# **MSCI Pacific ex Japan Small Cap Index (USD)**

The MSCI Pacific ex Japan Small Cap Index captures small cap representation across 4 of 5 Developed Markets (DM) countries\* in the Pacific region--excluding Japan. With 287 constituents, the index covers approximately 14% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country.

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 Pacific ex Japan Small Cap	MSCI World Small Cap	MSCI ACWI IMI
2024	-0.67	8.65	16.89
2023	4.79	16.34	22.18
2022	-15.45	-18.37	-18.00
2021	11.19	16.18	18.71
2020	19.74	16.47	16.81
2019	18.51	26.78	27.04
2018	-15.92	-13.48	-9.61
2017	26.30	23.19	24.58
2016	7.77	13.25	8.96
2015	-8.59	0.12	-1.68
2014	-6.43	2.32	4.36
2013	-0.43	32.92	24.17
2012	19.76	18.14	17.04
2011	-19.75	-8.71	-7.43

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

#### **FUNDAMENTALS (APR 30, 2025)**

					ANNUALIZED								
	1 Mo	3 Мо	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr <sub>D</sub>	Since Dec 29, 2000	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV	
MSCI Pacific ex Japan Small Cap	3.16	-1.44	3.92	2.56	-1.39	8.45	3.39	8.07	3.65	28.40	15.60	1.26	_
MSCI World Small Cap	0.74	-6.17	6.40	-2.90	5.09	11.27	7.00	8.68	2.31	21.14	15.10	1.64	
MSCI ACWI IMI	0.98	-3.71	11.56	-0.53	10.15	13.37	8.90	7.16	1.99	20.35	16.89	2.79	

# INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (APR 30, 2025)

		ANNUA	ALIZED STD D	EV (%) 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 Pacific ex Japan Small Cap	23.83	20.03	19.38	19.66	-0.19	0.38	0.17	0.38	73.54	2007-11-01-2009-03-09	
MSCI World Small Cap	12.59	19.30	18.44	18.00	0.13	0.53	0.36	0.45	61.08	2007-07-13-2009-03-09	
MSCI ACWI IMI	2.30	15.64	15.40	15.04	0.42	0.72	0.51	0.40	58.28	2007-10-31-2009-03-09	
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<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

The MSCI Pacific ex Japan Small Cap Index was launched on Jan 01, 2001. 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.



<sup>\*</sup> DM countries in the MSCI Pacific ex Japan Small Cap Index include: Australia, Hong Kong, New Zealand and Singapore.

APR 30, 2025 Index Factsheet

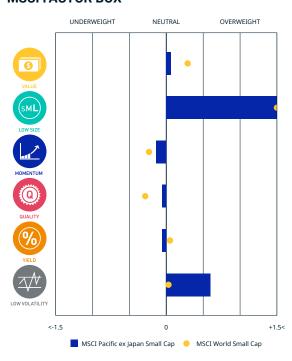
#### INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

	MSCI Pacific ex Japan Small Cap					
Number of	287					
Constituents						
	Mkt Cap ( USD Millions)					
Index	405,120.28					
Largest	9,966.66					
Smallest	104.59					
Average	1,411.57					
Median	971.34					

#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Float Adj Mkt Cap ( USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
EVOLUTION MINING	9.97	2.46	Materials
JB HI-FI	7.25	1.79	Cons Discr
MIRVAC GROUP	5.76	1.42	Real Estate
TECHNOLOGY ONE	5.67	1.40	Info Tech
ALS	5.33	1.32	Industrials
DEXUS	5.18	1.28	Real Estate
CHARTER HALL GROUP	5.11	1.26	Real Estate
ORICA	5.06	1.25	Materials
SEEK	4.87	1.20	Comm Srvcs
NEXTDC	4.85	1.20	Info Tech
Total	59.04	14.57	

# 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



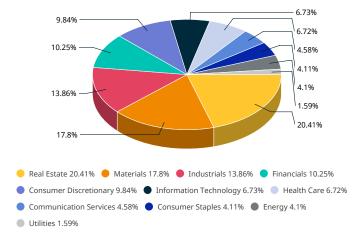
LOW VOLATILITY
Lower Risk Stocks

MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a

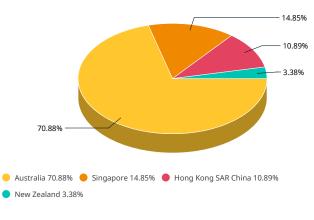
broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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

#### **SECTOR WEIGHTS**



### **COUNTRY WEIGHTS**





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### 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.

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