

FTSE Russell Factsheet

# FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index

The FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index has been designed to be used as the basis of Shariahcompliant investment products that meet the requirements of Islamic investors in Japan and internationally. Independent screening is carried out by Yasaar Limited, an organisation with a global network of expert Shariah scholars. Their approach is described below.

Using the Large and Mid Cap stocks from the FTSE Global Equity Index Series as a base universe, the top 100 Shariah-compliant Japanese constituents, by market capitalisation are then selected to form the FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index.

## **Business Activity Screening**

Initially, companies involved in any of the following activities will be filtered out as non Shariahcompliant:

- Conventional finance (non-Islamic banking, finance and insurance, etc.);
- Alcohol;

 Pork related products and non-halal food production, packaging and processing or any other activity related to pork and non-halal food;

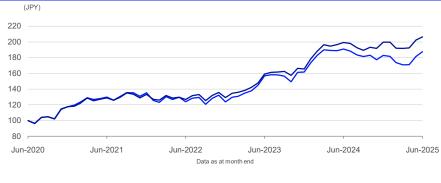
- Entertainment (casinos, gambling and pornography);
- · Tobacco; weapons, arms and defence manufacturing.

#### **Financial Ratios Screening**

The remaining companies are then further screened on a financial basis. The following financial ratios must be met for companies to be considered Shariah-compliant:

- Debt is less than 33.333% of total assets;
- Cash and interest bearing items are less than 33.333% of total assets;
- Accounts receivable and cash are less than 50% of total assets;
- Total interest and non compliant activities income should not exceed 5% of total revenue.

#### 5-Year Performance - Total Return



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- FTSE Japan

Data as at: 30 June 2025

# **FEATURES**

#### Coverage

Shariah-compliant Japanese stocks in the FTSE Global Equity Shariah Index Series.

#### Objective

The index is designed for use in the creation of Shariah-compliant investment products and as a 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

The index uses a transparent, rules-based construction process. Index methodologies are freely available on the FTSE Russell website.

#### Asset-based debt screening

Unlike other competitor methodologies, a more conservative approach to Shariah compliance is ensured by rating debt ratio limits that are measured as a percentage of total assets, rather than more volatile measures that use 12 month trailing market capitalisation. This ensures companies do not pass the screening criteria due to market price fluctuation, allowing the methodology to be less speculative and more in keeping with Shariah principles.

#### **School-neutral**

Yasaar Limited scholars represent all of the major Shariah schools of thought, creating a best practices approach that has credibility across the Islamic world.

## Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB)

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

### **Shariah Methodology**

See www.vasaar.org for further information

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

Index (JPY)	Return %						Return pa %*		Volatility %**		
	3M	6M	YTD	12M	3YR	5YR	3YR	5YR	1YR	3YR	5YR
FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index	9.7	2.5	2.5	-1.8	51.2	87.5	14.8	13.4	28.9	18.5	13.7
FTSE Japan	7.6	3.4	3.4	3.5	62.7	106.4	17.6	15.6	27.2	17.8	12.2

\* 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 % (JPY)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index	11.0	0.8	24.4	-16.9	18.1	10.6	15.2	-8.6	30.7	13.1
FTSE Japan	11.5	-0.3	21.0	-15.3	18.3	8.9	13.2	-3.1	28.2	20.6

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

Index (JPY)	Return/Risk Ratio				Drawdown (%)			
	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR
FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index	-0.1	0.8	1.0	0.5	-26.0	-26.0	-26.0	-31.3
FTSE Japan	0.1	1.0	1.3	0.6	-24.2	-24.2	-24.2	-31.3

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

## **Top 10 Constituents**

Constituent	ICB Sector	Net MCap (JPYm)	Wgt %
Hitachi	General Industrials	18,472,380	6.53
Tokyo Electron	Technology Hardware and Equipment	12,260,947	4.34
Recruit Holdings	Industrial Support Services	11,554,754	4.09
SoftBank Group	Telecommunications Service Providers	10,286,006	3.64
Mitsubishi Corp	General Industrials	9,341,316	3.30
Shin-Etsu Chemical	Chemicals	9,243,751	3.27
Advantest Corp	Technology Hardware and Equipment	7,796,035	2.76
Mitsui & Co	Industrial Support Services	7,456,942	2.64
KDDI Corp	Telecommunications Service Providers	7,122,641	2.52
Takeda Pharmaceutical	Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology	6,908,819	2.44
Totals		100,443,590	35.52

# **INFORMATION**

## **Index Universe**

Shariah-compliant stocks within the FTSE Japan Index (Large and Mid Cap)

#### **Index Launch**

30 July 2007

## **Base Date**

29 September 2003

**Base Value** 

1000

# **Investability Screen**

Actual free float applied and liquidity screened

## **Index Calculation**

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

## End-of-Day-Distribution

Via FTP and email

#### **Review Dates**

Quarterly in March, June, September, December

#### Currency

Yen and USD

# **ICB Supersector Breakdown**

		FTSE	Japan 100 Shariah	ndex	FTSE Japan				
ICB Code	ICB Supersector	No. of Cons	Net MCap (JPYm)	Wgt %	No. of Cons	Net MCap (JPYm)	Wgt %		
1010	Technology	15	53,843,874	19.04	58	78,931,864	11.29		
1510	Telecommunications	4	27,971,878	9.89	6	29,039,155	4.15		
2010	Health Care	9	27,243,241	9.63	27	44,680,180	6.39		
3010	Banks	-	-	-	23	61,424,348	8.79		
3020	Financial Services	-	-	-	12	13,030,045	1.86		
3030	Insurance	-	-	-	7	27,338,300	3.91		
3510	Real Estate	1	891,602	0.32	36	22,801,515	3.26		
4010	Automobiles and Parts	6	15,983,659	5.65	27	55,621,876	7.96		
4020	Consumer Products and Services	8	14,413,796	5.10	32	67,195,506	9.61		
4030	Media	-	-	-	8	2,843,894	0.41		
4040	Retailers	3	3,493,657	1.24	17	18,657,074	2.67		
4050	Travel and Leisure	1	428,040	0.15	16	10,628,444	1.52		
4510	Food Beverage and Tobacco	3	2,202,126	0.78	28	22,095,826	3.16		
4520	Personal Care Drug and Grocery Stores	3	5,237,817	1.85	18	18,251,085	2.61		
5010	Construction and Materials	5	9,850,430	3.48	19	15,012,486	2.15		
5020	Industrial Goods and Services	29	95,086,770	33.63	99	167,678,809	23.99		
5510	Basic Resources	3	4,604,986	1.63	10	6,865,554	0.98		
5520	Chemicals	6	15,947,262	5.64	27	23,310,438	3.33		
6010	Energy	2	2,541,465	0.90	4	4,556,509	0.65		
6510	Utilities	2	3,028,423	1.07	12	9,100,351	1.30		
Totals		100	282,769,026	100.00	486	699,063,261	100.00		

# **Index Characteristics**

Attributes	FTSE Japan 100 Shariah Index	FTSE Japan
Number of constituents	100	486
Net MCap (JPYm)	282,769,026	699,063,261
Dividend Yield %	2.29	2.32
Constituent Sizes (Net MCap JPYm)		
Average	2,827,690	1,438,402
Largest	18,472,380	26,469,292
Smallest	428,040	74,764
Median	1,677,055	495,936
Weight of Largest Constituent (%)	6.53	3.79
Top 10 Holdings (% Index MCap)	35.52	23.37



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