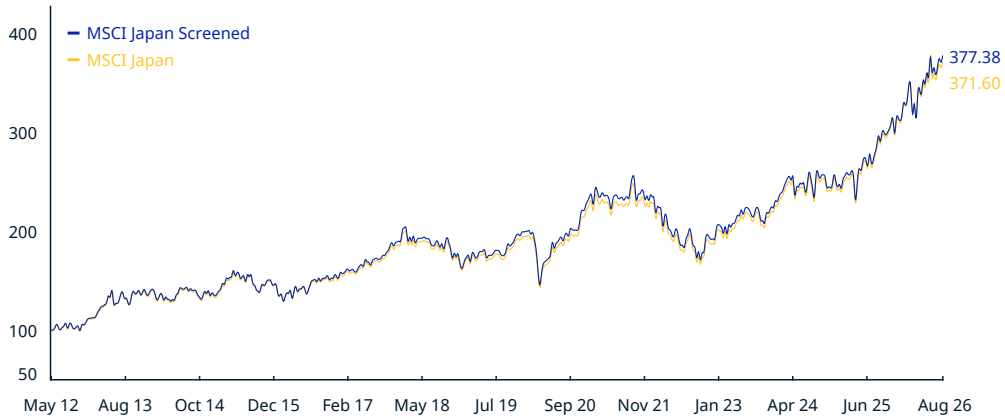
# MSCI Japan Screened Index (USD)

The MSCI Japan Screened Index is based on the MSCI Japan Index, its parent index, and includes large and mid-cap securities of the Japanese equity markets. The index excludes companies from the parent index that are associated with controversial, civilian and nuclear weapons as well as tobacco, palm oil and arctic oil & gas or Companies that derive revenues from thermal coal power and extraction of select fossil fuels or Companies that are not in compliance with the United Nations Global Compact principles or Companies that are involved in Red Flag Controversies, Orange Flag Land Use and Biodiversity controversies or Orange Flag Supply Chain Management controversies In addition, the Indexes target a minimum 30% reduction in carbon emission intensity relative to the underlying Parent Indexes.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (USD) (MAY 2012 – AUG 2026)




## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

| Year | MSCI Japan Screened | MSCI Japan |
|---|---|---|
| 2025 | 23.63 | 24.60 |
| 2024 | 7.71 | 8.31 |
| 2023 | 19.90 | 20.32 |
| 2022 | -17.04 | -16.65 |
| 2021 | 1.58 | 1.71 |
| 2020 | 15.18 | 14.48 |
| 2019 | 21.02 | 19.61 |
| 2018 | -13.48 | -12.88 |
| 2017 | 24.83 | 23.99 |
| 2016 | 3.10 | 2.38 |
| 2015 | 8.83 | 9.57 |
| 2014 | -3.77 | -4.02 |
| 2013 | 27.39 | 27.16 |

## INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (%) (AUG 31, 2026)

| | | | | | ANNUALIZED | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 Mo | 3 Mo | 1 Yr | YTD | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since May 31, 2012 |
| **MSCI Japan Screened** | 3.49 | 4.45 | 28.43 | 21.82 | 19.78 | 9.74 | 9.64 | 9.76 |
| **MSCI Japan** | 3.35 | 4.07 | 27.82 | 20.88 | 20.00 | 10.05 | 9.58 | 9.64 |

## FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 31, 2026)

| | Div Yld (%) | P/E | P/E Fwd | P/BV |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **MSCI Japan Screened** | 1.69 | 20.07 | 16.52 | 2.08 |
| **MSCI Japan** | 1.72 | 19.50 | 16.38 | 2.03 |

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 2012 – AUG 31, 2026)

| | | | | 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 May 31, 2012 | (%) | Period YYYY-MM-DD |
| **MSCI Japan Screened** | 1.01 | 0.59 | 7.23 | 14.92 | 15.98 | 14.40 | 0.98 | 0.44 | 0.55 | 0.61 | 33.70 | 2021-09-14—2022-10-21 |
| **MSCI Japan** | 1.00 | 0.00 | 5.47 | 14.92 | 15.92 | 14.27 | 1.00 | 0.46 | 0.54 | 0.60 | 33.42 | 2021-09-14—2022-10-21 |

[1] Last 12 months [2] Based on monthly net returns data [3] Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

The MSCI ESG Screened Indexes were renamed the MSCI Screened Indexes as of Feb 3, 2025.

The MSCI Japan Screened Index was launched on Oct 22, 2018. 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

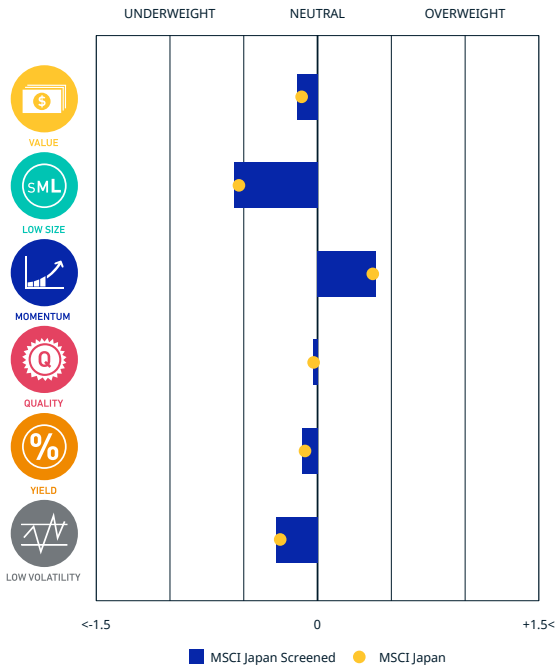
| | MSCI Japan Screened | MSCI Japan |
|---|---|---|
| **Number of Constituents** | 152 | 168 |
| | **Weight (%)** | |
| **Largest** | 4.98 | 4.65 |
| **Smallest** | 0.06 | 0.06 |
| **Average** | 0.66 | 0.60 |
| **Median** | 0.33 | 0.31 |

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

| | Index Wt. (%) | Parent Index Wt. (%) | Sector |
|---|---|---|---|
| MITSUBISHI UFJ FIN GRP | 4.98 | 4.65 | Financials |
| TOYOTA MOTOR CORP | 3.79 | 3.54 | Cons Discr |
| SUMITOMO MITSUI FINL GRP | 3.21 | 3.00 | Financials |
| TOKYO ELECTRON | 3.20 | 2.99 | Info Tech |
| ADVANTEST CORP | 3.12 | 2.92 | Info Tech |
| RECRUIT HOLDINGS CO | 3.06 | 2.85 | Industrials |
| HITACHI | 3.05 | 2.84 | Industrials |
| SONY GROUP CORP | 2.97 | 2.77 | Cons Discr |
| MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP | 2.58 | 2.41 | Financials |
| SOFTBANK GROUP CORP | 2.45 | 2.28 | Comm Srvcs |
| Total | 32.42 | 30.25 | |

## 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**

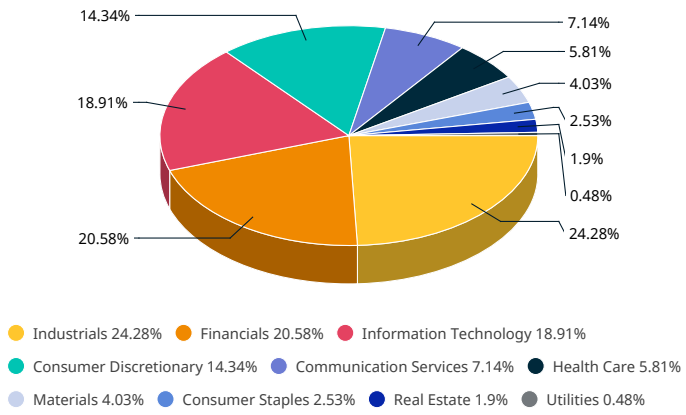
**YIELD**
**Cash Flow Paid Out**

**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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