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## Modification to the Methodology of S&P BSE SENSEX 50 Index

**India, Mumbai, Wednesday, March 22, 2017** - Asia Index Private Limited announces changes to the methodology of S&P BSE SENSEX 50 Index. The following change will be effective June 2017 rebalance.

Change	Current Methodology	New Methodology
Derivative Market Linkage	<p>As part of the constituent selection process, the following constraints are also taken into account:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The individual float weight of any share class of a company not linked to derivatives trading cannot exceed 5% of the index.</li> <li>The aggregate float weight of the index constituents not linked to derivatives trading cannot exceed 10%.</li> </ul>	All constituents should have a derivative contract to be eligible for the index.

Please note the methodology document located on BSE website (<http://www.bseindia.com>) and Asia Index Private Limited website (<http://www.asiaindex.co.in>) is being updated to reflect these changes

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