

MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target Index (USD)

The MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target Index is based on MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan), its parent index, which includes large and mid cap stocks across 22 of 23 Developed Market (DM) countries* excluding Japan. The index is designed to represent the performance of a strategy that seeks to capture increased exposure to the Growth factor while exhibiting lower or equal ex-ante total risk to the underlying parent index.

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

CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (USD) (JAN 2011 – JAN 2026)



ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target	MSCI Kokusai
2025	25.18	20.90
2024	24.21	19.33
2023	22.47	24.02
2022	-18.15	-18.24
2021	16.80	23.49
2020	14.05	16.02
2019	26.85	28.43
2018	-7.54	-8.31
2017	27.71	22.25
2016	8.74	8.02
2015	-1.46	-1.78
2014	7.77	5.79
2013	31.92	26.63
2012	16.21	16.59

INDEX PERFORMANCE – NET RETURNS (%) (JAN 30, 2026)

	ANNUALIZED								Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since May 31, 1999				
MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target	1.43	4.18	22.18	1.43	21.45	13.18	13.89	8.77	1.61	24.88	19.23	3.98
MSCI Kokusai	1.99	3.18	18.97	1.99	19.42	13.22	13.43	7.26	1.55	24.72	20.25	4.23

FUNDAMENTALS (JAN 30, 2026)

INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAY 31, 1999 – JAN 30, 2026)

	Beta	Tracking Error (%) ¹	Turnover (%) ¹	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) ²			SHARPE RATIO ^{2,3}			Since May 31, 1999	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
				3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target	1.00	3.25	40.69	11.01	14.61	14.83	1.40	0.71	0.80	0.47	56.35	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI Kokusai	1.00	0.00	2.29	11.23	14.64	14.84	1.22	0.71	0.78	0.39	58.69	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

* Developed Market countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US.

The MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target Index was launched on Aug 17, 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.

INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

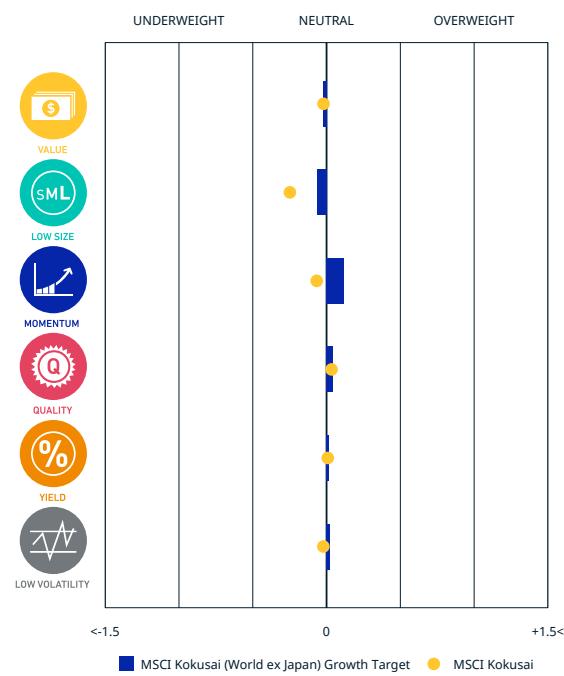
	MSCI Kokusai (World ex Japan) Growth Target	MSCI Kokusai
Number of Constituents	211	1,138
Weight (%)		
Largest	6.25	5.81
Smallest	0.02	0.00
Average	0.47	0.09
Median	0.20	0.03

TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Index Wt. (%)	Parent Index Wt. (%)	Sector
NVIDIA	6.25	5.81	Info Tech
LILLY (ELI) & COMPANY	3.02	1.04	Health Care
APPLE	2.96	4.82	Info Tech
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP	2.52	0.35	Financials
BROADCOM	2.47	1.86	Info Tech
GE VENOVA	2.46	0.25	Industrials
MICROSOFT CORP	2.25	3.80	Info Tech
SCHWAB (CHARLES) CORP	2.23	0.22	Financials
MERCK & CO	2.21	0.34	Health Care
GILEAD SCIENCES	2.19	0.22	Health Care
Total	28.54	18.74	

FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

MSCI FACTOR BOX



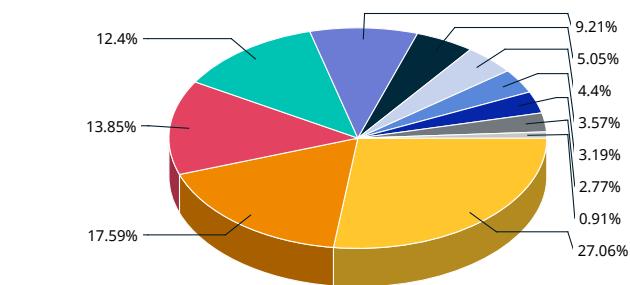
MSCI FaCS

	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.

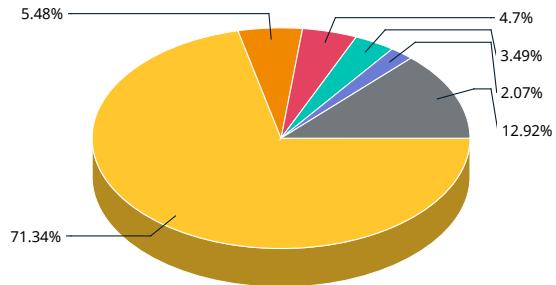
Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

SECTOR WEIGHTS



- Information Technology 27.06%
- Financials 17.59%
- Health Care 13.85%
- Industrials 12.4%
- Consumer Discretionary 9.21%
- Materials 5.05%
- Consumer Staples 4.4%
- Communication Services 3.57%
- Real Estate 3.19%
- Utilities 2.77%
- Energy 0.91%

COUNTRY WEIGHTS



- United States 71.34%
- Canada 5.48%
- Germany 4.7%
- United Kingdom 3.49%
- Australia 2.07%
- Other 12.92%

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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