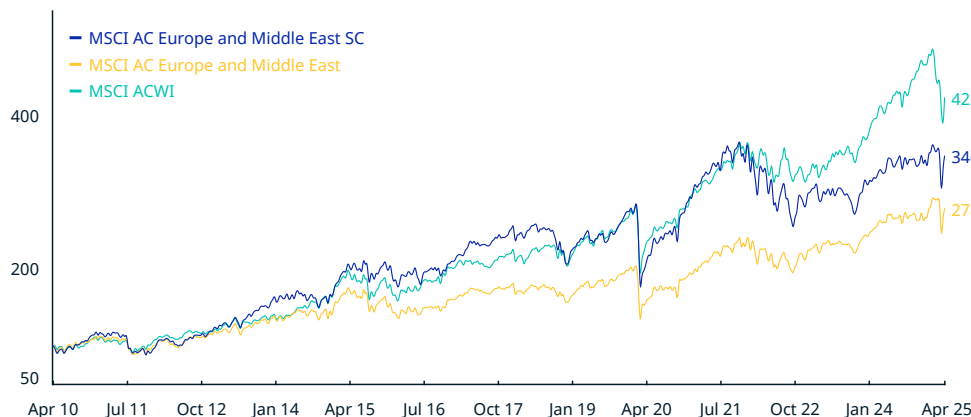


MSCI AC Europe and Middle East Small Cap Index (EUR)

The MSCI AC Europe and Middle East Small Cap Index captures small cap representation across 23 Markets countries in Europe and the Middle East*. With 1,169 constituents, the index covers approximately 14% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization across each Market country in Europe and the Middle East.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (EUR) (APR 2010 – APR 2025)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI AC Europe and Middle East SC	MSCI AC Europe and Middle East	MSCI ACWI
2024	8.00	9.25	25.33
2023	12.01	15.20	18.06
2022	-21.27	-11.19	-13.01
2021	24.74	25.63	27.54
2020	4.54	-4.00	6.65
2019	31.67	25.70	28.93
2018	-15.36	-10.18	-4.85
2017	18.67	9.65	8.89
2016	1.84	3.13	11.09
2015	22.72	7.81	8.76
2014	5.77	5.80	18.61
2013	31.93	18.24	17.49
2012	27.41	17.31	14.35
2011	-18.42	-9.00	-4.25

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

					ANNUALIZED			
	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since May 31, 2007
MSCI AC Europe and Middle East SC	1.16	-2.32	6.02	1.52	2.46	9.61	5.71	5.30
MSCI AC Europe and Middle East	-1.01	-1.74	6.95	4.42	7.74	11.42	5.19	3.97
MSCI ACWI	-4.09	-11.88	5.20	-9.28	7.56	12.23	8.47	7.21

FUNDAMENTALS (APR 30, 2025)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
3.26	15.32	12.43	1.49
3.21	15.14	13.61	2.06
1.95	20.24	17.16	3.06

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (APR 30, 2025)

	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since May 31, 2007	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI AC Europe and Middle East SC	12.67	16.59	16.17	16.61	0.07	0.57	0.39	0.33	65.38	2007-06-01–2009-03-09
MSCI AC Europe and Middle East	3.66	13.04	13.23	13.74	0.44	0.78	0.40	0.28	58.74	2007-07-16–2009-03-09
MSCI ACWI	2.60	13.97	12.86	13.53	0.41	0.86	0.64	0.52	53.06	2007-06-15–2009-03-09

¹ Last 12 months

² Based on monthly net returns data

³ Based on EMMI EURIBOR 1M from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

* Countries in Europe and the Middle East include: Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and the UK.

The MSCI AC Europe and Middle East Small Cap Index was launched on Jun 01, 2007. 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

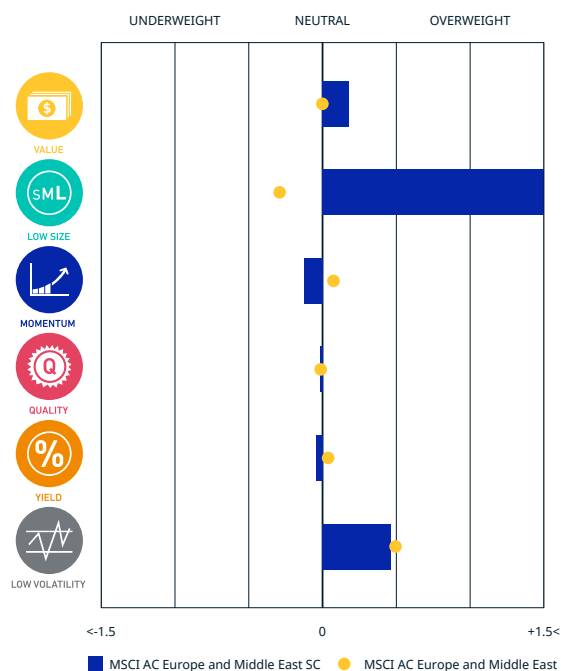
MSCI AC Europe and Middle East SC	
Number of Constituents	1,169
Mkt Cap (EUR Millions)	
Index	1,410,084.60
Largest	7,604.55
Smallest	87.18
Average	1,206.23
Median	815.29

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (EUR Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
BAWAG GROUP	AT	7.60	0.54	Financials
BELIMO HOLDING	CH	7.35	0.52	Industrials
PSP SWISS PROPERTY	CH	7.21	0.51	Real Estate
BANKINTER	ES	6.90	0.49	Financials
WEIR GROUP	GB	6.86	0.49	Industrials
RIGHTMOVE GROUP	GB	6.79	0.48	Comm Svcs
BEAZLEY	GB	6.64	0.47	Financials
INTERMEDIATE CAPITAL GRP	GB	6.41	0.45	Financials
DIPLOMA	GB	6.25	0.44	Industrials
SPIE	FR	6.18	0.44	Industrials
Total		68.20	4.84	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



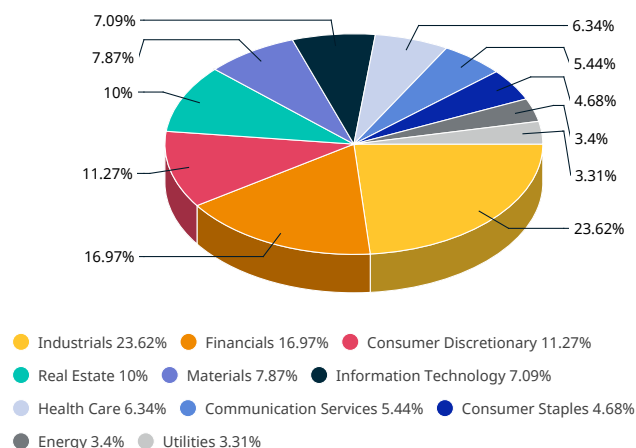
MSCI FaCS

- 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

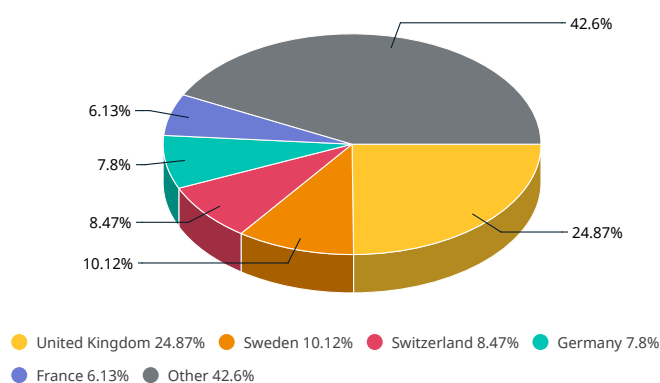
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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

SECTOR WEIGHTS



COUNTRY WEIGHTS



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

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