

# EURO STOXX® ESG-X & EX NUCLEAR POWER QUALITY INDEX

## Index description

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## Key facts

»Constructed on the EURO STOXX Index with standardized ESG exclusion screens applied for Global Compact Principles, Controversial Weapons, Thermal Coal, Nuclear Power and Tobacco Producers.

»The screens are based on responsible policies and aim to reduce reputational and idiosyncratic risks.

»Screening provided by award-winning ESG data provider Sustainalytics.

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»Optimization provided by award-winning partner Axioma.

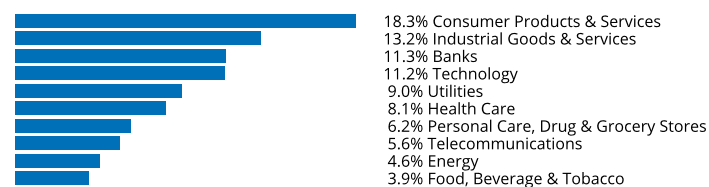
»The weighting is determined by a single-factor optimization process.

»Suitable as underlying for passive funds, ETFs, structured products and listed derivatives.

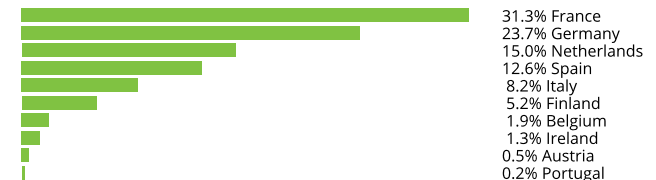
## Descriptive statistics

| Index   | Market cap (EUR bn.) |            | Components (EUR bn.) |        |         |          | Component weight (%) |          | Turnover (%)   |
|---|----------------------|------------|----------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------------|
|   | Full                 | Free-float | Mean                 | Median | Largest | Smallest | Largest              | Smallest | Last 12 months |
| EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Quality Index | N/A                  | 103.5      | 1.3                  | 0.5    | 8.4     | 0.0      | 8.1                  | 0.0      | 29.8           |
| EURO STOXX Index                                  | 7,285.2              | 5,180.5    | 17.8                 | 7.1    | 262.4   | 1.6      | 5.1                  | 0.0      | 2.9            |

## Supersector weighting (top 10)



## Country weighting



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

| Index returns                                     | Return (%)                |      |      |      |      | Annualized return (%)                |      |      |      |      |
|---|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
|   | Last month                | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y   | Last month                           | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y   |
| EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Quality Index | 1.6                       | 16.4 | 17.0 | 39.6 | 31.7 | N/A                                  | N/A  | 17.1 | 11.9 | 5.7  |
| EURO STOXX Index                                  | 2.0                       | 17.2 | 17.6 | 44.2 | 34.7 | N/A                                  | N/A  | 17.7 | 13.1 | 6.2  |
| Index volatility and risk                         | Annualized volatility (%) |      |      |      |      | Annualized Sharpe ratio <sup>2</sup> |      |      |      |      |
| EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Quality Index | 13.3                      | 13.3 | 14.9 | 17.2 | 18.8 | N/A                                  | N/A  | 1.0  | 0.6  | 0.3  |
| EURO STOXX Index                                  | 14.5                      | 14.4 | 16.0 | 17.9 | 19.9 | N/A                                  | N/A  | 1.0  | 0.7  | 0.3  |
| Index to benchmark                                | Correlation               |      |      |      |      | Tracking error (%)                   |      |      |      |      |
| EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Quality Index | 1.0                       | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 3.1                                  | 3.5  | 3.4  | 3.7  | 3.7  |
| Index to benchmark                                | Beta                      |      |      |      |      | Annualized information ratio         |      |      |      |      |
| EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Quality Index | 0.9                       | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | -2.0                                 | -0.4 | -0.2 | -0.3 | -0.2 |

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

<sup>2</sup> Based on EURIBOR1M

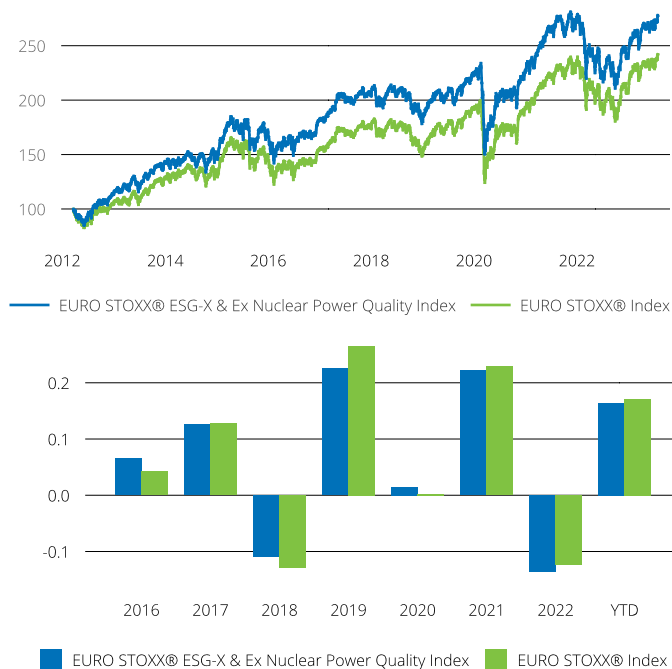
(EUR, net return), all data as of Jul. 31, 2023

## STRATEGY INDICES

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## Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

| Index   | Price/earnings<br>incl. negative |           | Price/earnings<br>excl. negative |           | Price/<br>book | Dividend<br>yield (%) <sup>3</sup> | Price/<br>sales | Price/<br>cash flow |
|---|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
|   | Trailing                         | Projected | Trailing                         | Projected | Trailing       | Trailing                           | Trailing        | Trailing            |
| EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Quality Index | 19.0                             | 12.8      | 15.0                             | 12.7      | 1.8            | 3.1                                | 1.0             | 6.5                 |
| EURO STOXX Index                                  | 15.4                             | 12.5      | 13.5                             | 12.2      | 1.7            | 2.9                                | 1.1             | 10.6                |

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

## Methodology

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The EURO STOXX ESG-X & Ex Nuclear Power Single Factor optimization is performed using Axioma's Portfolio Optimization software. This portfolio construction tool includes a Second-Order Cone optimization engine as well as a Branch-and-Bound algorithm for combinatorial problems that has been specialized for financial problems. Risk predictions are made using Axioma's European, Medium-Horizon, Equity Fundamental Factor Risk Model.

## Versions and symbols

| Index            | ISIN         | Symbol   | Bloomberg      | Reuters   |
|------------------|--------------|----------|----------------|-----------|
| Gross Return EUR | CH0459297724 | SXEXQLEG | SXEXQLEG INDEX | .SXEXQLEG |
| Net Return EUR   | CH0459297609 | SXEXQLEN | SXEXQLEN INDEX | .SXEXQLEN |
| Price EUR        | CH0459297849 | SXEXQLEP | SXEXQLEP INDEX | .SXEXQLEP |
| Gross Return USD | CH0459297831 | SXEXQLUG |                | .SXEXQLUG |
| Net Return USD   | CH0459297740 | SXEXQLUN |                | .SXEXQLUN |
| Price USD        | CH0459297856 | SXEXQLUP |                | .SXEXQLUP |

Complete list available here: [www.stoxx.com/data/vendor\\_codes.html](http://www.stoxx.com/data/vendor_codes.html)

## Quick facts

|                          |                         |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Weighting                | Optimized               |
| Cap factor               | 4.5% / 8% / 35%         |
| 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. 19, 2012 |
| History                  | 100 as of Mar. 19, 2012 |
| Inception date           | Jan. 30, 2019           |

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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## 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> Net dividend yield is calculated as net 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>

| <b>Company</b>                | <b>Supersector</b>                   | <b>Country</b> | <b>Weight (%)</b> |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| L'OREAL                       | Consumer Products & Services         | France         | 8.14              |
| ENGIE                         | Utilities                            | France         | 5.99              |
| BEIERSDORF                    | Personal Care, Drug & Grocery Stores | Germany        | 5.64              |
| BCO BILBAO VIZCAYA ARGENTARIA | Banks                                | Spain          | 4.99              |
| DEUTSCHE POST                 | Industrial Goods & Services          | Germany        | 4.86              |
| HERMES INTERNATIONAL          | Consumer Products & Services         | France         | 4.61              |
| SAP                           | Technology                           | Germany        | 4.39              |
| HENKEL PREF                   | Consumer Products & Services         | Germany        | 4.04              |
| ASML HLDG                     | Technology                           | Netherlands    | 3.75              |
| SANOFI                        | Health Care                          | France         | 3.64              |

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

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