STOXX® JAPAN SMALL CAP INDEX

Index description

The STOXX Japan Small Cap Index is a broad market cap weighted index designed to represent the performance of the Small Cap companies from Japan covering approximately 15% of investable market capitalization. STOXX Japan Small Cap Index is suitable for global investment products which include funds, exchange traded funds, and derivatives and can also be used for further building block approach strategies when appropriate. It follows a robust and modular framework which enables investors to utilize this index for a variety of investment objectives whilst using a consistent approach. It is derived from STOXX World Equity Index series and its countries follow the STOXX World Country Classification Framework.

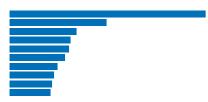
Key facts

- »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 Japan Small Cap Index	814.0	646.5	0.7	0.5	2.9	0.0	0.5	0.0	5.6
STOXX Developed World Small Cap Index	9,087.1	7,619.4	1.6	0.8	21.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	6.5

Supersector weighting (top 10)



21.8% Industrial Goods & Services 10.8% Technology

7.4% Real Estate

6.8% Chemicals 6.6% Construction & Materials 6.2% Banks

5.3% Consumer Products & Services 4.9% Travel & Leisure

4.7% Basic Resources

4.6% Food, Beverage & Tobacco

Country weighting

100.0% Japan

Risk and return figures¹

Index returns		Return (%) Annualized a						nualized re	turn (%)	
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	зү	5Y
STOXX Japan Small Cap Index	4.3	8.9	11.9	14.3	1.2	N/A	N/A	11.8	4.6	0.2
STOXX Developed World Small Cap Index	5.2	13.9	9.5	32.8	29.8	N/A	N/A	9.5	9.9	5.3
Index volatility and risk		Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe						pe ratio ²		
STOXX Japan Small Cap Index	11.7	15.1	17.2	16.6	18.1	N/A	N/A	0.6	0.2	0.0
STOXX Developed World Small Cap Index	13.0	15.0	19.0	18.3	20.5	N/A	N/A	0.4	0.5	0.3
Index to benchmark		Correlation					Tracking error (%)			
STOXX Japan Small Cap Index	0.8	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	8.8	20.4	21.7	21.0	22.4
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annualiz	zed informa	ation ratio
STOXX Japan Small Cap Index	0.7	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	-1.3	-0.5	-0.0	-0.4	-0.4

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

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



² Based on EURIBOR1M

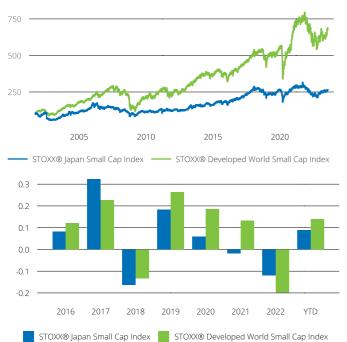
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Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

Index	Price/earnings incl. negative		Price/earnings excl. negative		Price/ book	Dividend yield (%) ³	Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing
STOXX Japan Small Cap Index	15.6	14.0	13.3	13.7	1.0	2.9	0.6	14.1
STOXX Developed World Small Cap Index	34.6	19.3	13.0	14.5	1.8	2.3	1.0	9.0

Performance and annual returns4



Methodology

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Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH1213345726	SWJPSCGR		.SWJPSCGR
Net Return	EUR	CH1213345718	SWJPSCR		.SWJPSCR
Price	EUR	CH1213345734	SWJPSCP		.SWJPSCP
Gross Return	USD	CH1213345692	SWJPSCGV		.SWJPSCGV
Net Return	USD	CH1213345684	SWJPSCV	SWJPSCV INDEX	.SWJPSCV
Price	USD	CH1213345700	SWJPSCL		.SWJPSCL

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

Quick facts

Free-float market capitalization
N/A
Variable
Semi Annual
Realtime 15 sec
00:00:00 22:15:00
1000 as of September. 24, 2001
Available from Sep. 24, 2001
November. 16, 2022

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

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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.

³ gr. div. yield is calculated as gr. return index return minus price index return

4 STOXX data from Sep. 24, 2001 to Jul. 31, 2023

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

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Top 10 Components⁵

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
SKYLARK HOLDINGS	Travel & Leisure	Japan	0.46	
DAICEL CORP	Chemicals	Japan	0.41	
J. Front Retailing Co. Ltd.	Retail	Japan	0.41	
SANKEN ELECTRIC	Technology	Japan	0.40	
Taiheiyo Cement Corp.	Construction & Materials	Japan	0.39	
TOKYO OHKA KOGYO	Chemicals	Japan	0.39	
Hachijuni Bank Ltd.	Banks	Japan	0.39	
INVINCIBLE INVESTMENT	Real Estate	Japan	0.39	
TOYO SEIKAN GROUP HOLDINGS	Industrial Goods & Services	Japan	0.39	
Credit Saison Co. Ltd.	Industrial Goods & Services	Japan	0.39	

Based on the composition as of Jul. 31, 2023