# **MSCI Frontier Markets Asia Index (USD)**

The MSCI Frontier Markets (FM) Asia Index captures large and mid cap representation across 4 Asian Markets countries\*. The index includes 104 constituents, covering about 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country.

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

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



# **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

Year	MSCI FM Asia Index	MSCI Frontier Markets	MSCI ACWI			
2024	3.78	9.92	18.02			
2023	7.90	12.17	22.81			
2022	-42.23	-26.05	-17.96			
2021	22.26	20.09	19.04			
2020	13.75	1.65	16.82			
2019	4.27	18.34	27.30			
2018	-12.87	-16.20	-8.93			
2017	45.82	32.32	24.62			
2016	14.97	3.16	8.48			
2015	-13.34	-14.07	-1.84			
2014	16.64	7.21	4.71			
2013	18.29	26.32	23.44			
2012	11.35	9.25	16.80			
2011	-31.80	-18.38	-6.86			

# INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (AUG 29, 2025)

### **FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 29, 2025)**

					ANNUALIZED								
	1 Mo	3 Мо	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr <sub>M</sub>	Since lay 29, 2009	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV	
MSCI FM Asia Index	10.92	31.28	42.77	41.13	7.13	6.36	5.87	6.23	1.96	14.73	na	1.96	
MSCI Frontier Markets	6.31	19.93	35.98	36.67	14.93	10.89	7.12	6.38	3.50	12.05	na	1.83	
MSCI ACWI	2.51	8.64	16.33	14.67	18.22	12.52	11.66	11.30	1.75	22.55	19.04	3.43	

## **INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (AUG 29, 2025)**

		ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2			SHARPE RATIO 2,3				MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN		
_	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since May 29, 2009	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD	
MSCI FM Asia Index	11.72	22.44	20.13	19.87	0.21	0.26	0.28	0.34	47.94	2022-01-04-2022-11-15	
MSCI Frontier Markets	9.23	13.20	12.71	14.19	0.77	0.65	0.41	0.42	34.12	2018-01-22-2020-03-23	
MSCI ACWI	2.51	14.10	15.10	14.71	0.93	0.67	0.68	0.72	33.69	2020-02-12-2020-03-23	

<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

<sup>\*</sup> FM Asia countries include: Bangladesh, Pakistan, Sri Lanka and Vietnam.



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#### **INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

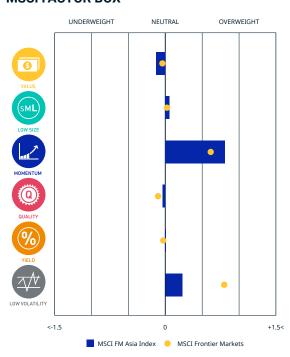
MSCI FM Asia Index	
104	
Mkt Cap ( USD Millions)	
62,089.97	
5,586.36	
56.14	
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#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Float Adj Mkt Cap	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
	( USD Billions)		
VINGROUP JSC	5.59	9.00	Real Estate
VINHOMES JSC	4.07	6.56	Real Estate
HOA PHAT GROUP JSC	3.93	6.32	Materials
MASAN GROUP CORP	2.27	3.65	Cons Staples
SSI SECURITIES CORP	2.20	3.55	Financials
VIETCOMBANK	2.18	3.50	Financials
VIX SECURITIES	1.97	3.18	Financials
VIETNAM DAIRY PRODUCT	1.67	2.70	Cons Staples
FPT CORP	1.64	2.65	Info Tech
VIETNAM PROSPERITY BANK	1.58	2.55	Financials
Total	27.10	43.64	

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# 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



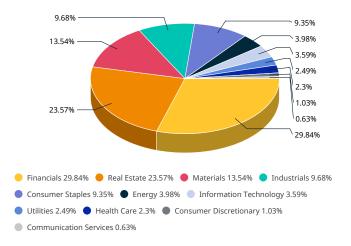
LOW VOLATILITY
Lower Risk Stocks

MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a

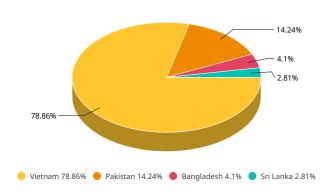
broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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