

## **BAWAG Group stock included in MSCI Global Standard Index**

**Vienna – February 13, 2026** – BAWAG Group has reached a significant corporate milestone with its inclusion in the prestigious MSCI Global Standard Index, following the completion of MSCI's February Index Review on February 10. This achievement marks a pivotal moment in the bank's evolution and growth story.

Since its initial public offering (IPO) in October 2017, the company has not only delivered customer and balance sheet growth, but this success has been reflected in the market capitalization, which increased from €4.8 billion at the time of the IPO to over €10 billion today. As of February 12, 2026, BAWAG has delivered a total shareholder return (TSR) of 341% versus the Stoxx Europe 600 Banks index (SX7P) of 189% and more broadly the Euro Stoxx 50 of 116%, an outperformance of 152 points and 225 points, respectively.

The growth in market capitalization reflects the earnings growth of the franchise, the consistent delivery of results, the operational execution capabilities, and the transformation from a primarily domestic Austrian bank into a pan-European and U.S. banking group. This strategic transformation has been characterized by disciplined geographic expansion, robust risk management, and consistent delivery of strategic goals.

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### **About BAWAG Group**

BAWAG Group AG is a publicly listed holding company headquartered in Vienna, Austria, serving over 4 million retail, small business, corporate, real estate and public sector customers across Austria, Germany, Switzerland, Netherlands, Ireland, the United Kingdom, and the United States. The Group operates under various brands and across multiple channels offering comprehensive savings, payment, lending, leasing, investment, building society, factoring and insurance products and services. Our goal is to deliver simple, transparent, and affordable financial products and services that our customers need. BAWAG Group's Investor Relations website <https://www.bawaggroup.com/ir> contains further information, including financial and other information for investors.