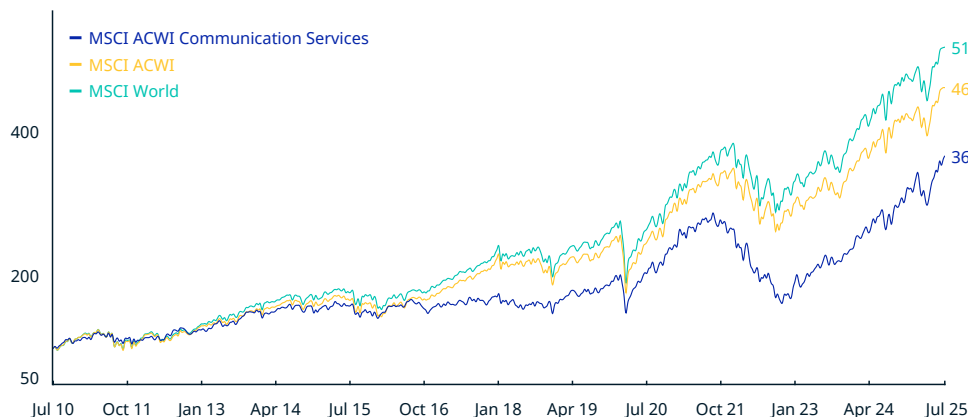


# MSCI ACWI Communication Services Index (USD)

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) (JUL 2010 – JUL 2025)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

	MSCI ACWI Year Communication Services	MSCI ACWI	MSCI World
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
2011	0.52	-6.86	-5.02

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (JUL 31, 2025)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since Dec 30, 1994
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		
MSCI ACWI Communication Services	1.87	17.87	31.88	17.12	22.78	12.23	8.61	7.14	
MSCI ACWI	1.38	12.14	16.39	11.85	15.80	13.31	10.60	8.43	
MSCI World	1.31	12.04	16.22	11.19	16.37	14.31	11.17	8.74	

## FUNDAMENTALS (JUL 31, 2025)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
1.08	23.07	20.20	4.36
1.78	22.44	18.88	3.37
1.69	23.68	19.92	3.69

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (JUL 31, 2025)

	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	2.98	17.97	17.86	16.07	0.99	0.58	0.47	0.33	75.65	2000-03-31–2002-09-30
MSCI ACWI	2.54	14.39	15.25	14.91	0.78	0.71	0.61	0.43	58.06	2007-10-31–2009-03-09
MSCI World	2.37	14.62	15.79	15.14	0.80	0.75	0.64	0.46	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

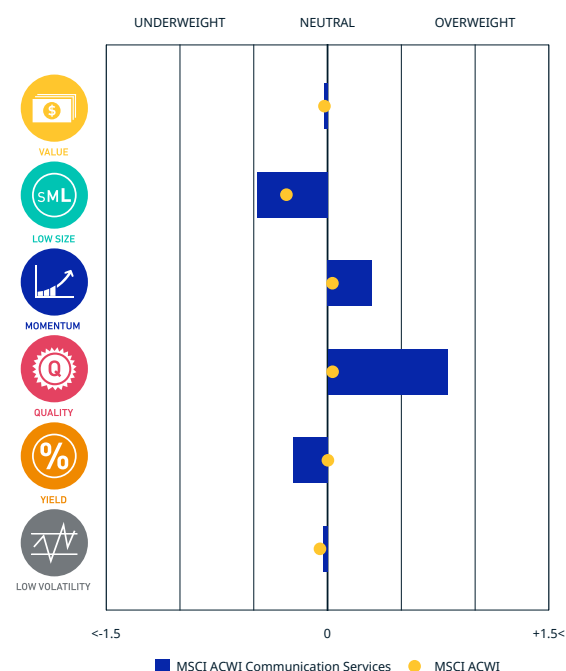
MSCI ACWI Communication Services	
Number of Constituents	124
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	7,356,450.93
Largest	1,694,169.44
Smallest	231.26
Average	59,326.22
Median	9,389.00

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Country	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)
META PLATFORMS A	US	1,694.17	23.03
ALPHABET A	US	1,119.35	15.22
ALPHABET C	US	954.14	12.97
NETFLIX	US	495.94	6.74
TENCENT HOLDINGS LI (CN)	CN	451.38	6.14
DISNEY (WALT)	US	215.33	2.93
AT&T	US	196.75	2.67
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS	US	180.45	2.45
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM	DE	125.76	1.71
COMCAST CORP A (NEW)	US	125.33	1.70
Total		5,558.60	75.56

## FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN

## MSCI FACTOR BOX



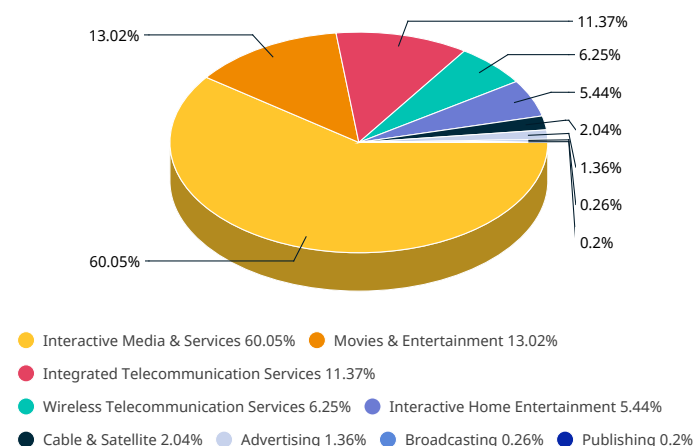
## MSCI FaCS

- 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

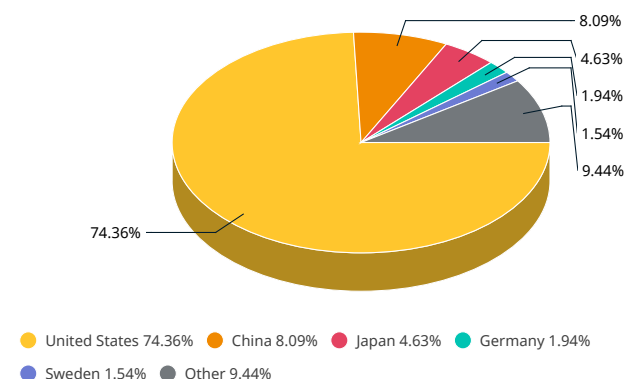
MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

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](#))

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