

EURO STOXX SMALL ESG-X

Index description

The STOXX Benchmark ESG-X Indices are based on a selection of STOXX Benchmark Indices and apply standardized ESG exclusion screens. The screens are based on the responsible policies of leading asset owners and aim to reduce reputational and idiosyncratic risks.

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STOXX Benchmark ESG-X Indices are suitable as underlying indices for mandates, passive funds, ETFs, structured products, and listed derivatives, with the ambition to increase liquidity and lower the cost of trading.

Key facts

»ESG screened versions of STOXX Benchmark Indices.

»Screens are based on responsible policies and aim to reduce reputational and idiosyncratic risks.

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

»Transparent free-float market cap weighting scheme.

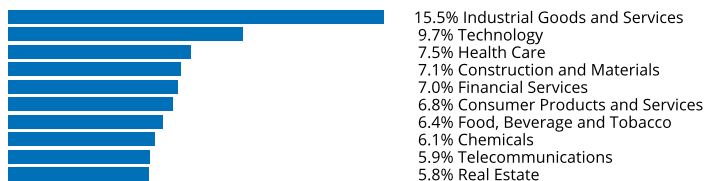
»Low tracking error with similar risk-return profile compared to their underlying indices.

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

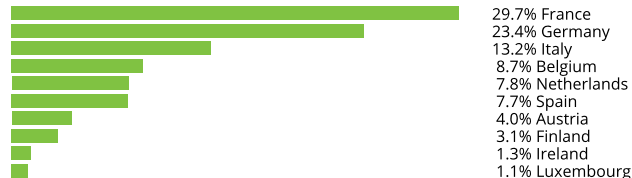
Descriptive statistics

| Index | Market cap (USD bn.) | | Components (USD bn.) | | | | Component weight (%) | | Turnover (%) |
|------------------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------------|
| | Full | Free-float | Mean | Median | Largest | Smallest | Largest | Smallest | Last 12 months |
| EURO STOXX Small ESG-X | 567.6 | 252.0 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 4.8 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 0.7 | 48.8 |
| EURO STOXX Small | 598.1 | 265.0 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 5.8 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 42.6 |

Supersector weighting (top 10)



Country weighting



Risk and return figures¹

| Index returns | Return (%) | | | | | Annualized return (%) | | | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y |
| EURO STOXX Small ESG-X | -4.1 | 10.2 | 18.3 | 15.5 | 25.0 | N/A | N/A | 18.4 | 5.0 | 4.6 |
| EURO STOXX Small | -3.8 | 18.2 | 20.0 | 16.3 | 25.8 | N/A | N/A | 20.1 | 5.2 | 4.7 |
| Index volatility and risk | Annualized volatility (%) | | | | | Annualized Sharpe ratio | | | | |
| | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y |
| EURO STOXX Small ESG-X | N/A | N/A | 23.3 | 21.5 | 21.6 | N/A | N/A | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| EURO STOXX Small | N/A | N/A | 23.0 | 21.4 | 21.6 | N/A | N/A | 0.7 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Index to benchmark | Correlation | | | | | Tracking error (%) | | | | |
| | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y |
| EURO STOXX Small ESG-X | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| Index to benchmark | Beta | | | | | Annualized information ratio | | | | |
| | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y | Last month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y |
| EURO STOXX Small ESG-X | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | -6.0 | -2.0 | -1.3 | -0.2 | -0.2 |

¹ For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX calculation reference guide.

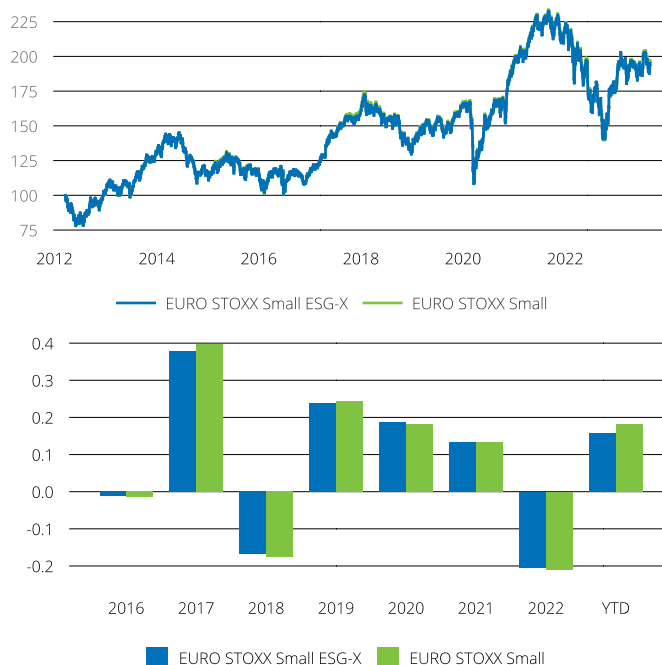
(USD, net return), all data as of Aug. 31, 2023

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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 |
| EURO STOXX Small ESG-X | 25.9 | 13.7 | 12.8 | 12.9 | 1.3 | 2.7 | 0.7 | 5.3 |
| EURO STOXX Small | 24.3 | 13.5 | 12.7 | 12.8 | 1.3 | 2.7 | 0.7 | 5.0 |

Performance and annual returns⁴



Methodology

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The indices are reviewed quarterly and components are weighted by free float market cap, with a maximum capped weight of 10% for the EURO STOXX 50 ESG-X Index, and 20% for the remaining Benchmark ESG-X Indices.

Deleted companies are not replaced.

Versions and symbols

| Index | ISIN | Symbol | Bloomberg | Reuters |
|------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Price EUR | CH0476173205 | SCXEESGX | | .SCXEESGX |
| Net Return EUR | CH0476172843 | SCXTESGX | | .SCXTESGX |
| Gross Return EUR | CH0476173007 | SCXGESGX | | .SCXGESGX |
| Gross Return USD | CH0476173528 | SCXXESGX | | .SCXXESGX |
| Price USD | CH0476173585 | SCXKESGX | | .SCXKESGX |
| Net Return USD | CH0476173593 | SCXUESGX | | .SCXUESGX |

Complete list available here: www.stoxx.com/data/vendor_codes.html

Quick facts

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|---|--------------------------------|
| Weighting | Free-float market cap weighted |
| Cap factor | 0.2 |
| No. of components | Variable |
| 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 | May. 29, 2019 |
| 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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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 Net dividend yield is calculated as net return index return minus price index return

⁴ STOXX data from Mar. 19, 2012 to Aug. 31, 2023

(USD, net return), all data as of Aug. 31, 2023

Top 10 Components⁵

| Company | Supersector | Country | Weight (%) |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------|------------|
| SOITEC | Technology | France | 1.90 |
| IPSEN | Health Care | France | 1.88 |
| SCOR | Insurance | France | 1.80 |
| HUGO BOSS | Consumer Products and Services | Germany | 1.78 |
| SPIE | Construction and Materials | France | 1.75 |
| INWIT | Telecommunications | Italy | 1.73 |
| GAZTRANSPORT ET TECHNIGAZ | Energy | France | 1.73 |
| AIXTRON | Technology | Germany | 1.71 |
| INTERPUMP GRP | Industrial Goods and Services | Italy | 1.64 |
| BANKINTER | Banks | Spain | 1.64 |

⁵ Based on the composition as of Aug. 31, 2023