

MSCI AC Asia Index (USD)

The MSCI AC Asia Index captures large and mid cap representation across Developed Markets countries and Emerging Markets countries in Asia*. With 1,203 constituents, the index covers approximately 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 – NET RETURNS (USD) (MAR 2010 – MAR 2025)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI AC Asia	MSCI ACWI	MSCI World
2024	10.63	17.49	18.67
2023	11.07	22.20	23.79
2022	-18.61	-18.36	-18.14
2021	-2.49	18.54	21.82
2020	20.92	16.25	15.90
2019	18.83	26.60	27.67
2018	-13.73	-9.41	-8.71
2017	33.41	23.97	22.40
2016	3.93	7.86	7.51
2015	-0.65	-2.36	-0.87
2014	0.54	4.16	4.94
2013	13.43	22.80	26.68
2012	15.77	16.13	15.83
2011	-15.93	-7.35	-5.54

INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (MAR 31, 2025)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000				
MSCI AC Asia	0.07	1.29	6.11	1.29	3.08	7.74	4.62	4.77	2.34	15.00	13.01	1.64
MSCI ACWI	-3.95	-1.32	7.15	-1.32	6.91	15.18	8.84	6.39	1.92	20.57	17.23	3.10
MSCI World	-4.45	-1.79	7.04	-1.79	7.58	16.13	9.50	6.52	1.83	21.47	18.15	3.38

FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 31, 2025)

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAR 31, 2025)

	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}				MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI AC Asia	4.34	16.70	15.17	14.74	0.01	0.40	0.25	0.25	56.44	2007-11-01–2009-03-09
MSCI ACWI	2.60	16.29	15.84	14.84	0.23	0.81	0.52	0.35	58.38	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI World	2.39	16.74	16.34	15.06	0.27	0.84	0.55	0.36	57.82	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

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

* Developed Markets countries in the index include: Hong Kong, Japan and Singapore. Emerging Markets countries include: China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, Taiwan and Thailand.

INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

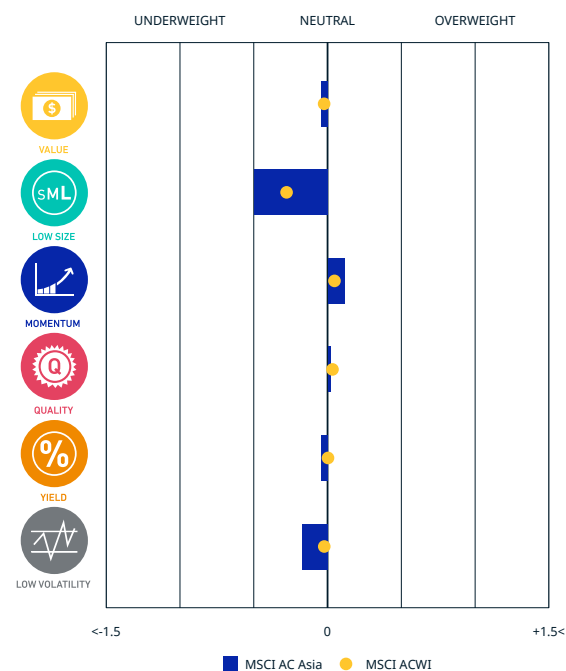
MSCI AC Asia	
Number of Constituents	1,203
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	10,587,174.78
Largest	675,215.66
Smallest	137.31
Average	8,800.64
Median	3,000.09

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MFG	TW	675.22	6.38	Info Tech
TENCENT HOLDINGS LI (CN)	CN	412.51	3.90	Comm Svcs
ALIBABA GRP HLDG (HK)	CN	266.11	2.51	Cons Discr
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO	KR	187.47	1.77	Info Tech
TOYOTA MOTOR CORP	JP	165.79	1.57	Cons Discr
SONY GROUP CORP	JP	154.84	1.46	Cons Discr
MITSUBISHI UFJ FIN GRP	JP	154.17	1.46	Financials
HDFC BANK	IN	121.06	1.14	Financials
HITACHI	JP	107.22	1.01	Industrials
XIAOMI CORP B	CN	104.15	0.98	Info Tech
Total		2,348.52	22.18	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



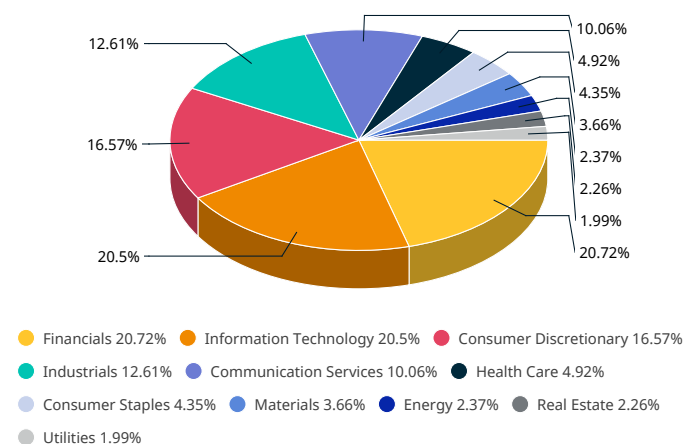
MSCI FaCS

- 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

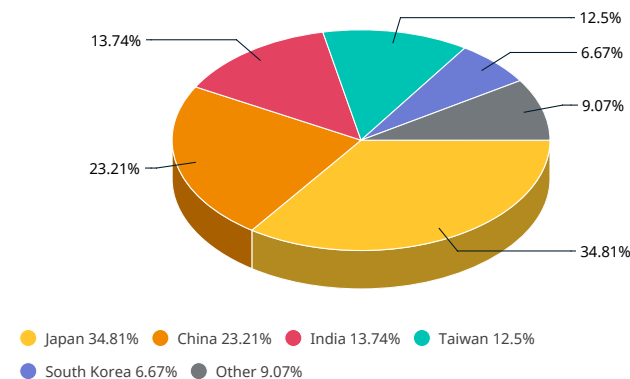
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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