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# NASDAQ YEWNO GLOBAL INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES ER INDEX

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The Nasdaq Yewno Innovative Technologies Index is a rules based Index aiming to generate positive returns by providing exposure to 100 stocks of leading companies that are positioned at the forefront of innovation in the world by investing extensively in 6 innovative fields.

#### A SMART ACCESS TO THE WORLD OF TECHNOLOGY INNOVATIONS...

#### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Annual worldwide revenue is expected to grow from \$3.2b in 2016 to **\$89.8b** by 2025<sup>1</sup>. Recently, many of the world's leading tech companies are investing in the development of the new "metaverse" evolution<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>1</sup>Tractica research, Q4 2019. <sup>2</sup>What is the metaverse? And why should we care, WEF, 2021.

# ROBOTICS

The **3D** printing market was valued at **\$11.58b** in **2019** and is expected to grow at a CAGR exceeding 14% from 2020 to 2027<sup>1</sup>, the drones market was valued at **\$5.80b** in **2018** with an anticipated CAGR of 56.5% from 2019 to 2025 while the global nanotechnology market is expected to grow from **\$5.2b** in **2021** to **\$23.6b** in **2026**<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> Grand View Research "3D Printing Market Size & Share" as of February 2020 and "Commercial Drone Market Size" as of June 2019. <sup>2</sup>BBC Research as of December 2021.

### MINTERNET OF THINGS

About **43b** more connected things will be connected by **2023**<sup>1</sup>. Spending on IoT was \$726.4b in 2019 and is forecast to reach up to **\$1.12 trillion** in 2023<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> McKinsey & Company "Growing opportunities in the Internet of Things", July 2019. <sup>2</sup>idc.com as of

#### HEALTHCARE INNOVATION

The Human Augmentation Market is projected to reach a total market size of \$206.9b by 2024, from \$70.9b in 2019<sup>1</sup>. The bioinformatics market is projected to reach \$24.731 million by 2027<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>1</sup>Marketsandmarkets research as of November 2019. <sup>2</sup>Allied Market Research as of November 2020.



# DATA COMPUTING & PROCESSING

Worldwide revenues for big data and business analytics was valued at **\$37.34b** in **2018**. Revenues will be more than **\$105.08b** by **2027** with a CAGR\* of 12.3% from 2019 to 2027.

Research and Markets "Big data analytics industry report 2020" as of 02 March 2020. \*Compound Annual Growth Rate



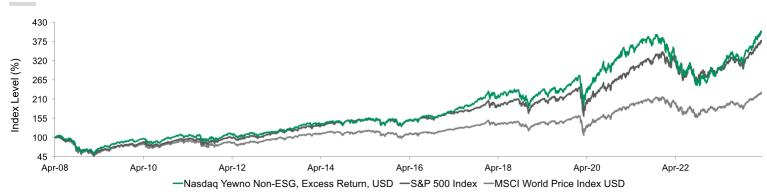
#### G AUTOMOTIVE INNOVATION

Industry players are accelerating the speed of **automotive technology innovation** as they develop new concepts of electric, connected, autonomous, and shared mobility. The industry has attracted more than **\$400b** in investments **over the last decade**. By **2030**, almost all new cars will have some level of connectivity, enriching the experience for car drivers and riders.

MCKinsey&Company "Why the automotive future is electric", September 2021.

As of March 29th, 2024

#### PERFORMANCE



Apr 08 - Mar 24	Nasdaq Yewno Non-ESG, Excess Return, USD	S&P 500 Index	MSCI World Price Index USD
Annualised Performance	9.11%	8.69%	5.32%
Annualised Volatility	18.42%	20.36%	17.52%
Sharpe Ratio	0.49	0.43	0.30
Max Drawdown	-49.70%	-52.58%	-55.88%

Sources: BNP Paribas, Bloomberg. Performances of NASDAQ Yewno Global Innovative Technologies ER Index in USD. Simulations from 18 April 2008 to 14 June 2018, historical data thereafter. Comparative indices: S&P 500 Index, Bloomberg Code: <SPX Index> and MSCI World Index, Bloomberg Code: <MXWO Index>, rebased using historical data. Simulated or historical past performance is not an indicator of future performance.



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# INDEX SUMMARY

#### METHODOLOGY

#### **STARTING UNIVERSE**

Nasdag Global Index<sup>1</sup> ~ 9000 stocks

#### SECTORIAL FILTER

Selection of the Most Innovative Companies from the 25 Technologies Sub-Themes<sup>2</sup>

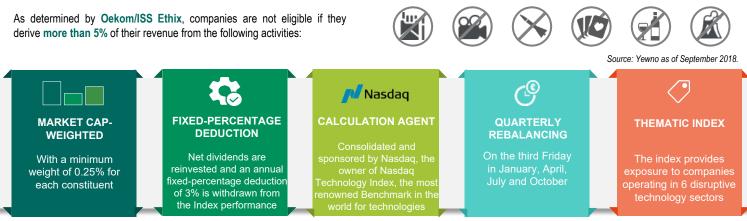
SELECTION OF TOP **100 BY MARKET** CAPITALISATION

#### THROUGH YEWNO FINANCE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE TECHNOLOGY FILTERING

Making use of Yewno's AI-Augmented system, the index analyses the extent to which a company has intellectual property and invests in research and development through their patent data linked to 6 innovative technologies (Artificial Intelligence, Robotics, Automotive Innovation, Healthcare Innovation, Internet of Things and Data Computing & Processing), comprising 25 sub-themes.

Nasdag then considers the Top 25% companies in each sub-theme, according to Yewno's Pure and Contribution scores, for the next step in the selection process.

- Pure score: number of patents in a particular sub-theme as a percent of all patents by a given company;
- Contribution score: number of patents identified as part of a sub-theme for a given company as a percent of all patents from all companies for a given sub-theme.



Source: 1Nasdag Global Index or any security listed on Nasdag, NYSE or NYSE American outside of the Nasdag Global Index. 2Companies that invest the most into innovative technologies, both compared to their other investments and the industry wide investments. As of March 29th, 2024

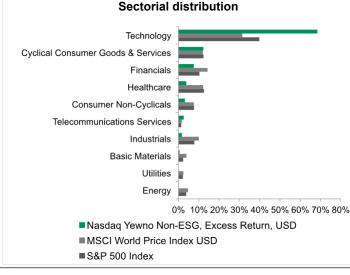
#### INDEX COMPOSITION\*

1 SAP	11 STRYKER	21 SALESFORCE
2 RTX	12 VISA 'A'	22 SERVICENOW
3 AT&T	13 QUALCOMM	23 SONY GROUP
4 APPLE	14 SK HYNIX	24 ADOBE (NAS)
5 INTEL	15 MICROSOFT	25 TOYOTA MOTOR
6 NVIDIA	16 COMCAST A	26 CISCO SYSTEMS
7 ORACLE	17 MEDTRONIC	27 APPLIED MATS.
8 INTUIT	18 ALPHABET A	28 BANK OF AMERICA
9 BOEING	19 AMAZON.COM	29 HONEYWELL INTL.
10 WALMART	20 MASTERCARD	30 META PLATFORMS A

**31 TENCENT HOLDINGS** 32 WELLS FARGO & CO 33 GENERAL ELECTRIC 34 AMERICAN EXPRESS 35 ACCENTURE CLASS A BANK OF CHINA 'H' **37 UBER TECHNOLOGIES** 38 MICRON TECHNOLOGY 39 REGENERON PHARMS. **40 BOSTON SCIENTIFIC** 

41 CHINA CON.BANK 'H' 42 INTUITIVE SURGICAL 43 PALO ALTO NETWORKS 44 SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS 45 ROYAL BANK OF CANADA JP MORGAN CHASE & CO. **47 TORONTO-DOMINION BANK** 48 VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS 49 INTERNATIONAL BUS.MCHS. 50 ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING ADR 1:8

Sources: BNP Paribas.\*50 largest floating market capitalisation of the Nasdag Yewno Global Innovative Technologies ER Index are presented, the other 50 stocks are available by consulting the dedicated pages.



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# FIXED-PERCENTAGE DEDUCTION

Reinvestment of net dividends paid on the equities that comprise the index Fixed-percentage deduction of 3% per year

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- This fixed deduction, set when the index was designed, has a negative impact on the level of the index compared to the same index with net dividends reinvested without a fixed fee.
- If the net dividends paid out are lower (higher) than the fixed deduction, the index performance will be lower (higher) than that of a traditional index with dividends not reinvested.
- Similarly, if the net dividends paid out are lower (higher) than the fixed deduction, the probability of automatic redemption of products linked to this index will be lower (higher) and, as applicable, the risk of capital loss on these products during their lifetime or at maturity will be higher (lower).

Sources: BNP Paribas.



# TABLE OF CHARACTERISTICS

CURRENCY	TYPE OF INDEX	BLOOMBERG CODE	REUTERS CODE	LAUNCH DATE
USD	Adjusted Return	NYGITE Index	. NYGITE	15 June 2018

For more details on the index, please visit the dedicated page:

#### https://indexes.nasdagomx.com/Index/Overview/NYGITE

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