# ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIAL STOXX® USA 900 ESG TARGET TE INDEX

### Index description

STOXX ESG Target TE Indices aim to minimize tracking error to the benchmark index while ensuring an improved ESG score. The weighting of each constituent security is determined through an optimization process that is designed to ensure diversification and uses Axiomas Risk Model and Optimizer to construct the indices.

## **Key facts**

»STOXX ESG Target TE Indices minimize the tracking error to the benchmark index.

»The aggregate ESG scores of the STOXX ESG Target TE Indices are substantially improved over the benchmark index.

»Turnover is held to levels comparable to the benchmark index.

#### **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 USA 900 ESG Target TE Index	N/A	115.0	0.2	0.1	8.0	0.0	7.0	0.0	7.5
STOXX USA 900 Index	43,812.0	41,997.7	46.7	14.7	2,940.1	2.4	7.0	0.0	2.6

**Country weighting** 

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)

	30.6% Technology 12.7% Health Care 11.0% Industrial Goods & Services 6.3% Retail 4.7% Energy 4.0% Financial Services 3.4% Food, Beverage & Tobacco 3.0% Banks 2.9% Utilities 2.8% Travel & Leisure	100.0% United States
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#### Risk and return figures<sup>1</sup>

			R	eturn (%)			An	nualized ret	turn (%)
Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y
3.2	19.2	11.1	37.3	64.3	N/A	N/A	11.1	11.2	10.5
3.2	19.5	11.3	36.8	60.3	N/A	N/A	11.3	11.1	10.0
Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Shar				pe ratio <sup>2</sup>					
9.1	14.0	19.1	18.7	22.1	N/A	N/A	0.5	0.5	0.4
9.1	14.0	19.1	18.7	22.2	N/A	N/A	0.5	0.6	0.4
Correlation Track				Tracking	error (%)				
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.1	2.5
Beta Annualized informatic					tion ratio				
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.2	-1.4	-0.5	-0.3	-0.3
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<sup>1</sup> For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX <u>calculation reference guide</u>.

<sup>2</sup> Based on EURIBOR1M



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

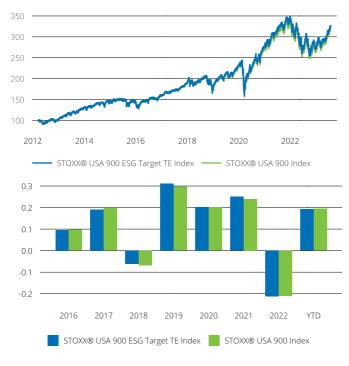
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### Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

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	
STOXX USA 900 ESG Target TE Index	26.5	20.9	23.1	20.4	4.4	1.9	2.3	16.9	
STOXX USA 900 Index	27.3	21.5	23.6	20.8	0.1	1.9	2.4	14.7	

## Performance and annual returns<sup>4</sup>



## Methodology

The weighting of each constituent security in STOXX ESG Target TE Indices is determined by optimization to minimize the tracking error to the benchmark index. In addition, the methodology constrains the ESG to a minimum value, quarterly turnover to a maximum value, and limits the active country and industry exposures.

#### Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH0583522427	SU9WETA		.SU9WETA
Net Return	EUR	CH0583522666	SU9RETA	SU9RETA INDEX	.SU9RETA
Price	EUR	CH0583522617	SU9PETA	SU9PETA INDEX	.SU9PETA
Gross Return	USD	CH0583522583	SU9ZETA		.SU9ZETA
Net Return	USD	CH0583522450	SU9VETA	SU9VETA INDEX	.SU9VETA
Price	USD	CH0583522591	SU9LETA	SU9LETA INDEX	.SU9LETA

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#### Quick facts

QUICK TACES	
Weighting	Optimization
Cap factor	4.5% / 8% / 35%
No. of components	Variable
Review frequency	Quarterly (Mar., Jun., Sep., Dec)
Calculation/distribution	realtime 15 sec
Calculation hours	15:30:00 22:15:00
Base value/base date	100 as of Mar. 19, 2012
History	Available from Mar. 19, 2030
Inception date	Apr. 22, 2021
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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, 2012 to Jul. 31, 2023

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
Apple Inc.	Technology	United States	6.99	
Microsoft Corp.	Technology	United States	6.05	
Amazon.com Inc.	Retail	United States	2.85	
NVIDIA Corp.	Technology	United States	2.83	
ALPHABET CLASS C	Technology	United States	1.96	
META PLATFORMS CLASS A	Technology	United States	1.74	
TESLA	Automobiles & Parts	United States	1.74	
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	Banks	United States	1.25	
UnitedHealth Group Inc.	Health Care	United States	1.20	
VISA Inc. CI A	Industrial Goods & Services	United States	1.04	

 $^{\rm 5}$  Based on the composition as of Jul. 31, 2023