

Praxair (USA): Merger with Linde (Germany) Changes in FTSE RAFI™ Index Series

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Further to the FTSE Russell notice released on 17 October and subject to the completion of the all stock merger between Praxair (USA, constituent) and Linde (Germany, constituent), the combined entity, Linde Plc, will be assigned a USA nationality. Please see details of affected indexes and effective dates below:

Index	Effective From Start of Trading
FTSE RAFI All World 3000 Index	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI All World 3000 Index - QSR	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI Developed 1000 Index	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI Developed 1000 Index - QSR	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI US 1000 Index	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI US 1000 Index - QSR	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI Kaigai 1000 Index	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000	29 October 2018
FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000 Index - QSR	29 October 2018

* To be renamed Linde Plc (USA, BZ12WP8) effective 31 October 2018.

** The number of shares is based on the merger terms of 1.54 Linde Plc shares for each Linde share held and one Linde Plc share for each Praxair share held.

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