

FTSE BURSA MALAYSIA ASIAN PALM OIL PLANTATION INDEX

The FTSE Bursa Malaysia Asian Palm Oil Plantation Index has been designed to provide easy access to investors who wish to participate in Asia's burgeoning palm oil industry. This Asian index aims to capture the performance of companies that earn a substantial proportion of their revenue from palm oil activities. Palm oil activities include production, ownership or operation of palm oil and palm oil plantations.

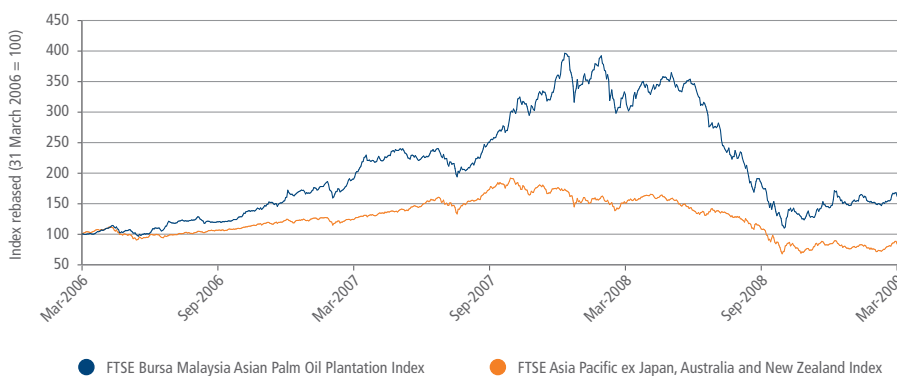
Screening Highlights:

- Only companies that have a market capitalisation greater than USD 100 million are eligible to be included in the index
- To be included in the index a company is required to have greater than 30% of total revenue from palm oil related activities
- Existing constituents will no longer be eligible if total revenue from palm oil related activities falls below 20%
- For a country to be eligible in the FTSE Bursa Malaysia Asian Palm Oil Plantation Index, its companies aggregated together must have an index weighting of greater than 2%

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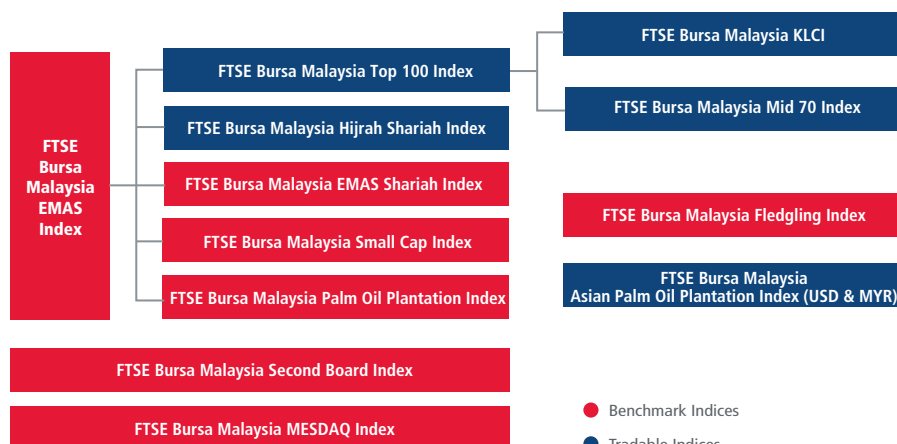
- The eligible universe comprises: China – B Shares, H Shares, and Red Chips (Red Chips reclassified to China from Sep 2009), Hong Kong SAR, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan and Thailand
- The index has been designed for the creation of structured products, index tracking funds and exchange traded funds (ETFs) or can be used as a performance benchmark
- Together with the FTSE Bursa Malaysia Palm Oil Plantation Index, this index forms part of the FTSE Bursa Malaysia Index Series
- Stocks are capped at 18% on a quarterly basis to avoid over-concentration of any one stock
- Both gross and net of tax indices are available
- Free float screening is in line with the FTSE Global Equity Index Series to ensure that only the investable opportunity set is included within the index
- Liquidity screening is based on the methodology used in the FTSE Global Equity Index Series median liquidity rule
- Deletions may occur intra-review where companies are either delisted, subject to take over, or cease to be an eligible constituent
- Capital and total return indices are available

FTSE BURSA MALAYSIA ASIAN PALM OIL PLANTATION INDEX 3-YEAR PERFORMANCE (MYR, TOTAL RETURN)



Source: FTSE Group, data as at 31 March 2009

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FTSE BURSA MALAYSIA ASIAN PALM OIL PLANTATION INDEX TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

| Rank | Constituent Name | Country | Net Mkt Cap (USDm) | Index Weight (%) |
|---------------|-------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1 | IOI Corporation | Malaysia | 1,942 | 17.91 |
| 2 | Sime Darby | Malaysia | 1,918 | 17.69 |
| 3 | Wilmar International Limited | Singapore | 1,864 | 17.20 |
| 4 | Kuala Lumpur Kepong | Malaysia | 1,555 | 14.34 |
| 5 | Golden Agri-Resources | Singapore | 1,408 | 12.99 |
| 6 | Astra Agro Lestari | Indonesia | 575 | 5.30 |
| 7 | Asiatic Development | Malaysia | 441 | 4.07 |
| 8 | Kulim Malaysia | Malaysia | 211 | 1.94 |
| 9 | Indofood Agri Resources | Singapore | 170 | 1.57 |
| 10 | Hap Seng Plantations Holdings | Malaysia | 146 | 1.34 |
| Totals | | | 10,230 | 94.35 |

Source: FTSE Group, data as at 31 March 2009

FTSE BURSA MALAYSIA ASIAN PALM OIL PLANTATION INDEX COUNTRY BREAKDOWN

| Country | No. of Constituents | Net Mkt Cap (USDm) | Index Weight (%) |
|---------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Malaysia | 11 | 6,539 | 60.31 |
| Singapore | 4 | 3,528 | 32.54 |
| Indonesia | 3 | 775 | 7.15 |
| Totals | 18 | 10,842 | 100.00 |

Source: FTSE Group, data as at 31 March 2009

FTSE BURSA MALAYSIA ASIAN PALM OIL PLANTATION INDEX PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

| Attribute | Value |
|--|--------|
| Number of Constituents | 18 |
| Net Market Cap (USDm) | 10,842 |
| Constituent Sizes (Net Market Cap USDm) | |
| Average | 602 |
| Largest | 1,942 |
| Smallest | 31 |
| Median | 158 |
| Weight of Largest Constituent (%) | 17.91 |
| Top 10 Holdings (% Index Market Cap) | 94.35 |

Source: FTSE Group, data as at 31 March 2009

COMMITTEES & REVIEWS

The indices are managed according to a transparent and public set of index rules and also overseen by an independent committee, to ensure that the rules are correctly applied and adhered to. Reviews take place to ensure that a continuous and accurate representation of the market is maintained.

INFORMATION

Index Universe

Universes of developed, advanced emerging and secondary emerging countries as classified by FTSE in the Asia Pacific region excluding Japan, Australia and New Zealand

Index Launch

18 May 2009

Base Date

31 March 2006

Base Value

6000

Investability Screen

Liquidity, investability, size screened by market capitalisation and free float tested

Index Calculation

Indices are calculated every 15 seconds. The indices are also calculated at end of day

End-of-Day Distribution

Indices available at 19:00 Malaysia Local time (11:00 hours London time GMT or 12:00 hours BST) via FTP and email

Currency

MYR, EUR, GBP, USD, JPY

(Base currency Ringgit Malaysia and USD)

Review Dates

Semi-annually in June and December

Index Rules

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