

# Methodology

## Introduction

The Dow Jones Kuwait Composite Index<sup>SM</sup> is a total-market index representing the country of Kuwait.

## Requirements For Inclusion

- The company must be domiciled in Kuwait.
- The company must be headquartered in Kuwait.
- The security must have its primary listing on the Kuwait Stock Exchange.

## Stock Selection

- 1 Eligible stocks are added to the index during quarterly composition reviews conducted in March, June, September and December.
- 2 Any securities suspended from trading are removed from the index as soon as prudently possible.
- 3 Corporate action information is sourced from the Kuwait Stock Exchange.

## Historical Data Availability

Historical index values are available daily back to December 31, 1996. The base value of the index is set at 100 as of that date.

## Weighting

The index is weighted based on float-adjusted market capitalization. The weights of individual components are capped at 10% of the float-adjusted market capitalization of the index. Necessary adjustments are made by applying weighting cap factors during the semiannual composition reviews.

For more information on the Dow Jones Kuwait Composite Index<sup>SM</sup>, email [djindexsupport@dowjones.com](mailto:djindexsupport@dowjones.com) or call 609-520-7249. Learn more at [www.djindexes.com](http://www.djindexes.com).

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