# STOXX INDICES STOXX® ASIA PACIFIC AC EX CHINA INDEX

### Index description

The STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index is a market cap weighted index designed to represent the performance of the Large and Mid Cap companies from Asia Pacific excluding China covering approximately 85% of investable market capitalization. STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index is suitable for global investment products which include funds, exchange traded funds, and derivatives and can also be used for further building block approach strategies when appropriate. It follows a robust and modular framework which enables investors to utilize this index for a variety of investment objectives whilst using a consistent approach. It is derived from the STOXX World Equity Index series and its countries follow the STOXX World Country Classification Framework.

## Key facts

»Broad, yet liquid coverage of Large and Mid cap companies that supports clients' global investment decisions whilst avoiding home biases.

»A consistent and transparent methodology which fully embraces global standards of governance.

»Can serve as a basis for numerous derived strategies.

»Constructed using STOXX World Methodology.

»Its countries follow the STOXX World Country classification framework.

#### **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 AC ex China Index	13,282.2	9,521.1	8.1	3.3	440.8	0.0	4.6	0.0	4.4
STOXX World AC Index	72,785.2	61,127.9	16.9	3.4	2,655.1	0.0	4.3	0.0	5.7

**Country weighting** 

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)

19.6% Technology	41.6% Japan
14.3% Industrial Goods & Services	13.1% India
11.6% Banks	12.2% Australia
6.9% Health Care	11.8% Taiwan
5.4% Automobiles & Parts	9.4% South Korea
5.1% Consumer Products & Services	4.7% Hong Kong
4.5% Insurance	2.7% Singapore
4.4% Basic Resources	1.6% Indonesia
3.6% Real Estate	1.1% Thailand
3.0% Telecommunications	0.9% Malaysia

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

Index returns					Return (%)			An	nualized re	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	ЗY	5Y
STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index	0.8	5.5	-1.0	25.3	15.6	N/A	N/A	-1.0	7.8	2.9
STOXX World AC Index	-0.9	7.9	1.5	33.8	40.9	N/A	N/A	1.5	10.2	7.1
Index volatility and risk		Annualized volatility (%)				Annualized Sharpe ratio <sup>2</sup>				
STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index	7.6	11.2	15.2	14.8	15.4	N/A	N/A	-0.2	0.5	0.2
STOXX World AC Index	10.1	11.5	16.7	15.2	17.3	N/A	N/A	-0.0	0.6	0.4
Index to benchmark		Correlation						Tracking	error (%)	
STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	10.7	14.1	17.0	15.4	16.1
Index to benchmark		Beta Annualized infor				zed informa	tion ratio			
STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.7	-0.5	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3

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

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

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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
STOXX Asia Pacific AC ex China Index	16.1	16.0	14.2	15.1	1.5	2.6	1.1	4.2
STOXX World AC Index	21.0	16.8	17.6	16.3	0.1	2.3	1.6	5.1

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



## Methodology

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#### Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH1213335594	SWAPCGR		.SWAPCGR
Net Return	EUR	CH1213335586	SWAPCR		.SWAPCR
Price	EUR	CH1213335602	SWAPCP		.SWAPCP
Gross Return	USD	CH1213335560	SWAPCGV		.SWAPCGV
Net Return	USD	CH1213335552	SWAPCV	SWAPCV INDEX	.SWAPCV
Price	USD	CH1213335578	SWAPCL		.SWAPCL

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

#### **Quick facts**

QUICK TACES	
Weighting	Free-float market capitalization
Cap factor	N/A
No. of components	Variable
Review frequency	Semi Annual
Calculation/distribution	Realtime 15 sec
Calculation hours	00:00:00 22:15:00
Base value/base date	1000 as of March. 21, 1997
History	Available from Mar. 21, 1997
Inception date	November. 16, 2022
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

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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 Mar. 21, 1997 to May 31, 2023

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
TSMC	Technology	Taiwan	4.63	
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	Technology	South Korea	2.91	
Toyota Motor Corp.	Automobiles & Parts	Japan	1.78	
BHP GROUP LTD.	Basic Resources	Australia	1.45	
SONY GROUP CORP.	Consumer Products & Services	Japan	1.25	
AIA GROUP	Insurance	Hong Kong	1.18	
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	Banks	Australia	1.11	
Reliance Industries Ltd	Energy	India	1.09	
Keyence Corp.	Industrial Goods & Services	Japan	1.05	
CSL Ltd.	Health Care	Australia	1.00	

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