STOXX EUROPE LOW CARBON SELECT 50

Index description

The STOXX Low Carbon Select family of indices, derived from established STOXX benchmark indices, captures the performance of top industry leaders with the lowest carbon emissions that display low volatility and generate high dividends. The component selection process first selects all stocks with the lowest carbon intensity relative to other stocks from the same industry, and then excludes all stocks whose 3- and 12-month historical volatilities are the highest. Among the remaining stocks, those with the highest 12-month historical dividend yield 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.

STOXX uses CDP and ISS ESG as reliable data sources for reported and estimated carbon data respectively. Data considered comprise of Scope 1 (all direct GHG emissions) and Scope 2 (indirect GHG emissions from consumption of purchased electricity, heat or steam) emissions.

Key facts

»Stocks with the lowest carbon intensity within each ICB Industry are selected

»Balanced approach between the different screenings

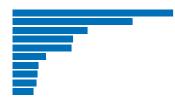
»Lower volatility stocks get the highest weight

»Liquid benchmark

Descriptive statistics

Index	Marke	Market cap (EUR bn.)		Components (EUR bn.)			Component weight (%)		Turnover (%)
	Full	Free-float	Mean	Median	Largest	Smallest	Largest	Smallest	Last 12 months
STOXX Europe Low Carbon Select 50	N/A	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3	1.2	112.1
STOXX Europe 600	12,480.3	9,795.9	16.3	5.9	296.4	1.5	3.0	0.0	3.4

Supersector weighting (top 10)



25.1% Insurance 18.8% Telecommunications

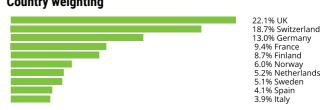
11.7% Personal Care, Drug and Grocery Stores 9.4% Food, Beverage and Tobacco 9.2% Utilities

5.2% Media

3.2% Media 4.1% Industrial Goods and Services 3.8% Energy 3.8% Chemicals

3.2% Real Estate

Country weighting



Risk and return figures¹

Index returns				R	eturn (%)			An	nualized re	turn (%)
	Last month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	Last month	YTD	1Y	зү	5Y
STOXX Europe Low Carbon Select 50	-2.3	3.5	-0.2	20.3	21.0	N/A	N/A	-0.2	6.4	3.9
STOXX Europe 600	-2.5	17.0	14.1	36.8	39.7	N/A	N/A	14.2	11.1	7.0
Index volatility and risk		Annualized volatility (%) Annualized Sharpe						rpe ratio		
STOXX Europe Low Carbon Select 50	N/A	N/A	13.2	13.1	17.2	N/A	N/A	-0.3	0.4	0.2
STOXX Europe 600	N/A	N/A	14.0	15.6	18.0	N/A	N/A	0.7	0.6	0.4
Index to benchmark		Correlation Tracking e						error (%)		
STOXX Europe Low Carbon Select 50	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	4.7	6.0	6.5	7.2	7.0
Index to benchmark					Beta			Annuali	zed informa	ation ratio
STOXX Europe Low Carbon Select 50	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.5	-1.8	-2.1	-0.7	-0.5

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

(EUR, 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 Europe Low Carbon Select 50	21.2	12.2	14.6	12.2	1.6	5.0	1.0	0.3	
STOXX Europe 600	13.9	12.3	12.3	12.1	1.8	3.7	1.2	11.3	

Performance and annual returns4



Methodology

The base universe is taken as all stocks in the relevant benchmark index excluding ICB Subsector 60101040 Coal. Those stocks are screened for reported or estimated carbon emission data, 12-month historical daily pricing data and 12-month historical dividend yield, and if any one of the values is not available for a stock, the company is removed from the base universe.

The detailed methodology including the calculation formula can be found in our rulebook: www.stoxx.com/rulebooks.

Versions and symbols

Index		ISIN	Symbol	Bloomberg	Reuters
Gross Return	EUR	CH0321940311	SXXCSEGR		.SXXCSEGR
Price	EUR	CH0321940295	SXXCSEP	SXXCSEP INDEX	.SXXCSEP
Net Return	EUR	CH0321940303	SXXCSER	SXXCSER INDEX	.SXXCSER

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

Quick facts

Weighting	Volatility weighted
Cap factor	10%
No. of components	Fixed
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
Base value/base date	100 as of Jun. 21, 2004
History	Available from Jun. 21, 2004
Inception date	Apr. 29, 2016

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 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

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

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Top 10 Components⁵

Company	Supersector	Country	Weight (%)	
KPN	Telecommunications	Netherlands	3.28	
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM	Telecommunications	Germany	3.07	
SWISSCOM	Telecommunications	Switzerland	2.94	
ELISA CORPORATION	Telecommunications	Finland	2.79	
IMPERIAL BRANDS	Food, Beverage and Tobacco	UK	2.55	
ALLIANZ	Insurance	Germany	2.48	
ORKLA	Food, Beverage and Tobacco	Norway	2.45	
ROCHE HLDG P	Health Care	Switzerland	2.40	
SAMPO	Insurance	Finland	2.34	
DKSH HOLDING	Industrial Goods and Services	Switzerland	2.29	

Based on the composition as of Aug. 31, 2023