

# Vanguard FTSE Pacific ETF | VPL

As of March 31, 2024

# Investment approach

- Seeks to track the performance of the FTSE Developed Asia Pacific All Cap Index.
- Targets Pacific-region common stocks.
- Employs a passively managed, full-replication approach.
- The fund remains fully invested.
- Low expenses minimize net tracking error.

# About the benchmark

- The FTSE Developed Asia Pacific All Cap Index is designed to measure the broad performance of developed equity markets in the Pacific region.
- Large-, mid-, and small-cap companies.
- Includes exposure to markets in Japan, Australia, South Korea, Hong Kong, New Zealand, and Singapore.

#### **Performance history**

Total returns <sup>2</sup> for period ended March 31, 2024

VPL (Inception 2005-03-04)	Quarter	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Net asset value (NAV) return <sup>3</sup>	5.68%	5.68%	, 15.74%	, 0.78%	, 5.86%	5.37%	4.95%
Market price return <sup>4</sup>	5.94	5.94	15.88	0.71	5.86	5.40	4.94
Spliced Pacific Stock Index	5.60	5.60	16.59	0.98	5.99	5.43	4.98
FTSE Developed APAC All Cap FV Ix	5.68	5.68	15.76	0.77	5.91	_	-

MSCI Pacific Index through March 26, 2013; FTSE Developed Asia Pacific Index through September 30, 2015; FTSE Developed Asia Pacific All Cap Index thereafter. Benchmark returns are adjusted for withholding taxes.

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### **Quick facts**

Benchmark	FTSE Developed Asia Pacific All Cap Index
Expense ratio <sup>1</sup>	0.08%
Dividend schedule	Quarterly
ETF total net assets	\$7,262 million
Fund total net assets	\$10,304 million
Inception date	2005-03-04

### **Trading information**

Ticker symbol	VPL
CUSIP number	922042866
IIV (intra-day ticker)	VPL.IV
Index ticker (Bloomberg)	ACDAPR
Exchange	NYSE Arca

ETF attributes	FTSE Pacific ETF	FTSE Developed Asia Pacific All Cap Index
Number of stocks	2,459	2,427
Median market cap	\$26.4B	\$26.4B
Price/earnings ratio	15.9x	15.9x
Price/book ratio	1.4x	1.4x
Return on equity	10.1%	10.1%
Earnings growth rate	9.9%	9.9%
Equity yield (dividend)	2.6%	2.5%
Turnover rate <sup>5</sup>	3.4	-
Standard deviation	17.05%	16.57%

2. Figures for periods of less than one year are cumulative returns. All other figures represent average annual returns. Fund performance figures assume the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains distributions; the figures are pre-tax and net of expenses. The above widely used comparative index represents unmanaged or average returns on various financial assets that can be compared with the fund's total returns for the purpose of measuring relative performance.

3.As of 4 p.m., Eastern time, when the regular trading session of the New York Stock Exchange typically closes.

5. For most recent fiscal year. Turnover rate excludes the value of portfolio securities received or delivered as a result of in-kind purchases or redemptions of the fund's capital shares, including Vanguard ETF Creation Units.

6.A measure of the volatility of a fund-based on the fund's last three years of monthly returns-used to indicate the dispersion of past returns. A higher standard deviation means a greater potential for volatility. For funds with less than 36 months of performance history, standard deviation is not calculated.

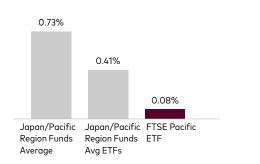
<sup>1.</sup> As reported in the most recent prospectus. A fund's current expense ratio may be lower or higher than the figure reported in the prospectus.

<sup>4.</sup> Market price returns are calculated using the midpoint between the bid and offer prices at the time NAV is calculated, typically 4 p.m., Eastern time.

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### Expense ratio comparison<sup>1</sup>



### Ten largest holdings and % of total net assets <sup>2</sup>

Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd.	3.9%
Toyota Motor Corp.	3.6
BHP Group Ltd.	1.7
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	1.6
Tokyo Electron Ltd.	1.4
Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group Inc.	1.3
Sony Group Corp.	1.3
Keyence Corp.	1.1
CSL Ltd.	1.1
Mitsubishi Corp.	1.0
Top ten as % of total net assets	18.0%

### Ten largest market allocations as % of common stock

Japan	60.7%
Australia	18.2
Korea	13.0
Hong Kong	4.5
Singapore	2.9
New Zealand	0.7

## Sector Diversification<sup>3</sup>

Industrials	19.7%
Consumer Discretionary	17.7
Financials	17.3
Technology	10.0
Basic Materials	7.9
Health Care	7.0
Telecommunications	6.6
Real Estate	5.2
Consumer Staples	4.9
Utilities	1.9
Energy	1.8
Other	0.0

1. Represents the expense ratio for the Vanguard ETF as reported in the most recent prospectus. There are material differences between mutual funds and ETFs. Unlike mutual funds, ETFs are priced continuously and bought and sold throughout the day in the secondary market (at a premium or discount to net asset value) with the assistance of a stockbroker, which entails paying commissions. Sources: Lipper, a Thomson Reuters Company, and Vanguard, December 31, 2023.

2. The holdings listed exclude any temporary cash investments and equity index products.

3. Sector categories are based on the Industry Classification Benchmark system ("ICB"), except for the "Other" category (if applicable), which includes securities that have not been provided an ICB classification as of the effective reporting period.

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