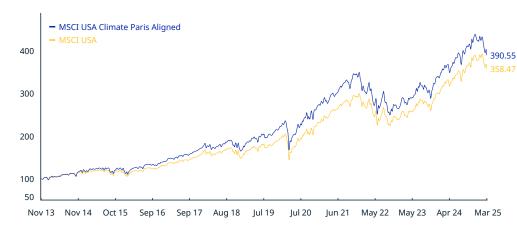
## **MSCI USA Climate Paris Aligned Index (USD)**

The MSCI USA Climate Paris Aligned Index is based on the MSCI USA Index, its parent index, and includes large and mid-cap securities of the U.S. equity markets. The index is designed to support investors seeking to reduce their exposure to transition and physical climate risks and who wish to pursue opportunities arising from the transition to a lower-carbon economy while aligning with the Paris Agreement requirements. The index incorporates the TCFD recommendations and are designed to exceed the minimum standards of the EU Paris-Aligned Benchmark.

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

# CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (USD) (NOV 2013 – MAR 2025)



### **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

| Year | MSCI USA Climate<br>Paris Aligned | MSCI USA |
|------|-----------------------------------|----------|
| 2024 | 24.19                             | 24.58    |
| 2023 | 28.68                             | 26.49    |
| 2022 | -23.64                            | -19.85   |
| 2021 | 24.59                             | 26.45    |
| 2020 | 25.12                             | 20.73    |
| 2019 | 33.74                             | 30.88    |
| 2018 | -3.05                             | -5.04    |
| 2017 | 24.70                             | 21.19    |
| 2016 | 12.09                             | 10.89    |
| 2015 | 3.09                              | 0.69     |
| 2014 | 15.38                             | 12.69    |
|      |                                   |          |

## INDEX PERFORMANCE - NET RETURNS (%) (MAR 31, 2025)

## **FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 31, 2025)**

|                                   |       |       |      |       | ANNUALIZED |       |                    |                       |             |       |         |      |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|------------|-------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------|---------|------|
|                                   | 1 Mo  | 3 Мо  | 1 Yr | YTD   | 3 Yr       | 5 Yr  | 10 Yr <sub>N</sub> | Since<br>lov 26, 2013 | Div Yld (%) | P/E   | P/E Fwd | P/BV |
| MSCI USA Climate Paris<br>Aligned | -6.62 | -7.63 | 5.85 | -7.63 | 7.02       | 16.49 | 12.38              | 12.75                 | 1.18        | 30.29 | 23.83   | 5.96 |
| MSCI USA                          | -5.89 | -4.60 | 7.75 | -4.60 | 8.36       | 18.05 | 11.82              | 11.90                 | 1.37        | 25.11 | 20.53   | 4.84 |

#### INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (NOV 26, 2013 - MAR 31, 2025)

|                                   |  |                       |                   | ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) 2 |       |       | SHARPE RATIO 2,3 |      |       |                          | MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN |                       |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------|-------|------------------|------|-------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--|
|                                   | Beta   | Tracking<br>Error (%) | Turnover<br>(%) 1 | 3 Yr                     | 5 Yr  | 10 Yr | 3 Yr             | 5 Yr | 10 Yr | Since<br>Nov 26,<br>2013 | (%)              | Period YYYY-MM-DD     |  |
| MSCI USA Climate Paris<br>Aligned | 1.02   | 2.04                  | 11.59             | 18.60                    | 18.25 | 16.04 | 0.23             | 0.79 | 0.69  | 0.75                     | 33.67            | 2020-02-19—2020-03-23 |  |
| MSCI USA                          | 1.00   | 0.00                  | 2.00              | 17.56                    | 17.24 | 15.62 | 0.31             | 0.90 | 0.67  | 0.71                     | 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> Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date |                       |                   |                          |       |       |                  |      |       |                          |                  |                       |  |

The MSCI USA Climate Paris Aligned Index was launched on Oct 26, 2020. 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.



MAR 31, 2025 Index Factsheet

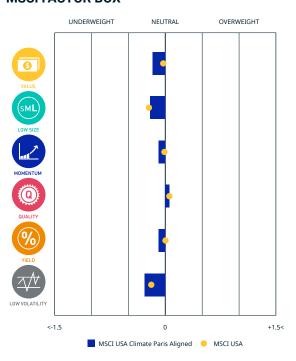
#### **INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

|                     | MSCI USA Climate<br>Paris Aligned | MSCI USA     |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|
| Number of           | 213                               | 576          |  |  |  |  |
| Constituents        |                                   |              |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Weight (%)                        |              |  |  |  |  |
|                     |                                   |              |  |  |  |  |
| Largest             | 7.29                              | 6.81         |  |  |  |  |
| Largest<br>Smallest | 7.29<br>0.01                      | 6.81<br>0.01 |  |  |  |  |
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#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

|                  | Index<br>Wt. (%) | Parent<br>Index<br>Wt. (%) | Sector      |
|------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| APPLE            | 7.29             | 6.81                       | Info Tech   |
| NVIDIA           | 7.18             | 5.41                       | Info Tech   |
| MICROSOFT CORP   | 6.50             | 5.41                       | Info Tech   |
| AMAZON.COM       | 3.67             | 3.67                       | Cons Discr  |
| TESLA            | 3.23             | 1.53                       | Cons Discr  |
| META PLATFORMS A | 2.75             | 2.56                       | Comm Srvcs  |
| VISA A           | 2.50             | 1.24                       | Financials  |
| ALPHABET C       | 2.22             | 1.59                       | Comm Srvcs  |
| EQUINIX          | 2.15             | 0.16                       | Real Estate |
| MASTERCARD A     | 2.08             | 0.92                       | Financials  |
| Total            | 39.56            | 29.30                      |             |

# 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

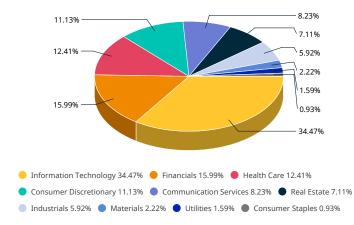


LOW VOLATILITY Lower Risk Stocks

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**





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## 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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