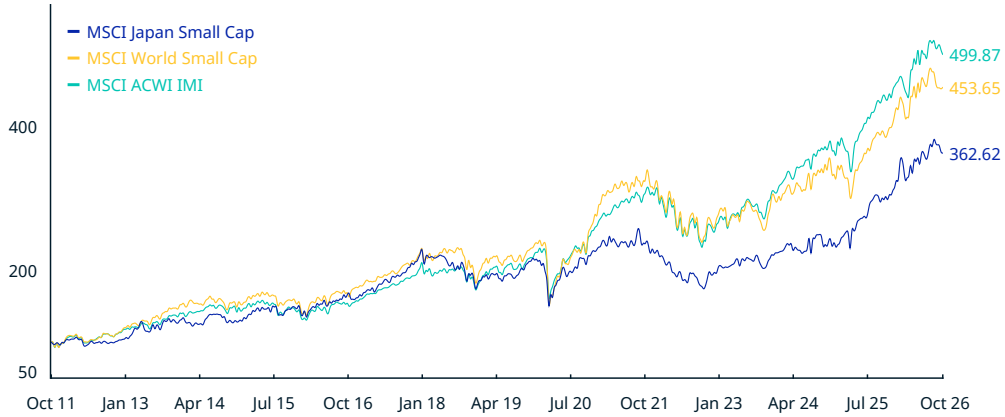
MSCI Japan Small Cap Index (USD)

The **MSCI Japan Small Cap Index** is designed to measure the performance of the small cap segment of the Japanese market. With 765 constituents, the index represents approximately 14% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization of the Japan equity universe..

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (USD) (OCT 2011 – OCT 2026)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Japan Small Cap	MSCI World Small Cap	MSCI ACWI IMI
2025	29.27	20.44	22.60
2024	4.79	8.65	16.89
2023	13.80	16.34	22.18
2022	-11.68	-18.37	-18.00
2021	-1.94	16.18	18.71
2020	6.84	16.47	16.81
2019	19.78	26.78	27.04
2018	-15.74	-13.48	-9.61
2017	31.68	23.19	24.58
2016	7.91	13.25	8.96
2015	15.65	0.12	-1.68
2014	-0.18	2.32	4.36
2013	26.53	32.92	24.17
2012	4.19	18.14	17.04

INDEX PERFORMANCE — GROSS RETURNS (%) (OCT 30, 2026)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED 3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000
MSCI Japan Small Cap	-3.61	0.32	21.64	17.88	21.41	8.97	8.05	6.87
MSCI World Small Cap	0.39	-0.89	16.22	13.14	21.09	6.78	10.62	9.58
MSCI ACWI IMI	-1.54	-0.16	12.92	11.57	22.53	10.15	12.63	8.05

FUNDAMENTALS (OCT 30, 2026)

	Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
MSCI Japan Small Cap	2.67	15.54	13.49	1.31
MSCI World Small Cap	2.02	23.54	15.61	2.03
MSCI ACWI IMI	1.66	21.04	15.59	3.38

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (OCT 30, 2026)

	Turnover (%) [1]	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) [2] 3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	SHARPE RATIO [2,3] 3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN (%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Japan Small Cap	13.68	14.86	15.18	14.21	1.09	0.40	0.44	0.37	57.34	2006-01-13—2009-03-10
MSCI World Small Cap	15.75	15.13	17.80	17.99	1.05	0.25	0.51	0.49	61.08	2007-07-13—2009-03-09
MSCI ACWI IMI	2.62	12.02	14.99	14.96	1.39	0.47	0.71	0.45	58.28	2007-10-31—2009-03-09

[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

The MSCI Japan Small Cap Index was launched on Jan 01, 2001. 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

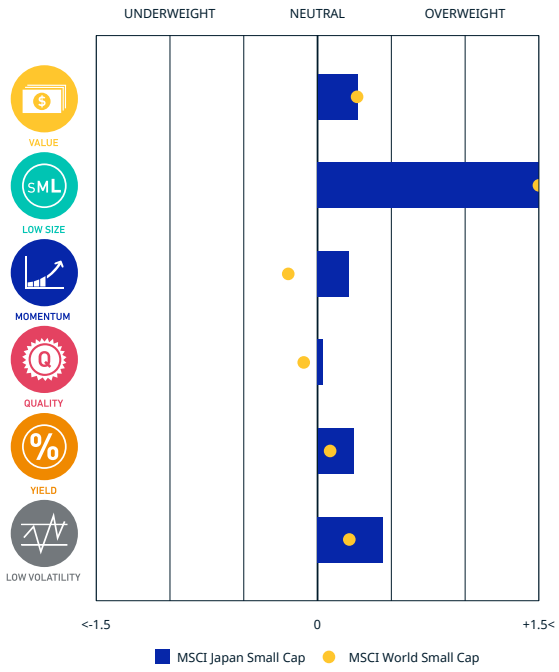
	MSCI Japan Small Cap
Number of Constituents	765
	Mkt Cap (USD Millions)
Index	1,301,908.93
Largest	10,502.37
Smallest	152.87
Average	1,701.84
Median	1,123.73

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
BAYCURRENT	10.50	0.81	Industrials
FOOD & LIFE CO	7.93	0.61	Cons Discr
MEBUKI FINANCIAL GROUP	7.90	0.61	Financials
SHIZUOKA FINANCIAL GROUP	7.90	0.61	Financials
NIPPON EXPRESS HLDGS	7.33	0.56	Industrials
ISETAN MITSUKOSHI HLDGS	7.15	0.55	Cons Discr
ROHM CO	7.09	0.54	Info Tech
FUKUOKA FINANCIAL GROUP	7.03	0.54	Financials
NITERRA CO	6.77	0.52	Cons Discr
MISUMI GROUP	6.75	0.52	Industrials
Total	76.35	5.86	

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

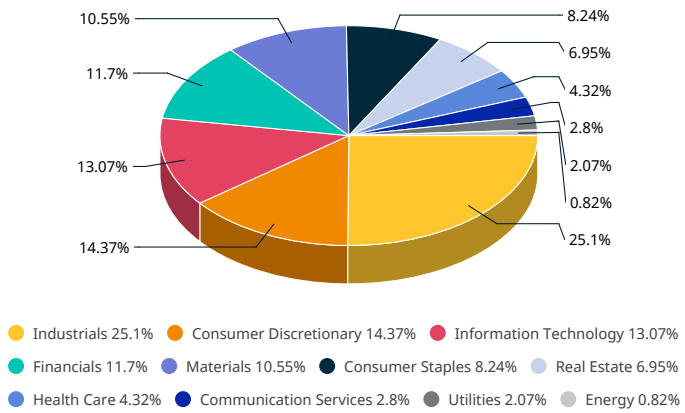
YIELD
Cash Flow Paid Out

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



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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