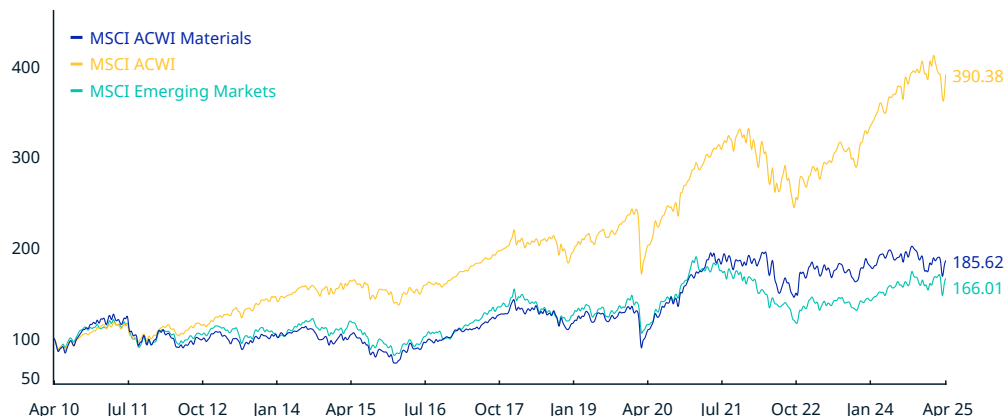


MSCI ACWI Materials Index (USD)

The **MSCI ACWI Materials Index** includes large and mid cap securities across 23 Developed Markets (DM) and 24 Emerging Markets (EM) countries*. All securities in the index are classified in the Materials sector as per the Global Industry Classification Standard(GICS®).

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 ACWI Materials	MSCI ACWI	MSCI Emerging Markets
2024	-7.73	18.02	8.05
2023	12.66	22.81	10.27
2022	-11.13	-17.96	-19.74
2021	15.27	19.04	-2.22
2020	21.47	16.82	18.69
2019	20.72	27.30	18.88
2018	-15.62	-8.93	-14.24
2017	30.19	24.62	37.75
2016	24.16	8.48	11.60
2015	-15.78	-1.84	-14.60
2014	-7.08	4.71	-1.82
2013	-0.27	23.44	-2.27
2012	11.50	16.80	18.63
2011	-21.18	-6.86	-18.17

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

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since Dec 30, 1994	FUNDAMENTALS (APR 30, 2025)			
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr			Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI ACWI Materials	1.19	1.11	-2.25	6.09	0.46	10.56	5.99	6.21		2.62	20.03	15.31	1.91
MSCI ACWI	0.98	-3.51	12.34	-0.25	10.80	13.59	9.18	8.09		1.95	20.24	17.16	3.06
MSCI Emerging Markets	1.34	2.54	9.60	4.39	4.33	6.78	3.48	5.43		2.71	14.46	11.86	1.80

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (APR 30, 2025)

	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}				Since Dec 30, 1994	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr			(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI ACWI Materials	5.34	20.57	19.30	19.15	-0.09	0.48	0.30	0.27		68.24	2008-05-19–2008-11-20
MSCI ACWI	2.60	15.45	15.25	14.82	0.46	0.74	0.54	0.41		58.06	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI Emerging Markets	5.74	17.25	16.26	16.96	0.08	0.32	0.17	0.23		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

* DM countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US. EM countries include: Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey and United Arab Emirates.

The MSCI ACWI Materials Index was launched on Sep 15, 1999. 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

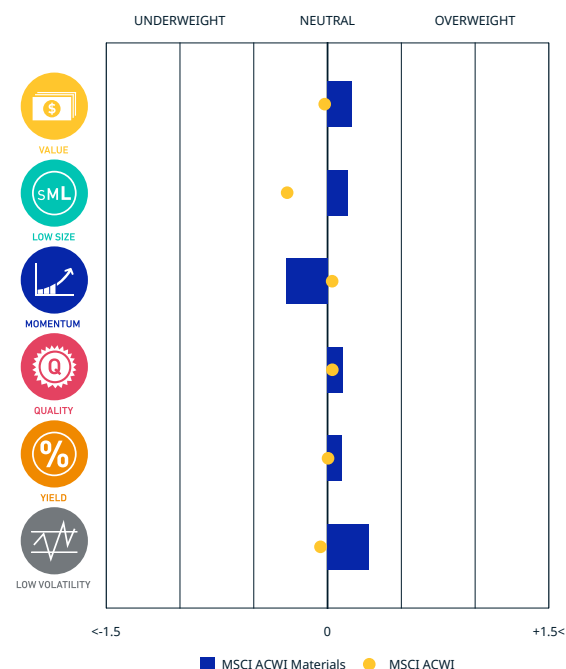
MSCI ACWI Materials	
Number of Constituents	224
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	2,789,082.73
Largest	215,809.05
Smallest	112.25
Average	12,451.26
Median	5,126.63

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)
LINDE (NEW)	US	215.81	7.74
BHP GROUP (AU)	AU	123.99	4.45
AIR LIQUIDE	FR	118.69	4.26
SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO	US	84.44	3.03
RIO TINTO PLC (GB)	GB	66.98	2.40
CRH (US)	US	64.82	2.32
ECOLAB	US	64.08	2.30
AIR PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS	US	60.29	2.16
NEWMONT CORP	US	59.97	2.15
AGNICO EAGLE MINES	CA	58.83	2.11
Total		917.89	32.91

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



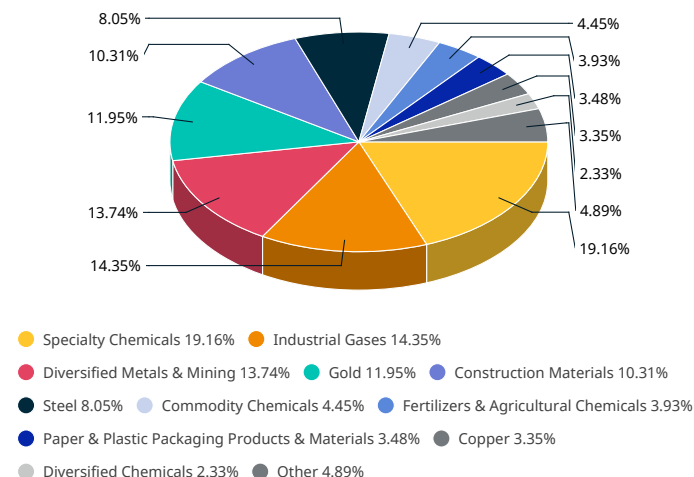
MSCI FaCS

- 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

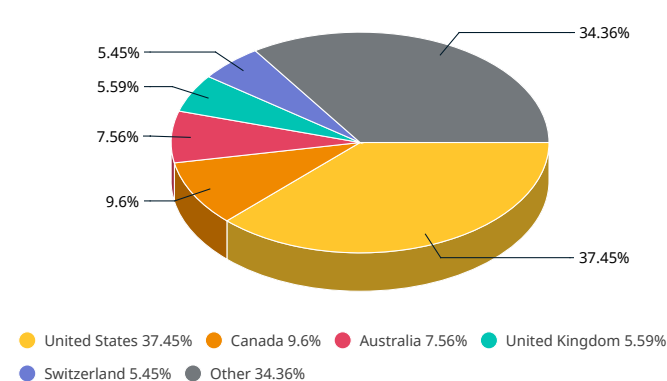
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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

SUB-INDUSTRY WEIGHTS



COUNTRY WEIGHTS



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

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