# **ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIAL**

# STOXX® ASIA/PACIFIC 600 ESG BROAD MARKET INDEX

### Index description

The STOXX ESG Broad Market Indices track the performance of a selection of STOXX Indices after set of compliance, involvement and ESG performance screens are applied. Companies that are non-compliant based on the Sustainalytics Global Standards Screening assessment, ESG Risk Ratings or are involved in Controversial Weapons are not eligible for selection. Additional exclusion filters are applied, screening companies for involvement in Tobacco, Thermal Coal, Unconventional Oil & Gas, Small Arms and Military Weapons. The remaining securities are ranked in descending order of their ESG scores within each of the 11 ICB Industry groups. The STOXX ESG Broad Market Indices select the top-ranking securities in each of the ICB Industries until the number of selected securities reaches 80% of the number of securities in the underlying index.

# **Key facts**

»ESG screened versions of STOXX Benchmark Indices.

»Indices select 80% of the securities from underlying indices.

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

»Transparent free-float market-cap weighting scheme.

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

#### **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 Asia/Pacific 600 ESG Broad Market Index	6,879.1	5,791.6	12.1	5.1	207.8	1.4	3.6	0.0	8.1
STOXX Asia/Pacific 600 Index	7,845.0	6,569.1	10.9	4.6	207.8	1.4	3.2	0.0	2.9

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)

17.3% Industria 11.1% Banks	l Goods & Services	66.6% Japan
8.7% Health Ca 7.8% Automob		20.6% Australia
7.8% Technolog		7.7% Hong Kong
5.1% Basic Res 5.1% Real Estat	ources	4.2% Singapore
5.0% Telecomn 4.8% Insurance		0.9% New Zealand

**Country weighting** 

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

				Return (%)			An	nualized ret	turn (%)
Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y
3.6	11.5	10.7	21.7	17.3	N/A	N/A	10.8	6.8	3.3
3.7	11.6	11.3	22.5	17.8	N/A	N/A	11.4	7.1	3.4
Annualized volatility (%)			Annu	Annualized Sharpe ratio <sup>2</sup>					
11.9	13.1	16.4	15.8	16.3	N/A	N/A	0.5	0.3	0.2
11.9	13.1	16.3	15.7	16.2	N/A	N/A	0.5	0.4	0.2
Correlation						Tracking	error (%)		
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
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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, net return), all data as of Jul. 31, 2023

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#### Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

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

Index		Price/earnings incl. negative		Price/earnings excl. negative		Dividend yield (%) <sup>3</sup>		Price/ cash flow	
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	
STOXX Asia/Pacific 600 ESG Broad Market Index	16.0	16.1	14.9	15.8	1.6	2.8	1.3	3.1	
STOXX Asia/Pacific 600 Index	15.7	15.5	14.5	15.3	1.5	2.8	1.2	3.4	



# Methodology

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#### Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH1107032398	SXPWESGB		.SXPWESGB
Net Return	EUR	CH1107032372	SXPRESGB	SXPRESGB INDEX	.SXPRESGB
Price	EUR	CH1107032356	SXPPESGB	SXPPESGB INDEX	.SXPPESGB
Gross Return	USD	CH1107032430	SXPZESGB		.SXPZESGB
Net Return	USD	CH1107032422	SXPVESGB	SXPVESGB INDEX	.SXPVESGB
Price	USD	CH1107032414	SXPLESGB	SXPLESGB INDEX	.SXPLESGB

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#### **Quick facts**

Weighting	Free-float market cap
Cap factor	0.1
No. of components	80% of the underlying universe
Review frequency	Quarterly
Calculation/distribution	Dayend
Calculation hours	18:00:00 18:00:00
Base value/base date	100 as of March. 19, 2012
History	Available from Mar. 19, 2012
Inception date	April. 09, 2021
To learn more about the ince see our data vendor code she	ption date, the currency, the calculation hours and historical values, please et.

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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>

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
Toyota Motor Corp.	Automobiles & Parts	Japan	3.59	
BHP GROUP LTD.	Basic Resources	Australia	2.71	
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	Banks	Australia	2.07	
SONY GROUP CORP.	Consumer Products & Services	Japan	2.04	
AIA GROUP	Insurance	Hong Kong	1.99	
Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group	Banks	Japan	1.67	
Keyence Corp.	Industrial Goods & Services	Japan	1.60	
CSL Ltd.	Health Care	Australia	1.51	
Mitsubishi Corp.	Industrial Goods & Services	Japan	1.29	
Shin-Etsu Chemical Co. Ltd.	Chemicals	Japan	1.15	

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