

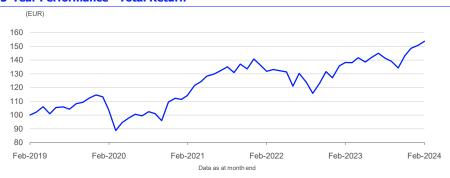
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# FTSE RAFI™ Europe Index

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.

The FTSE RAFI Europe Index comprises European stocks with the largest RAFI fundamental scores selected from the FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000 Index.

#### 5-Year Performance - Total Return



FTSE Developed Europe Index

## **Performance and Volatility - Total Return**

Index (EUR)	Return %						Return pa %*		Volatility %**		**
	3M	6M	YTD	12M	3YR	5YR	3YR	5YR	1YR	3YR	5YR
FTSE Developed Europe Index	7.4	8.7	3.5	11.2	34.6	53.7	10.4	9.0	11.0	12.3	16.0

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

## **Year-on-Year Performance - Total Return**

Index % (EUR)	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
FTSE RAFI Europe Index	6.9	4	7.3	11.2	-10.6	22.1	-8.2	27.3	-3.4	17.1
FTSE Developed Europe Index	7.4	9.3	3.1	11.1	-10.1	26.9	-2.2	25.5	-9.7	16.9

## Return/Risk Ratio and Drawdown - Total Return

Index (EUR)		Return/R	isk Ratio			Drawdo	Prawdown (%)			
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR		
FTSE RAFI Europe Index	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.4	-8.4	-17.8	-39.3	-39.3		
FTSE Developed Europe Index	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	-8.3	-20.0	-35.4	-35.4		

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

Drawdown - based on daily data

## **FEATURES**

## **Coverage**

The index covers the following markets: Austria, Belgium/Luxembourg, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK.

#### **Objective**

The index is designed for use in the creation of a range of financial products, including index-linked funds, ETFs and over-the-counter (OTC) products.

#### 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.

## 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> Volatility – 1YR based on 12 months daily data. 3YR based on weekly data (Wednesday to Wednesday). 5YR based on monthly data

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## Top 10 Constituents - FTSE RAFI Europe Index (% Weight)

Constituent	Country	ICB Sector	FTSE RAFI Europe (Wgt %)	FTSE Developed Europe (Wgt %)	Diff %
Shell	United Kingdom	Oil, Gas and Coal	3.93	1.87	2.06
TotalEnergies SE	France	Oil, Gas and Coal	2.26	1.28	0.98
BP	United Kingdom	Oil, Gas and Coal	1.86	0.89	0.98
HSBC Hldgs	United Kingdom	Banks	1.83	1.38	0.45
Allianz SE	Germany	Nonlife Insurance	1.64	0.99	0.64
Nestle	Switzerland	Food Producers	1.53	2.54	-1.00
Novartis (REGD)	Switzerland	Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology	1.38	1.92	-0.54
Stellantis NV	Italy	Automobiles and Parts	1.23	0.51	0.72
Mercedes-Benz Group AG	Germany	Automobiles and Parts	1.17	0.62	0.55
Roche Hldgs (GENUS)	Switzerland	Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology	1.16	1.66	-0.50
Totals			17.99	13.66	

## **Country Breakdown**

	FTSE RAFI Europe		FTSE Develo	ped Europe	
Country	No. of Cons	Wgt %	No. of Cons	Wgt %	
Austria	7	0.55	8	0.32	0.23
Belgium	13	1.42	15	1.42	0.00
Denmark	15	1.96	18	5.19	-3.22
Finland	18	2.05	15	1.59	0.46
France	68	16.60	71	17.87	-1.27
Germany	63	16.72	73	13.18	3.54
Ireland	4	0.28	5	0.42	-0.14
Italy	29	7.14	34	4.36	2.77
Netherlands	27	4.70	31	7.61	-2.91
Norway	12	1.05	18	0.99	0.06
Poland	5	0.46	10	0.53	-0.07
Portugal	4	0.41	4	0.28	0.13
Spain	26	5.31	24	3.95	1.36
Sweden	43	4.26	55	5.14	-0.87
Switzerland	43	10.22	52	14.30	-4.09
UK	118	26.89	105	22.87	4.02
Totals	495	100.00	538	100.00	

## **INFORMATION**

## **Index Universe**

European constituents of the FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000 Index

## **Index Launch**

4 May 2006

## **Base Date**

30 December 2005

## **Base Value**

5000

## **Index Calculation**

End of day

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

Via FTP and email

## Currency

Euro

## **Review Dates**

Annually in March

## **ICB Supersector Breakdown**

	ersector breakdown	FTSE RAFI I	Europe	FTSE Develope	ed Europe	
ICB Code	ICB Supersector	No. of Cons	Wgt %	No. of Cons	Wgt %	Diff %
1010	Technology	18	2.75	22	8.47	-5.72
1510	Telecommunications	21	4.11	22	2.44	1.68
2010	Health Care	32	8.77	49	15.20	-6.42
3010	Banks	42	14.74	38	8.59	6.14
3020	Financial Services	29	3.31	32	3.77	-0.46
3030	Insurance	31	8.27	30	5.48	2.78
3510	Real Estate	20	1.28	21	1.05	0.24
4010	Automobiles and Parts	16	5.66	15	2.78	2.88
4020	Consumer Products and Services	28	3.42	30	6.71	-3.28
4030	Media	10	1.27	12	1.98	-0.72
4040	Retailers	10	0.85	11	0.90	-0.05
4050	Travel and Leisure	11	0.66	10	1.10	-0.44
4510	Food, Beverage and Tobacco	20	5.18	28	6.76	-1.58
4520	Personal Care, Drug and Grocery Stores	13	2.90	14	2.65	0.25
5010	Construction and Materials	19	3.86	23	3.66	0.20
5020	Industrial Goods and Services	86	10.71	97	14.20	-3.49
5510	Basic Resources	24	3.65	19	2.35	1.30
5520	Chemicals	20	2.80	21	2.63	0.17
6010	Energy	21	10.55	17	5.65	4.89
6510	Utilities	24	5.26	27	3.62	1.64
Totals		495	100.00	538	100.00	

## **Index Characteristics**

Attributes	FTSE RAFI Europe	FTSE Developed Europe
Number of constituents	495	538
Dividend Yield %	4.16	3.08
Constituent (Wgt %)		
Average	0.20	0.19
Largest	3.93	3.39
Median	0.08	0.07
Top 10 Holdings (Wgt %)	17.98	21.76

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