

# FTSE RAFI™ US 1000 Long Short Total Return

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**Index** 

The FTSE RAFI US 1000 Long Short Total Return Index has been designed to reflect the performance spread between an index of US equities weighted by specific fundamental factors and its market cap weighted counterpart.

The FTSE RAFI US 1000 Index comprises the 1000 US-listed companies with the largest RAFI fundamental scores selected from a constituent universe of all common stocks on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and NASDAQ National Market System. The universe is screened for nationality, free float, liquidity and multiple line rules according to the FTSE Global Equity Index Series Ground Rules.

FTSE partners with Research Affiliates on the FTSE RAFI Index Series. Index constituents are weighted using a composite of fundamental factors, including total cash dividends, free cash flow, total sales and book equity value. Prices and market values are not determinants of the index weights. Consequently the indices are less prone to excessive concentration arising from market fads, which can result in over-exposure to individual companies, sectors or countries.

# 10-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 RAFI US 1000 Long Short Total Return	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russell 1000	10.3	23.5	10.3	29.9	34.8	99.0	10.5	14.8	11.8	17.5	18.8

# Year-on-Year Performance - Total Return

Index % (USD)	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
FTSE RAFI US 1000 Long Short Total Return	-0.5	-3.3	5.5	-3.4	-1.9	-0.5	-9.5	3.7	15.4	-5.0
Russell 1000	13.2	0.9	12.1	21.7	-4.8	31.4	21.0	26.5	-19.1	26.5

# **FEATURES**

### Coverage

Companies with the top 1000 RAFI fundamental scores, selected from common stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and NASDAQ National Market System.

## **Objective**

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

### Liquidity

Stocks in the underlying index are screened to ensure that the index is tradable.

### **Transparency**

Index methodologies are freely available on the FTSE Russell website.

# **Availability**

The index is calculated based on price and total return methodologies, both real time and 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.

# Methodology

See www.ftserussell.com for a full explanation of the FTSE RAFI methodology.

<sup>\*</sup> 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

### Return/Risk Ratio and Drawdown - Total Return

Index (USD)		Return/Ri	sk Ratio		Drawdown (%)					
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR		
FTSE RAFI US 1000 Long Short Total Return		-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Russell 1000	2.8	0.6	0.8	0.8	-10.3	-25.1	-34.6	-34.6		

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

### **Index Universe**

**INFORMATION** 

All common stocks from the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and NASDAQ National Market System

# **Index Launch**

15 January 2016

### **Base Date**

30 September 2005

# **Base Value**

1000

### **Index Calculation**

Real-time and end-of-day indices available

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

Via FTP and email

### Currency

USD

### **Review Dates**

Annually in March



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