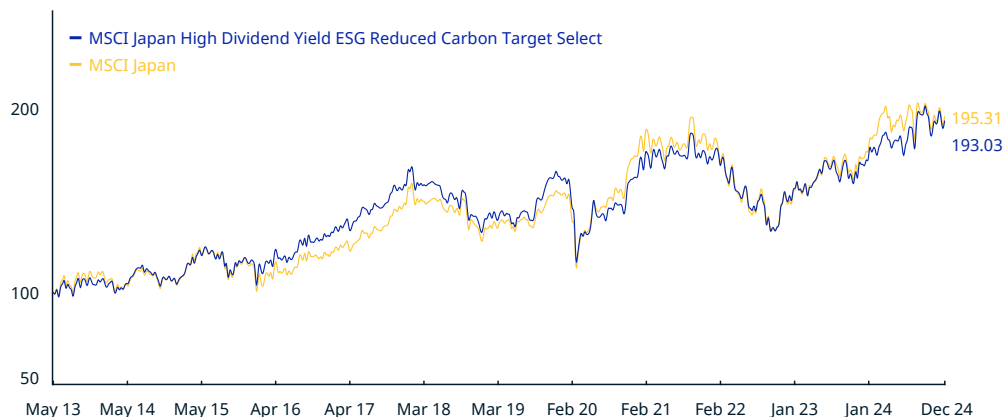


# MSCI Japan High Dividend Yield ESG Reduced Carbon Target Select Index (USD)

The MSCI Japan High Dividend Yield ESG Reduced Carbon Target Select Index is based on MSCI Japan Index, its parent index, which includes large and mid-cap stocks across the Japanese market. The index is designed to represent the performance of a strategy that seeks systematic integration of environmental, social and governance (ESG) norms and maximizes its exposure to the Yield factor.

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

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (MAY 2013 – DEC 2024)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

| Year | MSCI Japan High Dividend Yield ESG Reduced Carbon Target Select | MSCI Japan |
|------|---|------------|
| 2024 | 9.98  | 8.31       |
| 2023 | 15.45   | 20.32      |
| 2022 | -12.15  | -16.65     |
| 2021 | 4.71  | 1.71       |
| 2020 | 1.21  | 14.48      |
| 2019 | 21.30   | 19.61      |
| 2018 | -15.01  | -12.88     |
| 2017 | 21.48   | 23.99      |
| 2016 | 9.86  | 2.38       |
| 2015 | 11.08   | 9.57       |
| 2014 | 0.17  | -4.02      |

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (DEC 31, 2024)

|   | 1 Mo  | 3 Mo  | 1 Yr | YTD  | ANNUALIZED |      |       |      | Since May 31, 2013 |
|---|-------|-------|------|------|------------|------|-------|------|--------------------|
|   |       |       |      |      | 3 Yr       | 5 Yr | 10 Yr |      |                    |
| MSCI Japan High Dividend Yield ESG Reduced Carbon Target Select | -0.65 | -4.06 | 9.98 | 9.98 | 3.71       | 3.40 | 6.09  | 5.84 |                    |
| MSCI Japan  | -0.34 | -3.60 | 8.31 | 8.31 | 2.80       | 4.81 | 6.25  | 5.94 |                    |

## FUNDAMENTALS (DEC 31, 2024)

| Div Yld (%) | P/E   | P/E Fwd | P/BV |
|-------------|-------|---------|------|
| 2.87        | 12.72 | 12.56   | 1.54 |
| 2.23        | 14.77 | 14.65   | 1.55 |

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 2013 – DEC 31, 2024)

|   | Beta | Tracking Error (%) | Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup> | ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup> |       |       | SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup> |      |       | Since May 31, 2013 (%) | MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN<br>Period YYYY-MM-DD |                       |
|---|------|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------|------|-------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|   |      |                    |                           | 3 Yr                                | 5 Yr  | 10 Yr | 3 Yr                        | 5 Yr | 10 Yr |                        |                                       |                       |
| MSCI Japan High Dividend Yield ESG Reduced Carbon Target Select | 0.93 | 4.08               | 41.38                     | 14.89                               | 15.65 | 13.85 | 0.06                        | 0.13 | 0.36  | 0.37                   | 33.50                                 | 2018-01-24–2020-03-20 |
| MSCI Japan  | 1.00 | 0.00               | 4.47                      | 16.05                               | 15.80 | 14.08 | 0.01                        | 0.22 | 0.37  | 0.38                   | 33.42                                 | 2021-09-14–2022-10-21 |

<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

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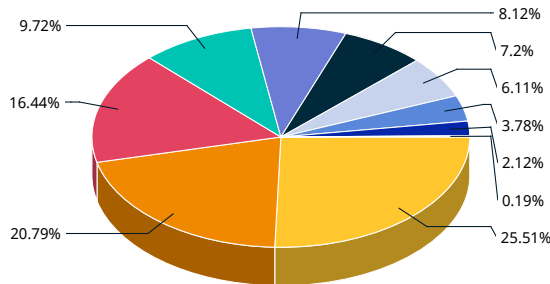
## INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

|                               | MSCI Japan High Dividend Yield ESG Reduced Carbon Target Select | MSCI Japan |
|-------------------------------|---|------------|
| <b>Number of Constituents</b> | 44  | 191        |
|                               | Weight (%)  |            |
| <b>Largest</b>                | 4.43  | 5.49       |
| <b>Smallest</b>               | 0.19  | 0.06       |
| <b>Average</b>                | 2.27  | 0.52       |
| <b>Median</b>                 | 2.26  | 0.28       |

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

|                          | Index Wt. (%) | Parent Index Wt. (%) | Sector      |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------|
| SUMITOMO MITSUI FINL GRP | 4.43          | 2.39                 | Financials  |
| TOKYO ELECTRON           | 3.91          | 1.84                 | Info Tech   |
| TOKIO MARINE HOLDINGS    | 3.73          | 1.83                 | Financials  |
| ITOCHU CORP              | 3.54          | 1.58                 | Industrials |
| KDDI                     | 3.29          | 1.32                 | Comm Svcs   |
| TOYOTA MOTOR CORP        | 3.21          | 5.49                 | Cons Discr  |
| SOMPO HOLDINGS           | 2.94          | 0.62                 | Financials  |
| PANASONIC HOLDINGS CORP  | 2.84          | 0.65                 | Cons Discr  |
| NTT CORP                 | 2.83          | 0.80                 | Comm Svcs   |
| mitsubishi electric corp | 2.81          | 0.87                 | Industrials |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>33.52</b>  | <b>17.39</b>         |             |

## SECTOR WEIGHTS



- Industrials 25.51%
- Financials 20.79%
- Consumer Discretionary 16.44%
- Information Technology 9.72%
- Health Care 8.12%
- Real Estate 7.2%
- Communication Services 6.11%
- Consumer Staples 3.78%
- Materials 2.12%
- Energy 0.19%

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