

# MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons Index (USD)

The MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons Index is based on MSCI Europe ex UK Index, its parent index, which captures large and mid cap representation across 14 Developed Markets (DM) countries\* in Europe excluding the UK. The index excludes companies from the parent index that have involvement with the production of cluster bombs, landmines, chemical and biological weapons and depleted uranium weapons. Constituent selection is based on data from MSCI ESG Research.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (APR 2010 – APR 2025)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons	MSCI Europe ex UK
2024	0.15	0.15
2023	21.69	21.69
2022	-17.96	-17.96
2021	15.65	15.66
2020	10.90	10.91
2019	24.90	24.81
2018	-15.16	-15.14
2017	26.82	26.82
2016	-0.53	-0.56
2015	-0.63	-0.65
2014	-6.50	-6.55
2013	27.61	27.65
2012	21.28	21.28
2011	-15.27	-15.26

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (APR 30, 2025)

					ANNUALIZED			
	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since May 31, 2006
MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons	4.88	8.13	13.23	16.12	11.27	12.67	6.15	4.92
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## FUNDAMENTALS (APR 30, 2025)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
3.05	16.09	14.50	2.13
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## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 2006 – APR 30, 2025)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%)	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since May 31, 2006	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons	1.00	0.09	3.11	18.51	18.52	17.00	0.44	0.59	0.32	0.26	62.71	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI Europe ex UK	1.00	0.00	3.11	18.51	18.52	17.01	0.44	0.59	0.32	0.26	62.76	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Based on monthly net returns data

<sup>3</sup> Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

\* DM countries include: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland.

The MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons Index was launched on Jan 16, 2012. 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

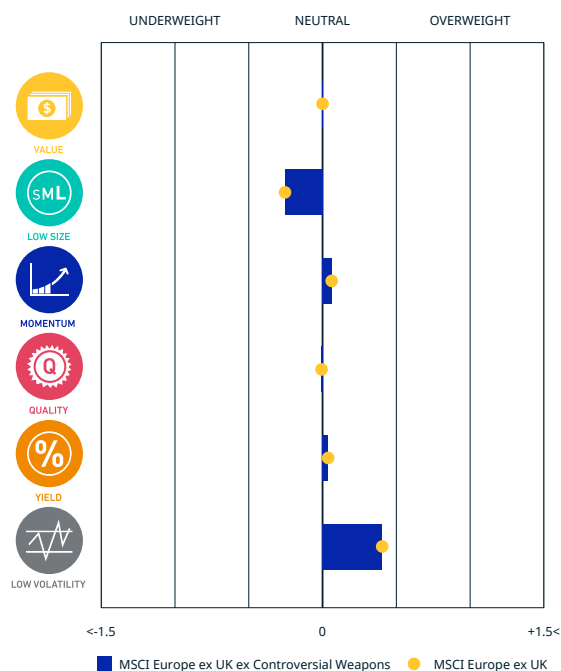
	MSCI Europe ex UK ex Controversial Weapons	MSCI Europe ex UK
<b>Number of Constituents</b>	326	326
	<b>Weight (%)</b>	
<b>Largest</b>	3.32	3.32
<b>Smallest</b>	0.03	0.03
<b>Average</b>	0.31	0.31
<b>Median</b>	0.14	0.14

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
SAP	DE	3.32	3.32	Info Tech
NESTLE	CH	3.06	3.06	Cons Staples
ASML HLDG	NL	2.85	2.85	Info Tech
ROCHE HOLDING GENUSS	CH	2.52	2.52	Health Care
NOVARTIS	CH	2.46	2.46	Health Care
NOVO NORDISK B	DK	2.34	2.34	Health Care
SIEMENS	DE	1.91	1.91	Industrials
ALLIANZ	DE	1.75	1.75	Financials
LVMH MOET HENNESSY	FR	1.67	1.67	Cons Discr
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC	FR	1.39	1.39	Industrials
<b>Total</b>		<b>23.27</b>	<b>23.27</b>	

## FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

## MSCI FACTOR BOX



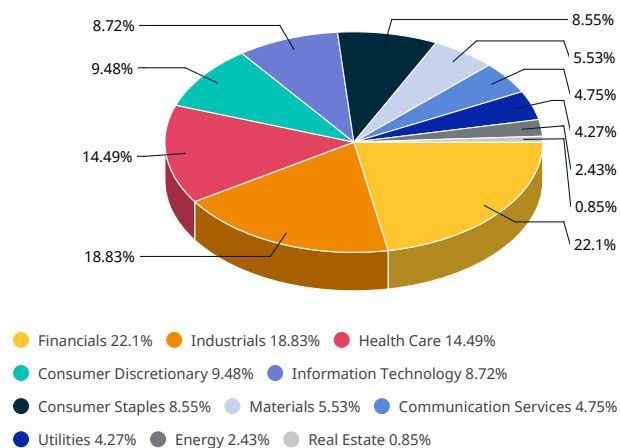
## MSCI FaCS

- 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

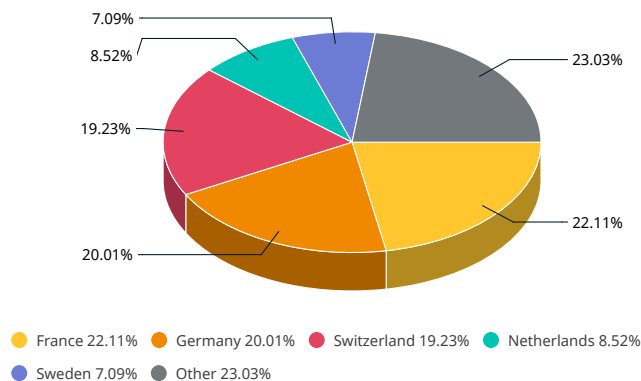
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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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