## **Dow Jones STOXX Index Update**

September 27, 2004

Corporate Action: SANOFI-AVENTIS increases share capital

Effective date: September 30, 2004

Company: SANOFI-AVEN	110	
Terms:	Fungibility of new and old Sanofi shares	
Index Adjustments:	Increased weightings of Sanofi-Aventis in the Dow Jones EuroStoxx 50, Dow Jones STOXX 600 Large, Dow Jones TMI Large, Style Indexes: Growth and respective Sector Indices	
	Old:	New:
ISIN; Sedol; Ticker:	FR0000120578; 5671735;	Unchanged
Industry Classification Benchmark <sup>1</sup> :	Health Care /Health Care / Pharmaceuticals & Biotechnology Pharmaceuticals	/
Close as of September 24, 2004:	56.8 EUR	
Shares:	732,848,072	1,392,281,432
Free Float:	0.4925	0.7139
Free Float Mcap:	20.5 Billion Euro	56.46 Billion Euro
Comments:	Please note that the return indexes will be adjusted for the rest dividend (0.0375	
	EUR net) of old Sanofi shares at the close of September 29, 2004.	

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<sup>1)</sup> Industry / Supersector / Sector / Subsector

<sup>\*\*</sup>Company additions to and deletions from the Dow Jones STOXX Indexes do not in any way reflect an opinion on the investment merits of the company.