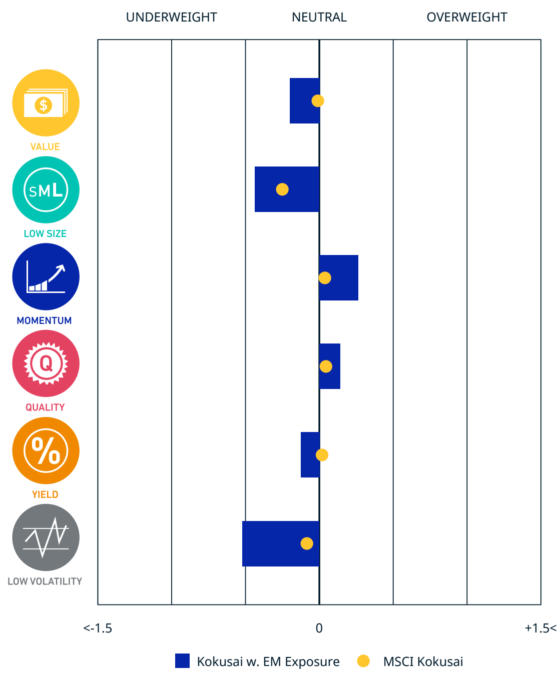
| | Kokusai w. EM Exposure |
|---|---|
| **Number of Constituents** | 353 |
| | **Mkt Cap ( USD Millions)** |
| **Index** | 25,571,142.76 |
| **Largest** | 3,303,535.56 |
| **Smallest** | 1,955.46 |
| **Average** | 72,439.50 |
| **Median** | 18,281.50 |

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

| | Country | Float Adj Mkt Cap ( USD Billions) | Index Wt. (%) | Sector |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| NVIDIA | US | 3,303.54 | 12.92 | Info Tech |
| MICROSOFT CORP | US | 2,208.07 | 8.63 | Info Tech |
| APPLE | US | 2,134.39 | 8.35 | Info Tech |
| META PLATFORMS A | US | 866.52 | 3.39 | Comm Srvcs |
| ASML HLDG | NL | 821.09 | 3.21 | Info Tech |
| BROADCOM | US | 781.61 | 3.06 | Info Tech |
| TESLA | US | 452.70 | 1.77 | Cons Discr |
| QUALCOMM | US | 434.63 | 1.70 | Info Tech |
| MASTERCARD A | US | 405.51 | 1.59 | Financials |
| VISA A | US | 377.28 | 1.48 | Financials |
| Total | | 11,785.33 | 46.09 | |

## 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**

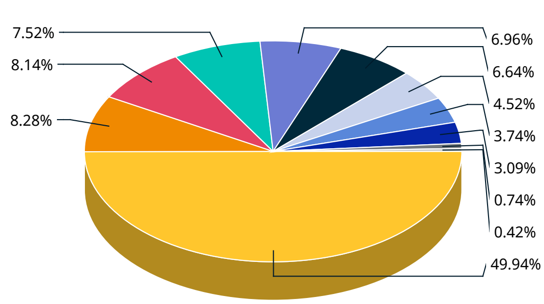
**YIELD**
**Cash Flow Paid Out**

**LOW VOLATILITY**
**Lower Risk Stocks**

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

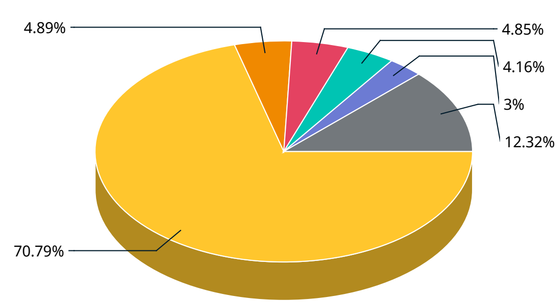
Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

## SECTOR WEIGHTS




Information Technology 49.94% · Consumer Staples 8.28% · Financials 8.14% · Materials 7.52% · Consumer Discretionary 6.96% · Industrials 6.64% · Communication Services 4.52% · Energy 3.74% · Health Care 3.09% · Real Estate 0.74% · Utilities 0.42%

## COUNTRY WEIGHTS




United States 70.79% · United Kingdom 4.89% · France 4.85% · Netherlands 4.16% · Germany 3% · Other 12.32%

**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.

## ABOUT MSCI