

Comparisons with other indices

The success of the MPF campaign to encourage investors to appreciate the profitability, growth and resilience of professional firms can be judged when the MPF Professional Services Index compiled by Noble consistently outperforms superficially comparable indices.

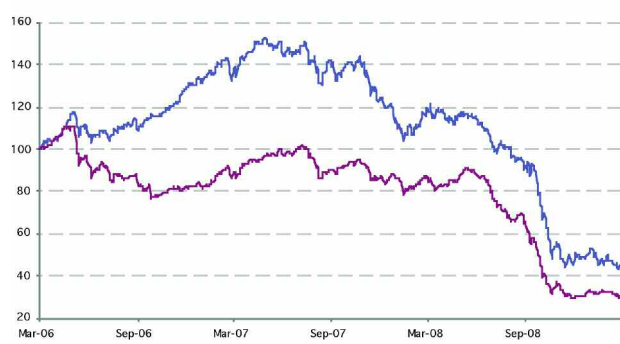
Based on historic data for the three years to March 2009, our new index outperformed the FTSE AIM UK 100 but was more volatile than the FTSE 350 Support Services index and the FTSE 350 (excluding investment companies) indices.



MPF Index (blue) v FTSE 350 (green)



MPF Index (blue) v FTSE AIM UK 100 (red)



All charts: Source Noble