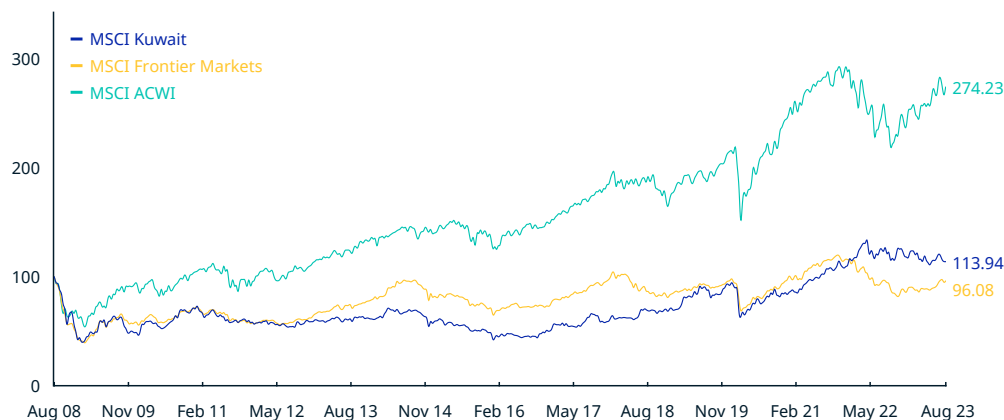


MSCI Kuwait Index (USD)

The MSCI Kuwait Index is designed to measure the performance of the large and mid cap segments of the Kuwait market. With 7 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the Kuwait equity universe.

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (AUG 2008 – AUG 2023)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Kuwait	MSCI Frontier Markets	MSCI ACWI
2022	10.07	-26.34	-18.36
2021	30.90	19.73	18.54
2020	-9.97	1.43	16.25
2019	35.80	17.99	26.60
2018	15.42	-16.41	-9.41
2017	18.08	31.86	23.97
2016	3.01	2.66	7.86
2015	-16.71	-14.46	-2.36
2014	-4.40	6.84	4.16
2013	5.03	25.89	22.80
2012	-0.02	8.85	16.13
2011	-17.80	-18.73	-7.35
2010	43.97	23.75	12.67
2009	-6.91	11.61	34.63

INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (AUG 31, 2023)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 31, 2005
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI Kuwait	-4.32	2.59	-8.38	-5.58	11.51	10.80	6.64	4.10	
MSCI Frontier Markets	-0.91	8.40	0.43	11.60	3.31	2.41	2.99	1.97	
MSCI ACWI	-2.79	6.61	13.95	14.80	7.23	7.46	8.56	7.17	

FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 31, 2023)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
2.92	16.33	10.43	1.83
4.28	11.01	na	1.65
2.09	19.37	16.20	2.74

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (AUG 31, 2023)

	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since May 31, 2005	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Kuwait	0.75	14.18	17.77	16.60	0.72	0.58	0.40	0.23	67.69	2008-03-14–2009-01-22
MSCI Frontier Markets	9.43	13.01	15.96	14.05	0.19	0.13	0.20	0.12	67.47	2008-01-15–2009-03-03
MSCI ACWI	2.37	17.01	17.99	14.49	0.40	0.40	0.56	0.42	58.38	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

¹ Last 12 months

² Based on monthly net returns data

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

The MSCI Kuwait Index was launched on Jan 23, 2006. 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

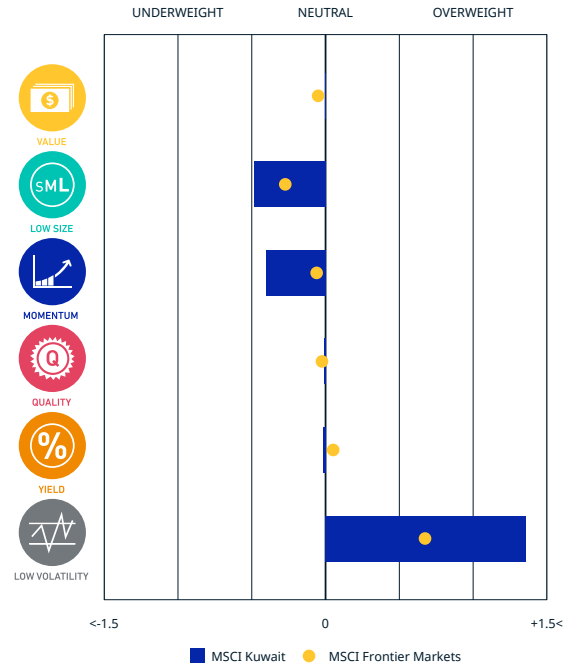
MSCI Kuwait	
Number of Constituents	7
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	54,367.80
Largest	22,484.26
Smallest	1,511.03
Average	7,766.83
Median	2,995.18

TOP 7 CONSTITUENTS

	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
NATIONAL BANK OF KUWAIT	22.48	41.36	Financials
KUWAIT FINANCE HOUSE	19.63	36.10	Financials
MOBILE TELECOM CO	3.22	5.93	Comm Srvcs
AGILITY	3.00	5.51	Industrials
BOUBYAN BANK	2.74	5.05	Financials
MABANEE CO SAKC	1.78	3.28	Real Estate
GULF BANK	1.51	2.78	Financials
Total	54.37	100.00	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



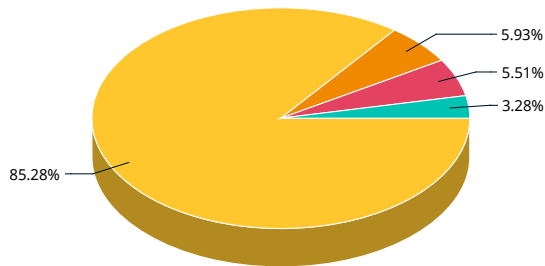
MSCI FaCS

- 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



- Financials 85.28%
- Communication Services 5.93%
- Industrials 5.51%
- Real Estate 3.28%

INDEX FRAMEWORK

The index is based on the MSCI Global Investable Indexes (GIMI) Methodology—a comprehensive and consistent approach to index construction that allows for meaningful global views and cross regional comparisons across all market capitalization size, sector and style segments and combinations. This methodology aims to provide exhaustive coverage of the relevant investment opportunity set with a strong emphasis on index liquidity, investability and replicability.

This summary is provided for illustrative purposes only and does not include all material elements of the index or its methodology. For a complete description of the index methodology, please see [Index methodology - MSCI](#).

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

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