

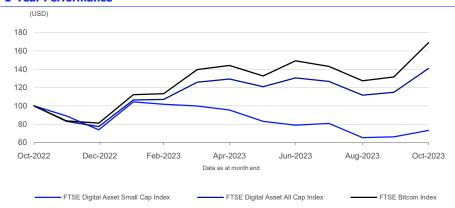
# FTSE Digital Asset Small Cap Index

Data as at: 31 October 2023

The FTSE Digital Asset Small Cap Index measures the performance of the small cap segment of the eligible digital asset universe by circulating weight. Universe eligibility is defined by the digital assets included in the FTSE DAR Reference Price – Benchmark Assets pricing file. The Index is constructed to provide coverage of the next 4% of the eligible digital asset universe below the mid cap segment and above the micro cap segment and is a subset of the FTSE Global Digital Asset Index Series. The eligible constituents are ranked and circulating supply weighted on a quarterly basis on the third Friday of March, June, September and December. The index reports price returns only and does not incorporate any network events such as forks. The index series is rebalanced quarterly to ensure index accuracy. The index series and underlying reference price data were designed to meet the requirements of EU BMR and UK BMR. FTSE is the Benchmark Administrator for the index.

FTSE Russell has partnered with Digital Asset Research to develop the FTSE Global Digital Asset Index Series to represent the investable Digital Asset market. The underlying pricing employs a methodology designed to capture data from vetted exchanges. In addition, fundamental to the index methodology, ongoing monitoring of exchanges and assets is provided by Digital Asset Research.

## 1-Year Performance



## **Performance and Volatility**

Index (USD)	Return %					Return pa %*		Volatility %**			
	3M	6M	YTD	12M	3YR	5YR	3YR	5YR	1YR	3YR	5YR
FTSE Digital Asset Small Cap Index	-9.6	-23.1	-0.9	-26.8	-43.1	-	-17.1	-	53.7	85.0	-
FTSE Digital Asset All Cap Index	11.2	9.0	81.9	40.9	139.7	-	33.8	-	45.0	71.3	-
FTSE Bitcoin Index	18.0	17.5	108.1	69.0	154.2	447.1	36.5	40.5	43.5	69.0	73.8

<sup>\*</sup> Compound annual returns measured over 3 and 5 years respectively

## **Year-on-Year Performance**

Index % (USD)	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
FTSE Digital Asset Small Cap Index	-	-	68.6	94.4	-74.2
FTSE Digital Asset All Cap Index	-	-	299.5	100	-67.6
FTSE Bitcoin Index	-	94.3	304.8	59.6	-64.2

## **FEATURES**

## **Objective**

The index is designed for use in the creation of index tracking funds, derivatives and as a performance benchmark.

#### **Investability**

The index is designed to be investable.

#### **Transparency**

Index methodologies are freely available on the FTSE Russell website.

#### **Index excellence**

Index construction that starts with data vetted to provide an accurate, repsonsive and reliable measurement of the digital asset market.

## **Institutional quality**

Specialized methodology created to meet practival investor needs for investablity and tradability.

## **Regulatory integrity**

Reliable maintenance and governance are backed by a disciplined process to ensure the index series reflects industry standards.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Volatility – 1YR based on 12 months daily data. 3YR based on weekly data (Wednesday to Wednesday). 5YR based on monthly data

#### Risk/Return Ratio and Drawdown

Index (USD)		Return/R	isk Ratio		Drawdown (%)				
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	
FTSE Digital Asset Small Cap Index	-0.4	-0.2	-	-	-47.7	-90.2	-	-	
FTSE Digital Asset All Cap Index	0.7	0.5	-	-	-29.8	-78.4	-	-	
FTSE Bitcoin Index	1.2	0.5	0.5	0.7	-26.3	-77.0	-77.0	-83.6	

Return/Risk Ratio – based on compound annual returns and volatility in Performance and Volatility table Drawdown - based on daily data

#### **About Digital Assets Research (DAR)**

The FTSE Global Digital Asset Index Series has been developed in partnership with Digital Asset Research (DAR), a specialized provider of 'clean' digital asset data, insights, and research for institutional clients. Since 2017, DAR has been collecting and validating digital asset prices and monitoring the source exchanges to meet a strict set of quality standards. DAR's objective is to provide unbiased expertise in the digital asset space to traditional financial investors, and it does not accept token projects or digital asset exchanges as clients. DAR participates in the continuing evolution of digital asset data integrity by emphasizing quality, transparency, and accuracy in its investor solutions.

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#### **INFORMATION**

#### **Index Launch**

28 November 2022

#### **Base Date**

16 September 2022

#### **Base Value**

10000

#### **Index Calculation**

The Index is calculated end-of-day

#### **End-of-Day Distribution**

Via SFTP and email

## Currency

USD, CAD, EUR, GBP, JPY, KRW, SGD, HKD, CNY, AUD

#### **Review Dates**

Quarterly in March, June, September, and December

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