



FTSE Blossom Japan Index Series

Proposed Methodology Change and Change of Name

13 March 2025

FTSE Russell is seeking feedback from index users on a proposed methodology change and name change regarding the FTSE Blossom Japan Index and the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index.

FTSE Russell proposes to include the following ground rule, to align the underlying index constituents with the Tokyo Stock Price Index (TOPIX) subject to agreement between FTSE and JPX Market Innovation & Research, INC (JPXI) for the licensing of such constituents for this purpose as TOPIX is calculated and distributed by JPXI.

Proposed rule:

Constituents of the underlying index (FTSE Japan All Cap Index) which are not in TOPIX are ineligible. TOPIX constituents are based on the Monday 4 weeks prior to the review effective date.

Proposed name change:

If this rule is implemented, the index names will change to the following:

- FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Index
- FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index

There would be no change to the index codes.

Proposed timing:

FTSE Russell proposes that the methodology and name change will be implemented in conjunction with the June 2025 index review that is effective from the open on Monday 23rd June 2025.

Impacted indices:

Index	Index Code	Rebalance Frequency
FTSE Blossom Japan Index	FBLSMJPN	June & December
FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index	FBLSJPNS	June & December

For awareness, the FTSE Blossom Japan Index is the underlying index for the FTSE Blossom Japan Dynamic 30 Index.

FTSE Russell welcomes feedback on this proposal by Friday, 4th April 2025. Feedback should be sent to info@ftserussell.com. Final approval of any changes will be made by the FTSE Russell Index Governance Board. Index users and other stakeholders are informed via Index Notices.

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