# SPDR® MSCI Europe Technology UCITS ETF

Fact Sheet

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### **Fund Objective**

The investment objective of the Fund is to track the performance of European large and mid-sized companies in the Information Technology sector.

#### **Index Description**

The MSCI Europe Information Technology 35/20 Capped Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of constituents classified as Information Technology (according to the Global Industry Classification Standard) in the MSCI Europe index.

#### **Tax Status**

As standard, SSGA aims to meet all applicable tax reporting requirements for all of the SPDR ETFs in the following countries. Applications are made throughout the year depending on the time scale required by each local tax authority: UK, Germany, Austria, Switzerland.

### **Countries of Registration**

United Kingdom, Switzerland, Sweden, Spain, Norway, Netherlands, Luxembourg, Italy, Ireland, Germany, France, Finland, Denmark, Austria

Fund Information	
ISIN	IE00BKWQ0K51
Index Name	MSCI Europe Information Technology 35/20 Capped Index
Index Ticker	NE731547
Index Type	Net Total Return
Number of Constituents	17

Key Facts	
Inception Date	05-Dec-2014
Share Class Currency	EUR
Fund — Base Currency	EUR
TER	0.18%
Income Treatment	Accumulation
Replication Method	Replicated
UCITS Compliant	Yes
Domicile	Ireland
Investment Manager	State Street Global Advisors Europe Limited
Sub-Investment Manager(s)	State Street Global Advisors Limited
Fund Umbrella	SSGA SPDR ETFs Europe II plc
Share Class Assets (millions)	€80.84
Total Fund Assets (millions)	€80.84
ISA Eligible	Yes
SIPP Eligible	Yes
PEA Eligible	No

Index Change: "Index" reflects linked performance returns of both the MSCI Europe Information Technology 35/20 Capped Index and the MSCI Europe Information Technology Index. The index returns are reflective of the MSCI Europe Information Technology Index from fund inception until November 30, 2020 and of MSCI Europe Information Technology 35/20 Capped Index effective November 30, 2020 to present.

Listings						
Exchange	Exchange Ticker	Trading Currency	iNAV Ticker	Bloomberg Code	Reuters Code	SEDOL Code
Euronext Paris*	STK	EUR	INSTK	STK FP	STK.PA	BM67JM3
SIX Swiss Exchange	STKX	CHF	INSTKC	STKX SE	STKX.S	BM67JP6
Deutsche Börse	SPYK	EUR	INSTK	SPYK GY	SPYK.DE	BKX40B9
London Stock Exchange	ITEC	EUR	INSTK	ITEC LN	ITEC.L	BSBNC63
Borsa Italiana	STKX	EUR	INSTK	STKX IM	STKX.MI	BM67JN4
Bolsa Mexicana de Valores	ITECN	MXN		ITECN MM	ITECN.MX	BJCW8N5

<sup>\*</sup>Denotes Primary Listing

Performance					
	Index	Fund Gross	Difference	Fund Net	Difference
Annualise	d Returns (%	<b>%)</b>			
1 Year	35.92	36.08	0.16	35.83	-0.09
3 Year	12.79	12.92	0.14	12.71	-0.08
5 Year	16.01	15.98	-0.03	15.71	-0.30
10 Year	13.28	13.44	0.16	13.14	-0.14
Since Inception	4.76	5.25	0.50	4.85	0.10
Cumulativ	e Performa	nce (%)			
1 Month	5.38	5.38	0.00	5.37	-0.01
3 Month	19.57	19.58	0.01	19.53	-0.04
1 Year	35.92	36.08	0.16	35.83	-0.09
2 Year	31.51	31.87	0.36	31.40	-0.11
3 Year	43.49	44.00	0.52	43.19	-0.30
5 Year	110.19	109.92	-0.27	107.48	-2.71
10 Year	248.10	253.04	4.94	243.75	-4.35
Since Inception	184.48	216.47	31.99	190.53	6.04
Calendar F	Performanc	e (%)			
2024	14.08	14.10	0.02	14.07	-0.01
2023	35.24	35.35	0.10	35.11	-0.14
2022	-28.61	-28.47	0.14	-28.60	0.01
2021	36.67	36.75	0.08	36.44	-0.23
2020	14.48	13.90	-0.58	13.56	-0.93
2019	37.57	37.55	-0.02	37.14	-0.43

	Fund (%)
Standard Deviation (3 Years)	24.93
Annualised Tracking Error (3 Years)	0.08

Past performance is not an indicator of future performance. The Gross of fees do not reflect and net of fees do reflect commissions and costs incurred on the issue and redemption, or purchases and sale, of units. If the performance is calculated on the basis of Gross/net asset values that are not denominated in the accounting currency of the collective investment scheme, its value may rise or fall as a result of currency fluctuations.

When the Fund is closed according to its official Net Asset Value (NAV) calendar but, nonetheless, a significant portion of the underlying security prices can be determined, a Technical NAV is calculated. Past Performance indicated herein has therefore been calculated using a Technical NAV when required, as well as the official NAV of the Fund as at each other business day for the relevant period. Calendar year inception performance returns will be partial for the year where the inception date for either the Fund in question or the historic performance-linked Fund (whichever is the earliest) falls within that period.

Characteristics	
Number of Holdings	17
†Distribution Yield	-
Price/Earnings Ratio FY1	27.57
Average Price/Book	4.96
Average Market Cap (M)	€165,998.73
Index Dividend Yield	1.09%

 $<sup>^{\</sup>dagger}$  This measures the 12 month historical dividend pay-out per share divided by the NAV.

Source: SSGA Characteristics, holdings, country allocations and sectors shown are as of date indicated at the top of this factsheet and are subject to change. Any reference to a specific company or security does not constitute a recommendation to buy, sell, hold or invest directly in such company or securities.

Top 10 Holdings	Weight (%)
ASML HOLDING NV	33.81
SAPSE	19.63
INFINEON TECHNOLOGIES AG	7.15
CAPGEMINI SE	5.78
DASSAULT SYSTEMES SE	4.77
STMICROELECTRONICS NV	4.72
ASM INTERNATIONAL NV	4.38
HEXAGON AB-B SHS	3.72
NOKIA OYJ	2.88
SAGE GROUP PLC/THE	2.45

Industry Allocation	Weight (%)
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	52.18
Software	28.45
IT Services	6.43
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components	5.42
Communications Equipment	5.30
Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals	2.22

Country Weights	Weight (%)
Netherlands	40.31
Germany	28.29
France	15.27
Sweden	6.15
United Kingdom	4.15
Switzerland	2.96
Finland	2.88

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Price/Earnings Ratio FY1 The average of the price of each underlying security divided by the mean EPS estimate of the security for the next unreported fiscal year, as of the report date.

Average Price/Book The average of the price of each underlying security divided by the Book value per share of the security, as of the

Index Dividend Yield The average of the Annual dividends per share (DPS) of each underlying security in the index as of the report date divided by the price of the security as of the report date.

TER Total Expense Ratio is a fee charged to the fund, as a percentage of the Net Asset Value, to cover costs associated with operation and management of the portfolio of assets.

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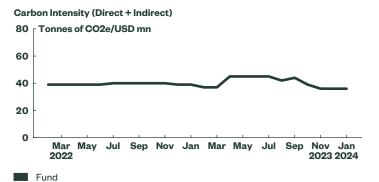
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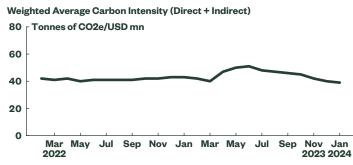
TCFD Carbon Metrics	Fund
TCFD Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (WACI)	17.51
TCFD Total Carbon Emissions**	505.70*
TCFD Carbon Footprint	5.79
TCFD Carbon Intensity	22.00

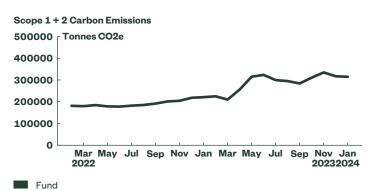
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Fund

#### **Climate Profile**







Source: SSGA Holdings as of 29 Feb 2024. Trucost data as of 31 Jan 2024.

#### Stewardship Profile Q4 2023

Number of Meetings Voted	23
Number of Countries	0
Management Proposals	0
Votes "For"	0.00%
Votes "Against"	0.00%
Shareholder Proposals	0
With Management	0.00%
Against Management	0.00%

Figures are based on State Street Global Advisors' general approach to voting at the companies held by the Fund at quarter end. This information is not a substitute for a proxy voting report, which can be requested through your relationship manager. State Street Global Advisors' (SSGA) asset stewardship program is aimed at engaging with our fund companies on issues that impact long-term value creation across environmental, social and governance (ESG) considerations. In the recent past, SSGA has issued extensive guidance on key governance matters such as

effective, independent board leadership. SSGA's current focus is on helping boards think about the possible impacts of environmental and social issues and incorporating a sustainability lens into boards' oversight of long-term strategy as a sound business practice.

Gender Diversity	
Women on Board	
0	0
1	1
2	1
3	2
4	7
5	2
6	1
7	2
8	1
9	0
10	0
10+	0
Not Available	0
Total	17

Source: Factset/SSGA as of 31 Jan 2024.

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## **Carbon Intensity**

(Direct+Indirect) Measured in Metric tonnes CO2e/USD millions revenues. The aggregation of operational and first-tier supply chain carbon footprints of index constituents per USD (equal weighted).

**Weighted Average Carbon Intensity** (Direct+Indirect) Measured in Metric tonnes CO2e/USD millions revenues. The weighted average of individual company intensities (operational and first-tier supply chain emissions over revenues), weighted by the proportion of each constituent in the index. Scope 1+2 Carbon Emissions Measured in Metric tonnes of CO2e. The GHG emissions from operations that are owned or controlled by the company, as well as GHG emissions from consumption of purchased electricity, heat or steam, by the company.

**TCFD Weighted Average Carbon Intensity** 

- Portfolio's exposure to carbon-intensive companies, expressed in tonnes CO2e / \$M revenue. Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions are allocated based on portfolio weights (the current value of the investment relative to the current portfolio value).

TCFD Total Carbon Emissions - The absolute greenhouse gas emissions associated with a portfolio, expressed in tonnes CO2e. Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions are allocated to investors based on an equity ownership approach.

TCFD Carbon Footprint - Total carbon emissions for a portfolio normalized by the market value of the portfolio, expressed in tonnes CO2e / \$M invested. Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions are allocated to investors based on an equity ownership approach. TCFD Carbon Intensity - Volume of carbon emissions per million dollars of revenue (carbon efficiency of a portfolio), expressed in tonnes CO2e / \$M revenue. Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions are allocated to investors based on an equity ownership approach.

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