#### **BENCHMARK INDICES**

## STOXX SWITZERLAND

#### **Index description**

The STOXX Switzerland Index is a market cap weighted index designed to represent the performance of the Large and Mid Cap companies from Switzerland covering approximately 85% of investable market capitalization. STOXX Switzerland 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.

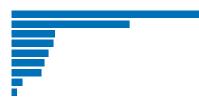
#### **Key facts**

- »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 Switzerland	1,622.4	1,458.3	47.0	18.3	321.7	3.0	22.1	0.2	2.6
STOXX Developed World	63,915.8	57,640.6	33.4	11.4	2,811.7	0.0	4.9	0.0	2.6

#### Supersector weighting (top 10)



#### **Country weighting**

37.1% Health Care

23.3% Food, Beverage and Tobacco

8.5% Insurance

8.3% Financial Services

7.2% Industrial Goods and Services

6.5% Construction and Materials 5.9% Consumer Products and Services

2.2% Chemicals

1.1% Telecommunications

100.0% Switzerland

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

Index returns		Return (%)						Annualized return (%)			
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	зү	5Y	
STOXX Switzerland	-3.7	11.4	15.0	18.9	55.0	N/A	N/A	15.0	5.9	9.1	
STOXX Developed World	-2.4	25.5	16.0	27.8	51.4	N/A	N/A	15.9	8.5	8.6	
Index volatility and risk		Annualized volatility (%)  Annualized Sharpe						rpe ratio			
STOXX Switzerland	N/A	N/A	17.2	16.3	17.0	N/A	N/A	0.7	0.3	0.5	
STOXX Developed World	N/A	N/A	15.7	15.7	18.3	N/A	N/A	0.8	0.5	0.4	
Index to benchmark		Correlation							Tracking	error (%)	
STOXX Switzerland	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	7.7	12.2	14.2	14.1	14.9	
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annualiz	ed informa	ation ratio	
STOXX Switzerland	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	-2.0	-0.6	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	

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

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



#### Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

Index		rice/earnings incl. negative		rice/earnings excl. negative	Price/ book	Dividend yield (%) <sup>3</sup>	Price/ sales	Price/ cash flow
	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Projected	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing	Trailing
STOXX Switzerland	13.6	16.2	13.6	16.2	3.3	3.5	2.4	19.5
STOXX Developed World	21.4	18.1	19.1	17.6	0.1	2.5	1.9	10.6

#### Performance and annual returns4



### Methodology

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#### **Versions and symbols**

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Net Return	EUR	CH1213333235	SWCHR		.SWCHR
Gross Return	EUR	CH1213333243	SWCHGR		.SWCHGR
Price	EUR	CH1213333250	SWCHP		.SWCHP
Net Return	USD	CH1213333201	SWCHV	SWCHV INDEX	.SWCHV
Gross Return	USD	CH1213333219	SWCHGV		.SWCHGV
Price	USD	CH1213333227	SWCHL		.SWCHL

#### **Quick facts**

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 September. 24, 2001
History	Available from Sep. 24, 2001
Inception date	November. 16, 2022

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

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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.

<sup>3</sup> gr. div. yield is calculated as gr. return index return minus price index return

<sup>4</sup> STOXX data from Sep. 24, 2001 to Aug. 31, 2023

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

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

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
NESTLE	Food, Beverage and Tobacco	Switzerland		
NOVARTIS	Health Care	Switzerland	14.45	
ROCHE HLDG P	Health Care	Switzerland	14.20	
UBS GROUP	Financial Services	Switzerland	5.57	
CIE FINANCIERE RICHEMONT	Consumer Products and Services	Switzerland	5.09	
ZURICH INSURANCE GROUP	Insurance	Switzerland	4.85	
ABB	Industrial Goods and Services	Switzerland	4.17	
ALCON	Health Care	Switzerland	2.87	
SIKA	Construction and Materials	Switzerland	2.84	
LONZA	Health Care	Switzerland	2.83	

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 5}$  Based on the composition as of Aug. 31, 2023