

# MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic Index (USD)

The MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic Index reflects Sharia investment principles and is designed to measure the performance of the large and mid cap segments across Developed Markets (DM) – excluding Japan – and the Emerging Markets (EM) markets\* in the Asia market that are relevant for Islamic investors. The index, with 327 constituents, applies stringent screens to exclude securities based on two types of criteria: business activities and financial ratios derived from total assets.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAY 2011 – MAY 2026)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic	MSCI AC Asia ex Japan
2025	43.17	33.02
2024	-2.37	12.51
2023	13.04	6.34
2022	-18.68	-19.35
2021	1.72	-4.46
2020	27.05	25.36
2019	21.85	18.52
2018	-16.68	-14.12
2017	46.53	42.08
2016	4.82	5.76
2015	-9.60	-8.90
2014	3.84	5.11
2013	-2.07	3.33
2012	19.70	22.70

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (MAY 29, 2026)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 31, 2007
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic	26.29	32.57	129.96	71.44	37.48	16.46	15.88	9.14	
MSCI AC Asia ex Japan	11.26	11.67	57.45	27.94	26.59	8.03	11.69	7.23	

## FUNDAMENTALS (MAY 29, 2026)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
1.11	24.78	11.60	3.30
1.61	20.55	12.88	2.60

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 2007 – MAY 29, 2026)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2, 3</sup>			Since May 31, 2007	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic	1.00	7.38	49.52	29.96	26.41	21.88	1.06	0.57	0.67	0.43	65.42	2007-10-29–2008-10-27
MSCI AC Asia ex Japan	1.00	0.00	4.32	18.94	20.29	18.08	1.10	0.31	0.57	0.36	65.40	2007-10-29–2008-10-27

<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

\*Please refer to MSCI Islamic Index Series Methodology for a list of markets MSCI considers for the MSCI Islamic Index Series.

The MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic Index was launched on Jul 26, 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**

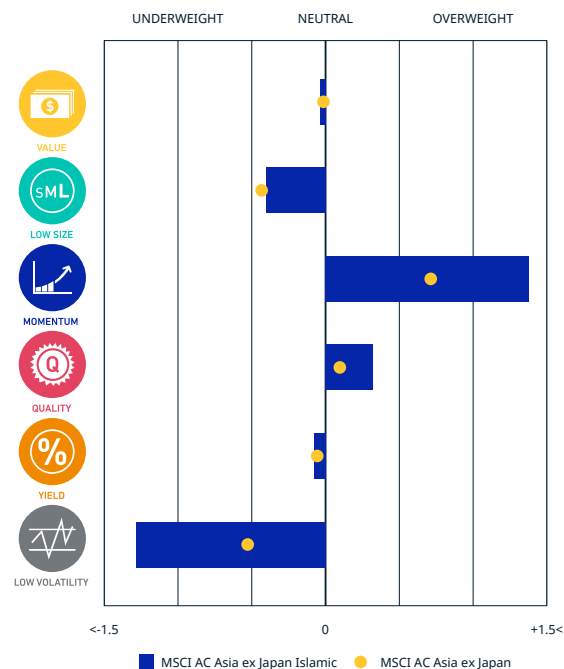
	MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic	MSCI AC Asia ex Japan
<b>Number of Constituents</b>	327	1,022
	Weight (%)	
<b>Largest</b>	20.40	16.13
<b>Smallest</b>	0.00	0.00
<b>Average</b>	0.31	0.10
<b>Median</b>	0.07	0.02

**TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
SK HYNIX	KR	20.40	7.36	Info Tech
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO	KR	15.59	8.68	Info Tech
MEDIATEK INC	TW	5.06	1.83	Info Tech
DELTA ELECTRONICS	TW	3.67	1.32	Info Tech
HON HAI PRECISION IND CO	TW	2.80	1.01	Info Tech
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES	IN	2.04	0.74	Energy
SAMSUNG ELECTRO-MECH. CO	KR	1.91	0.69	Info Tech
SK SQUARE CO	KR	1.83	0.66	Industrials
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS PREF	KR	1.72	0.96	Info Tech
ASE TECHNOLOGY HOLDING	TW	1.57	0.57	Info Tech
<b>Total</b>		<b>56.57</b>	<b>23.81</b>	

**FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN**

**MSCI FACTOR BOX**



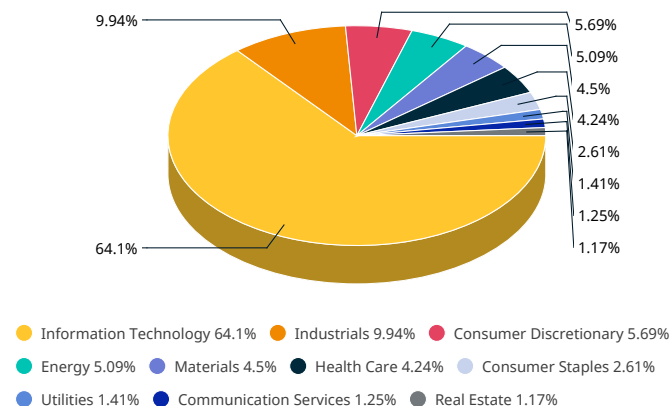
**MSCI FaCS**

- 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

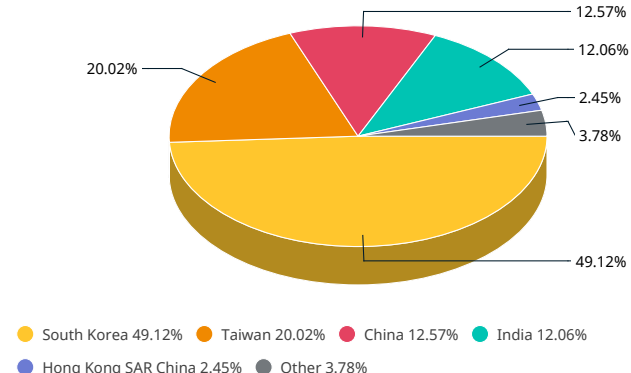
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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](#))**

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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