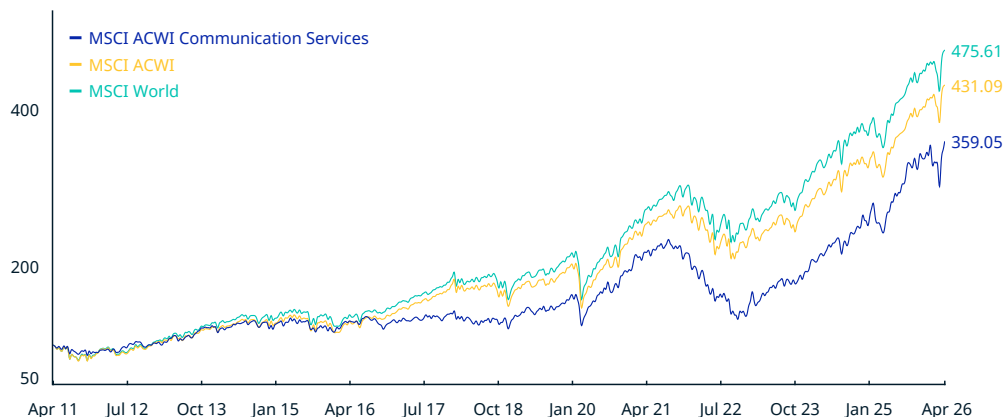


# MSCI ACWI Communication Services Index (USD)

The MSCI ACWI Communication Services Index captures large and mid cap representation across 23 Developed Markets (DM) and 24 Emerging Markets (EM) countries\*. All securities in the index are classified in the Communication Services sector as per the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®).

For a complete description of the index methodology, please see [Index methodology - MSCI](#).

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (APR 2011 – APR 2026)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI ACWI Year Communication Services	MSCI ACWI	MSCI World
2025	32.96	22.87	21.60
2024	31.95	18.02	19.19
2023	38.13	22.81	24.42
2022	-35.33	-17.96	-17.73
2021	10.82	19.04	22.35
2020	24.10	16.82	16.50
2019	25.12	27.30	28.40
2018	-10.10	-8.93	-8.20
2017	8.61	24.62	23.07
2016	5.85	8.48	8.15
2015	-1.40	-1.84	-0.32
2014	-1.10	4.71	5.50
2013	24.49	23.44	27.37
2012	9.08	16.80	16.54

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (APR 30, 2026)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since Dec 30, 1994
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI ACWI Communication Services	14.78	1.30	41.64	5.85	29.05	10.17	10.66	7.59	
MSCI ACWI	10.21	3.70	31.55	6.79	20.37	11.18	12.80	8.77	
MSCI World	9.64	3.49	29.68	5.83	20.22	11.80	13.22	9.03	

## FUNDAMENTALS (APR 30, 2026)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
0.97	22.98	21.33	4.72
1.62	23.50	18.07	3.72
1.56	24.39	19.36	4.00

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (APR 30, 2026)

	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since Dec 30, 1994	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI ACWI Communication Services	2.62	15.83	18.76	16.64	1.41	0.43	0.56	0.36	75.65	2000-03-31–2002-09-30
MSCI ACWI	2.47	12.75	14.92	14.68	1.16	0.56	0.74	0.45	58.06	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI World	2.30	12.65	15.11	14.85	1.16	0.59	0.76	0.47	57.46	2007-10-31–2009-03-09

<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Based on monthly gross returns data

<sup>3</sup> Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

\* DM countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US. EM countries include: Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey and United Arab Emirates.

The MSCI ACWI Communication Services Index was launched on Sep 15, 1999. Data prior to the launch date is back-tested test (i.e. calculations of how the index might have performed over that time period had the index existed). There are frequently material differences between back-tested performance and actual results. Past performance – whether actual or back-tested – is no indication or guarantee of future performance.

**INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

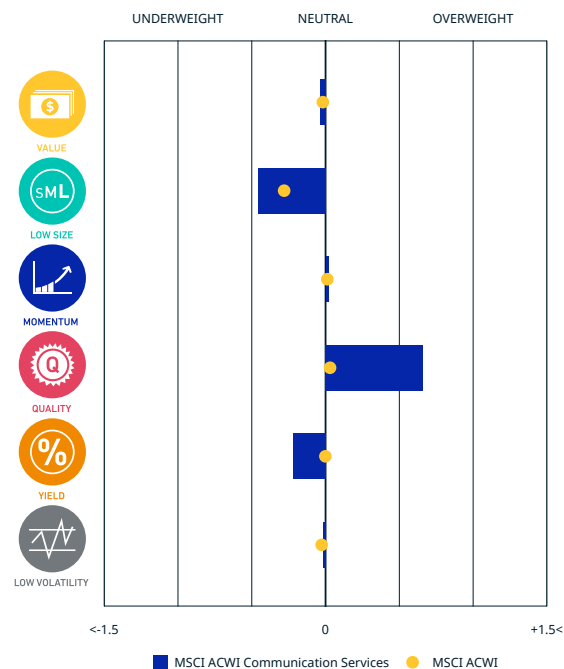
MSCI ACWI Communication Services	
<b>Number of Constituents</b>	125
<b>Mkt Cap (USD Millions)</b>	
<b>Index</b>	8,681,345.89
<b>Largest</b>	2,239,450.82
<b>Smallest</b>	319.36
<b>Average</b>	69,450.77
<b>Median</b>	8,731.34

**TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)
ALPHABET A	US	2,239.45	25.80
ALPHABET C	US	1,858.63	21.41
META PLATFORMS A	US	1,332.89	15.35
NETFLIX	US	396.66	4.57
TENCENT HOLDINGS LI (CN)	CN	381.35	4.39
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS	US	202.51	2.33
AT&T	US	185.25	2.13
DISNEY (WALT)	US	185.22	2.13
SOFTBANK GROUP CORP	JP	123.65	1.42
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM	DE	118.98	1.37
<b>Total</b>		<b>7,024.59</b>	<b>80.92</b>

**FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN**

**MSCI FACTOR BOX**



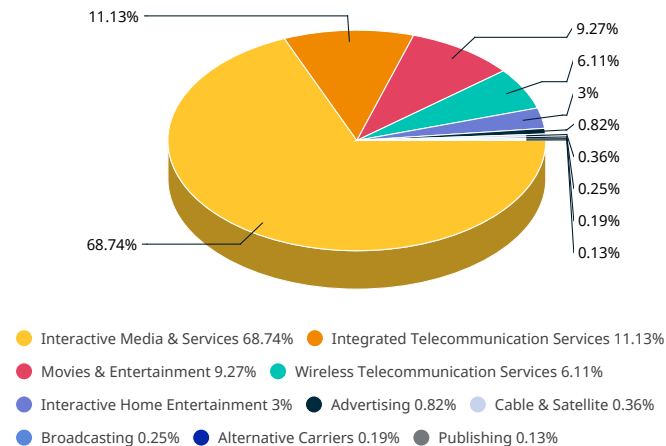
**MSCI FaCS**

- VALUE**  
Relatively Inexpensive Stocks
- LOW SIZE**  
Smaller Companies
- MOMENTUM**  
Rising Stocks
- QUALITY**  
Sound Balance Sheet Stocks
- YIELD**  
Cash Flow Paid Out
- LOW VOLATILITY**  
Lower Risk Stocks

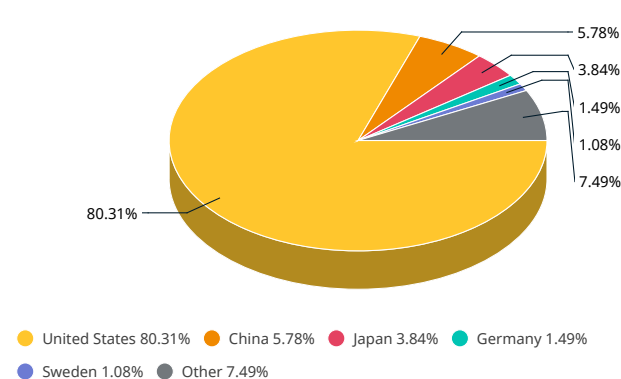
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

**SUB-INDUSTRY WEIGHTS**



**COUNTRY WEIGHTS**



**MSCI FACTOR BOX AND FaCS FRAMEWORK (Please refer to complete description of the MSCI FaCS methodology [here](#))**

MSCI FaCS is a standard method for evaluating and reporting the Factor characteristics of equity portfolios. MSCI FaCS consists of Factor Groups (e.g. Value, Size, Momentum, Quality, Yield, and Volatility) that have been extensively documented in academic literature and validated by MSCI Research as key drivers of risk and return in equity portfolios. These Factor Groups are constructed by aggregating 16 factors (e.g. Book-to-Price, Earnings/Dividend Yields, LT Reversal, Leverage, Earnings Variability/Quality, Beta) from the latest Barra global equity factor risk model, GEMLT, designed to make fund comparisons transparent and intuitive for use. The MSCI Factor Box, which is powered by MSCI FaCS, provides a visualization designed to easily compare absolute exposures of funds/indexes and their benchmarks along 6 Factor Groups that have historically demonstrated excess market returns over the long run.

**ABOUT MSCI**

MSCI (NYSE: MSCI Inc.) strengthens global markets by connecting participants across the financial ecosystem with a common language. Our research-based data, analytics and indexes, supported by advanced technology, set standards for global investors and help our clients understand risks and opportunities so they can make better decisions and unlock innovation. We serve asset managers and owners, private-market sponsors and investors, hedge funds, wealth managers, banks, insurers and corporates. To learn more, please visit [www.msci.com](http://www.msci.com).

The data, data feeds, databases, reports, text, graphs, charts, images, videos, recordings, models, metrics, analytics, indexes, assessments, ratings, scores, software, websites, products, services and other information delivered in connection with this notice (the "Information"): (a) are proprietary information of MSCI and its suppliers, (b) may not be used for commercial purposes without prior written permission from MSCI Inc. or its affiliates ("MSCI"), and (c) are not investment advice and must not be relied on as such. The Information and its use are further subject to the disclaimer at <https://www.msci.com/legal/notice-and-disclaimer>. As detailed therein, MSCI AND ITS SUPPLIERS MAKE NO EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR OTHERWISE WITH RESPECT TO THE INFORMATION HEREIN AND DISCLAIM ALL LIABILITY TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW. For information about how MSCI collects and uses personal data, refer to <https://www.msci.com/privacy-pledge>.

© 2026 MSCI Inc. All rights reserved.

