# ISTOXX® UK ESG EQUAL WEIGHT INDEX

#### **Index description**

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The constituents are equally weighted, and the index is reviewed on a quarterly basis.

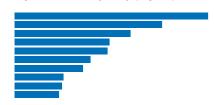
#### **Key facts**

- »Serves as benchmarks for the UK region.
- »High liquidity threshold ensures tradability.
- »Selects the largest securities that have low ESG Risk Rating.

#### **Descriptive statistics**

Index	Market cap (GBP bn.)		Components (GBP bn.)		Component weight (%)		Turnover (%)		
	Full	Free-float	Mean	Median	Largest	Smallest	Largest	Smallest	Last 12 months
iSTOXX UK ESG Equal Weight Index	N/A	86.1	1.4	1.3	1.8	1.1	2.1	1.3	64.4
STOXX UK 180 Index	2,247.6	2,068.4	11.5	3.8	173.4	0.9	8.4	0.0	3.5

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)



#### **Country weighting**

19.1% Industrial Goods & Services 14.6% Consumer Products & Services 11.4% Media

9.4% Real Estate 9.2% Financial Services 7.5% Insurance

6.7% Retail 4.9% Health Care

4.7% Food, Beverage & Tobacco

100.0% Great Britain

### Risk and return figures<sup>1</sup>

Index returns				R	eturn (%)			Anr	ualized re	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y
iSTOXX UK ESG Equal Weight Index	4.3	3.2	-3.9	18.9	-7.4	N/A	N/A	-3.9	6.0	-1.5
STOXX UK 180 Index	2.4	2.9	2.5	27.8	-1.2	N/A	N/A	2.5	8.6	-0.2
Index volatility and risk		Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe						pe ratio <sup>2</sup>		
iSTOXX UK ESG Equal Weight Index	18.6	16.2	18.1	18.6	21.2	N/A	N/A	-0.2	0.3	-0.1
STOXX UK 180 Index	13.5	12.1	12.2	14.7	17.5	N/A	N/A	0.1	0.5	-0.0
Index to benchmark		Correlation Tracking er						error (%)		
iSTOXX UK ESG Equal Weight Index	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	8.2	9.7	11.3	9.8	10.3
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annualiz	ed informa	tion ratio
iSTOXX UK ESG Equal Weight Index	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	2.8	0.1	-0.6	-0.2	-0.1

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

(GBP, price), all data as of Jul. 31, 2023



<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		Price/ Divide book yield (9		Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow	
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	
iSTOXX UK ESG Equal Weight Index	216.7	12.8	14.9	11.9	1.4	3.6	1.2	1.5	
STOXX UK 180 Index	11.7	10.0	8.9	9.7	1.4	4.0	0.8	4.1	

#### Performance and annual returns4



#### Methodology

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#### **Versions and symbols**

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH0462361723	ISUKEWGR		.ISUKEWGR
Net Return	EUR	CH0462361715	ISUKEWR		.ISUKEWR
Price	EUR	CH0462361707	ISUKEWE		.ISUKEWE
Gross Return	GBP	CH0462361756	ISUKEWGB	ISUKEWGB INDEX	.ISUKEWGB
Net Return	GBP	CH0462361749	ISUKEWB	ISUKEWB INDEX	.ISUKEWB
Price	GBP	CH0462361731	ISUKEWH	ISUKEWH INDEX	ISUKEWH

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

#### **Quick facts**

Weighting	Equal-Weighted
Cap factor	n.a.
No. of components	Variable
Review frequency	Quarterly
Calculation/distribution	realtime 15 sec
Calculation hours	09:00:00 18:00:00
Base value/base date	100 as of Mar. 24, 2014
History	Available from Mar. 24, 2014
Inception date	June. 01, 2022
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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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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.

<sup>3</sup> Net dividend yield is calculated as net return index return minus price index return

4 STOXX data from Mar. 24, 2014 to Jul. 31, 2023

(GBP, price), all data as of Jul. 31, 2023

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)
INTERNATIONAL DISTRIBUTIONS SERVICES	Industrial Goods & Services	Great Britain	2.14
GAMES WORKSHOP	Consumer Products & Services	Great Britain	1.99
FUTURE	Media	Great Britain	1.87
HOWDEN JOINERY GRP	Retail	Great Britain	1.74
BERKELEY GRP HLDG	Consumer Products & Services	Great Britain	1.73
NEXT	Retail	Great Britain	1.72
MONDI	Industrial Goods & Services	Great Britain	1.72
SAGE GRP	Technology	Great Britain	1.71
ABRDN	Financial Services	Great Britain	1.70
INVESTEC	Banks	Great Britain	1.69

<sup>5</sup> Based on the composition as of Jul. 31, 2023