

STOXX® KUWAIT SMALL CAP INDEX

Index description

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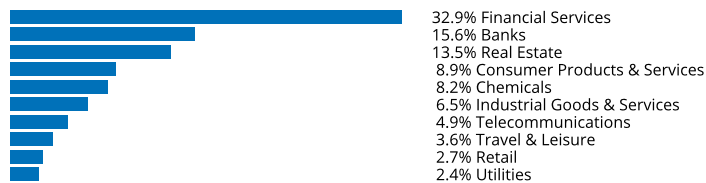
Key facts

- »Broad, yet liquid coverage of Small cap companies that supports clients' global investment decisions whilst avoiding home biases.
- »A consistent and transparent methodology which fully embraces global standards of governance.
- »Can serve as a basis for numerous derived strategies.
- »Constructed using STOXX World Methodology.
- »Its countries follow the STOXX World Country classification framework.

Descriptive statistics

| Index | Market cap (USD bn.) | | Components (USD bn.) | | | | Component weight (%) | | Turnover (%) |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------------|
| | Full | Free-float | Mean | Median | Largest | Smallest | Largest | Smallest | Last 12 months |
| STOXX Kuwait Small Cap Index | 23.9 | 13.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 0.1 | 9.3 | 0.8 | 15.6 |
| STOXX Emerging Markets All Cap Index | 14,548.2 | 7,904.6 | 1.5 | 0.3 | 396.4 | 0.0 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 8.3 |

Supersector weighting (top 10)



Country weighting



Risk and return figures¹

| Index returns | Return (%) | | | | | Annualized return (%) | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y |
| STOXX Kuwait Small Cap Index | 4.9 | 2.4 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| STOXX Emerging Markets All Cap Index | -0.9 | 2.7 | -6.4 | 15.2 | -5.2 | N/A | N/A | -6.4 | 4.8 | -1.1 |
| Index volatility and risk | Annualized volatility (%) | | | | | Annualized Sharpe ratio ² | | | | |
| STOXX Kuwait Small Cap Index | 8.5 | 10.8 | 14.4 | 14.4 | N/A | N/A | N/A | -0.7 | -0.7 | N/A |
| STOXX Emerging Markets All Cap Index | 8.1 | 12.6 | 17.2 | 17.0 | 17.6 | N/A | N/A | -0.4 | 0.3 | -0.0 |
| Index to benchmark | Correlation | | | | | Tracking error (%) | | | | |
| STOXX Kuwait Small Cap Index | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | N/A | 10.0 | 14.4 | 17.1 | 17.1 | N/A |
| Index to benchmark | Beta | | | | | Annualized information ratio | | | | |
| STOXX Kuwait Small Cap Index | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | N/A | 7.3 | -0.2 | -1.1 | -1.1 | N/A |

¹ For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX calculation reference guide.

² Based on EURIBOR1M

(USD, net return), all data as of Apr. 28, 2023

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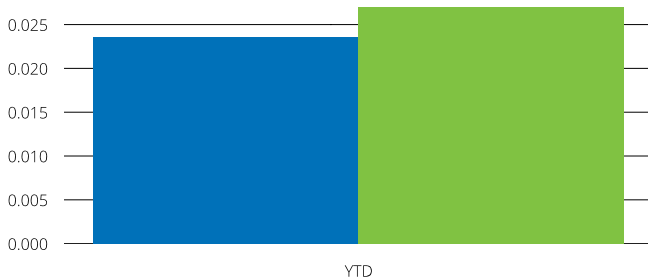
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Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

| Index | Price/earnings incl. negative | | Price/earnings excl. negative | | Price/ book | Dividend yield (%) ³ | Price/ sales | Price/ cash flow |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| | Trailing | Projected | Trailing | Projected | Trailing | Trailing | Trailing | Trailing |
| STOXX Kuwait Small Cap Index | N/A | 0.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| STOXX Emerging Markets All Cap Index | 13.0 | 12.8 | 11.0 | 12.1 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 0.7 | 0.4 |

Performance and annual returns⁴

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Methodology

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Versions and symbols

| Index | ISIN | Symbol | Bloomberg | Reuters |
|------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Gross Return EUR | CH1169658304 | SWKWSCGR | | .SWKWSCGR |
| Net Return EUR | CH1169658296 | SWKWSCR | | .SWKWSCR |
| Price EUR | CH1169658312 | SWKWSCP | | .SWKWSCP |
| Gross Return USD | CH1169658270 | SWKWSCGV | | .SWKWSCGV |
| Net Return USD | CH1169658262 | SWKWSCV | | .SWKWSCV |
| Price USD | CH1169658288 | SWKWSQL | | .SWKWSQL |

Complete list available here: www.stoxx.com/data/vendor_codes.html

Quick facts

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Weighting | Free-float market capitalization |
| Cap factor | N/A |
| No. of components | Variable |
| Review frequency | Semi Annual |
| Calculation/distribution | Realtime 15 sec |
| Calculation hours | 00:00:00 22:15:00 |
| Base value/base date | 1000 as of September. 19, 2022 |
| History | Available from Sep. 19, 2022 |
| Inception date | November. 16, 2022 |

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

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CUSTOMIZATION

The index can be used as a basis for the definition of STOXX® Customized Indices, which can be tailored to specific client or mandate needs. STOXX offers customization in almost unlimited forms for example in terms of component selection, weighting schemes and personalized calculation methodologies.

³ Net dividend yield is calculated as net return index return minus price index return

⁴ STOXX data from Sep. 19, 2022 to Apr. 28, 2023

(USD, net return), all data as of Apr. 28, 2023

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Top 10 Components⁵

| Company | Supersector | Country | Weight (%) |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| NATIONAL INDUSTRIES GROUP HOLD | Financial Services | Kuwait | 9.30 |
| HUMAN SOFT HOLDING | Consumer Products & Services | Kuwait | 8.90 |
| BOUBYAN PETROCHEM | Chemicals | Kuwait | 8.24 |
| KUWAIT INVPRJS | Financial Services | Kuwait | 6.76 |
| AL-AHLI BANK OF KUWAIT | Banks | Kuwait | 6.39 |
| WARBABANK | Banks | Kuwait | 6.21 |
| GULF FINANCE HOUSE (KUW) | Financial Services | Kuwait | 5.91 |
| SALHIAH REAL ESTATE | Real Estate | Kuwait | 5.73 |
| KUWAIT TELECOMMUNICATIONS | Telecommunications | Kuwait | 4.88 |
| BOURSA KUWAIT SECURITIES COMPA | Financial Services | Kuwait | 4.50 |

⁵ Based on the composition as of Apr. 28, 2023
