

ICE MSCI Index Derivatives

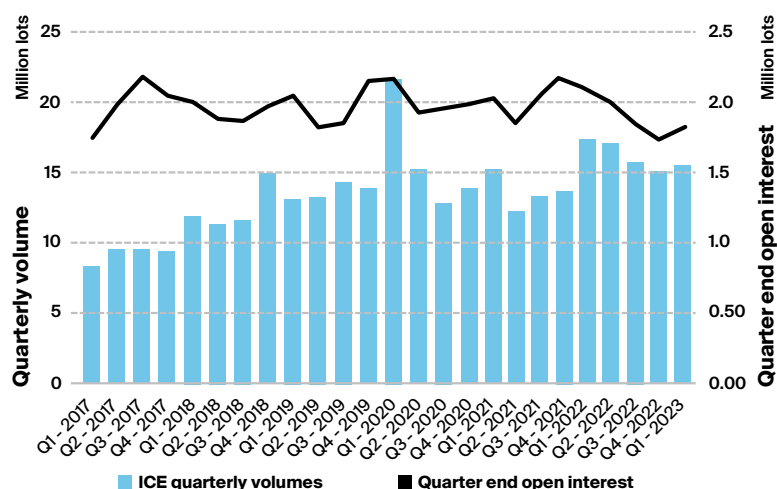
ICE: Home to the most liquid MSCI Index Futures

MSCI global equity indices are among the most widely referenced and benchmarked indices used by investors. They are powered by an innovative, rules-based methodology that evolves to measure and capture equity markets as they exist today. MSCI index methodology also includes liquidity criteria to assess the illegibility of stocks into their indices. MSCI indices therefore combine investability and replicability.

Today ICE is the leading Exchange for MSCI Index Futures. The contracts available for trading cover a wide range of MSCI Indices - from global and country specific to Climate & ESG benchmarks.

ICE MSCI Index Futures quarterly stats

Quarterly volumes and open interest



Top traded contracts

Contract	Ticker	2023 YTD ADV		Open interest	
		in lots	in Mio USD Notional	in lots	in Mio USD Notional
MSCI EM (PR USD)	MESA	171,848	\$8,554 Mio	1,143,000	\$56.90 B
MSCI EAFE (PR USD)	MFSA	60,678	\$6,361 Mio	396,000	\$41.50 B
MSCI EM Asia (PR USD)	ANSA	3,450	\$207 Mio	82,000	\$4.90 B
MSCI Brazil (PR USD)	MCBA	1,956	\$92 Mio	27,000	\$1.30 B
MSCI ACWI (PR USD)	WAWA	662	\$46 Mio	17,000	\$1.20 B
MSCI Latam (PR USD)	MWAA	1,334	\$67 Mio	23,000	\$1.10 B
MSCI EM EMEA (PR USD)	MOE1	1,283	\$35 Mio	38,000	\$1.00 B
MSCI Europe (PR USD)	WQOA	408	\$34 Mio	12,000	\$1.00 B
MSCI India (PR USD)	LZWA	282	\$25 Mio	8,000	\$0.70 B
MSCI EM ex China (PR USD)	MMLA	170	\$10 Mio	7,000	\$0.40 B

As of 31 March 2023

Key features

Extensive coverage

- Full suite of contracts covering the MSCI ACWI index Universe - From MSCI EM, MSCI EAFE, MSCI World to MSCI AC Asia ex Japan
- Unique set of Climate & ESG contracts - **MSCI ESG Leaders**, **MSCI Climate PAI** and **MSCI Climate Low Carbon Target Core Index futures** available for trading
- All contracts accessible on Bloomberg via **BMSI GO**

Market functionalities

- Extended Trading Hours 22 hours a day
- Flexibility to trade on the Central Limit Orderbook or via ICE Block
- Block trade at index close (BIC)** functionality available enabling market participants to capture the official cash closing value of the desired index
- Same day BIC reporting possible

Risk management

- Capital:** New portfolio based margining model IRM 2 resulting in competitive margins. Learn more on: ice.com/clearing/margin-models/irm-2/faq
- Portfolio:** Availability of portfolio efficiencies across ICE's MSCI futures:
 - MSCI EM vs MSCI EM Asia Index Futures - 84% Margin Offset
 - MSCI EAFE vs MSCI World Index Futures - 78% Margin Offset
- Operations:** Standard settlement procedures to account for unexpected market disruption. [FAQs](#)

