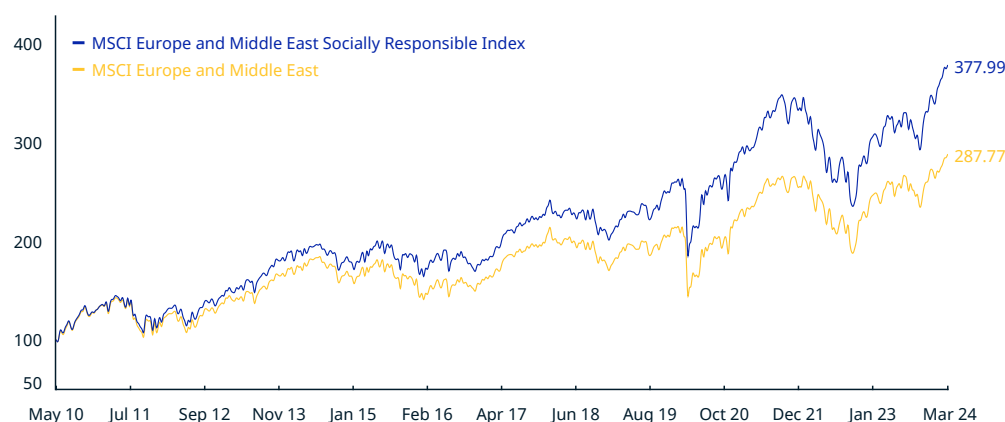


# MSCI Europe and Middle East SRI Index (USD)

The MSCI Europe and Middle East SRI Index is based on the MSCI Europe and Middle East Index, its parent index, which includes large and mid cap stocks in the developed markets countries\* of Europe and the Middle East. The index is a capitalization weighted index that provides exposure to companies with outstanding Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) ratings and excludes companies whose products have negative social or environmental impacts. The Index is designed for investors seeking a diversified Socially Responsible Investment (SRI) benchmark comprised of companies with strong sustainability profiles while avoiding companies incompatible with values screens. Constituent selection is based on research provided by MSCI ESG Research.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAY 2010 – MAR 2024)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Europe and Middle East Socially Responsible Index	MSCI Europe and Middle East
2023	23.81	20.56
2022	-18.76	-14.67
2021	19.28	16.95
2020	11.22	6.01
2019	28.41	24.45
2018	-11.07	-14.26
2017	27.20	25.97
2016	-2.17	-0.09
2015	3.55	-2.22
2014	-6.44	-5.49
2013	30.67	25.85
2012	21.31	19.69
2011	-7.63	-10.71

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

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 26, 2010	FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 29, 2024)			
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr			Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI Europe and Middle East Socially Responsible Index	3.22	8.79	20.26	8.79	8.36	11.02	7.06	10.08		2.39	22.59	19.30	3.44
MSCI Europe and Middle East	3.84	5.46	14.93	5.46	6.80	8.57	5.02	7.93		3.12	15.09	13.71	2.10

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 26, 2010 – MAR 29, 2024)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since May 26, 2010	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Europe and Middle East Socially Responsible Index	0.96	3.03	26.99	18.94	19.07	15.99	0.38	0.54	0.42	0.57	33.39	2021-09-06–2022-09-27
MSCI Europe and Middle East	1.00	0.00	3.36	18.23	19.41	16.32	0.31	0.42	0.29	0.45	35.60	2020-01-17–2020-03-23

<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 ESG Indexes use ratings and other data supplied by MSCI ESG Research Inc, a subsidiary of MSCI Inc.

\* Developed Markets countries in Europe and the Middle East include: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Israel, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK.

The MSCI Europe and Middle East SRI Index was launched on Jun 28, 2011. 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

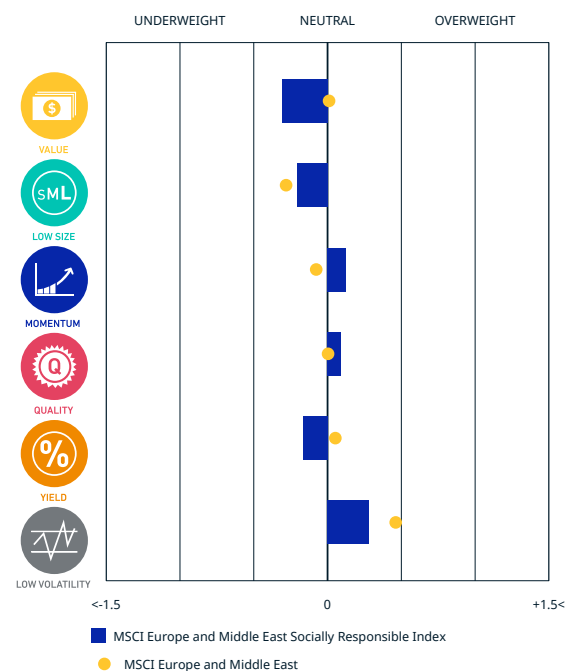
	MSCI Europe and Middle East Socially Responsible Index	MSCI Europe and Middle East
<b>Number of Constituents</b>	113	435
	<b>Weight (%)</b>	
<b>Largest</b>	13.39	3.73
<b>Smallest</b>	0.09	0.02
<b>Average</b>	0.88	0.23
<b>Median</b>	0.44	0.10

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
NOVO NORDISK B	DK	13.39	3.73	Health Care
ASML HLDG	NL	12.49	3.48	Info Tech
UNILEVER PLC (GB)	GB	4.04	1.13	Cons Staples
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC	FR	3.96	1.10	Industrials
L'OREAL	FR	3.66	1.02	Cons Staples
RELX (GB)	GB	2.62	0.73	Industrials
HERMES INTERNATIONAL	FR	2.60	0.73	Cons Discr
ZURICH INSURANCE GROUP	CH	2.54	0.71	Financials
AXA	FR	2.20	0.61	Financials
MUENCHENER RUECKVERSICH	DE	2.14	0.60	Financials
<b>Total</b>		<b>49.64</b>	<b>13.84</b>	

## FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

## MSCI FACTOR BOX



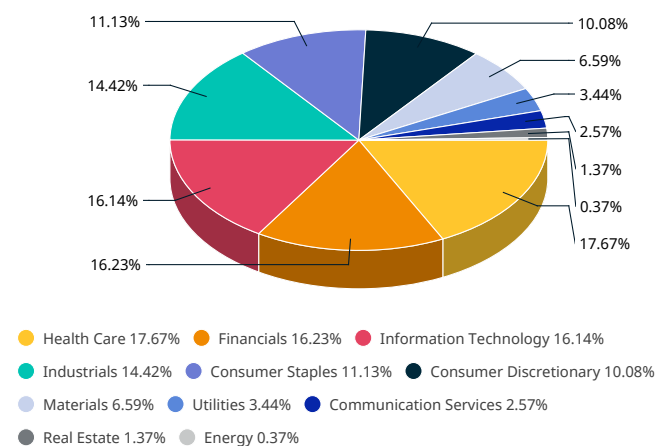
## MSCI FaCS

- 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

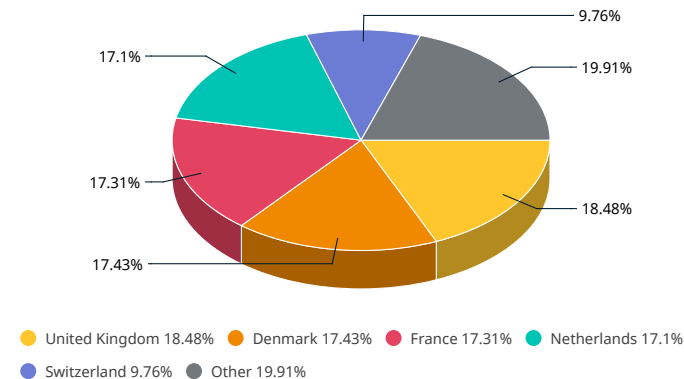
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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