



# MarketGrader Indexes vs. Benchmarks

Report Card 2025



MarketGrader

## MarketGrader United States Indexes

United States Core	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
The MarketGrader US Alpha Core Index (MCW)	18.5%	58	25.0%	200	15.3%	88	1.47
MarketGrader US Large Cap Core Index (MCW)	24.9%	701	31.4%	838	18.1%	372	1.60
MarketGrader US Large Cap 100 Index (MCW)	21.1%	319	26.1%	314	16.1%	165	1.59
MarketGrader US Large Cap 200 Index (MCW)	21.7%	382	25.2%	223	15.9%	148	1.54
S&P 500 Index	17.9%	-	23.0%	-	14.4%	-	1.40
MarketGrader US Mid Cap Core 100 Index (MCW)	14.0%	649	16.8%	425	13.4%	427	0.77
MarketGrader US Mid Cap Core 100 Index (EW)	11.5%	404	16.2%	368	13.0%	388	0.71
S&P Mid Cap 400 Index	7.5%	-	12.6%	-	9.1%	-	0.50
MarketGrader US Small Cap Core 100 Index (MCW)	13.8%	776	18.2%	807	13.5%	618	0.77
MarketGrader US Small Cap Core 100 Index (EW)	13.3%	728	20.1%	991	14.7%	739	0.89
S&P Small Cap 600 Index	6.0%	-	10.2%	-	7.3%	-	0.34
United States Core - Select	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	3-Year Sharpe Ratio
MarketGrader US Large Cap Select 50 Index (MCW)	25.5%	764	31.9%	890	17.9%	349	1.67
MarketGrader US Large Cap Select 30 Index (MCW)	25.5%	759	32.0%	899	17.8%	341	1.66
S&P 500 Index	17.9%	-	23.0%	-	14.4%	-	1.40

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	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
United States Core - Select	17.0%	952	18.3%	571	14.9%	578	0.87
	17.7%	1,018	19.8%	725	15.5%	635	0.95
	7.5%	-	12.6%	-	9.1%	-	0.50
United States Small Cap - Select	15.8%	979	16.6%	641	12.0%	474	0.67
	14.1%	810	15.7%	552	12.1%	481	0.62
	6.0%	-	10.2%	-	7.3%	-	0.34
United States All-Cap	15.7%	-221	26.7%	374	15.9%	149	1.42
	17.9%	-	23.0%	-	14.4%	-	1.40
	14.3%	371	17.2%	285	12.4%	371	0.75
United States Style	10.6%	-	14.4%	-	8.7%	-	0.63
	16.9%	-169	26.5%	-464	14.4%	-97	1.41
	18.6%	-	31.2%	-	15.3%	-	1.58
United States Growth	24.2%	831	23.3%	940	16.8%	543	1.46
	15.9%	-	13.9%	-	11.3%	-	0.71

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United States Style - Select	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
	23.0%	442	30.6%	-51	16.7%	134	
MarketGrader US Large Cap Growth Select 30 Index (MCW)	18.6%	-	31.2%	-	15.3%	-	1.50
Russell 1000 Growth Index							1.58
MarketGrader US Large Cap Value Select 30 Index (MCW)	27.9%	1,200	22.9%	897	15.8%	452	1.44
Russell 1000 Value Index	15.9%	-	13.9%	-	11.3%	-	0.71
United States Income	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
	6.0%	-147	11.7%	638	13.2%	534	-
The MarketGrader US Income 50 Index (YW) - Price Return	4.7%	40	5.2%	76	4.9%	74	-
The MarketGrader US Income 50 Index (YW) - Dividend Return	11.0%	-111	17.4%	753	18.8%	640	0.96
The MarketGrader US Income 50 Index (YW) - Total Return							
MarketGrader US Income 100 Index (YW) - Price Return	5.0%	-245	14.8%	949	15.1%	716	-
MarketGrader US Income 100 Index (YW) - Dividend Return	4.8%	48	4.6%	21	4.3%	5	-
MarketGrader US Income 100 Index (YW) - Total Return	10.1%	-207	20.1%	1,017	19.9%	752	1.14
Dow Jones US Select Dividend Index - Price Return	7.5%	-	5.3%	-	7.9%	-	-
Dow Jones US Select Dividend Index - Dividend Return	4.3%	-	4.4%	-	4.2%	-	-
Dow Jones US Select Dividend Index - TR	12.1%	-	9.9%	-	12.4%	-	0.40

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United States - Sector	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark					3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)		
	3.2%	-188	16.3%	-721	11.8%	306	0.66	
<b>The MarketGrader US Consumer Discretionary Index (MCW)</b>	5.0%	-	23.5%	-	8.7%	-	0.92	
S&P 1500 Consumer Discretionary TR								
<b>The MarketGrader US Consumer Staples Index (MCW)</b>	<b>-8.4%</b>	<b>-1,151</b>	<b>-1.6%</b>	<b>-787</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>-450</b>	<b>-0.57</b>	
S&P 1500 Consumer Staples TR	3.1%	-	6.2%	-	7.1%	-	0.16	
<b>The MarketGrader US Energy Index (MCW)</b>	<b>-4.5%</b>	<b>-1,215</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>-297</b>	<b>24.3%</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>-0.10</b>	
S&P 1500 Energy TR	7.7%	-	4.3%	-	23.6%	-	0.05	
<b>The MarketGrader US Financials Index (MCW)</b>	<b>22.1%</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>24.6%</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>18.6%</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>1.02</b>	
S&P 1500 Financials TR	14.3%	-	18.3%	-	14.9%	-	0.82	
<b>The MarketGrader US Health Care Index (MCW)</b>	<b>20.6%</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>10.4%</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>0.26</b>	
S&P 1500 Health Care TR	13.7%	-	6.0%	-	7.5%	-	0.14	
<b>The MarketGrader US Industrials Index (MCW)</b>	<b>16.8%</b>	<b>-154</b>	<b>19.9%</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>16.4%</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>0.87</b>	
S&P 1500 Industrials TR	18.3%	-	18.5%	-	13.8%	-	0.86	
<b>The MarketGrader US Materials Index (MCW)</b>	<b>32.5%</b>	<b>2,241</b>	<b>14.0%</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>12.7%</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>0.48</b>	
S&P 1500 Materials TR	10.0%	-	7.6%	-	7.2%	-	0.22	
<b>The MarketGrader US Technology Index (MCW)</b>	<b>21.2%</b>	<b>-263</b>	<b>37.4%</b>	<b>-71</b>	<b>22.5%</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>1.67</b>	
S&P 1500 Information Technology TR	23.8%	-	38.1%	-	20.5%	-	1.58	

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## MarketGrader United States Indexes

### United States Model Portfolios

MarketGrader US Core Select 90 Portfolio (MCW)
MarketGrader US Balanced 90 Portfolio (EW)
MarketGrader US Core Select 50 Portfolio (MCW)
MarketGrader US Balanced Core 50 Portfolio (EW)
Russell 3000 Index

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
20.6%	349	26.2%	397	16.9%	378	1.37
18.7%	160	23.1%	88	15.8%	265	1.18
23.7%	653	31.7%	943	17.5%	439	1.64
18.2%	105	20.9%	-137	14.7%	152	1.05
17.1%	-	22.2%	-	13.1%	-	1.29

## MarketGrader Developed Markets Indexes

### Developed Markets Core - Broad

MarketGrader Developed Markets ex-US Index (MCW)
MarketGrader Developed Markets ADR 30 Index (EW)
MSCI World ex US Index

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
31.2%	-135	21.6%	330	13.4%	333	1.37
45.4%	1282	23.1%	480	16.9%	688	1.27
32.5%	-	18.3%	-	10.0%	-	1.04

### Developed Markets Core - Single Country or Region

MarketGrader Europe Large Cap 100 Index (MCW - EUR)
MSCI Europe Large Cap Index - EUR

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
19.3%	-15	19.4%	433	16.2%	362	1.26
19.4%	-	15.1%	-	12.5%	-	0.97

MarketGrader Europe Small Cap 200 Index (MCW - EUR)
MSCI Europe Small Cap Index - EUR

22.6%	559	21.1%	892	14.7%	828	1.21
17.0%	-	12.1%	-	6.4%	-	0.64

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### Developed Markets Core - Single Country or Region

MarketGrader UK Large Cap 50 Index (MCW - GBP)

FTSE 100 Index - GBP

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark					3-Year Sharpe Ratio
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)		
46.3%	2051	26.4%	1223	21.5%	846	1.68	
25.8%	-	14.2%	-	13.1%	-	1.07	

MarketGrader UK Small Cap 100 Index (MCW - GBP)

FTSE 250 Index - GBP

14.3%	132	13.3%	363	8.6%	365	0.71
13.0%	-	9.7%	-	5.0%	-	0.54

MarketGrader Japan Large Cap 100 Index (MCW)

MSCI Japan Index

20.7%	-434	18.2%	22	13.2%	620	1.06
25.1%	-	18.0%	-	7.0%	-	1.08

MarketGrader Japan Small Cap 200 Index (MCW)

MSCI Japan Small Cap Index

31.2%	196	18.0%	247	7.7%	176	0.99
29.3%	-	15.5%	-	6.0%	-	0.90

MarketGrader Australia Large Cap 30 Index (EW - AUD)

MSCI Australia Large Cap Index - AUD

8.3%	91	16.0%	512	13.1%	238	0.60
7.4%	-	10.9%	-	10.7%	-	0.30

MarketGrader Australia Small Cap 60 Index (EW - AUD)

S&P / ASX Small Cap Ordinaries Index - AUD

25.4%	48	18.4%	493	13.9%	705	0.64
25.0%	-	13.4%	-	6.9%	-	0.41

MarketGrader Israel Large Cap 30 Index (EW)

MarketGrader Israel All-Cap 40 Index (EW)

MSCI Israel - USD

93.4%	6059	38.0%	1076	23.4%	1149	1.36
79.2%	4638	34.7%	746	19.5%	761	1.24
32.8%	-	27.2%	-	11.9%	-	1.10

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Developed Markets Core - Single Country or Region	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
MarketGrader Canada Large Cap 40 Index (MCW - CAD)	29.9%	-107	20.8%	-136	18.7%	199	1.00
MarketGrader Canada Large Cap 40 Index (EW - CAD)	30.7%	-27	23.0%	83	20.2%	357	1.24
MSCI Canada Index - CAD	30.9%	-	22.2%	-	16.7%	-	1.05
MarketGrader Canada Small Cap 60 Index (MCW - CAD)	37.2%	-1290	24.6%	-8	19.6%	208	1.36
MarketGrader Canada Small Cap 60 Index (EW - CAD)	37.3%	-1281	25.1%	42	20.8%	323	1.30
MSCI Canada Small Cap Index - CAD	50.1%	-	24.7%	0	17.6%	0	1.15
Developed Markets Income	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
MarketGrader DM ex-US Income 100 Index (MCW) - Price Return	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
	37.1%	905	19.5%	627	13.3%	614	-
	7.1%	234	7.5%	253	5.9%	79	-
MarketGrader DM ex-US Income 100 Index (MCW) - Total Return	46.8%	1268	28.4%	959	20.0%	734	1.73
MarketGrader DM ex-US Income 200 Index (MCW) - Price Return	37.0%	904	15.5%	235	10.8%	354	-
MarketGrader DM ex-US Income 200 Index (MCW) - Div. Return	7.7%	297	7.4%	247	5.7%	68	-
MarketGrader DM ex-US Income 200 Index (MCW) - Total Return	47.6%	1355	24.1%	531	17.1%	447	1.35
MSCI World ex-US High Dividend Yield Index - Price Return	28.0%	-	13.2%	-	7.2%	-	-
MSCI World ex-US High Dividend Yield Index - Dividend Return	4.7%	-	4.9%	-	5.1%	-	-
MSCI World ex-US High Dividend Yield Index - Total Return	34.1%	-	18.8%	-	12.6%	-	1.11

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## MarketGrader Developed Markets Indexes

### Developed Markets Income

MarketGrader Australia Income 30 Index (YW - AUD) Price Return
MarketGrader Australia Income 30 Index (YW - AUD) Div. Return
MarketGrader Australia Income 30 Index (YW - AUD) Total Return

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	3-Year Sharpe Ratio
1.9%	-840	6.3%	80	3.7%	-73	-
6.8%	225	6.9%	181	7.1%	154	-
8.8%	-648	13.6%	277	11.0%	82	0.42

  

MSCI Australia Select High Div. Yield Index (AUD) - Price Return	10.3%	-	5.5%	-	4.4%	-	-
MSCI Australia Select High Div. Yield Index (AUD) - Dividend Return	4.5%	-	5.1%	-	5.5%	-	-
MSCI Australia Select High Div. Yield Index (AUD) - Total Return	15.3%	-	10.8%	-	10.2%	-	0.30

### Developed Markets Sectors

MarketGrader Dev. Markets (ex-AU) Health Care Index (EW - AUD)
S&P 1200 Global Health Care Index - AUD

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	3-Year Sharpe Ratio
7.7%	70	6.2%	-120	4.6%	-545	0.06
7.0%	-	7.4%	-	10.0%	-	0.15

## MarketGrader Emerging Markets Indexes

### Emerging Markets Core

MarketGrader Emerging Markets 200 Index (EW)
MarketGrader Emerging Markets Country-Capped 200 Index (EW)

2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				
Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	3-Year Sharpe Ratio
23.9%	-1,045	14.0%	-295	14.3%	966	0.80
22.8%	-1,159	17.0%	3	16.5%	1,187	1.17

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Emerging Markets Core	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
	33.7%	-63	13.8%	-317	12.5%	778	0.68
MarketGrader Emerging Markets 100 Index (MCW)	27.7%	-669	19.3%	236	14.8%	1,017	1.18
MarketGrader EM (+Korea & Taiwan) 200 Index (MCW)	32.9%	-141	19.8%	280	9.6%	489	1.27
MSCI Emerging Markets Index	34.4%	-	17.0%	-	4.7%	-	0.86
MarketGrader Emerging Markets ex-China 100 Index (EW)	15.3%	-2,031	16.7%	-274	17.0%	807	0.91
MSCI Emerging Markets ex China Index	35.6%	-	19.5%	-	8.9%	-	1.02
Emerging Markets Single Country	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
	44.4%	1,808	18.9%	992	8.4%	959	0.73
MarketGrader China Large Cap 100 Index (MCW)	26.4%	-	8.9%	-	-1.2%	-	0.28
CSI 300 Index	35.0%	-334	23.1%	1,294	22.1%	1,853	0.91
MarketGrader China Small Cap 200 Index (MCW)	38.3%	-	10.1%	-	3.6%	-	0.31
CSI 500 Index	1.7%	-260	23.9%	1,146	19.7%	896	1.11
The MarketGrader India Large Cap 50 Index (EW)	-3.1%	-743	18.9%	649	17.1%	633	0.95
The MarketGrader India Large Cap 50 Index (MCW)	4.3%	-	12.5%	-	10.8%	-	0.56
MSCI India Index							

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Emerging Markets Single Country	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
The MarketGrader India Small Cap 100 Index (EW)	-9.2%	-167	31.4%	1,367	32.1%	1,539	1.12
The MarketGrader India Small Cap 100 Index (MCW)	-5.0%	258	28.9%	1,117	27.5%	1,086	1.06
MSCI India Small Cap Index	-7.6%	-	17.7%	-	16.7%	-	0.70
MarketGrader Brazil 30 Index (EW )	52.6%	212	9.6%	-264	6.5%	41	0.29
MarketGrader Brazil All-Cap 30 Index (EW )	61.3%	1,090	20.1%	785	11.4%	531	0.68
MSCI Brazil (USD)	50.4%	-	12.3%	-	6.1%	-	0.40
MarketGrader Saudi Arabia 30 Index (MCW)	-10.8%	-585	8.4%	634	10.8%	401	0.28
MSCI Saudi Arabia	-4.9%	-	2.0%	-	6.8%	-	-0.13
Emerging Markets Thematic	2025		Annualized & Excess Returns vs. Benchmark				3-Year Sharpe Ratio
	Return	ER (bps)	3 Years	ER (bps)	5 Years	ER (bps)	
MarketGrader China New Economy Index (EW - AUD)	16.4%	-372	7.6%	-222	1.8%	-104	0.16
CSI 800 Index (AUD)	20.2%	-	9.9%	-	2.9%	-	0.25
MarketGrader New China ESG Index (EW-USD)	24.1%	-535	5.2%	-407	-3.2%	-313	0.12
CSI 800 Index (USD)	29.4%	-	9.3%	-	-0.1%	-	0.29
MarketGrader India All-Cap Growth Leaders Index (MCW)	-3.8%	-808	16.7%	424	10.3%	-44	0.72
MarketGrader India Growth Leaders 50 Index (EW)	-2.8%	-706	20.7%	820	14.1%	338	0.84
MSCI India Index	4.3%	-	12.5%	-	10.8%	-	0.56

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