## **MSCI United Kingdom Micro Cap Index (GBP)**

The **MSCI United Kingdom Micro Cap Index** is designed to measure the performance of the micro cap segment of the UK equity market. With 366 constituents, the index represents approximately 1% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in the UK.

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

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



## **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

Year	MSCI UK Micro Cap	MSCI United Kingdom	MSCI ACWI
2024	5.77	9.47	20.13
2023	1.06	7.68	15.88
2022	-19.26	7.16	-7.62
2021	23.83	19.63	20.14
2020	15.28	-13.20	13.22
2019	15.00	16.46	22.38
2018	-11.89	-8.76	-3.27
2017	19.37	11.78	13.84
2016	9.14	19.24	29.40
2015	8.17	-2.16	3.84
2014	-0.81	0.54	11.22
2013	31.61	18.47	21.15
2012	15.53	10.24	11.67
2011	-17.45	-1.79	-6.17

## 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 N	Since lov 30, 2007	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV	
MSCI UK Micro Cap	-0.25	5.06	3.27	7.99	4.58	7.26	5.83	5.56	3.25	28.40	na	1.28	
MSCI United Kingdom	1.54	5.84	13.32	15.59	12.02	13.71	7.99	5.95	3.35	14.12	12.88	2.08	
MSCI ACWI	0.41	8.44	13.16	6.29	12.47	12.32	13.12	10.08	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 Nov 30, 2007	(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD	
MSCI UK Micro Cap	30.97	12.99	14.57	15.74	0.07	0.36	0.34	0.31	57.83	2007-11-30-2009-03-09	
MSCI United Kingdom	2.47	10.26	11.06	11.77	0.73	0.97	0.58	0.39	43.84	2007-12-10-2009-03-03	
MSCI ACWI	2.51	10.82	11.19	11.61	0.74	0.85	0.98	0.67	38.03	2008-05-19-2009-03-06	

<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months <sup>2</sup> Based on monthly gross returns data <sup>3</sup> Based on Bank of England Overnight SONIA from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

The MSCI United Kingdom Micro Cap Index was launched on Dec 01, 2010. 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.



AUG 29, 2025 Index Factsheet

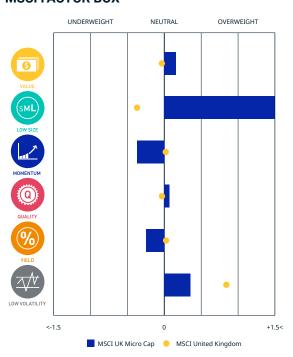
#### **INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

	MSCI UK Micro Cap					
Number of	366					
Constituents						
	Mkt Cap ( GBP Millions)					
Index	42,619.72					
Largest	516.17					
Smallest	1.72					
Average	116.45					
Median	85.37					

#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Float Adj Mkt Cap ( GBP Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
ROCKHOPPER EXPLORATION	0.52	1.21	Energy
PAYPOINT	0.50	1.17	Financials
WICKES GROUP	0.47	1.11	Cons Discr
INTL PERSONAL FINANCE	0.45	1.05	Financials
GALLIFORD TRY HOLDINGS	0.44	1.03	Industrials
EVERPLAY GROUP	0.43	1.01	Comm Srvcs
ON THE BEACH GROUP	0.43	1.01	Cons Discr
FORTERRA	0.41	0.96	Materials
GULF KEYSTONE PETROLEUM	0.40	0.94	Energy
BLOOMSBURY PUBLISHING	0.40	0.94	Comm Srvcs
Total	4.44	10.42	

# 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



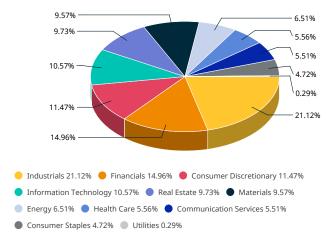
LOW VOLATILITY
Lower Risk Stocks

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

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Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

#### **SECTOR WEIGHTS**





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## MSCI FACTOR BOX AND FaCS FRAMEWORK (Please refer to complete description of the MSCI FaCS methodology here)

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