STOXX JAPAN SELECT 50 JPY

Index description

The STOXX Select family of indices captures the performance of stocks with low volatility and high dividends, derived from established STOXX benchmark indices. The component selection process first excludes all 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

- » Balanced approach between the different screenings
- » Lower volatility stocks get the biggest weight
- » Liquid benchmark

Descriptive statistics

Index	Market cap (JPY bn.)		Components (JPY bn.)			Component weight (%)		Turnover (%)	
	Full	Free-float	Mean	Median	Largest	Smallest	Largest	Smallest	Last 12 months
STOXX Japan Select 50 JPY	N/A	159.7	3.2	3.1	5.2	2.4	3.2	1.5	100.5
STOXX Japan 600	782,559.5	664,289.8	1107.1	385.0	31,118.9	94.4	4.7	0.0	2.5

Supersector weighting (top 10)



49.0% Real Estate
8.8% Industrial Goods and Services
8.0% Health Care
7.0% Chemicals
6.9% Financial Services
4.0% Construction and Materials
3.5% Basic Resources
3.2% Telecommunications
2.5% Retail
2.0% Food Beverage and Tobacco

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Country weighting

100.0% Japan

Risk and return figures¹

Return (%) Annualized return (9							turn (%)		
Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y
1.9	13.6	15.3	50.2	35.7	N/A	N/A	15.5	14.6	6.4
0.3	40.0	21.1	53.6	51.7	N/A	N/A	21.3	15.5	8.8
Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe re						rpe ratio			
N/A	N/A	9.9	11.7	14.9	N/A	N/A	1.2	1.2	0.4
N/A	N/A	14.0	15.6	16.9	N/A	N/A	1.2	0.9	0.5
	Correlation Tracking					Tracking	error (%)		
0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	9.9	8.7	9.4	10.4	10.8
Beta Annualized information r						ation ratio			
0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.7	-1.7	-0.6	-0.2	-0.3
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¹ For information on data calculation, please refer to STOXX <u>calculation reference guide</u>.

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

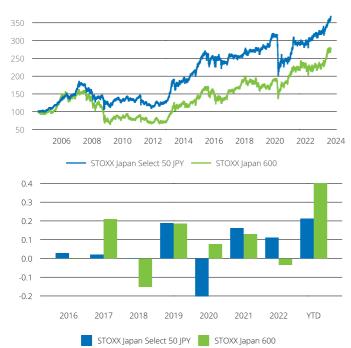


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Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

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
STOXX Japan Select 50 JPY	20.2	16.8	17.9	16.0	1.1	4.8	1.3	16.3
STOXX Japan 600	15.2	14.7	14.4	14.6	1.4	2.7	1.0	15.3

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

All remaining stocks are then ranked in ascending order in terms of volatility (maximum between the 3-month and 12-month historical volatility calculated in the currency of the Select index) and all stocks which do not belong to the top x% are excluded (x being calculated as the square root of the number of stocks in the base universe divided by the target number of stocks in the Select index).

All remaining stocks are then ranked in descending order in terms of 12month historical dividend yield and the top x% are selected to be included in the Select index. Those constituents are weighted according to the inverse of their volatility, with a cap at 10%. The composition is reviewed quarterly.

Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	1 JPY	CH0298407229	SXJSEJG		.SXJSEJG
Price	JPY	CH0298407203	SXJSEJP		.SXJSEJP
Net Return	JPY	CH0298407211	SXJSEJN		.SXJSEJN

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.
Base value/base date	100 as of Jun. 21, 2004
History	Available from Jun. 21, 2004
Inception date	Oct. 14, 2015

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

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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 Aug. 31, 2023

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Top 10 Components⁵

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
SOFTBANK	Telecommunications	Japan	3.23	
MATSUI SECURITIES	Financial Services	Japan	2.86	
GLB.ONE RLST.INV.	Real Estate	Japan	2.50	
AUTOBACS SEVEN	Retail	Japan	2.47	
KENEDIX RETAIL REIT	Real Estate	Japan	2.45	
MITSUBISHI HC CAPITAL	Financial Services	Japan	2.35	
FUKUOKA REIT	Real Estate	Japan	2.29	
JAPAN EXCELLENT	Real Estate	Japan	2.24	
Haseko Corp.	Construction and Materials	Japan	2.20	
NTT URBAN DEV. ASSET MGT.	Real Estate	Japan	2.20	

Based on the composition as of Aug. 31, 2023