

# STOXX EUROPE 600 ESG+

## Index description

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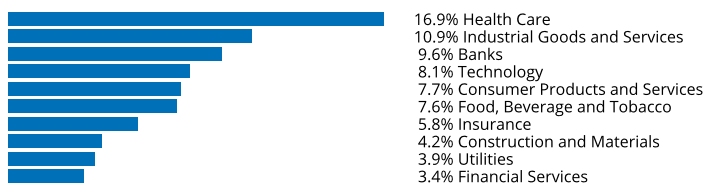
## Key facts

- »ESG screened versions of STOXX Benchmark Indices
- »Indices select 80% of the securities from underlying indices
- »Screening provided by ISS ESG
- »Transparent free-float market-cap weighting scheme
- »Suitable as underlying for mandates, passive funds, ETFs, structured products and listed derivatives

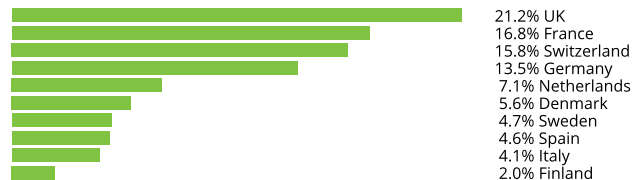
## Descriptive statistics

| Index                 | Market cap (USD bn.) |            | Components (USD bn.) |        |         |          | Component weight (%) |          | Turnover (%)   |
|-----------------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------------|
|                       | Full                 | Free-float | Mean                 | Median | Largest | Smallest | Largest              | Smallest | Last 12 months |
| STOXX Europe 600 ESG+ | 11,496.0             | 9,066.4    | 18.9                 | 7.3    | 321.7   | 1.6      | 3.5                  | 0.0      | 6.2            |
| STOXX Europe 600      | 13,545.5             | 10,632.0   | 17.7                 | 6.4    | 321.7   | 1.6      | 3.0                  | 0.0      | 3.4            |

## Supersector weighting (top 10)



## Country weighting



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

| Index returns             | Return (%)                |      |      |      |      | Annualized return (%)        |     |      |      |     |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|------------------------------|-----|------|------|-----|
|                           | Last month                | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y   | Last month                   | YTD | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y  |
| STOXX Europe 600 ESG+     | -4.1                      | 13.5 | 23.4 | 23.5 | 34.3 | N/A                          | N/A | 23.6 | 7.3  | 6.1 |
| STOXX Europe 600          | -4.0                      | 20.1 | 23.1 | 24.2 | 30.3 | N/A                          | N/A | 23.3 | 7.5  | 5.5 |
| Index volatility and risk | Annualized volatility (%) |      |      |      |      | Annualized Sharpe ratio      |     |      |      |     |
|                           | Last month                | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y   | Last month                   | YTD | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y  |
| STOXX Europe 600 ESG+     | N/A                       | N/A  | 19.7 | 19.4 | 20.3 | N/A                          | N/A | 0.9  | 0.3  | 0.3 |
| STOXX Europe 600          | N/A                       | N/A  | 19.5 | 19.5 | 20.5 | N/A                          | N/A | 0.9  | 0.3  | 0.2 |
| Index to benchmark        | Correlation               |      |      |      |      | Tracking error (%)           |     |      |      |     |
|                           | Last month                | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y   | Last month                   | YTD | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y  |
| STOXX Europe 600 ESG+     | 1.0                       | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0                          | 1.1 | 1.2  | 1.4  | 1.4 |
| Index to benchmark        | Beta                      |      |      |      |      | Annualized information ratio |     |      |      |     |
|                           | Last month                | YTD  | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y   | Last month                   | YTD | 1Y   | 3Y   | 5Y  |
| STOXX Europe 600 ESG+     | 1.0                       | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | -0.8                         | 0.8 | 0.2  | -0.2 | 0.4 |

<sup>1</sup> For information on data calculation, please refer to [STOXX calculation reference guide](#).

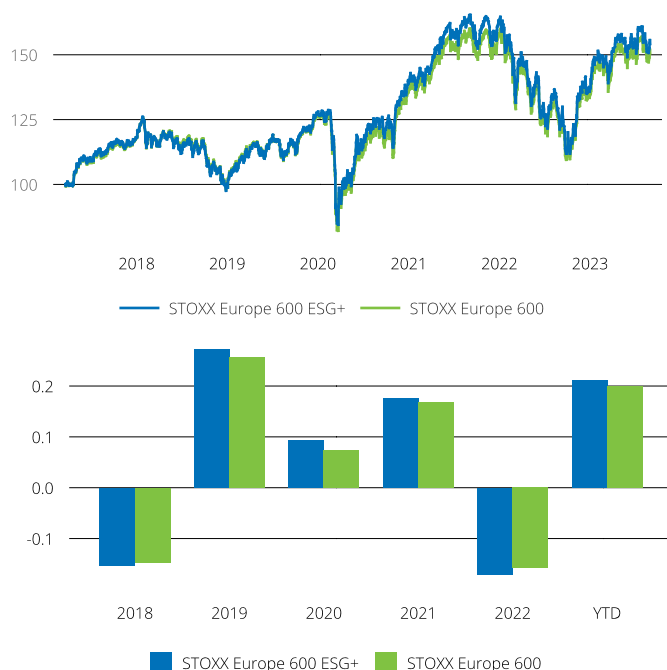
(USD, gross return), all data as of Aug. 31, 2023

## THEME INDICES

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## Fundamentals (for last 12 months)

| Index                 | Price/earnings<br>incl. negative |           | Price/earnings<br>excl. negative |           | Price/<br>book | Dividend<br>yield (%) <sup>3</sup> | Price/<br>sales | Price/<br>cash flow |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
|                       | Trailing                         | Projected | Trailing                         | Projected | Trailing       | Trailing                           | Trailing        | Trailing            |
| STOXX Europe 600 ESG+ | 14.5                             | 12.7      | 12.6                             | 12.5      | 1.9            | 3.9                                | 1.3             | 18.8                |
| STOXX Europe 600      | 13.9                             | 12.3      | 12.3                             | 12.1      | 1.8            | 4.0                                | 1.2             | 11.3                |

Performance and annual returns<sup>4</sup>

## Methodology

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## Versions and symbols

| Index            | ISIN         | Symbol    | Bloomberg      | Reuters    |
|------------------|--------------|-----------|----------------|------------|
| Net Return EUR   | CH0462361772 | SXXRESGP  | SXXRESGP INDEX | .SXXRESGP  |
| Gross Return EUR | CH0462361798 | SXXWESGP  |                | .SXXWESGP  |
| Price            | CH0462361806 | SXXPESGP  |                | .SXXPESGP  |
| Net Return USD   | CH0462361764 | SXXVESGP  |                | .SXXVESGP  |
| Gross Return USD | CH0462361780 | SXXZESGP  |                | .SXXZESGP  |
| Price            | CH0462361814 | SXXLES GP |                | .SXXLES GP |

Complete list available here: [www.stoxx.com/data/vendor\\_codes.html](http://www.stoxx.com/data/vendor_codes.html)

## Quick facts

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| Weighting                | Free-float market capitalization                     |
| Cap factor               | All components are capped at a maximum weight of 10% |
| No. of components        | 480  |
| Review frequency         | Quarterly  |
| Calculation/distribution | realtime 15 sec                                      |
| Calculation hours        | 09:00:00 18:00:00                                    |
| Base value/base date     | 100 as of Mar. 20, 2017                              |
| History                  | Available from Mar. 20, 2017                         |
| Inception date           | May. 31, 2022  |

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.

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

<sup>4</sup> STOXX data from Mar. 20, 2017 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 | 3.55       |
| NOVO NORDISK B     | Health Care                     | Denmark     | 3.31       |
| ASML HLDG          | Technology                      | Netherlands | 2.93       |
| LVMH MOET HENNESSY | Consumer Products and Services  | France      | 2.43       |
| NOVARTIS           | Health Care                     | Switzerland | 2.32       |
| ASTRAZENECA        | Health Care                     | UK          | 2.31       |
| ROCHE HLDG P       | Health Care                     | Switzerland | 2.28       |
| SAP                | Technology                      | Germany     | 1.67       |
| HSBC               | Banks                           | UK          | 1.65       |
| UNILEVER PLC       | Personal Care, Drug and Grocery | UK          | 1.49       |

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