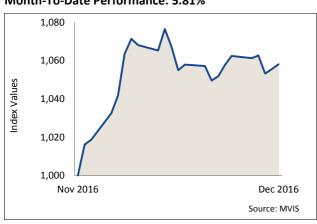


MVIS ANNOUNCES BEST PERFORMING INDICES IN DECEMBER 2016

Frankfurt (2 January 2017) – MV Index Solutions (MVIS) today announced the top performing MVIS Indices during December 2016 for the following index categories: MVIS Hard Assets/Sector Indices, MVIS Country Indices, MVIS Australia Indices, MVIS Long/Short Equity Indices, and MVIS Bond Indices.

MVIS Hard Assets and Sector Indices



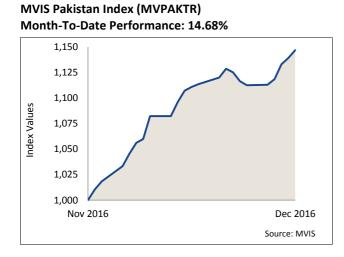
MVIS Global Oil Refiners Index (MVCRAKTR) Month-To-Date Performance: 5.81%

MVIS Global Coal Index (MVKOLTR) Year-To-Date Performance: 99.19%



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MVIS Australia Indices

MVIS Australia A-REITs Index (AUD) (MVMVATR) Month-To-Date Performance: 6.23%



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MVIS N. Am. Long/Short Equity Index (MVLSNATR) Month-To-Date Performance: 1.45%



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MVIS Asia (Dev) Long/Short Equity Index (MVLSDATR) Year-To-Date Performance: 5.73%



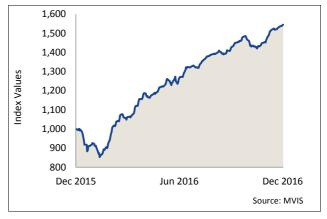


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MVIS Altman N. Am. Distressed Bond Index (MVRCDI) Year-To-Date Performance: 54.49%



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