# MarketGrader Developed Markets (ex-Australia) **Health Care Index**



The MarketGrader Developed Markets (ex-Australia) Health Care Index consists of 50 of the most fundamentally sound companies in the Health Care sector that are domiciled in any Developed Market globally except for Australia. Constituents are selected based on MarketGrader's Score, which rewards companies with strong growth characteristics and sound fundamental indicators of quality, without overpaying for their shares. The Index's objective is to give investors access to the best compounders of growth in one of the world's most dynamic and fastest growing sectors, which we believe stands to benefit significantly from the growth of emerging economies as well as rapidly ageing populations all around the world.

## **Index Rules**

#### **Investable Universe**

All companies in the Health Care sector that are domiciled and listed in any Eligible Developed Market. All companies must have a minimum market capitalization of USD 500 million and a minimum three-month average daily trading volume of USD 2 million.

#### **Eligible Developed Market Countries**

Belgium Netherlands Canada New Zealand Denmark Norway **Finland** Portugal Singapore Germany Spain Hong Kong SAR Sweden Ireland Switzerland Israel Taiwan **United Kingdom** United States Japan Korea

## **Selection Methodology**

MarketGrader (MG) calculates daily 24 fundamental indicators for every company in its Coverage Universe across four categories: Growth, Value, Profitability and Cash Flow. These 24 indicators are aggregated into a final MG Score that ranges from zero (0) to one hundred (100). On the Index's rebalance selection date, MG selects the companies in the underlying Investable Universe with the 100 highest MG Scores, provided that at least 60 are domiciled in the United States. MG then selects, from the 100 companies with the highest MG Score, the 50 largest companies based on total market capitalization.

#### Index Selection, Reconstitution and Rebalance Dates

The Index is reconstituted and rebalanced after the close of trading on U.S. exchanges on the third Friday of March and September. The Index constituents are selected on the Tuesday of the previous week, or ten (10) calendar days prior to the reconstitution and rebalance date.

## **Constituent Weighting Methodology**

All Index constituents are equally weighted at each semi-annual reconstitution and rebalance.

**Index Calculation Agent** Refinitiv Indices.

## **Performance**

#### Cumulative Total Return, Jan. 2008 - May. 2025



All data as of May 31, 2025



■S&P Global 1200 HC ■ MG Developed Markets (ex-AU) HC

#### Calendar Year Returns (%)

	MG DM (ex-Aus) HC	S&P Global 1200 HC
2025*	1.6	-4.3
2024	11.6	11.3
2023	-0.4	4.0
2022	-13.8	2.2
2021	21.1	20.8
2020	18.8	3.0
2019	27.7	24.4
2018	15.0	14.8
2017	25.9	12.1
2016	-1.8	-4.8
2015	26.6	19.5
2014	37.5	29.5
2013	59.8	59.6
2012	18.5	16.4
2011	1.8	11.3
2010	-0.3	-9.6
2009	-4.0	-6.1

All values in AUD. \*YTD Values as of 05/31/25. Sources: FactSet, MarketGrader.com

#### Annualized Returns (%)

	(ex-Aus) HC	S&P Global 1200 HC
3-Years	5.1	5.6
5 -Years	3.4	6.7
Since 12/31/07	12.9	10.8

## Cumulative Returns (%)

	MG DM (ex-Aus) HC	S&P Global 1200 HC
3-Years	16.0	17.7
5 -Years	18.4	38.1
Since 12/31/07	721.6	499.5

#### Standard Deviation (%)

	MG DM (ex-Aus) HC	S&P Global 1200 HC
3-Years	12.7	11.2
5 -Years	13.6	11.3
Since 12/31/07	13.3	12.6

## **Sharpe Ratio**

	MG DM (ex-Aus) HC	S&P Global 1200 HC
3-Years	0.40	0.50
5 -Years	0.25	0.59
Since 12/31/07	0.96	0.86

Frequency: Monthly Sources: FactSet, MarketGrader.com

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\* The MarketGrader Developed Markets (ex-Australia) Health Care Index was first published on August 6, 2020. Backtested performance information is purely hypothetical and is solely for informational purposes. Backtested performance does not represent actual performance, and should not be interpreted as an indication of actual performance. Past performance is not indicative of future results. "Standard & Poor's", "S&P"are registered trademarks of Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC. MarketGrader.com © 2025.

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Index composition data as of May 31, 2025. All currency values in AUD.

#### **Index Bio**

Average Market Cap (in millions)	AUD 85,355
Median Market Cap (in millions)	AUD 22,468
Average 3 Mo. Dollar Volume (in millions)	AUD 532
Average 3 Mo. Trading Volume	3,802,242
Last Rebalance Date	3/24/25
Companies Replaced	16
Biggest Industry Increase	Pharmaceuticals: Major
Biggest Industry Decrease	Medical Specialties

Fundamental Attributes	Median
Trailing P/E Ratio	25.4
Forward P/E Ratio	19.3
Earnings Yield	3.8%
Price/Book Ratio	4.5
Revenue Change - 3 Years	40.9%
Operating Income Change - 3 Years	55.7%
Operating Margin	21.8%
Earnings per Share (EPS) 3-Year Growth	15.0%
Long-Term Debt to Capital	33.3%
Return on Equity	20.6%
Dividend Yield	0.00%

## Top 20 Stocks by Fundamentals

Ticker	Name	Grade
EXEL	Exelixis, Inc.	<b>87.</b> 1
HALO	Halozyme Therapeutics, Inc.	<b>8</b> 1.9
GMAB.DK	Genmab A/S	<b>8</b> 1.6
ORNBV.FI	Orion Oyj Class B	• 77.9
4578.JP	Otsuka Holdings Co., Ltd.	• 76.2
RMD	ResMed Inc.	• 73.0
ALK.B.DK	ALK-abello A/S Class B	• 72.7
MRK	Merck & Co., Inc.	• 72.4
326030.KR	SK Biopharmaceuticals Co., Ltd.	• 71.5
BMRN	BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc.	• 71.1
UTHR	United Therapeutics Corporation	• 70.8
NOVO.B.DK	Novo Nordisk A/S Class B	• 70.7
HLUN.B.DK	H. Lundbeck A/S Class B	69.9
HIMS	Hims & Hers Health, Inc. Class A	69.5
207940.KR	SAMSUNG BIOLOGICS Co., Ltd.	<b>6</b> 9.1
LLY	Eli Lilly and Company	66.5
ISRG	Intuitive Surgical, Inc.	66.5
4519.JP	Chugai Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.	• 66.3
UHS	Universal Health Services, Inc.	65.9
EHC	Encompass Health Corporation	• 64.9

## **Industry Breakdown**



## **Most Selections Since Inception**

Ticker	Name	Times
NOVO.B.DK	Novo Nordisk A/S Class B	36
BIIB	Biogen Inc.	30
AMGN	Amgen Inc.	29
ISRG	Intuitive Surgical, Inc.	25
REGN	Regeneron Pharmaceuticals,	23
RMD	ResMed Inc.	23
EW	Edwards Lifesciences Corpora-	22
LLY	Eli Lilly and Company	21
4507.JP	Shionogi & Co., Ltd.	20
4519.JP	Chugai Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.	19
7741.JP	HOYA CORPORATION	19
IDXX	IDEXX Laboratories, Inc.	17
ORNBV.FI	Orion Oyj Class B	17
ZTS	Zoetis, Inc. Class A	17
4543.JP	Terumo Corporation	16
6869.JP	Sysmex Corporation	16
MRK	Merck & Co., Inc.	15
UTHR	United Therapeutics Corporation	13
DVA	DaVita Inc.	13
UHS	Universal Health Services, Inc.	12

## **Country Breakdown**

