FTSE Frontier Index Series

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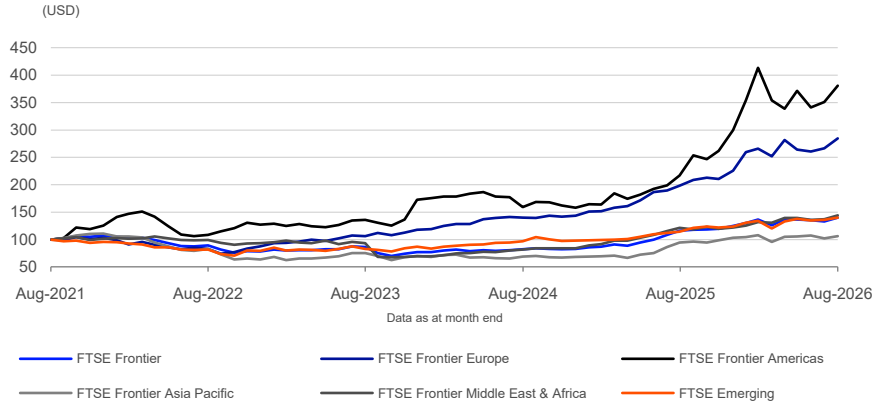
The FTSE Frontier Index Series provides a comprehensive and transparent series of benchmarks for the performance of large, mid and small cap equity securities from eligible Frontier markets in Europe, Americas, Asia-Pacific, Africa and the Middle East. FTSE Frontier Indices can be segmented by Size, Region, Country and Industry Sectors and are calculated on a price and total return basis.

Managed according to a transparent rule set, the indices have been designed for use as performance benchmarks and for use in the creation of index tracking products.

The FTSE Frontier Index Series is separate from, but complementary and compatible with, FTSE's Global Equity Index Series (GEIS). In combination FTSE GEIS and FTSE Frontier Indices offer coverage of the global investment opportunity set.

5-Year Performance - Total Return



Performance and Volatility - Total Return

Index (USD)	Return %						Return pa %*		Volatility %**		
	3M	6M	YTD	12M	3YR	5YR	3YR	5YR	1YR	3YR	5YR
FTSE Frontier	2.4	2.5	11.8	20.4	62.0	39.8	17.4	6.9	11.7	14.3	14.9
FTSE Frontier Europe	7.8	7.0	26.2	43.5	168.6	184.8	39.0	23.3	16.6	15.3	16.4
FTSE Frontier Americas	2.5	-7.8	27.2	75.6	180.8	281.1	41.1	30.7	37.0	28.9	26.5
FTSE Frontier Asia Pacific	0.4	-1.3	3.0	12.1	41.3	6.3	12.2	1.2	18.0	19.1	20.2
FTSE Frontier Middle East & Africa	3.3	9.1	18.1	18.9	54.2	44.0	15.5	7.6	11.6	21.6	18.0
FTSE Emerging	1.7	4.3	13.0	22.4	68.5	39.9	19.0	6.9	15.6	15.9	15.4

* Compound annual returns measured over 3 and 5 years respectively
** Volatility – 1YR based on 12 months daily data. 3YR based on weekly data (Wednesday to Wednesday). 5YR based on monthly data

Year-on-Year Performance - Total Return

Index % (USD)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
FTSE Frontier	1.9	32.7	-20.8	2.2	-0.5	27.7	-26.9	-1.3	7.3	50.8
FTSE Frontier Europe	8.5	33.6	-1.2	31.8	14.2	37.8	-15.3	35.1	21.8	57.0
FTSE Frontier Americas	0.0	17.0	-53.4	-15.6	-90.3	-14.8	1.7	35.8	-8.6	89.6
FTSE Frontier Asia Pacific	9.9	36.6	-11.6	-3.7	22.4	40.5	-42.6	9.5	-1.9	50.4
FTSE Frontier Middle East & Africa	0.4	23.8	-9.9	8.1	3.3	15.8	-8.3	-25.7	21.2	45.2
FTSE Emerging	13.5	32.5	-13.0	20.6	15.5	0.1	-16.9	9.1	12.8	26.5

FEATURES

Coverage

Large, mid and small cap equity securities from eligible Frontier markets in Europe, Americas, Asia-Pacific, Africa and the Middle East.

Objective

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

Investability

Stocks are selected and weighted to ensure that the indexes are investable.

Liquidity

Stocks are screened to ensure that the indexes are tradable.

Transparency

Index methodologies are freely available on the FTSE Russell website.

Availability

The indexes are calculated based on price and total return methodologies, available end-of-day.

Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB)

Index constituents are categorized in accordance with the Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB), the global standard for industry sector analysis.

Return/Risk Ratio and Drawdown - Total Return

Index (USD)	Return/Risk Ratio				Drawdown (%)			
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR
FTSE Frontier	1.7	1.2	0.5	0.3	-9.6	-19.5	-35.9	-51.4
FTSE Frontier Europe	2.5	2.6	1.4	1.2	-9.3	-9.5	-30.3	-36.0
FTSE Frontier Americas	2.0	1.5	1.2	-	-24.0	-24.0	-36.6	-
FTSE Frontier Asia Pacific	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.3	-14.1	-21.7	-50.2	-50.2
FTSE Frontier Middle East & Africa	1.6	0.7	0.4	0.4	-6.8	-29.3	-36.6	-36.6
FTSE Emerging	1.4	1.2	0.5	0.5	-10.9	-15.1	-30.9	-35.1

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

Top 10 Constituents

Constituent	Country/Market	ICB Sector	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
Vingroup JSC	Vietnam	Real Estate Investment and Services Development	13,110	7.22
Buenaventura ADR	Peru	Precious Metals and Mining	7,266	4.00
Vinhomes	Vietnam	Real Estate Investment and Services Development	6,424	3.54
Attijariwafa Bank	Morocco	Banks	4,876	2.69
National Atomic Company Kazatomprom	Kazakhstan	Industrial Metals and Mining	4,831	2.66
Halyk Savings Bank of Kazakhstan GDR	Kazakhstan	Banks	4,217	2.32
Bank Muscat International	Oman	Banks	4,182	2.30
Managem	Morocco	Industrial Metals and Mining	4,054	2.23
Nova Ljubljanska Banka DD Ljubljana	Slovenia	Banks	3,901	2.15
Arab Bank	Jordan	Banks	3,596	1.98
Totals			**56,457**	**31.11**

ICB Supersector Breakdown

ICB Code	ICB Supersector	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
1010	Technology	5	885	0.49
1510	Telecommunications	16	10,438	5.75
2010	Health Care	17	3,353	1.85
3010	Banks	74	51,791	28.54
3020	Financial Services	26	9,412	5.19
3030	Insurance	6	1,564	0.86
3510	Real Estate	31	25,139	13.85
4010	Automobiles and Parts	6	499	0.27
4020	Consumer Products and Services	7	391	0.22
4040	Retailers	6	2,210	1.22
4050	Travel and Leisure	5	2,099	1.16
4510	Food Beverage and Tobacco	32	9,367	5.16
4520	Personal Care Drug and Grocery Stores	10	2,435	1.34
5010	Construction and Materials	36	9,060	4.99
5020	Industrial Goods and Services	38	14,070	7.75
5510	Basic Resources	13	18,443	10.16
5520	Chemicals	10	5,356	2.95
6010	Energy	22	9,872	5.44
6510	Utilities	15	5,093	2.81
Totals		**375**	**181,476**	**100.00**

INFORMATION

Launch Date

8 September 2014

Base Date

19 December 2008

Base Value

1000

Investability Screen

Actual free float applied and liquidity screened

Index Calculation

End-of-Day indices available

End-of-Day Distribution

Via FTP and email

Currency

USD, GBP, JPY, EUR and Local

Review Dates

Annually in September

Country/Market Breakdown

Country/Market	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
Bahrain	1	315	0.17
Bangladesh	41	5,619	3.10
Croatia	8	2,061	1.14
Estonia	6	1,195	0.66
Ivory Coast	7	2,477	1.36
Jordan	10	6,640	3.66
Kazakhstan	7	10,108	5.57
Kenya	11	9,208	5.07
Lithuania	4	1,091	0.60
Mongolia	1	124	0.07
Morocco	37	28,613	15.77
Occupied Palestinian Territory	1	182	0.10
Oman	15	14,968	8.25
Pakistan	58	16,797	9.26
Peru	8	12,584	6.93
Slovenia	5	5,766	3.18
Sri Lanka	19	2,704	1.49
Tunisia	9	1,904	1.05
United Republic Of Tanzania	1	1,388	0.77
Vietnam	126	57,734	31.81
Totals	**375**	**181,476**	**100.00**

Index Characteristics - FTSE Frontier Index

Attributes	FTSE Frontier	FTSE Emerging
Number of constituents	375	2290
Net MCap (USDm)	181,476	10,800,622
Dividend Yield %	3.68	2.37
Constituent Sizes (Net MCap USDm)		
Average	484	4,716
Largest	13,110	1,840,184
Smallest	5	44
Median	166	956
Weight of Largest Constituent (%)	7.22	17.04
Top 10 Holdings (% Index MCap)	31.11	29.89

Index Characteristics - FTSE Frontier Regional Indices

Attributes	FTSE Frontier Americas	FTSE Frontier Europe	FTSE Frontier Asia Pacific	FTSE Frontier Middle East & Africa
Number of constituents	8	30	245	92
Net MCap (USDm)	12,584	20,221	82,978	65,694
Dividend Yield %	3.37	7.40	2.85	3.66
Constituent Sizes (Net MCap USDm)				
Average	1,573	674	339	714
Largest	7,266	4,831	13,110	4,876
Smallest	399	62	5	14
Median	806	192	111	308
Weight of Largest Constituent (%)	57.74	23.89	15.80	7.42
Top 10 Holdings (% Index MCap)	100	83.64	42.20	47.19

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