MSCI World ex Australia Risk Weighted Index (USD)

The MSCI World ex Australia Risk Weighted Index is based on the MSCI World ex Australia Index, its parent index, which includes large and mid cap stocks across 22 Developed Markets (DM) countries*. Constructed using a simple, but effective and transparent process, the MSCI World ex Australia Risk Weighted Index reweights each security of the parent index so that stocks with lower risk are given higher index weights. Historically the index has exhibited lower realized volatility in comparison to its parent index, while maintaining reasonable liquidity and capacity.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAY 2010 – MAY 2025)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	World ex AU Risk Weighted	MSCI World ex Australia
2024	7.35	19.56
2023	14.92	24.64
2022	-13.73	-17.99
2021	15.73	22.63
2020	6.17	16.67
2019	24.58	28.53
2018	-8.71	-8.11
2017	22.51	23.15
2016	8.43	8.06
2015	0.08	-0.05
2014	6.92	5.78
2013	25.17	28.27
2012	13.92	16.32
2011	-2.69	-4.78

INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (MAY 30, 2025)

FUNDAMENTALS (MAY 30, 2025)

					ANNUALIZED							
	1 Mo	3 Мо	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr _N	Since lov 30, 1979	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
World ex AU Risk Weighted	3.56	6.79	16.21	12.40	9.80	11.24	7.76	11.52	2.86	18.30	15.44	1.98
MSCI World ex Australia	6.02	2.19	14.30	5.12	13.88	14.77	10.60	10.55	1.74	22.52	19.14	3.51

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (NOV 30, 1979 - MAY 30, 2025)

				ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2		SHARPE RATIO 2,3				MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN		
	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) ¹	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Nov 30, 1979	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
World ex AU Risk Weighted	0.86	5.25	20.26	15.08	14.50	14.11	0.40	0.62	0.46	na	54.16	2007-10-31-2009-03-09
MSCI World ex Australia	1.00	0.00	2.38	16.06	15.78	15.09	0.62	0.78	0.61	na	57.21	2007-10-31-2009-03-09
	1 Last	12 months Based on monthly gross returns data Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date										

The MSCI World ex Australia Risk Weighted 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.



^{*} DM countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US.

MAY 30, 2025 Index Factsheet

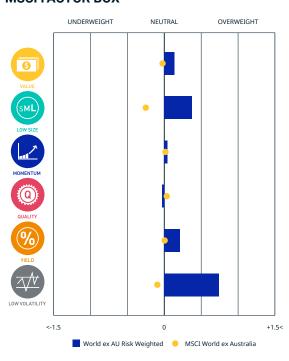
INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

	World ex AU Risk Weighted	MSCI World ex Australia					
Number of	1,305	1,305					
Constituents							
	Weight (%)						
Largest	0.33	4.64					
Smallest	0.00	0.00					
Average	0.08	0.08					
Median	0.07	0.03					

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
SOFTBANK CORP	JP	0.33	0.06	Comm Srvcs
SINGAPORE EXCHANGE	SG	0.32	0.01	Financials
KONINKLIJKE KPN	NL	0.32	0.03	Comm Srvcs
SWISS PRIME SITE	CH	0.29	0.02	Real Estate
SWISSCOM	CH	0.28	0.03	Comm Srvcs
TMX GROUP (NEW)	CA	0.27	0.02	Financials
SINGAPORE TECH ENGR	SG	0.26	0.01	Industrials
INTACT FINANCIAL	CA	0.24	0.06	Financials
NESTLE	CH	0.23	0.39	Cons Staples
BANQUE CANTONALE VAUDOIS	CH	0.23	0.00	Financials
Total		2.76	0.62	

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



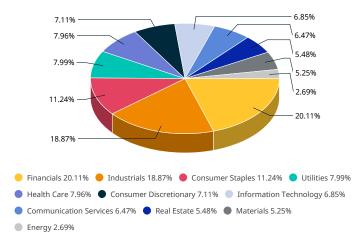
LOW VOLATILITY
Lower Risk Stocks

MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a

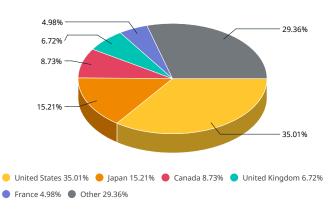
broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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