# STOXX® WILLIS TOWERS WATSON USA 500 CLIMATE TRANSITION INDEX

#### **Index description**

The objective of the STOXX World WTW Climate Transition Indices is to align a broad based equity index, from a valuation and financial perspective, with a global economic transition that would limit greenhouse gas concentrations to levels consistent with United Nations objectives for global temperature rises. The index relies on Climate Transition Value at Risk (CTVaR) metrics from Willis Towers Watson, and incorporates screens for Global Standards Screening, Controversial Weapons, Thermal Coal and Oil Sands.

#### **Key facts**

»The index is designed to closely track the parent index.

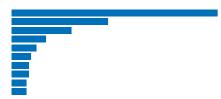
»The index relies on Climate Transition Value at Risk (CTVaR)metrics from Willis Towers Watson allowing to reduce the financial risk of transition to a global economy consistent with the UN global warming objectives.

»Product involvement screens applied are based on data from award winning ESG data provider Sustainalytics.

#### **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 Willis Towers Watson USA 500 Climate Transition Index	N/A	11,381.6	25.1	10.4	830.9	0.6	7.3	0.0	10.1
STOXX USA 500 Index	36,873.3	35,462.2	70.9	30.2	2,655.1	5.5	7.5	0.0	3.7

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)



#### **Country weighting**

34.8% Technology 16.3% Health Care 10.1% Industrial Goods & Services 5.8% Retail 4.2% Financial Services 3.3% Food, Beverage & Tobacco 2.9% Telecommunications 2.9% Real Estate

2.5% Utilities 2.5% Automobiles & Parts 100.0% United States

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

Index returns				R	teturn (%)			Anı	nualized re	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	ЗҮ	5Y
STOXX Willis Towers Watson USA 500 Climate Transition Index	1.4	10.5	1.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.7	N/A	N/A
STOXX USA 500 Index	0.4	9.0	1.4	34.6	53.6	N/A	N/A	1.4	10.4	9.0
Index volatility and risk	Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sh						alized Shar	pe ratio²		
STOXX Willis Towers Watson USA 500 Climate Transition Index	13.1	15.6	21.9	21.1	N/A	N/A	N/A	-0.0	-0.1	N/A
STOXX USA 500 Index	12.8	15.1	21.2	19.2	22.0	N/A	N/A	-0.0	0.5	0.3
Index to benchmark		Correlation						Tracking	error (%)	
STOXX Willis Towers Watson USA 500 Climate Transition Index	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.9	N/A
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annualiz	zed informa	ation ratio
STOXX Willis Towers Watson USA 500 Climate Transition Index	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	N/A	8.0	2.1	0.2	-0.6	N/A

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mathrm{1}}$  For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX <u>calculation reference guide</u>

(USD, price), all data as of May 31, 2023



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

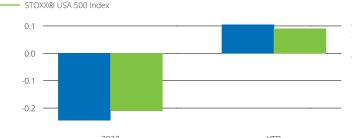
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#### Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

Index	Price/earnings incl. negative		Price/earnings excl. negative				Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow	
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	
STOXX Willis Towers Watson USA 500 Climate Transition Index	34.9	20.9	25.4	20.5	0.1	1.1	2.7	18.2	
STOXX USA 500 Index	28.1	19.8	22.2	19.4	0.1	1.2	2.4	18.1	

#### Performance and annual returns4





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#### Methodology

The STOXX WTW Climate Transition Indices track the performance of liquid securities from a selection of STOXX Benchmark Indices.

Companies identified as non-compliant based on Sustainalytics Global Standard Screening (GSS) assessment or are involved in anti-personnel mines, biological and chemical weapons, cluster weapons, depleted uranium and white phosphorus weapons are not eligible for selection. In addition, companies with significant involvement in Thermal Coal and Oil Sands, are also not eligible.

Eligible companies are weighted based on their free-float market capitalization adjusted by Climate Transition Value at Risk (CTVaR) metrics from Willis Towers Watson that measures a company's readiness for the global economic transition to a low carbon economy.

#### **Versions and symbols**

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH1131943966	SXUSGWCT		.SXUSGWCT
Net Return	EUR	CH1131943891	SXUSNWCT		.SXUSNWCT
Price	EUR	CH1131943917	SXUSPWCT		.SXUSPWCT
Gross Return	GBP	CH1131944014	SXUSKWCT		.SXUSKWCT
Net Return	GBP	CH1131943941	SXUSHWCT		.SXUSHWCT
Price	GBP	CH1131943875	SXUSBWCT		.SXUSBWCT
Gross Return	USD	CH1131943818	SXUSUWCT		.SXUSUWCT
Net Return	USD	CH1131943750	SXUSVWCT		.SXUSVWCT
Price	USD	CH1131943909	SXUSLWCT		.SXUSLWCT

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#### **Quick facts**

Weighting	Free-float market cap adjusted
Cap factor	Component: max(ffmcap, 5%); Industry: overweight 5%; Country:
No. of components	Variable
Review frequency	Quarterly
Calculation/distribution	dayend
Calculation hours	22:15:00 22:15:00
Base value/base date	100 as of Jun. 18, 2021
History	Available from Jun. 18, 2021
Inception date	Aug. 25, 2021

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 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.

 $^{\rm 3}$  Net dividend yield is calculated as net return index return minus price index return

<sup>4</sup> STOXX data from Jun. 18, 2021 to May 31, 2023

(USD, price), all data as of May 31, 2023

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)
Apple Inc.	Technology	United States	7.30
Microsoft Corp.	Technology	United States	6.96
NVIDIA Corp.	Technology	United States	2.74
ALPHABET CLASS C	Technology	United States	2.58
Amazon.com Inc.	Retail	United States	2.42
META PLATFORMS CLASS A	Technology	United States	2.05
TESLA	Automobiles & Parts	United States	1.97
UnitedHealth Group Inc.	Health Care	United States	1.56
BROADCOM	Technology	United States	1.56
Johnson & Johnson	Health Care	United States	1.39

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