

MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index

Parameter Sheet for Customization/Calculation Methodology

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1 Introduction

The MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index (the "Index") aims to reflect the performance of 20 of the largest securities in terms of free float adjusted market capitalization in the MSCI USA IMI and the MSCI EMU IMI, that are classified in the Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment Industry Group and Select Consumer Discretionary Industries. The MSCI USA IMI and the MSCI EMU IMI are constructed based on the MSCI Global Investable Market Indexes methodology¹. The Industry Group and Industries classifications are defined using the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®)², outlined in section 2. Securities from the same Region and GICS classification will in aggregate represent 25% of the index. Each security will have a maximum weight of 10% in the index.

¹ The Indexes are governed by a set of methodology and policy documents ("Methodology Set"), including the present index methodology document. The Methodology Set for the Indexes can be accessed from MSCI's webpage https://www.msci.com/index-methodology in the section 'Search Methodology by Index Name or Index Code'. Please refer to the MSCI Global Investable Market Indexes methodology at www.msci.com/index-methodology in the section 'Search Methodology by Index Name or Index Code'. Please refer to the MSCI Global Investable Market Indexes methodology at www.msci.com/index-methodology in the section 'Search Methodology by Index Name or Index Code'. Please refer to the MSCI Global Investable Market Indexes methodology at www.msci.com/index-methodology in the section 'Search Methodology at www.msci

² GICS®, the global industry classification standard jointly developed by MSCI and S&P Global. For more information visit <u>https://www.msci.com/our-solutions/indexes/gics</u>



2 Constructing the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index

2.1. Determining the Constituents of the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index

The eligible universe for the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index includes all the constituents of the MSCI USA IMI and the MSCI EMU IMI. At each index review, the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index is constructed by selecting and classifying securities from the eligible universe into 4 components based on their Region and Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®) classification. Then the top 5 securities in terms of their free float adjusted market capitalization from each component are selected to derive a total of 20 constituents.

Component	Region	GICS Classification	No of Securities
1	USA	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	5
2	USA	Select Consumer Discretionary	5
3	EMU	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	5
4	EMU	Select Consumer Discretionary	5

The GICS Classification are defined by the GICS codes as outlined in the below table.

GICS Classification	GICS Code	GICS
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	4530	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment (Industry Group)
	251020	Automobiles (Industry)
Select Consumer Discretionary	252030	Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods (Industry)



2.2. Determining the Weights of the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index

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At each index review, each component weight is adjusted to represent 25% of the total weight of the Index. Within each component, securities are weighted in proportion to their free float-adjusted market capitalization.

2.2.2. Applying 10% Security Capping to the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index

At each index review, each security weight is capped to 10% of the total weight of the Index. The excess weight of the capped securities is redistributed only within each component in proportion to the free float-adjusted market capitalization of the remaining securities, thus maintaining the 25% component weights.



3 Maintaining the Index

3.1. Quarterly Index Reviews

The MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index is rebalanced on a quarterly basis, coinciding with the February, May, August, and November Index Reviews, by applying the rules described in section 2. The pro forma index is typically determined and announced 9 business days before the effective date of an index review.

3.2. Ongoing Event Related Changes

In general, the Index follows the event maintenance of the MSCI Global Investable Market Indexes with the exception of the treatment described below.

The general treatment of additions and deletions due to corporate events aims at reducing turnover in the Index. When the number of securities in the each component falls below or rises above the pre-defined 5 due to corporate events, no additions or deletions will be made to restore the number of constituents to 5 until the next Quarterly Index Review.

The following section briefly describes the treatment of common corporate events. Corporate event treatment is applied independently to each component. Any deletion from the eligible universe will be reflected simultaneously in the MSCI Transatlantic Multi Sector Select 20 Index.



EVENT TYPE	EVENT DETAILS
New additions to the Parent Index	A new security added to the eligible universe (such as IPO and other early inclusions) will not be added to the index.
Spin-Offs	All securities created as a result of the spin-off of an existing constituent will be added at the time of event implementation, only if it is classified into the same Region and GICS classification.
Merger/Acquisition	If an existing Index constituent is acquired by a non-Index constituent, the existing constituent will be deleted from the Index and the acquiring non- constituent will not be added to the Index.
Changes in Security Characteristics	A security will continue to be an Index constituent if there are changes in characteristics, provided that it remains within the same Region and GICS classification. Reevaluation for continued inclusion in the Index will occur at the subsequent Index Review.

Further detail and illustration regarding specific treatment of corporate events relevant to this Index can be found in the MSCI Corporate Events Methodology book.

The MSCI Corporate Events methodology book is available at: <u>https://www.msci.com/index-methodology.</u>



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