

MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap Index (EUR)

The **MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap Index** captures small cap representation across 14 Developed Markets (DM) countries in Europe*. With 627 constituents, the index covers approximately 14% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization across European Developed Markets excluding the UK.

For a complete description of the index methodology, please see [Index methodology - MSCI](#).

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – PRICE RETURNS (EUR) (MAR 2010 – MAR 2025)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap	MSCI World Small Cap	MSCI ACWI IMI
2024	0.41	13.54	22.26
2023	10.15	9.92	15.43
2022	-22.35	-14.83	-14.58
2021	22.63	23.04	25.36
2020	10.17	4.94	4.91
2019	25.88	26.41	26.14
2018	-17.34	-10.90	-7.34
2017	18.26	6.19	6.86
2016	3.51	14.27	9.36
2015	22.91	9.40	6.90
2014	4.22	14.36	15.98
2013	30.96	24.74	15.83
2012	19.88	13.82	12.03
2011	-23.35	-7.49	-6.86

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

					ANNUALIZED			
	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 31, 1998
MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap	-2.64	3.77	1.06	3.77	-0.79	10.22	4.64	6.24
MSCI World Small Cap	-7.62	-8.11	-1.89	-8.11	0.85	12.10	4.86	7.23
MSCI ACWI IMI	-7.65	-6.03	4.68	-6.03	5.58	13.54	6.58	4.99

FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 31, 2025)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
3.21	15.73	12.46	1.45
2.29	21.55	15.28	1.68
1.96	20.67	16.97	2.83

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAR 31, 2025)

	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since Dec 31, 1998	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap	13.50	17.51	17.66	16.61	-0.10	0.56	0.33	0.34	66.32	2007-07-13–2009-03-09
MSCI World Small Cap	12.59	17.80	16.97	16.91	-0.01	0.68	0.34	0.41	59.41	2007-06-04–2009-03-09
MSCI ACWI IMI	2.30	14.05	13.56	13.71	0.28	0.91	0.50	0.30	62.20	2000-09-07–2009-03-09

¹ Last 12 months

² Based on monthly price returns data

³ Based on EMMI EURIBOR 1M from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

* DM countries in Europe (excluding the UK) include: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland.

The MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap Index was launched on Jan 15, 1998. 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

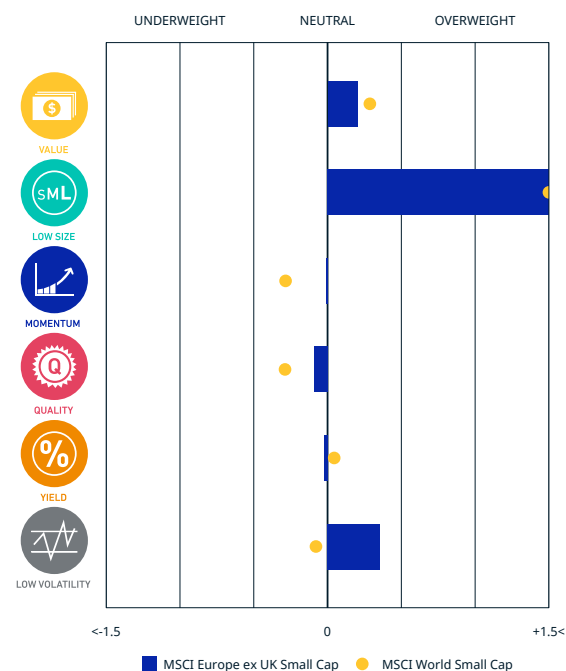
MSCI Europe ex UK Small Cap	
Number of Constituents	627
Mkt Cap (EUR Millions)	
Index	831,625.68
Largest	7,467.00
Smallest	122.70
Average	1,326.36
Median	933.57

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (EUR Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
BAWAG GROUP	AT	7.47	0.90	Financials
BANKINTER	ES	6.91	0.83	Financials
PSP SWISS PROPERTY	CH	6.63	0.80	Real Estate
BANCA MONTE PASCHI	IT	5.98	0.72	Financials
SPIE	FR	5.65	0.68	Industrials
BELIMO HOLDING	CH	5.57	0.67	Industrials
FISCHER (GEORG)	CH	5.23	0.63	Industrials
STOREBRAND	NO	4.97	0.60	Financials
GAZTRANSPORT ET TECHNIGA	FR	4.95	0.59	Energy
THYSSEN KRUPP	DE	4.71	0.57	Materials
Total		58.07	6.98	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



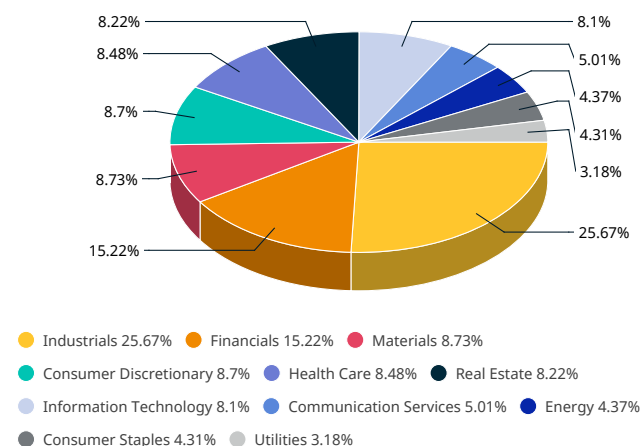
MSCI FaCS

- 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

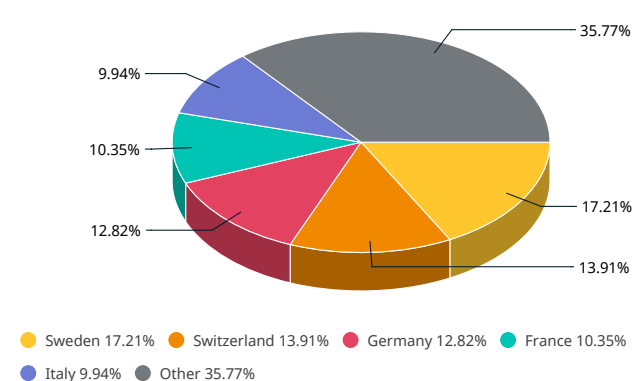
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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