

# UBS US Total Yield Sustainable Equity Fund USD

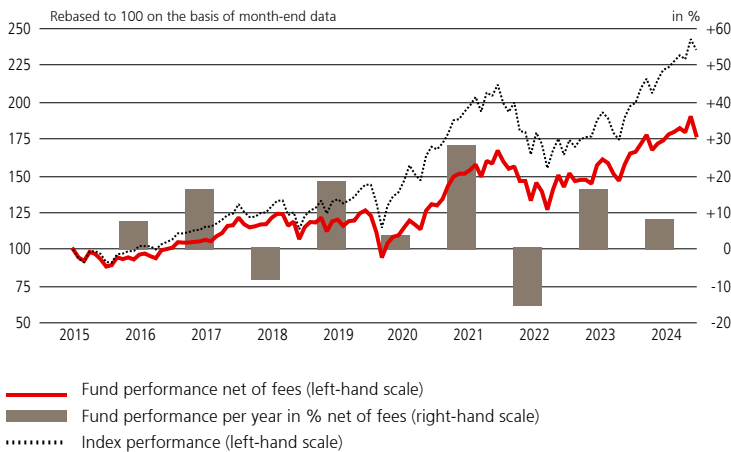
## Performance **Review**

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The US large cap equity market delivered an exceptional performance in 2024, driven by the Magnificent Seven stocks, the start of the Federal Reserve's easing cycle and expectations of pro-business government policies following the Republican election sweep.

### Performance (basis CHF, net of fees)<sup>1</sup>



**Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.**

### Performance in % (net of fees)<sup>1</sup>

in %	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Dec.	5 years	Ø p.a.	5
					YTD <sup>2</sup>	2024		years	years
Fund (CHF)	3.33	27.95	-14.83	15.97	7.49	-6.79	40.38	7.02	
Benchmark <sup>3</sup>	17.94	24.85	-22.49	20.13	19.42	-3.00	63.72	10.36	

The performance shown does not take account of any commissions, entry or exit charges.

<sup>1</sup> These figures refer to the past. **If the currency of a financial product, financial service or its costs is different from your reference currency, the return and/or costs can increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.** Source for all data and chart (if not indicated otherwise): UBS Asset Management.

<sup>2</sup> YTD: year-to-date (since beginning of the year)

<sup>3</sup> Reference Index in currency of share class (without costs)

### Monthly performance

In December the fund performed negatively with 6.8%. The fund lagged the broad US equity market, mainly due to poor stock selection and being underweight in the Magnificent Seven, as well as its exposure to home builders and the materials sector.

### YTD performance

YTD as of the end of December, the fund has delivered a positive performance of 7.5%. The fund lagged the broad US stock market in 2024, primarily as a result of being underweight in the small cohort of AI-driven equities that led the markets, as they are not aligned with the fund's themes of high capital returns and quality.

### Performance contributors

The communication services, information technology and consumer discretionary sector exposures contributed to the fund's performance in 2024. At the stock level, the fund profited from holding Booking Holdings, Best Buy, Hartford Financial Services Group and Apple.

### Performance detractors

The materials sector exposure detracted from the fund's performance in 2024. At the stock level, the fund was negatively impacted by having only limited exposure to Nvidia and not holding Microsoft, Tesla, Amazon or Meta.

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## Sector exposure (%)

	Fund
Information Technology	32.9
Financials	17.7
Consumer Discretionary	12.6
Industrials	8.6
Communication Services	7.8
Health Care	7.3
Materials	6.6
Energy	4.8
Consumer Staples	1.9
Utilities	0.0
Real Estate	0.0
Others	-0.0

## 10 largest equity positions (%)<sup>1</sup>

	Fund
Apple Inc	8.9
NVIDIA Corp	3.4
Visa Inc	3.1
Mastercard Inc	2.8
Booking Holdings Inc	2.6
American Express Co	2.4
Cisco Systems Inc	2.3
Verizon Communications Inc	2.3
Chevron Corp	2.3
Comcast Corp	2.3

<sup>1</sup> This is not a recommendation to buy or sell any security

## Current investment strategy

We continue to follow our investment approach, investing in high total yield and high-quality stocks and holding a very well diversified and defensive portfolio across countries and sectors. We believe that these factors will add value to the portfolio over the mid to long term.

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