

# FTSE Nareit US Real Estate Index Series

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The FTSE Nareit US Real Estate Index Series is designed to present investors with a comprehensive family of REIT performance indexes that spans the commercial real estate space across the US economy. The index series provides investors with exposure to all investment and property sectors. In addition, the more narrowly focused property sector and sub-sector indexes provide the facility to concentrate commercial real estate exposure in more selected markets.

#### **About REITs**

A REIT is a company that owns, and in most cases, operates income-producing real estate such as apartments, shopping centers, offices, hotels and warehouses. Some REITs also engage in financing real estate. The shares of many REITs are freely traded, usually on a major stock exchange. To qualify as a REIT, a company must distribute at least 90% of its taxable income to its shareholders annually. A company that qualifies as a REIT is permitted to deduct dividends paid to its shareholders from its corporate taxable income. As a result, most REITs remit at least 100% of their taxable income to their shareholders and therefore owe no corporate tax. Taxes are paid by shareholders on the dividends received and any capital gains. Most states honor this federal treatment and also do not require REITs to pay state income tax. Like other businesses, but unlike partnerships, a REIT cannot pass any tax losses through to its investors.

#### 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 Nareit Composite	15.5	14.1	10.5	21.0	0.5	25.0	0.2	4.6	18.1	20.7	22.0
FTSE Nareit All Equity REITs	15.7	14.2	10.7	21.4	1.1	26.6	0.4	4.8	18.1	20.7	21.2
FTSE Nareit Mortgage REITs	9.3	10.8	5.5	10.2	-13.7	-3.2	-4.8	-0.6	22.5	26.4	44.5
FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50	15.7	14.0	10.8	21.4	1.0	29.7	0.3	5.3	18.0	20.9	21.0

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

## **FEATURES**

## Coverage

Publicly listed US REITs.

#### **Objective**

The indexes are designed for the creation of structured products, index tracking funds, or as a performance benchmark.

## Investability

Stocks are free-float weighted to ensure that only the investable opportunity set is included within the indexes (with the exception of the FTSE Nareit All REITs Index).

#### Liquidity

Stocks are screened to ensure that the indexes are tradable.

#### **Transparency**

The indexes use a transparent, methodologies-based construction process. 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.

<sup>\*\*</sup> 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)	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
FTSE Nareit Composite	27.2	2.1	9.4	9.3	-3.9	28.2	-6.0	40.0	-25.0	11.5
FTSE Nareit All Equity REITs	28.0	2.8	8.6	8.7	-4.0	28.7	-5.1	41.3	-24.9	11.4
FTSE Nareit Mortgage REITs	17.9	-8.9	22.8	19.8	-2.5	21.3	-18.8	15.6	-26.6	15.3
FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50	28.7	4.4	5.5	9.2	-2.1	29.2	-2.8	42.3	-25.0	11.3

# Return/Risk Ratio and Drawdown - Total Return

Index (USD)	Return/Risk Ratio				Drawdown (%)			
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR
FTSE Nareit Composite	1.1	0.0	0.2	0.4	-13.2	-33.2	-43.2	-43.2
FTSE Nareit All Equity REITs	1.1	0.0	0.2	0.4	-12.9	-33.2	-41.9	-41.9
FTSE Nareit Mortgage REITs	0.4	-0.2	0.0	0.1	-20.0	-42.9	-68.6	-68.6
FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50	1.1	0.0	0.3	0.4	-13.0	-33.3	-40.9	-40.9

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

## **Top 10 Constituents - FTSE Nareit Composite Index**

Constituent	Property Sector	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
Prologis	Industrial	117,933	8.05
American Tower Corp	Telecommunications REITs	104,444	7.13
Equinix Inc	Data Centers	78,977	5.39
Welltower Inc.	Health Care	71,301	4.87
Public Storage	Self Storage	54,259	3.71
Simon Property Group	Retail	54,043	3.69
Realty Income	Retail	53,433	3.65
Digital Realty Trust	Data Centers	48,873	3.34
Crown Castle Inc	Telecommunications REITs	48,611	3.32
Extra Space Storage	Self Storage	36,949	2.52
Totals		668,821	45.67

# **Top 10 Constituents - FTSE Nareit All Equity REITs**

Constituent	Property Sector	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
Prologis	Industrial	117,933	8.37
American Tower Corp	Telecommunications REITs	104,444	7.41
Equinix Inc	Data Centers	78,977	5.60
Welltower Inc.	Health Care	71,301	5.06
Public Storage	Self Storage	54,259	3.85
Simon Property Group	Retail	54,043	3.83
Realty Income	Retail	53,433	3.79
Digital Realty Trust	Data Centers	48,873	3.47
Crown Castle Inc	Telecommunications REITs	48,611	3.45
Extra Space Storage	Self Storage	36,949	2.62
Totals		668,821	47.44

# **Sector Breakdown**

	FTSE Nareit All Equity REITs			FTSE Nareit Composite			FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50		
Property Sector	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
		0	0.00		0	0.00		0	0.00

# **INFORMATION**

#### **Index Universe**

Nareit Domestic Real Estate Index Series

#### **Index Launch**

17 March 2006

#### **Base Date**

31 December 1971;

FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50: 31 December 1999

## **Base Value**

100

FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50: 1000

# **Investability Screen**

Actual free float applied and liquidity screened. (Free float adjusted since March 2006.)

## **Index Calculation**

Real-time (calculated every 15 seconds) and end-of-day indexes available

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

Via FTP and email

# **Currency**

USD, EUR, GBP, JPY and Local

#### **Review Dates**

Quarterly in March, June, September and December

# **History**

Nareit: From December 1971 to March 2006

FTSE: From March 2006 onward

#### **Index Characteristics**

Attributes	FTSE Nareit Composite	FTSE Nareit All Equity REITs	FTSE Nareit Mortgage REITs	FTSE Nareit Real Estate 50
Number of constituents	170	137	33	50
Net MCap (USDm)	1,464,378	1,409,730	54,648	1,259,891
Dividend Yield %	3.97	3.67	11.75	3.68
Constituent Sizes (Net MCap USDm)				
Average	8,614	10,290	1,656	25,198
Largest	117,933	117,933	10,068	117,933
Smallest	79	105	79	6,011
Median	2,177	3,261	987	14,052
Weight of Largest Constituent (%)	8.05	8.37	18.42	9.36
Top 10 Holdings (% Index MCap)	45.67	47.44	73.89	53.09

#### **About NAREIT**

Nareit is the trade association for REITs and publicly traded real estate companies with an interest in the US property and investment markets. See www.reit.com for more information. FTSE and Nareit partnered in March 2006 to create the FTSE Nareit US Real Estate Index Series



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