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# EURO STOXX® 50 ESG INDEX

#### Index description

The EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index is based on the EURO STOXX 50® Index, one of Europe's flagship benchmarks. A set of standardized ESG exclusion screens, based on the responsible policies of leading asset owners, are applied with the aim to reduce reputational and idiosyncratic risks. In addition to the exclusion screens, 10% of companies with the lowest ESG scores are excluded and are replaced by companies with a higher ESG score from the same ICB Supersector as the excluded companies.

STOXX will exclude companies that Sustainalytics considers to be non-compliant with the Global Compact Principles, that are involved in controversial weapons, are tobacco producers and that either derive revenues from thermal coal extraction or exploration, or have power generation capacity that utilizes thermal coal.

The EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index is suitable as underlying for mandates, passive funds, ETFs, structured products and listed derivatives

#### Key facts

»ESG-screened version of one of Europe's flagship benchmarks, the EURO STOXX 50 Index.

»The screens are based on responsible policies and aim to reduce reputational and idiosyncratic risks.

»10% of companies with the lowest ESG scores are excluded and are replaced by companies with a higher ESG score from the same ICB Supersector.

»Screening provided by award-winning ESG data provider Sustainalytics.

»Transparent free-float market-cap weighting scheme, similar to

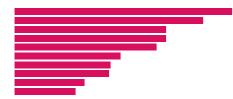
»Low tracking error with similar risk-return profile compared to EURO STOXX 50.

»Suitable as underlying for mandates, passive funds, ETFs, structured products and listed derivatives.

#### **Descriptive statistics**

Index	Market ca	Market cap (EUR bn.)		Components (EUR bn.)			Component weight (%)		Turnover (%)	
	Full	Free-float	Mean	Median	Largest	Smallest	Largest	Smallest	Last 12 months	
EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index	2,714.5	2,249.9	45.0	34.6	151.0	11.6	6.7	0.5	22.1	
EURO STOXX 50 Index	2,863.5	2,340.2	46.8	36.0	151.0	11.6	6.5	0.5	2.0	

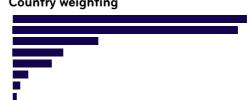
#### Supersector weighting (top 10)



#### 14.6% Technology

- 12.7% Personal & Household Goods 10.2% Chemicals
- 10.2% Industrial Goods & Services
- 9.5% Health Care
- 7.1% Banks
- 6.4% Insurance 6.4% Utilities
- 4.7% Consumer Services
- 4.1% Retail

#### **Country weighting**



35.4% Germany 34.1% France 12.9% Netherlands 7.7% Spain

5.9% Italy 2.3% Finland

11% Ireland 0.6% Belaium

#### Risk and return figures

Index returns				Re	turn (%)			Annu	alized ret	urn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y
EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index	2.8	-9.1	-0.1	-2.2	1.8	N/A	N/A	-0.1	-0.8	0.4
EURO STOXX 50 Index	3.1	-12.6	-4.5	-4.4	0.1	N/A	N/A	-4.6	-1.5	0.0
Index volatility and risk	Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe ra					pe ratio <sup>2</sup>				
EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index	17.2	34.7	29.1	19.8	19.6	N/A	N/A	0.0	-0.0	0.0
EURO STOXX 50 Index	17.9	36.5	30.6	20.6	20.1	N/A	N/A	-0.1	-0.0	0.0
Index to benchmark	Correlation Tracking error (						rror (%)			
EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.9	3.1	2.6	1.7	1.4
Index to benchmark					Beta		A	nnualized	informati	on ratio
EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	-1.7	1.7	1.6	0.3	0.2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX calculation reference guide.

(EUR, price), all data as of Aug. 31, 2020



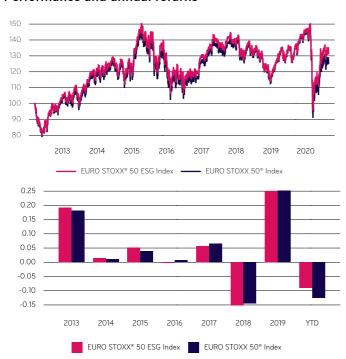
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Based on Euribor1m

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#### Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

Index		Price/earnings incl. negative		Price/earnings excl. negative		Dividend yield (%)	Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing
EURO STOXX 50 ESG Index	35.3	21.7	21.7	19.6	1.5	2.2	1.1	621.5
EURO STOXX 50 Index	38.2	22.1	21.1	20.0	1.5	2.0	1.0	-843.5

#### Performance and annual returns<sup>3</sup>



#### Methodology

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STOXX will exclude companies that Sustainalytics considers to be non-compliant with the Global Compact Principles, are involved in controversial weapons, are tobacco producers and that either derive revenues from thermal coal extraction or exploration, or have power generation capacity that utilizes thermal coal. The index is reviewed quarterly, and components are free-float market-cap weighted, with a maximum weight capped at 10%. Deleted companies will be

The index will be subject to the fast-exit rule: in case an index constituent's ESG-risk level increases to level 5, the respective constituent will be deleted from the index two dissemination days after the announcement, i.e. at the open of the third dissemination

#### Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH0469557497	SX5GTESG	SX5GTESG	.SX5GTESG
Net Return	EUR	CH0469557505	SX5TESG	SX5TESG INDEX	.SX5TESG
Price	EUR	CH0469557521	SX5EESG	SX5EESG INDEX	.SX5EESG
Gross Return	USD	CH0469557513	SX5GUESG		.SX5GUESG
Net Return	USD	CH0469557539	SX5UESG		.SX5UESG
Price	USD	CH0469557489	SX5KESG		.SX5KESG

Complete list available here: www.stoxx.com/data/vendor\_codes.html

#### **Quick facts**

Weighting	Free-float market cap
Cap factor	0.1
No. of components	50
Review frequency	Quarterly
Calculation/distribution	realtime 15 sec
Calculation hours	09:00:00 18:00:00
Base value/base date	100 as of Mar. 19, 2012
History	Mar. 19, 2012
Inception date	Apr. 30, 2019

To learn more about the inception date, the currency, the calculation hours and historical values, please see our data vendor code sheet.

(EUR, price), all data as of Aug. 31, 2020

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STOXX data from Mar. 19, 2012 to Aug. 31, 2020

## EURO STOXX® 50 ESG INDEX

### Top 10 Components<sup>5</sup>

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%) 6.71	
SAP	Technology	DE		
ASML HLDG	Technology	NL	5.95	
LINDE	Chemicals	DE	5.17	
LVMH MOET HENNESSY	Personal & Household Goods	FR	4.64	
SANOFI	SANOFI Health Care		4.29	
SIEMENS	Industrial Goods & Services	DE	3.85	
TOTAL	Oil & Gas	FR	3.83	
ALLIANZ	Insurance	DE	3.37	
L'OREAL	Personal & Household Goods	FR	3.00	
UNILEVER NV	Personal & Household Goods	NL	2.96	

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 5}$  Based on the composition as of Aug. 31, 2020