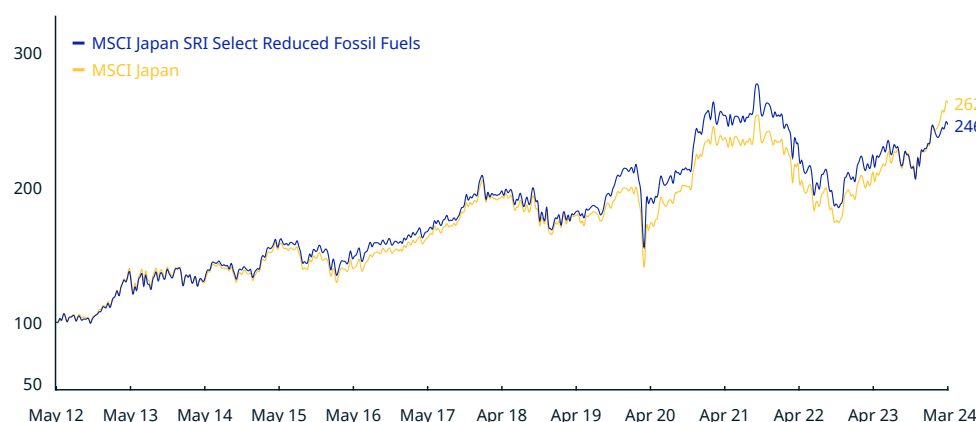


MSCI Japan SRI Select Reduced Fossil Fuels Index (USD)

The MSCI Japan SRI Select Reduced Fossil Fuels Index is based on the MSCI Japan Index, its parent index, and includes large and mid-cap securities of the Japanese equity market. The index aims to represent the performance of companies that are consistent with specific values and climate change based criteria, as well as exhibit a high minimum level of ESG performance. The Index is designed for investors seeking a diversified Socially Responsible Investment (SRI) benchmark comprised of companies with strong sustainability profiles while avoiding companies incompatible with values screen or having exposure to fossil fuels through extraction and production activities, power generation activities or reserves ownership. Constituent selection is based on research provided by MSCI ESG Research. The Index is float-adjusted market capitalization weighted and a 5% capping is applied on issuer weights in the Index.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAY 2012 – MAR 2024)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Japan SRI Select Reduced Fossil Fuels	MSCI Japan
2023	13.67	20.77
2022	-17.58	-16.31
2021	2.03	2.04
2020	16.11	14.91
2019	26.14	20.07
2018	-12.90	-12.58
2017	22.87	24.39
2016	1.71	2.73
2015	12.93	9.90
2014	-1.20	-3.72
2013	28.29	27.35

INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (MAR 29, 2024)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 31, 2012
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI Japan SRI Select Reduced Fossil Fuels	1.84	3.90	12.25	3.90	-0.54	6.70	6.34	7.93	
MSCI Japan	3.16	11.16	26.20	11.16	4.08	8.16	7.06	8.51	

FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 29, 2024)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
1.76	20.50	18.24	1.98
1.92	16.87	15.94	1.63

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 2012 – MAR 29, 2024)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since May 31, 2012	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Japan SRI Select Reduced Fossil Fuels	0.99	3.09	55.50	15.79	15.73	14.21	-0.12	0.36	0.40	0.53	34.61	2021-09-14–2022-10-21
MSCI Japan	1.00	0.00	3.45	15.68	15.68	13.99	0.17	0.45	0.46	0.57	33.07	2021-09-14–2022-10-21

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

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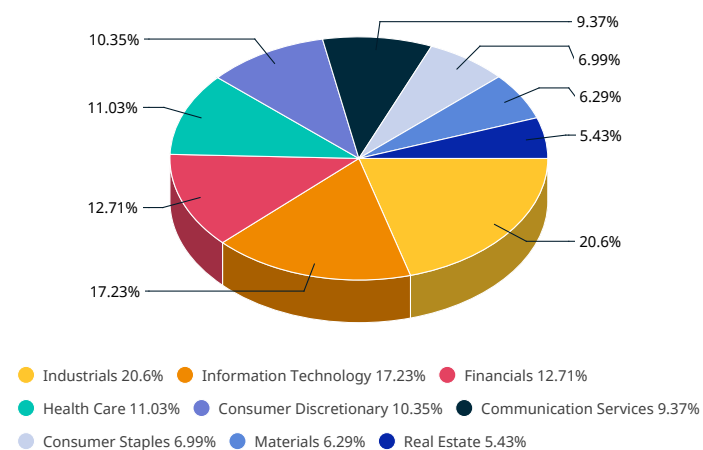
INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

	MSCI Japan SRI Select Reduced Fossil Fuels	MSCI Japan
Number of Constituents	57	218
	Weight (%)	
Largest	5.01	6.67
Smallest	0.33	0.04
Average	1.75	0.46
Median	1.03	0.23

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
HITACHI	5.01	2.14	Industrials
SUMITOMO MITSUI FINL GRP	4.78	1.88	Financials
TOKIO MARINE HOLDINGS	4.57	1.41	Financials
HOYA CORP	4.46	1.09	Health Care
DAIICHI SANKYO CO	4.31	1.46	Health Care
SOFTBANK CORP	4.30	0.93	Comm Svcs
KDDI	4.28	1.11	Comm Svcs
SONY GROUP CORP	4.23	2.72	Cons Discr
DAIKIN INDUSTRIES	4.16	0.90	Industrials
ORIENTAL LAND CO	3.84	0.88	Cons Discr
Total	43.95	14.51	

SECTOR WEIGHTS



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