# FTSE AFCM Low Carbon Select Total Return Index

# **FACTSHEET**

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FTSE AFCM Low Carbon Select Index offers a benchmark for investors wishing to commit capital to companies that actively invest in and promote low carbon activities in the running of their businesses. Since the index includes those companies as constituents that are investing to reduce energy consumption and hence contributing to lower the carbon footprint of the region, it is the best fit and generates the high interest and demand among investors. The index utilises reported CO2 levels of constituents of starting universe and the final index selection reflects the principles and impact of CO2 levels.

The index tracks the price and total return of selected 40 publicly traded equities in selected countries as defined in starting universe.

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## **AVAILABLE INDEX VARIANTS**

FTSE AFCM Low Carbon Select Price Return Index-.RFAFLCP1

FTSE AFCM Low Carbon Select Total Return Index-.RFAFLCT1

## **INDEX CHARACTERISTICS-**

Index RIC-.RFAFLCT1

Number of Constituents	40
	Mkt Cap (USD Millions)
Largest	94584114
Smallest	1252675
Average	24504799
Median	13590369

#### **METHODOLOGY**

#### Selection:

- The constituents' universe includes equities traded on Bahrain, Egypt, Jordan, Kuwait, Morocco, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, and the United Arab Emirates. To construct the parent index, the universe then follows rules applied to FR Global Equity Indices (FRGEI), which are free float adjusted market capitalisation weighted indices.
- After applying initial filters, as stated in index methodology, portfolio of 40 constituents is selected by examining ESG Analytic Estimated CO2 Total, considering the CO2 Estimation Method (possible values are "Reported", "CO2", "Energy", and "Median"). Priority is given to all companies that have a "Reported" CO2 value, meaning that they have provided a current number.
- Sectors are capped at 30% and individual constituents are capped at 9%. At rebalance, the companies are weighted by free float market capitalisation.

Rebalance: Semi-annual

Index Distribution: Via Eikon and SFTP

#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

Company Name	Sector	Weight
SAUDI ARABIAN MINING	Basic	0.050/
COMPANY SJSC ETIHAD ETISALAT COMPANY	Materials	9.65%
SJSC	Technology	8.68%
SAUDI BASIC INDUSTRIES	Basic	
CORPORATION SJSC	Materials	8.59%
ACWA POWER CO	Utilities	8.57%
QATAR ISLAMIC BANK QPSC	Financials	8.57%
SAHARA INTERNATIONAL	Basic	
PETROCHEMICAL CO SJSC JARIR MARKETING	Materials	6.12%
COMPANY SJSC	Consumer Cyclicals	4.29%
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	Non-	
ALMARAI COMPANY SJSC	Cyclicals	4.20%
SAUDI INVESTMENT BANK SJSC	Financials	3.53%
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ATTIJARIWAFA BANK SA	Financials	3.27%



# HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE - 10-YEAR CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE (USD)



Total	Return - Ann	ualized			
	YTD	1Y	2Y	3Y	5Y
FTSE AFCM LOW CARBON SELECT TOTAL					
RETURN INDEX	-1.64%	6.51%	1.13%	7.46%	4.94%
FR MENA TOTAL RETURN INDEX	-0.13%	7.70%	1.09%	10.62%	7.98%

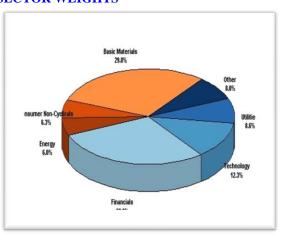
In	dex Returns – E	y Year			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
FTSE AFCM LOW CARBON SELECT TOTAL					
RETURN INDEX	0.32%	18.50%	-2.21%	9.99%	-13.82%
FR MENA TOTAL RETURN INDEX	3.26%	26.33%	-0.83%	8.42%	-1.14%

Annual	ized Standard	Deviation			
	1Y	2Y	3Y	5Y	
FTSE AFCM LOW CARBON SELECT TOTAL					
RETURN INDEX	0.09	0.11	0.10	0.12	
FR MENA TOTAL RETURN INDEX	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.11	

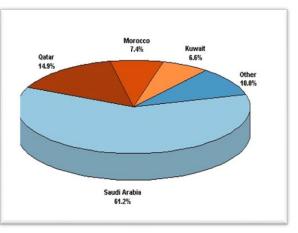
Annualized Sharpe Ratio					
	1Y	2Y	3Y	5Y	
FTSE AFCM LOW CARBON SELECT TOTAL					
RETURN INDEX	0.71	0.11	0.78	0.42	
FR MENA TOTAL RETURN INDEX	1.02	0.11	1.15	0.72	
Data as of 24 <sup>st</sup> January 2004					

Data as of 31st January 2024

# **SECTOR WEIGHTS**



# **COUNTRY WEIGHTS**



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