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Factsheet | 31 March 2024

# Vanguard FTSE Developed Europe ex UK UCITS ETF

(EUR) Accumulating - An exchange-traded fund

Inception date: 23 July 2019

Total assets (million) €0 | Share class assets (million) €459 as at 31 March 2024

Key ETF facts	Exchange ticker	SEDOL	Reuters	Bloomberg	Bloomberg iNav	Valoren
London Stock Exchange						
GBP	VERG	BJSB5W4	VERG.L	VERG LN	IVEREGBP	-
USD	VERE	BJSBDM0	VERE.L	VERE LN	IVEREUSD	-
Deutsche Börse						
EUR	VERE	BJSBDN1	VERE.DE	VERE GY	IVEREEUR	-
Borsa Italiana S.p.A.						
EUR	VERE	BKMDRJ4	VERE.MI	VERE IM	IVEREEUR	_

Base currency	Tax reporting	SRI*	Index ticker	Investment structure	Domicile
EUR	UK Reporting	4	AWNT05EU	UCITS	Ireland
Legal entity	Investment method	ISIN	Dividends	Dividend schedule	Investment manager
Vanguard Funds plc	Physical	IE00BK5BQY34	Accumulated	-	Vanguard Global Advisers, LLC Europe Equity Index Team

# Ongoing Charges Figure<sup>†</sup> 0.10%

<sup>+</sup> The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) covers administration, audit, depository, legal, registration and regulatory expenses incurred in respect of the Funds. When you invest with any fund manager, you pay a number of charges, starting with the Annual Management Charge (AMC) which covers the fund manager's costs of managing the fund. The AMC plus ongoing running costs and other operational expenses make up the fund's total 'ongoing charges figure'.

### **Objectives and investment policy**

- The Fund employs a passive management or indexing investment approach, through physical acquisition of securities, and seeks to track the performance of the FTSE Developed Europe ex U.K. Index (the "Index").
- The Index is comprised of large and mid-sized company stocks in developed markets in Europe, excluding the UK.
- The Fund attempts to: 1. Track the performance of the Index by investing in all constituent securities of the Index in the same proportion as the Index. Where not practicable to fully replicate, the Fund will use a sampling process. 2. Remain fully invested except in extraordinary market, political or similar conditions.

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#### Performance summary

EUR—Vanguard FTSE Developed Europe ex UK UCITS ETF Benchmark — FTSE Developed Europe ex U.K. Index

Annualised performance**	1 month	Quarter	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Fund (Net of expenses)	3.81%	8.16%	8.16%	16.36%	8.97%	-	-	9.30%
Benchmark	3.75%	8.07%	8.07%	15.89%	8.52%	9.65%	7.53%	8.95%

\*\*Figures for periods less than one year are cumulative returns. All other figures represent annual returns. Performance figures include the reinvestment of all dividends and any capital gains distributions. The performance data does not take account of the commissions and costs incurred in the issue and redemption of shares. Basis of fund performance is NAV to NAV with gross income invested. Basis of index performance is total return.

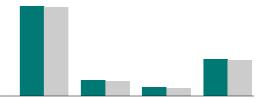
Performance and Data is calculated on closing NAV as at 31 March 2024.

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

Figures for periods of less than one year are cumulative returns. All other figures represent average annual returns. Performance figures include the reinvestment of all dividends and any capital gains distributions. The performance data does not take account of the commissions and costs incurred in the issue and redemption of shares. Basis of fund performance is NAV to NAV. Basis of index performance is total return. All performance is calculated in EUR, net of fees.

Source: Vanguard; FTSE Developed Europe ex U.K. Index

#### **Rolling 12-month performance**



							01 Apr 2020	01 Apr 2021	01 Apr 2022	01 Apr 2023
	_	_	_	_	_	_	- 31 Mar 2021	- 31 Mar 2022	- 31 Mar 2023	- 31 Mar 2024
Fund (Net of expenses)	-	_	_	_	_	_	39.64%	6.96%	3.96%	16.36%
Benchmark	_	_	-	-	-	-	39.32%	6.55%	3.52%	15.89%

#### Key investment risks

The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events. Movements in currency exchange rates can adversely affect the return of your investment.

Liquidity risk. Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

Counterparty risk. The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.

Index tracking risk. The Fund is not expected to track the performance of the Index at all times with perfect accuracy. The Fund is, however, expected to provide investment results that, before expenses, generally correspond to the price and yield performance of the Index.

Please also read the risk factors section in the prospectus and the Key Information Document, both of which are available on the Vanguard website.

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Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark
Number of stocks	438	424
Median market cap	€66.7B	€66.7B
Price/earnings ratio	15.5x	15.6x
Price/book ratio	2.1x	2.1x
Return on equity	12.7%	12.7%
Earnings growth rate	14.2%	14.1%
Turnover rate	-19%	_
Equity yield (dividend)	2.8%	2.8%

The PTR (Portfolio Turnover Rate) approach considers the total security purchases and sales, the total subscriptions and redemptions and the average net assets of the fund to calculate the turnover figure. Data as at 31 March 2024.

Source: Vanguard; FTSE International Limited

Top 10 holdings	
Novo Nordisk A/S	4.5%
ASML Holding NV	4.3
Nestle SA	3.2
LVMH Moet Hennessy Louis Vuitton SE	2.5
SAP SE	2.4
Novartis AG	2.3
Roche Holding AG	2.1
Siemens AG	1.6
TotalEnergies SE	1.6
Schneider Electric SE	1.4
Top 10 approximately equals 25.9% of net assets	
Data as at 31 March 2024.	

Source: Vanguard; FTSE International Limited

### Weighted exposure

	Industrials	18.5%	
	Financials	18.4	
	Health Care	15.8	
	Consumer Discretionary	13.7	
	Technology	10.6	
	Consumer Staples	7.5	

Basic Materials	4.5%
Energy	3.7
Utilities	3.6
Telecommunications	2.7
Real Estate	1.0

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.

#### **Market allocation**

	France	23.0%	Sweden	6.4%
	Switzerland	18.2	Italy	5.9
	Germany	17.2	Spain	5.5
	Netherlands	9.9	Finland	1.9
	Denmark	6.8	Belgium	1.9

# Source: Vanguard; FTSE International Limited

#### **Glossary for ETF attributes**

The ETF attributes section on the first page contains a number of metrics that professional investors use to value individual securities against a market or index average. These metrics can also be used to value and compare funds to the market by taking the average of all the securities held in the fund and comparing them to those of the fund's benchmark index. We've provided a definition of the terms used for your convenience.

Earnings growth rate is a measure of growth in a company's net income (what remains after subtracting all the costs from a company's revenues) over a specific period (often one year). Earnings growth can apply to previous periods or estimated data for future periods.

**Equity yield (dividend)** is the dividend income earned by stocks, expressed as a percentage of the aggregate market value (or of net asset value, for a fund). Quoted historic yield is determined by dividing the gross distributions declared over the last 12 months by the average of the bid and ask unit prices, as at the date shown. The dividend yield stated on the factsheet applies to the underlying holdings of the ETF, and not the ETF itself.

Market capitalisation is the aggregate value of a company or stock and is calculated by multiplying the number of shares which are available to retail investors by the current price per share.

Median market cap (capitalisation) looks at all companies in a mutual fund portfolio and calculates the mid point market capitalisation. Market capitalisation represents the aggregate value of a company's stock.

Mid market share price is the price of a share between its offer and bid price.

Price book ratio compares a stock's market value to its book value (the accounting value of a stock). It is calculated by dividing the current closing price of the stock by the latest quarter's book value per share.

Price earnings ratio (P/E ratio) of a stock is the price paid for a share divided by the annual profit earned by the firm per share. A stock with a price of £10 a share, and earnings last year of £1 a share, would have a P/E ratio of 10.

Return on equity is a measure of a company's profitability that reveals how much profit a company generates with the money shareholders have invested.

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## Investment risk information

The value of investments, and the income from them, may fall or rise and investors may get back less than they invested.

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ETF shares can be bought or sold only through a broker. Investing in ETFs entails stockbroker commission and a bid- offer spread which should be considered fully before investing.

The fund(s) may invest in financial derivative instruments that could increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and result in greater fluctuations of the fund's Net Asset Value. Some derivatives give rise to increased potential for loss where the fund's counterparty defaults in meeting its payment obligations.

Some funds invest in securities which are denominated in different currencies. Movements in currency exchange rates can affect the return of investments.

For further information on risks please see the "Risk Factors" section of the prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com.

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### Important information

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For further information on the fund's investment policies and risks, please refer to the prospectus of the UCITS and to the KID before making any final investment decisions. The KID for this fund is available in local languages, alongside the prospectus via Vanguard's website https://global.vanguard.com/.

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