

STOXX® GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INDICES

STOXX® Europe 600 Real Estate Cap Index

STOXX® Americas 600 Real Estate Cap Index

STOXX® Asia/Pacific 600 Real Estate Cap Index

STOXX® Global 1800 REITS Index

STOXX® Europe 600 REITS Index

STOXX® Americas 600 REITS Index

STOXX® Asia/Pacific 600 REITS Index

Qualification

To be included in the respective STOXX Real Estate and STOXX REITS indices, companies must be part of the STOXX Global 1800 Index. In addition companies must be classified as follows:

- STOXX Real Estate indices: as defined by the Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB) Supersector 8600 as either
 - investing directly or indirectly in real estate investment services or
 - as Real Estate Investment Trusts or corporations (REITs) or
 - Listed Property Trusts (LPTs).
- STOXX REITS indices: as defined by the ICB Sector 8670 (Real Estate Investment Trusts) as either
 - Real Estate Investment Trusts or corporations (REITs) or
 - Listed Property Trusts (LPTs) or
 - Retail, Residential, Diversified, Speciality, Mortgage and Hotel&Lodging REITs.

Index Universe

The index universe is defined as all components of the STOXX Global 1800 Index. The STOXX Global 1800 Index covers 25 countries globally and approximately 85% of the market capitalisation of developed markets. Developed markets include for Europe: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom, for the Americas: Canada and the United States, for Asia/Pacific: Australia, Hong Kong, Japan, New Zealand and Singapore.

Initial Stock Selection

- Stocks in the index universe are separated by region into Europe, the Americas and Asia/Pacific.
- Within each region, the top 600 stocks by free float market capitalisation are selected to create Europe, the Americas and Asia/Pacific indices.
- Subsets are derived from the three regional indices, as defined by the Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB), to create the STOXX Real Estate indices (ICB Supersector 8600) and STOXX REITS indices (ICB Sector 8670).

The STOXX Europe 600 REITS, STOXX Americas 600 REITS and the STOXX Asia/Pacific 600 REITS indices are combined to form the STOXX Global 1800 REITS Index.

STOXX® GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INDICES**Review Procedure**

- Stocks in the index universe are separated by region into Europe, the Americas and Asia/Pacific.
- Within each region, the stocks are ranked by free float market capitalisation.
- To create the European, the Americas and the Asia/Pacific regional indices, stocks are selected on the basis of the following procedure:
 - The 550 highest-ranking stocks on the selection list are selected for the index.
 - The remaining 50 companies are selected from the highest-ranking current component between 551 and 750.
 - If the component number is still below 600, then stocks not previously included in the index are selected, beginning with the one with the highest ranking.
 - Final components are selected according to the 'Initial stock selection'

Review Frequency

The index composition is reviewed quarterly in March, June, September and December.

Weighting

The indices are weighted by free float market capitalisation. Each component's weight in the STOXX Real Estate indices is capped at 20%. No cap is applied to components in the STOXX REITS indices. The free float weights are reviewed quarterly.