STRATEGY INDICES

STOXX® GLOBAL ESG LEADERS DIVERSIFICATION SELECT 50 USD INDEX

Index description

The STOXX Diversification Select family of indices captures the performance of stocks with low correlation, low volatility and high dividends, derived from established STOXX benchmark indices. The component selection process first excludes all stocks with the highest 12-months average correlation with all other stocks of the benchmark, then excludes stocks whose previous 3- and 12-month historical volatilities are the highest. Among the remaining stocks, the stocks with the highest 12-month historical dividend yields are selected to be included in the index. The percentage of exclusion/inclusion at each step is the same.

Those constituents are weighted according to the inverse of their volatility, with a cap at 10%. The indices are reviewed quarterly.

Key facts

- » Diversification brought by excluding highly correlated stocks
- » Balanced approach between the different screenings
- » Lower volatility stocks get the biggest weight
- » Liquid benchmark

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 ESG Leaders Diversification Select 50 USD Index	N/A	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	1.6	106.8	
STOXX Global 1800 Index	62,932.9	57,044.5	31.7	11.1	2,903.0	1.4	5.1	0.0	2.7	

Supersector weighting (top 10)

23.4% Utilities 16.2% Real Estate 16.0% Telecommunications 15.8% Banks 6.3% Health Care 4.7% Food, Beverage & Tobacco 4.2% Financial Services 4.1% Consumer Products & Services 3.7% Industrial Goods & Services 2.0% Energy		20.3% Australia 13.9% Japan 13.9% United States 10.8% Great Britain 9.4% France 8.1% Hong Kong 5.6% Singapore 4.9% Switzerland 4.0% Spain 2.1% Norway

Country weighting

Risk and return figures¹

Index returns				R	eturn (%)			An	nualized ret	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	ЗY	5Y
STOXX Global ESG Leaders Diversification Select 50 USD Index	3.1	5.7	6.3	18.2	18.4	N/A	N/A	6.4	5.8	3.5
STOXX Global 1800 Index	6.1	15.0	19.1	41.2	56.4	N/A	N/A	19.3	12.3	9.5
Index volatility and risk	Annualized volatility (%)				Annualized Sharpe rati				pe ratio²	
STOXX Global ESG Leaders Diversification Select 50 USD Index	9.4	10.2	13.1	11.3	13.6	N/A	N/A	0.3	0.5	0.3
STOXX Global 1800 Index	10.6	12.0	16.6	15.6	18.1	N/A	N/A	0.9	0.8	0.5
Index to benchmark	Correlation			rrelation				Tracking	error (%)	
STOXX Global ESG Leaders Diversification Select 50 USD Index	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	7.4	11.4	13.6	12.8	12.9
Index to benchmark	Beta Ar				Annuali	zed informa	ition ratio			
STOXX Global ESG Leaders Diversification Select 50 USD Index	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	-4.6	-1.6	-0.9	-0.6	-0.6

¹ For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX <u>calculation reference guide</u> ² Based on EURIBOR1M



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

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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 Global ESG Leaders Diversification Select 50 USD Index	16.0	13.0	15.0	13.0	1.2	5.2	1.4	8.3
STOXX Global 1800 Index	23.7	18.3	19.7	18.0	0.1	2.6	1.9	10.8

Performance and annual returns⁴



Methodology

All stocks in the relevant base universe are screened for 12-month historical daily pricing data and 12-month historical dividend yield. If one or both values are not available for a stock, the company is removed from the base universe.

For all remaining stocks, a correlation number is calculated as the average of the 12-month correlation of daily logarithmic returns in the currency of the Diversification Select index with all other stocks in the base universe. Those stocks are then ranked according to this number in ascending order and the bottom 1-x% is excluded (x% being calculated as the cubic root of the number of stocks in the base universe divided by the target number of stocks in the Diversification Select index).

All remaining stocks are then ranked in ascending order in terms of volatility (maximum between the 3-months and 12-months historical volatility calculated in the currency of the Diversification Select index) and all stocks which do not belong to the top x% are excluded.

Versions and symbols

	ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
USD	CH0298437119	SGESGDSH		.SGESGDSH
USD	CH0298437101	SGESGDSV		.SGESGDSV
USD	CH0298437101	SGESGDSV		.SGESGDSV
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Complete list available here: www.stoxx.com/data/vendor_codes.html

Quick facts

Weighting	Volatility weighted
Cap factor	10%
No. of components	Variable
Review frequency	Quarterly
Calculation/distribution	Price: real-time (every 15 seconds). Net and gross return: end-of-
Calculation hours	Please see data vendor codes sheet on www.stoxx.com/data-
Base value/base date	100 as of Jun. 21, 2004
History	Available from Jun. 21, 2004
Inception date	Oct. 14, 2015

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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.

³ gr. div. yield is calculated as gr. return index return minus price index return ⁴ STOXX data from Jun. 21, 2004 to Jun. 30, 2023

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Top 10 Components⁵

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
DBS Group Holdings Ltd.	Banks	Singapore	2.92	
SWISSCOM	Telecommunications	Switzerland	2.76	
ORANGE	Telecommunications	France	2.72	
Singapore Telecommunications L	Telecommunications	Singapore	2.67	
CLP Holdings Ltd.	Utilities	Hong Kong	2.61	
DANONE	Food, Beverage & Tobacco	France	2.61	
TELSTRA GROUP	Telecommunications	Australia	2.47	
Sekisui House Ltd.	Consumer Products & Services	Japan	2.26	
Daiwa Securities Group Inc.	Financial Services	Japan	2.26	
Orix JREIT Inc.	Real Estate	Japan	2.19	

 $^{\rm 5}$ Based on the composition as of Jun. 30, 2023