

# AskPCI

Conversational AI for Private Capital Intelligence

AskPCI introduces conversational AI within **MSCI's Private Capital Intel (PCI)**, enabling users to explore private markets data using conversational prompts and queries.

Built on PCI's LP-sourced dataset, AskPCI provides real-time, explainable insights that help institutional investors streamline analysis, benchmarking, and due-diligence activities.



## Overview of AskPCI

Private markets continue to expand, yet many investors rely on tools that limit speed and transparency. **AskPCI** addresses this challenge by combining MSCI's trusted data with domain-specific artificial intelligence to make private markets analysis more intuitive.

### With AskPCI, users can:

- Run on-the-fly analysis through natural-language questions.
- Compare funds, vintages, and benchmarks in a single view.
- Receive results in multiple formats — text, tables, or charts.
- Review the reasoning applied by the model for greater transparency.

Developed in a **secure, closed environment**, AskPCI connects directly to PCI's data through API-enabled integrations to support confidentiality, audit readiness, and governance-grade data integrity.



## Data Foundation – Powered by Private Capital Intel

AskPCI is powered by MSCI's Private Capital Intel (PCI) — a platform that combines LP-reported data and advanced analytics to provide transparency across private markets.

**15,000+**  
funds and funds of funds

**USD 12.6T+**  
in committed capital

**284,000+**  
underlying holdings

**100% LP-source**  
transactional history

This foundation allows clients to access insights grounded in validated information sourced directly from limited partners.

## Use Cases – How We Can Help



### Benchmark Fund Performance

Analyze fund performance relative to comparable benchmarks within PCI's dataset



### Conduct Due Diligence

Evaluate new funds using historical metrics, performance trends, and peer comparisons through conversational queries.



### Perform Market Analysis

Assess capital flows, allocations, and pacing scenarios across strategies, vintages, and regions.

## Learn more

Discover how AskPCI supports private markets analysis.

Visit [AI for Private Markets | MSCI](#) or contact your MSCI representative to request a demo.

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## Why MSCI? Our Differentiators



**Comprehensive Data Foundation** – USD12.6T+ in private capital, 15,000+ funds, and 284,000+ underlying holdings, all LP-sourced  
*(As of October of 2025).*



**Explainable AI** – Transparent reasoning and model visibility support governance-grade oversight.



**Purpose-Built for PCI Users** – Fully integrated with PCI's analytics functions and established workflows.



**Continuous Improvement** – Built-in model feedback loop helps enhance precision over time.



**Trusted Environment** – Outputs are grounded in validated data and produced within a closed, secure infrastructure.



## About MSCI

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