# MSCI USA Quality Advanced Select Index (USD)

The MSCI USA Quality Advanced Select Index is based on MSCI USA Index, its parent index, which includes large and mid-cap stocks across the U.S. equity markets. The index is designed to represent the performance of a strategy that seeks systematic integration of environmental, social and governance (ESG) norms along with the exposure to a quality factor.

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

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



| Year | MSCI USA Quality<br>Advanced Select | MSCI USA |
|------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 2024 | 19.15                               | 24.58    |
| 2023 | 28.46                               | 26.49    |
| 2022 | -23.54                              | -19.85   |
| 2021 | 30.76                               | 26.45    |
| 2020 | 20.75                               | 20.73    |
| 2019 | 36.54                               | 30.88    |
| 2018 | -6.36                               | -5.04    |
| 2017 | 22.82                               | 21.19    |
| 2016 | 8.11                                | 10.89    |
| 2015 | 4.81                                | 0.69     |
| 2014 | 12.35                               | 12.69    |
| 2013 | 35.36                               | 31.79    |
| 2012 | 13.77                               | 15.33    |
| 2011 | 6.28                                | 1.36     |

**ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)** 

Aug 10 Nov 11 Feb 13 May 14 Aug 15 Nov 16 Feb 18 May 19 Aug 20 Nov 21 Feb 23 May 24 Aug 25

#### INDEX PERFORMANCE - NET RETURNS (%) (AUG 29, 2025)

#### FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 29, 2025)

|                                     |      |      |       |       |       | ANNU  | ALIZED             |                       |             |       |         |       |  |
|-------------------------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------|---------|-------|--|
|                                     | 1 Mo | 3 Mo | 1 Yr  | YTD   | 3 Yr  | 5 Yr  | 10 Yr <sub>N</sub> | Since<br>lay 26, 2010 | Div Yld (%) | P/E   | P/E Fwd | P/BV  |  |
| MSCI USA Quality Advanced<br>Select | 1.83 | 6.57 | 6.95  | 6.48  | 16.76 | 11.96 | 13.41              | 14.32                 | 0.99        | 28.12 | 24.17   | 10.17 |  |
| MSCI USA                            | 1.93 | 9.56 | 16.00 | 10.62 | 19.14 | 13.96 | 13.97              | 14.03                 | 1.20        | 27.87 | 22.84   | 5.39  |  |

#### INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 26, 2010 – AUG 29, 2025)

|                                     |                   |                       |   | ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2 |       | SHARPE RATIO 2,3 |   |      |       | MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN         |  |                       |  |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|---|--------------------------|-------|------------------|---|------|-------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|
|                                     | Beta              | Tracking<br>Error (%) | Turnover<br>(%) <sup>1</sup>                                  | 3 Yr                     | 5 Yr  | 10 Yr            | 3 Yr                                    | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since<br>May 26,<br>2010 | (%)  | Period YYYY-MM-DD     |  |
| MSCI USA Quality Advanced<br>Select | 1.01              | 2.83                  | 35.45   | 15.35                    | 17.27 | 16.44            | 0.79                                    | 0.57 | 0.72  | 0.87                     | 34.87                                      | 2020-02-19—2020-03-23 |  |
| MSCI USA                            | 1.00              | 0.00                  | 2.07  | 15.01                    | 16.23 | 15.58            | 0.94                                    | 0.71 | 0.79  | 0.87                     | 34.16                                      | 2020-02-19-2020-03-23 |  |
|                                     | <sup>1</sup> Last | 12 months             | <sup>2</sup> Based on monthly net returns data <sup>3</sup> B |                          |       |                  | Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Ser |      |       | FR from Se               | p 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date |                       |  |



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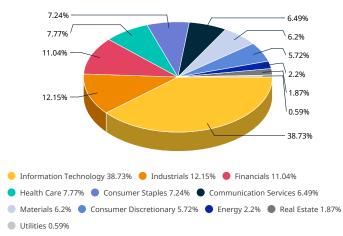
#### **INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

|              | MSCI USA Quality<br>Advanced Select | MSCI USA |  |  |  |  |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| Number of    | 97                                  | 544      |  |  |  |  |
| Constituents |                                     |          |  |  |  |  |
|              | Weight (%)                          |          |  |  |  |  |
| Largest      | 10.34                               | 7.54     |  |  |  |  |
| Smallest     | 0.04                                | 0.01     |  |  |  |  |
| Average      | 1.03                                | 0.18     |  |  |  |  |
| Median       | 0.49                                | 0.06     |  |  |  |  |

|                       | Index<br>Wt. (%) | Parent<br>Index<br>Wt. (%) | Sector       |
|-----------------------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| NVIDIA                | 10.34            | 7.54                       | Info Tech    |
| APPLE                 | 8.60             | 6.15                       | Info Tech    |
| MICROSOFT CORP        | 4.66             | 6.35                       | Info Tech    |
| ALPHABET C            | 3.08             | 1.86                       | Comm Srvcs   |
| LILLY (ELI) & COMPANY | 2.97             | 1.05                       | Health Care  |
| VISA A                | 2.96             | 1.07                       | Financials   |
| MASTERCARD A          | 2.86             | 0.90                       | Financials   |
| COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP | 2.52             | 0.74                       | Cons Staples |
| PROCTER & GAMBLE CO   | 2.50             | 0.65                       | Cons Staples |
| LAM RESEARCH CORP     | 2.38             | 0.23                       | Info Tech    |
| Total                 | 42.86            | 26.55                      |              |

**TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS** 

#### SECTOR WEIGHTS



The MSCI ESG Target Indexes were renamed the MSCI Advanced Indexes as of Feb 3, 2025.

The MSCI USA Quality Advanced Select Index was launched on Dec 03, 2021. 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.



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