

# MSCI South Africa Value Index (USD)

The **MSCI South Africa Value Index** captures large and mid cap South African securities exhibiting overall value style characteristics. The value investment style characteristics for index construction are defined using three variables: book value to price, 12-month forward earnings to price and dividend yield.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAR 2009 – MAR 2024)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI South Africa Value	MSCI South Africa
2023	0.02	2.29
2022	0.33	-3.04
2021	17.10	4.28
2020	-25.82	-3.52
2019	-1.37	10.71
2018	-22.63	-24.31
2017	16.84	36.84
2016	28.31	18.41
2015	-34.57	-25.13
2014	-2.23	5.69
2013	-9.49	-5.78
2012	16.70	19.01
2011	-17.56	-14.36
2010	38.05	34.21

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

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since Dec 31, 1996	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr						
MSCI South Africa Value	0.31	-13.93	-8.89	-13.93	-2.95	-5.64	-6.37	3.67		6.37	8.16	7.31	1.10
MSCI South Africa	4.83	-6.72	-4.19	-6.72	-4.93	-0.29	-0.47	5.65		3.92	12.31	9.35	1.57

## FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 29, 2024)

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAR 29, 2024)

	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since Dec 31, 1996	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI South Africa Value	32.61	28.51	32.70	28.61	-0.06	-0.06	-0.13	0.19	74.98	2011-05-02–2020-03-23
MSCI South Africa	6.21	26.36	27.87	24.93	-0.16	0.06	0.05	0.26	63.40	2007-11-08–2008-10-24

<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 South Africa Value Index was launched on Dec 08, 1997. 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

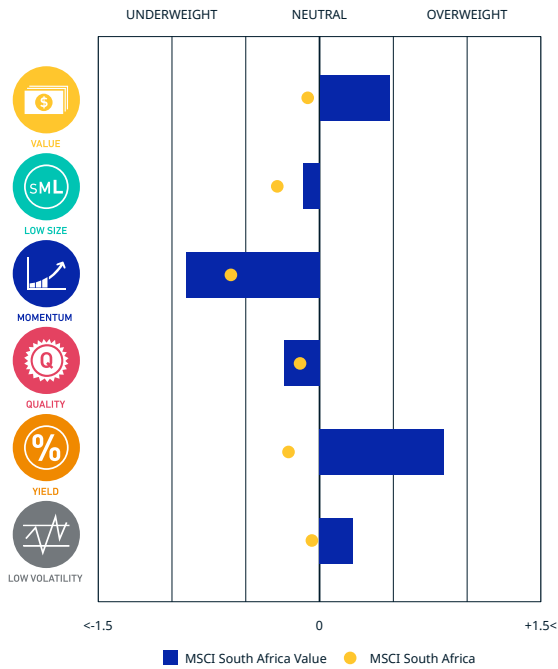
MSCI South Africa Value	
Number of Constituents	21
Mkt Cap ( USD Millions)	
Index	95,036.07
Largest	16,457.66
Smallest	942.06
Average	4,525.53
Median	3,244.12

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Float Adj Mkt Cap ( USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
FIRSTRAND	16.46	17.32	Financials
STANDARD BANK GROUP	13.11	13.80	Financials
MTN GROUP	8.39	8.83	Comm Srvcs
ABSA GROUP	6.65	6.99	Financials
SANLAM	6.46	6.80	Financials
NEDBANK GROUP	5.30	5.58	Financials
SASOL	4.44	4.68	Materials
ASPEN PHARMACARE HLDGS	4.39	4.62	Health Care
NEPI ROCKCASTLE	3.88	4.08	Real Estate
IMPALA PLATINUM HOLDINGS	3.74	3.94	Materials
Total	72.83	76.64	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



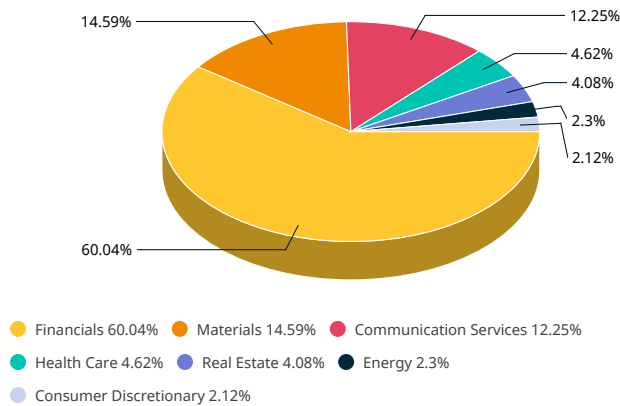
MSCI FaCS

- 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



## 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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