# STOXX® GLOBAL LOW CARBON 400 INDEX

#### **Index description**

The STOXX Industry Leaders Low Carbon Indices represent the top industry (as defined by the ICB Industry classification) leaders with the lowest carbon emissions considering estimated and reported carbon intensity data. The indices are available for various regions and countries, including Global, Europe and USA. They are blue-chip indices with a fixed component number at the annual rebalance.

STOXX uses CDP and ISS ESG as reliable and professional data sources for the estimated and reported data. Data considered comprise Scope 1 (All direct GHG emissions) and Scope 2 (Indirect GHG emissions from consumption of purchased electricity, heat or steam) emissions.

#### **Key facts**

»Derived from STOXX broad, yet liquid broad indices to ensure tradability.

»As indices derived from those well-known broad indices, investor can easily use it for benchmark purposes.

»Comprehensive offering by covering global regions, Europe, Eurozone and

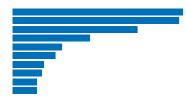
»Usage of a reliable data sources: CDP for reported data.

»Only companies with reported data are available for selection.

#### **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 Global Low Carbon 400 Index | N/A                  | 85,335.2   | 215.5                | 54.3   | 4828.1  | 3.0                  | 5.7     | 0.0          | 26.2           |
| STOXX Global 1800 Index           | 64,926.4             | 58,870.1   | 32.7                 | 11.6   | 2,940.1 | 1.4                  | 5.0     | 0.0          | 2.7            |

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)



- 19.9% Technology 19.5% Industrial Goods & Services 14.6% Health Care

- 5.0% Pelecommunications 5.8% Energy 5.0% Personal Care, Drug & Grocery Stores
- 3.7% Real Estate 3.4% Consumer Products & Services 2.8% Financial Services
- 2.8% Travel & Leisure



- 73.6% United States 4.7% Great Britain
- 3.9% Japan 2.7% Netherlands 2.3% Switzerland
- 2.2% Germany 2.0% Denmark 1.9% Canada

- 1.6% France 1.0% Australia

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

| Index returns                     |            |  |      |      | Return (%) |            |      |            | Annualized return (%) |              |
|-----------------------------------|------------|--|------|------|------------|------------|------|------------|-----------------------|--------------|
|                                   | Last month | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y         | Last month | YTD  | 1Y         | зү                    | 5Y           |
| STOXX Global Low Carbon 400 Index | 3.8        | 17.5   | 13.2 | 33.3 | 62.6       | N/A        | N/A  | 13.3       | 10.2                  | 10.3         |
| STOXX Global 1800 Index           | 3.3        | 18.8   | 14.0 | 39.2 | 56.6       | N/A        | N/A  | 14.2       | 11.8                  | 9.5          |
| Index volatility and risk         |            | Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe ra |      |      |            |            |      | rpe ratio² |                       |              |
| STOXX Global Low Carbon 400 Index | 9.6        | 12.5   | 17.1 | 17.1 | 19.3       | N/A        | N/A  | 0.7        | 0.6                   | 0.5          |
| STOXX Global 1800 Index           | 9.3        | 11.6   | 16.1 | 15.6 | 18.2       | N/A        | N/A  | 0.8        | 0.7                   | 0.5          |
| Index to benchmark                |            | Correlation                                    |      |      |            |            |      | Tracking   | g error (%)           |              |
| STOXX Global Low Carbon 400 Index | 0.9        | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0        | 3.1        | 3.4  | 3.4        | 3.7                   | 3.6          |
| Index to benchmark                |            |  |      |      | Beta       |            |      | Annuali    | ized inform           | nation ratio |
| STOXX Global Low Carbon 400 Index | 1.0        | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.1  | 1.0        | 1.8        | -0.6 | -0.2       | -0.3                  | 0.3          |

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

(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<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            |
| STOXX Global Low Carbon 400 Index | 29.0                             | 23.3      | 25.3                             | 22.7      | 5.4            | 2.0                                | 2.2             | 6.5                 |
| STOXX Global 1800 Index           | 22.5                             | 18.7      | 20.1                             | 18.4      | 0.1            | 2.5                                | 2.0             | 9.8                 |

### Performance and annual returns4



#### Methodology

Base universe is the STOXX Global 1800 Index, excluding stocks from ICB subsector coal (ICB Code 60101040). Only those stocks with reported or estimated low carbon emission data are eligible for inclusion. STOXX uses estimated and reported carbon intensity data ((scope 1 + scope 2 emission data) / revenue in \$ million) provided by our research partner CDP and ISS ESG. The remaining stocks are sorted by ICB Industry and ranked in ascending order by carbon intensity. The top 5 & 10 (regional) and top 10 & 40 (global) stocks with the lowest carbon intensity figures are selected to create both global, regional and country Industry top 50 / 100 / 400 indices. The remaining stocks are sorted by ICB Industry and a z-score per Industry is calculated. Indices are price weighted with a weight factor based on the free-float market cap multiplied by the corresponding z-score carbon intensity factor of each constituent. The resulting tilt overweights stocks with lower carbon intensities and underweights those with higher emissions. Individual components are subject to a 5% cap.

#### **Versions and symbols**

| Index        |     | ISIN         | Symbol   | Bloomberg | Reuters   |
|--------------|-----|--------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Gross Return | EUR | CH0304746602 | SXG4CCEG |           | .SXG4CCEG |
| Gross Return | EUR | CH0304746602 | SXG4CCEG |           | .SXG4CCEG |
| Net Return   | EUR | CH0304746586 | SXG4CCEN |           | .SXG4CCEN |
| Net Return   | EUR | CH0304746586 | SXG4CCEN |           | .SXG4CCEN |
| Price        | EUR | CH0304746560 | SXG4CCEP |           | .SXG4CCEP |
| Price        | EUR | CH0304746560 | SXG4CCEP |           | .SXG4CCEP |
| Gross Return | USD | CH0304746610 | SXG4CCUG |           | .SXG4CCUG |
| Gross Return | USD | CH0304746610 | SXG4CCUG |           | .SXG4CCUG |
| Net Return   | USD | CH0304746594 | SXG4CCUN |           | .SXG4CCUN |
| Net Return   | USD | CH0304746594 | SXG4CCUN |           | .SXG4CCUN |

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

#### **Quick facts**

| Weighting                | Price weighted-weight factor based on FF M-cap multiplied by Z- |
|--------------------------|---|
| Cap factor               | 5% on component level   |
| No. of components        | Fixed at Dec. review, variable thereafter                       |
| Review frequency         | Components: Annually  |
| Calculation/distribution | See https://www.stoxx.com/data-vendor-codes                     |
| Calculation hours        | End-of-day  |
| Base value/base date     | 100 on Dec. 19, 2011  |
| History                  | Yes   |

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 interrupted 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

4 STOXX data from Dec. 19, 2011 to Jul. 31, 2023

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

# THEME INDICES STOXX® GLOBAL LOW CARBON 400 INDEX

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

| Company                 | Supersector                 | Country       | Weight (%) |  |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|------------|--|
| META PLATFORMS CLASS A  | Technology                  | United States | 5.66       |  |
| Apple Inc.              | Technology                  | United States | 5.11       |  |
| VISA Inc. CI A          | Industrial Goods & Services | United States | 5.01       |  |
| MasterCard Inc. Cl A    | Industrial Goods & Services | United States | 4.96       |  |
| UnitedHealth Group Inc. | Health Care                 | United States | 4.85       |  |
| Cisco Systems Inc.      | Telecommunications          | United States | 2.39       |  |
| Intuit Inc.             | Technology                  | United States | 1.88       |  |
| Elevance Health         | Health Care                 | United States | 1.81       |  |
| BOOKING HOLDINGS        | Travel & Leisure            | United States | 1.73       |  |
| PROLOGIS INC.           | Real Estate                 | United States | 1.61       |  |

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