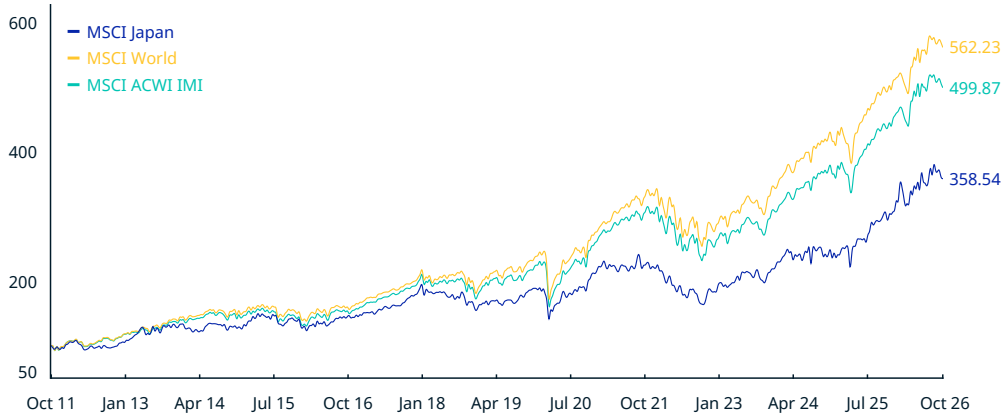
# MSCI Japan Index (USD)

The **MSCI Japan Index** is designed to measure the performance of the large and mid cap segments of the Japanese market. With 167 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in Japan.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (USD) (OCT 2011 – OCT 2026)




## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

| Year | MSCI Japan | MSCI World | MSCI ACWI IMI |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2025 | 25.05 | 21.60 | 22.60 |
| 2024 | 8.68 | 19.19 | 16.89 |
| 2023 | 20.77 | 24.42 | 22.18 |
| 2022 | -16.31 | -17.73 | -18.00 |
| 2021 | 2.04 | 22.35 | 18.71 |
| 2020 | 14.91 | 16.50 | 16.81 |
| 2019 | 20.07 | 28.40 | 27.04 |
| 2018 | -12.58 | -8.20 | -9.61 |
| 2017 | 24.39 | 23.07 | 24.58 |
| 2016 | 2.73 | 8.15 | 8.96 |
| 2015 | 9.90 | -0.32 | -1.68 |
| 2014 | -3.72 | 5.50 | 4.36 |
| 2013 | 27.35 | 27.37 | 24.17 |
| 2012 | 8.36 | 16.54 | 17.04 |

## INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (%) (OCT 30, 2026)

| | | | | | ANNUALIZED | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 Mo | 3 Mo | 1 Yr | YTD | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since May 31, 1994 | Div Yld (%) | P/E | P/E Fwd | P/BV |
| **MSCI Japan** | -4.17 | 0.64 | 17.75 | 17.91 | 22.00 | 10.00 | 9.35 | 3.23 | 1.94 | 18.52 | 14.62 | 1.93 |
| **MSCI World** | -0.75 | 0.66 | 12.53 | 11.25 | 22.80 | 10.99 | 13.50 | 8.93 | 1.54 | 22.29 | 17.38 | 4.06 |
| **MSCI ACWI IMI** | -1.54 | -0.16 | 12.92 | 11.57 | 22.53 | 10.15 | 12.63 | 8.54 | 1.66 | 21.04 | 15.59 | 3.38 |

## FUNDAMENTALS (OCT 30, 2026)

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (OCT 30, 2026)

| | | ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) [2] | | | SHARPE RATIO [2,3] | | | | MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Turnover (%) [1] | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since May 31, 1994 | (%) | Period YYYY-MM-DD |
| **MSCI Japan** | 5.07 | 14.66 | 15.91 | 14.33 | 1.13 | 0.45 | 0.52 | na | 62.83 | 1989-02-28—2003-04-28 |
| **MSCI World** | 3.18 | 11.64 | 14.94 | 14.86 | 1.46 | 0.53 | 0.76 | na | 57.46 | 2007-10-31—2009-03-09 |
| **MSCI ACWI IMI** | 2.62 | 12.02 | 14.99 | 14.96 | 1.39 | 0.47 | 0.71 | 0.43 | 58.28 | 2007-10-31—2009-03-09 |

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

The MSCI Japan Index was launched on Mar 31, 1986. 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

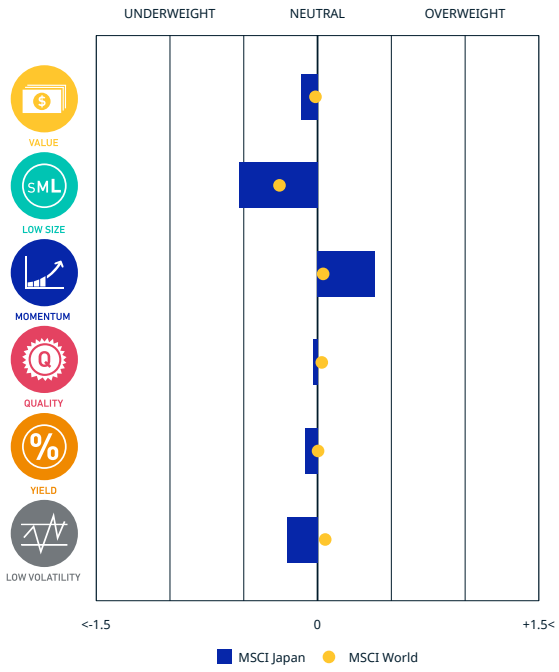
| | MSCI Japan |
|---|---|
| **Number of Constituents** | 167 |
| | **Mkt Cap ( USD Millions)** |
| **Index** | 5,121,811.90 |
| **Largest** | 233,782.26 |
| **Smallest** | 3,116.13 |
| **Average** | 30,669.53 |
| **Median** | 16,252.68 |

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

| | Float Adj Mkt Cap ( USD Billions) | Index Wt. (%) | Sector |
|---|---|---|---|
| MITSUBISHI UFJ FIN GRP | 233.78 | 4.56 | Financials |
| TOYOTA MOTOR CORP | 184.93 | 3.61 | Cons Discr |
| ADVANTEST CORP | 162.03 | 3.16 | Info Tech |
| RECRUIT HOLDINGS CO | 161.57 | 3.15 | Industrials |
| SUMITOMO MITSUI FINL GRP | 149.15 | 2.91 | Financials |
| SONY GROUP CORP | 146.18 | 2.85 | Cons Discr |
| HITACHI | 143.04 | 2.79 | Industrials |
| TOKYO ELECTRON | 134.31 | 2.62 | Info Tech |
| MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP | 114.19 | 2.23 | Financials |
| SOFTBANK GROUP CORP | 105.64 | 2.06 | Comm Srvcs |
| Total | 1,534.82 | 29.97 | |

## 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**

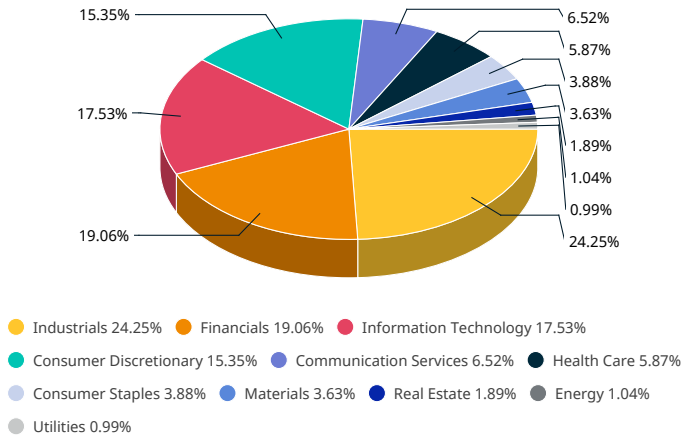
**YIELD**
**Cash Flow Paid Out**

**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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