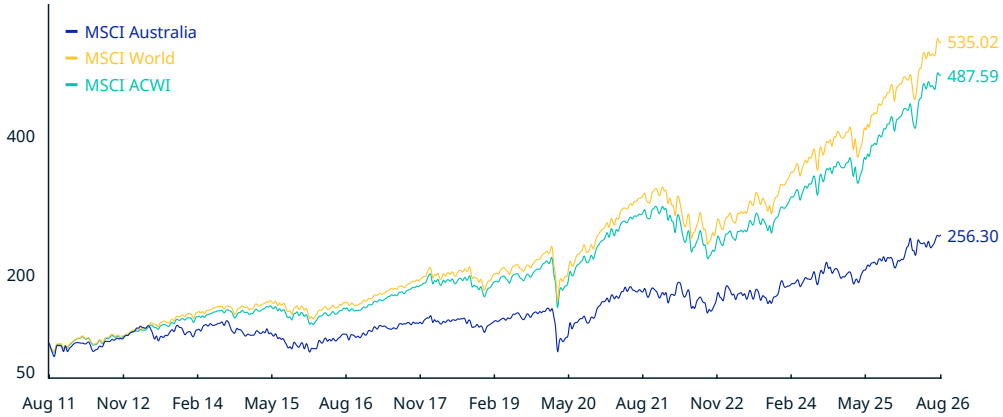
MSCI Australia Index (USD)

The MSCI Australia Index is designed to measure the performance of the large and mid cap segments of the Australia market. With 47 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in Australia.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (USD) (AUG 2011 – AUG 2026)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Australia	MSCI World	MSCI ACWI
2025	14.74	21.09	22.34
2024	1.23	18.67	17.49
2023	14.79	23.79	22.20
2022	-5.25	-18.14	-18.36
2021	9.41	21.82	18.54
2020	8.73	15.90	16.25
2019	22.92	27.67	26.60
2018	-11.99	-8.71	-9.41
2017	19.93	22.40	23.97
2016	11.45	7.51	7.86
2015	-9.95	-0.87	-2.36
2014	-3.41	4.94	4.16
2013	4.16	26.68	22.80
2012	22.07	15.83	16.13

INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (%) (AUG 31, 2026)

					ANNUALIZED							
	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI Australia	2.43	4.07	14.70	16.24	14.76	7.75	8.86	9.13	3.43	20.39	18.82	2.74
MSCI World	2.58	2.36	20.37	13.10	20.11	11.21	13.01	7.53	1.50	23.20	18.55	4.12
MSCI ACWI	2.67	1.92	22.35	14.31	20.48	10.88	12.58	7.48	1.56	21.85	16.87	3.80

FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 31, 2026)

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (AUG 31, 2026)

		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 Dec 29, 2000	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Australia	2.62	17.13	20.08	19.59	0.63	0.29	0.41	na	65.60	2007-11-01—2009-03-09
MSCI World	2.95	12.24	15.21	14.86	1.20	0.54	0.74	na	57.82	2007-10-31—2009-03-09
MSCI ACWI	3.21	12.39	15.07	14.71	1.21	0.52	0.72	0.41	58.38	2007-10-31—2009-03-09

[1] Last 12 months [2] Based on monthly net returns data [3] Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

The MSCI Australia Index was launched on Mar 31, 1986. 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

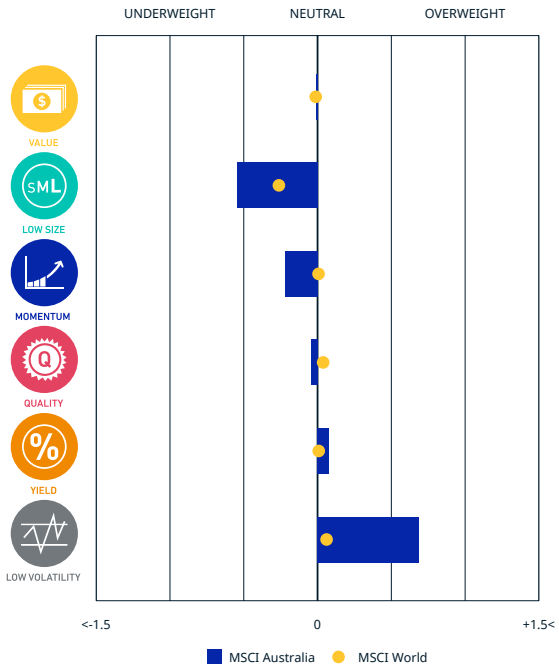
	MSCI Australia
Number of Constituents	47
	Mkt Cap (USD Millions)
Index	1,496,776.45
Largest	241,181.80
Smallest	5,005.53
Average	31,846.31
Median	14,636.07

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
BHP GROUP (AU)	241.18	16.11	Materials
COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUS	191.77	12.81	Financials
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK	84.92	5.67	Financials
WESTPAC BANKING	84.69	5.66	Financials
ANZ GROUP HOLDINGS	80.36	5.37	Financials
MACQUARIE GROUP	65.02	4.34	Financials
WESFARMERS	64.63	4.32	Cons Discr
CSL	59.67	3.99	Health Care
RIO TINTO LTD (AU)	46.58	3.11	Materials
WOODSIDE ENERGY GROUP	44.17	2.95	Energy
Total	963.00	64.34	

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

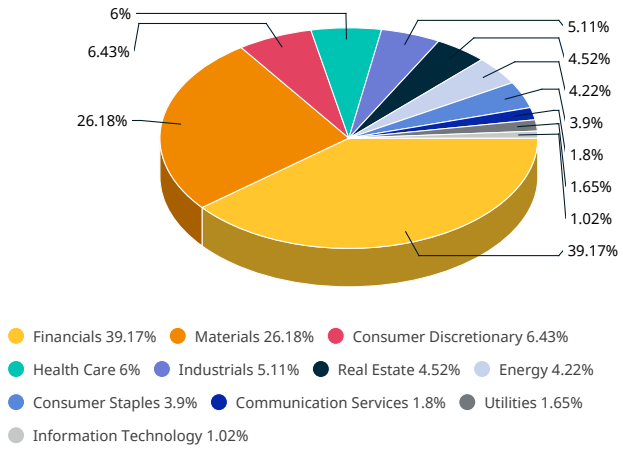
YIELD
Cash Flow Paid Out

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



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

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