

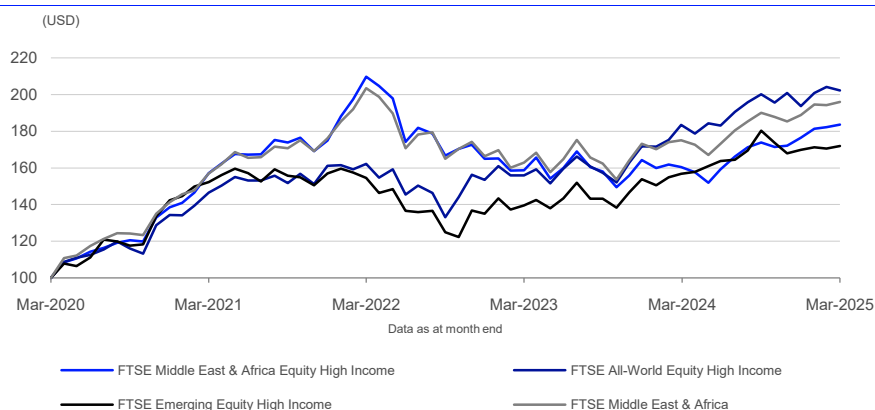
FTSE Middle East & Africa Equity High Income Index

Data as at: 31 March 2025

The FTSE Middle East & Africa Equity High Income Index represents the performance of large and mid-cap Middle East and Africa companies, which are characterized by higher-than-average dividend yields.

The FTSE Middle East & Africa Equity High Income Index is part of the FTSE Global Equity High Income Index Series, which is constructed based on the FTSE All-World Index. Stocks with zero or no historical or forecast dividends are screened out, and the bottom fifth percentile of companies with negative one-year returns are also excluded. The remaining stocks are ranked based on their forecast tax adjusted dividend yield and included in the index until the cumulative market capitalization reaches 50%. Please see the index Ground Rules for more information.

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 Middle East & Africa Equity High Income	4.0	5.6	4.0	14.5	-12.4	83.7	-4.3	12.9	10.2	13.7	14.4
FTSE All-World Equity High Income	4.4	1.0	4.4	10.3	24.7	102.3	7.6	15.1	9.4	13.5	14.4
FTSE Emerging Equity High Income	1.3	-4.5	1.3	9.8	11.3	72.1	3.6	11.5	12.2	14.0	14.4
FTSE Middle East & Africa	3.8	3.1	3.8	12.0	-3.7	96.0	-1.2	14.4	10.3	13.3	14.3

* 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)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
FTSE Middle East & Africa Equity High Income	-29.7	23.6	17.0	-9.7	5.1	-9.5	26.3	-5.7	-0.4	7.4
FTSE All-World Equity High Income	-3.8	11.5	19.1	-10.4	21.7	-0.5	19.9	-4.8	11.9	12.8
FTSE Emerging Equity High Income	-21.3	18.0	25.9	-5.8	19.5	4.8	10.3	-14.0	14.0	10.4
FTSE Middle East & Africa	-17.4	8.6	23.0	-16.2	11.7	-2.9	24.7	-5.5	4.1	9.1

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Coverage

The index is a subset of the FTSE Global Equity High Income Index Series, which is designed to represent the performance of companies that are characterized by higher-than-average dividend yield based on the FTSE All-World Index, which includes large and mid cap stocks across developed and emerging markets in the FTSE Global Equity Index Series (GEIS).

Objective

The index is designed for use as a performance benchmark.

Investability

Stocks are selected and weighted to ensure that the index is investable.

Liquidity

Stocks 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 intra-second 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.

Return/Risk Ratio and Drawdown - Total Return

Index (USD)	Return/Risk Ratio				Drawdown (%)			
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR
FTSE Middle East & Africa Equity High Income	1.4	-0.3	0.9	0.1	-7.2	-31.6	-31.6	-48.1
FTSE All-World Equity High Income	1.1	0.6	1.1	0.5	-6.1	-18.4	-20.2	-36.9
FTSE Emerging Equity High Income	0.8	0.3	0.8	0.3	-10.9	-22.0	-26.7	-40.1
FTSE Middle East & Africa	1.1	-0.1	1.0	0.2	-6.1	-27.3	-27.3	-46.3

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 %
Saudi Aramco	Saudi Arabia	Oil Gas and Coal	41,064	8.84
The Saudi National Bank	Saudi Arabia	Banks	27,825	5.99
Emaar Properties	UAE	Real Estate Investment and Services Development	24,394	5.25
Saudi Telecom Co	Saudi Arabia	Telecommunications Service Providers	22,903	4.93
Bank Leumi	Israel	Banks	19,975	4.30
Qatar National Bank	Qatar	Banks	19,633	4.22
Firstrand Limited	South Africa	Banks	19,526	4.20
Bank Hapoalim	Israel	Banks	17,959	3.86
Standard Bank Group	South Africa	Banks	17,191	3.70
First Abu Dhabi Bank PJSC	UAE	Banks	16,617	3.58
Totals			227,087	48.86

ICB Supersector Breakdown

ICB Code	ICB Supersector	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
1510	Telecommunications	7	53,711	11.56
3010	Banks	25	241,722	52.01
3030	Insurance	4	17,289	3.72
3510	Real Estate	4	30,834	6.63
4040	Retailers	2	3,019	0.65
4050	Travel and Leisure	1	1,930	0.42
4510	Food Beverage and Tobacco	1	2,473	0.53
4520	Personal Care Drug and Grocery Stores	1	1,150	0.25
5010	Construction and Materials	3	2,539	0.55
5020	Industrial Goods and Services	4	8,300	1.79
5510	Basic Resources	4	5,226	1.12
5520	Chemicals	8	36,161	7.78
6010	Energy	6	52,599	11.32
6510	Utilities	2	7,806	1.68
Totals		72	464,758	100.00

Country/Market Breakdown

Country/Market	No. of Cons	Net MCap (USDm)	Wgt %
Israel	6	53,939	11.61
Kuwait	3	5,506	1.18
Qatar	12	50,718	10.91
Saudi Arabia	20	164,473	35.39
South Africa	14	78,421	16.87
UAE	17	111,700	24.03
Totals	72	464,758	100.00

INFORMATION

Index Universe

FTSE Global Equity Index Series

Index Launch

30 May 2024

Base Date

20 September 2002

Base Value

1000

Investability Screen

Actual free float applied and liquidity screened

Index Calculation

End-of-day index available

End-of-Day Distribution

Via SFTP and email

Currency

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

Review Dates

Annually in September

Index Characteristics

Attributes	FTSE Middle East & Africa Equity High Income
Number of constituents	72
Net MCap (USDm)	464,758
Dividend Yield %	5.38
Constituent Sizes (Net MCap USDm)	
Average	6,455
Largest	41,064
Smallest	662
Median	3,066
Weight of Largest Constituent (%)	8.84
Top 10 Holdings (% Index MCap)	48.86

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