# ISTOXX® UNIVEST SUSTAINABLE WORLD INDEX

## **Index description**

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#### **Key facts**

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»Use of Axioma's factor risk model and optimization to control for unintended systematic and ESG exposures.

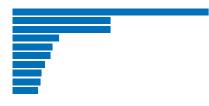
»Ensures tradability by managing turnover and using liquidity constraints in the optimization.

»Ensures diversification using country and industry controls.

#### **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
iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index	N/A	114.0	0.1	0.1	5.3	0.0	4.7	0.0	30.0
iSTOXX Univest World Index	65,405.0	58,908.3	36.0	12.9	2,940.1	0.3	5.0	0.0	2.6

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)



- 24.6% Technology 12.3% Industrial Goods & Services 12.3% Health Care
- 5.8% Banks 5.0% Retail

- 4.7% Energy 4.1% Financial Services 3.6% Food, Beverage & Tobacco 3.5% Consumer Products & Services
- 3.2% Insurance

#### Country weighting



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

Index returns				R	eturn (%)			Anı	nualized re	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	зү	5Y
iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index	3.0	18.1	13.1	39.7	56.7	N/A	N/A	13.2	11.9	9.5
iSTOXX Univest World Index	3.4	19.2	14.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.1	N/A	N/A
Index volatility and risk	Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe						pe ratio <sup>2</sup>			
iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index	8.9	11.5	16.2	15.5	18.1	N/A	N/A	0.7	0.7	0.5
iSTOXX Univest World Index	9.3	11.7	16.2	16.4	16.4	N/A	N/A	0.8	0.2	0.2
Index to benchmark		Correlation Trackin						Tracking	error (%)	
iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.3
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annualiz	zed informa	ation ratio
iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	-3.1	-1.7	-0.8	0.1	0.1

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

(USD, gross return), all data as of Jul. 31, 2023



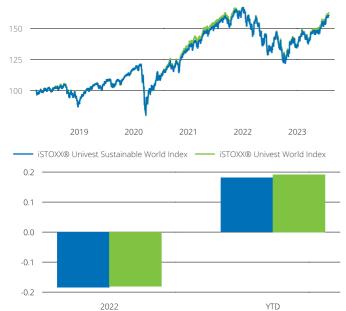
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Based on EURIBOR1M

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## Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

Index	Price/earnings incl. negative		Price/earnings excl. negative		Price/ book	Dividend yield (%) <sup>3</sup>	Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow	
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	
iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index	22.2	18.5	21.1	18.3	3.4	2.6	1.9	10.6	
iSTOXX Univest World Index	22.7	18.9	20.4	18.5	0.1	2.4	2.0	10.1	

## Performance and annual returns4



## Methodology

The iSTOXX Univest Sustainable World Index is constructed by solving a series of optimization problems using Axioma's portfolio optimization software and the Axioma World-wide medium horizon fundamental factor risk model. Four single factor portfolios are first constructed which are then combined to create a target multifactor portfolio such that the four single factor portfolios contribute equally to active risk. A final optimization is then run to track the target portfolio while managing risk, liquidity risk, and tradability of the portfolio and while satisfying the Climate, Social and Governance constraints.

## **Versions and symbols**

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH1112453324	ISXUSWGR		.ISXUSWGR
Net Return	EUR	CH1112453316	ISXUSWR		.ISXUSWR
Price	EUR	CH1112453308	ISXUSWP		.ISXUSWP
Gross Return	USD	CH1112453357	ISXUSWEG	ISXUSWEG INDEX	.ISXUSWEG
Net Return	USD	CH1112453340	ISXUSWER	ISXUSWER INDEX	.ISXUSWER
Price	USD	CH1112453332	ISXUSWE		.ISXUSWE

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#### **Quick facts**

Optimization
None
Capped at 800
Quarterly
realtime 15 sec
00:00:01 22:15:00
100 as of Mar. 19, 2018
Available daily as of Mar 19, 2018
Sep. 30, 2021

To learn more about the inception date, the currency, the calculation hours and historical values, please

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#### **BACKTESTED PERFORMANCE**

This document contains index performance data based on backtesting, i.e. calculations of how the index might have performed prior to launch if it had existed using the same index methodology and based on historical constituents. Backtested performance information is purely hypothetical and is provided in this document solely for information purposes. Backtested performance does not represent actual performance and should not be interpreted as an indication of actual performance.

#### 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.

<sup>3</sup> gr. div. yield is calculated as gr. return index return minus price index return

<sup>4</sup> STOXX data from Mar. 19, 2018 to Jul. 31, 2023

(USD, gross return), all data as of Jul. 31, 2023

## ISTOXX INDICES

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
Microsoft Corp.	Technology	United States	4.68	
Apple Inc.	Technology	United States	4.39	
NVIDIA Corp.	Technology	United States	2.08	
VISA Inc. CI A	Industrial Goods & Services	United States	1.25	
Home Depot Inc.	Retail	United States	1.15	
Johnson & Johnson	Health Care	United States	1.10	
ADOBE	Technology	United States	1.07	
BROADCOM	Technology	United States	1.05	
TESLA	Automobiles & Parts	United States	1.04	
MasterCard Inc. Cl A	Industrial Goods & Services	United States	0.88	

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