# ISS STOXX EMERGING MARKETS BIODIVERSITY INDEX

### **Index description**

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If the GHG intensity reduction is not at least 30% versus the parent index. companies will be excluded by descending order of carbon intensity until the 30% reduction is reached.

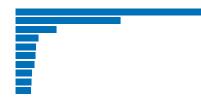
### **Key facts**

- »Comprehensive framework designed to take into account the biodiversity
- »Screens to exclude companies causing harm to biodiversity.
- »Biodiversity metric (Potentially Disappeared Fraction of species) to select companies making efforts to reduce their biodiversity footprint.
- »Exposure to companies providing biodiversity solutions (increase exposure to biodiversity-related SDGs).
- »Carbon intensities reduction by more than 30%.
- »SFDR Article 8 compliant.

### **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
ISS STOXX Emerging Markets Biodiversity Index	N/A	982.5	2.0	0.7	80.4	0.0	8.2	0.0	N/A
STOXX Emerging Markets Index	11,788.2	6,524.6	3.4	1.0	411.6	0.0	6.3	0.0	23.3

### Supersector weighting (top 10)



# 36.3% Technology 19.4% Banks

- 7.6% Retail
- 4.2% Insurance 3.7% Telecommunications
- 3.7% Industrial Goods & Services
- 3.5% Automobiles & Parts 3.0% Food, Beverage & Tobacco 2.9% Consumer Products & Services
- 2.9% Energy

### Country weighting



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

Index returns				R	eturn (%)			Anı	nualized re	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	зү	5Y
ISS STOXX Emerging Markets Biodiversity Index	1.1	4.6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
STOXX Emerging Markets Index	1.5	3.3	-1.8	9.7	13.4	N/A	N/A	-1.8	3.1	2.5
Index volatility and risk		Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Shar						pe ratio²		
ISS STOXX Emerging Markets Biodiversity Index	13.4	14.2	17.6	17.6	N/A	N/A	N/A	-0.2	-0.2	N/A
STOXX Emerging Markets Index	11.5	12.3	15.3	16.2	17.4	N/A	N/A	-0.4	0.2	0.1
Index to benchmark		Correlation Trac					Tracking	error (%)		
ISS STOXX Emerging Markets Biodiversity Index	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.1	N/A
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annualiz	zed informa	tion ratio
ISS STOXX Emerging Markets Biodiversity Index	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	N/A	-1.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	N/A

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

(EUR, gross return), all data as of Jun. 30, 2023



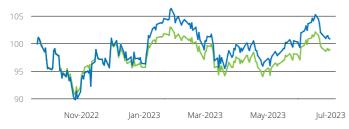
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Based on EURIBOR1M

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### Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

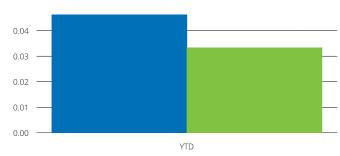
Index	Price/earnings incl. negative		Price/earnings excl. negative		Price/ book	Dividend yield (%) <sup>3</sup>	Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing
ISS STOXX Emerging Markets Biodiversity Index	12.1	12.0	11.1	11.4	1.4	N/A	0.8	0.7
STOXX Emerging Markets Index	13.3	12.8	11.9	12.2	1.6	2.8	0.8	1.3

### Performance and annual returns4





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## Methodology

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### Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH1263521671	SEMBIOGR		.SEMBIOGR
Net Return	EUR	CH1263521663	SEMBIOR		.SEMBIOR
Price	EUR	CH1263521820	SEMBIOP		.SEMBIOP
Gross Return	USD	CH1263521465	SEMBIOGV	SEMBIOGV INDEX	.SEMBIOGV
Net Return	USD	CH1263521556	SEMBIOV		.SEMBIOV
Price	USD	CH1263521788	SEMBIOL		.SEMBIOL

### **Quick facts**

Price weighted
8%
Variable
Quarterly
Realtime 15 sec
00:00:00 22:15:00
100 as of September. 19, 2022
Available from Sep. 19, 2022
May. 11,2023

To learn more about the inception date, the currency, the calculation hours and historical values, please

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### 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 Sep. 19, 2022 to Jun. 30, 2023

(EUR, gross return), all data as of Jun. 30, 2023

## STOXX INDICES

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
TSMC	Technology	Taiwan	8.18	
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	Technology	South Korea	7.13	
TENCENT HOLDINGS	Technology	China	6.93	
ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING	Retail	China	4.96	
HDFC Bank Ltd	Banks	India	2.24	
MEITUAN	Technology	China	1.86	
CHINA CONSTRUCTION BANK CORP H	Banks	China	1.65	
Infosys Ltd	Technology	India	1.63	
SK HYNIX INC	Technology	South Korea	1.23	
Hon Hai Precision Industry Co	Technology	Taiwan	1.15	

<sup>5</sup> Based on the composition as of Jun. 30, 2023