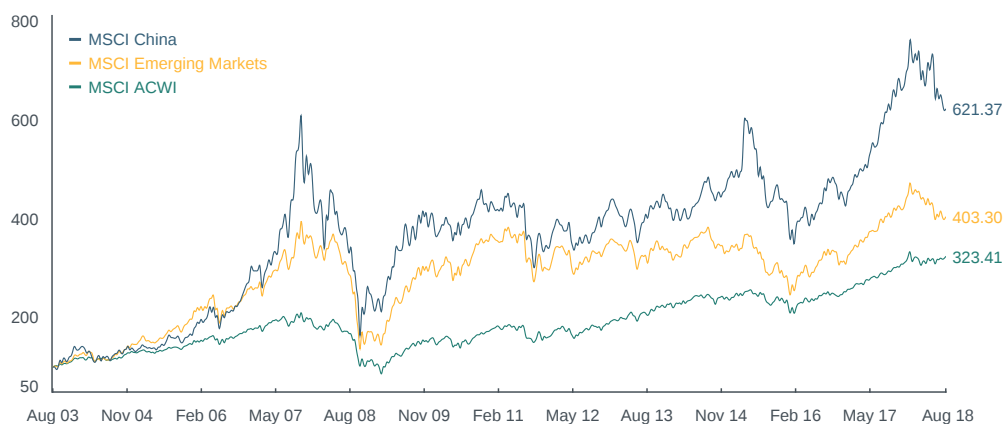


# MSCI CHINA INDEX (USD)

The MSCI China Index captures large and mid cap representation across H shares, B shares, Red chips, P chips and foreign listings (e.g. ADRs). With 447 constituents, the index covers about 85% of this China equity universe. Currently, the index also includes Large Cap A shares represented at 2.5% of their free float adjusted market capitalization.

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE - NET RETURNS (USD) (AUG 2003 – AUG 2018)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI China	MSCI Emerging Markets	MSCI ACWI
2017	54.07	37.28	23.97
2016	0.90	11.19	7.86
2015	-7.82	-14.92	-2.36
2014	7.96	-2.19	4.16
2013	3.64	-2.60	22.80
2012	22.75	18.22	16.13
2011	-18.41	-18.42	-7.35
2010	4.63	18.88	12.67
2009	62.29	78.51	34.63
2008	-50.83	-53.33	-42.19
2007	66.24	39.42	11.66
2006	82.87	32.14	20.95
2005	19.77	34.00	10.84
2004	1.89	25.55	15.23

## INDEX PERFORMANCE — NET RETURNS (%) (AUG 31, 2018)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED			
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Dec 29, 2000
MSCI China	-3.80	-11.09	0.22	-7.83	13.49	9.27	5.97	10.19
MSCI Emerging Markets	-2.70	-4.70	-0.68	-7.18	11.42	5.04	3.45	9.33
MSCI ACWI	0.79	3.26	11.41	3.38	11.85	9.67	6.71	5.42

## FUNDAMENTALS (AUG 31, 2018)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
2.12	14.19	11.19	1.78
2.62	13.80	11.29	1.68
2.38	18.61	14.96	2.35

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (AUG 31, 2018)

	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2, 3</sup>			Since Dec 29, 2000 (%)	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		Period YYYY-MM-DD	
MSCI China	9.40	17.92	19.27	23.34	0.74	0.52	0.34	0.44	73.30	2007-10-30—2008-10-27
MSCI Emerging Markets	6.41	14.45	14.91	22.01	0.75	0.36	0.24	0.45	65.25	2007-10-29—2008-10-27
MSCI ACWI	2.72	9.76	9.98	16.37	1.10	0.91	0.45	0.31	58.38	2007-10-31—2009-03-09

<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months

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

<sup>3</sup> Based on ICE LIBOR 1M

The China mainland equity market is comprised of A, B, H, Red chip and P chip share classes. A shares are incorporated in China and trade on the Shanghai and Shenzhen exchanges; they are quoted in local renminbi and entail foreign investment regulations (QFII). B shares are incorporated in China, and trade on the Shanghai and Shenzhen exchanges; they are quoted in foreign currencies (Shanghai USD, Shenzhen HKD) and are open to foreign investors. H shares are incorporated in China and trade on the Hong Kong exchange and other foreign exchanges. Red chips and P chips are incorporated outside of China and trade on the Hong Kong exchange. Red chips are usually controlled by the state or a province or municipality. P chips are Non state-owned Chinese companies incorporated outside the mainland and traded in Hong Kong. A shares are included starting from June 1, 2018. Currently, only Large Cap A shares are included and are represented at 2.5% of their free float adjusted market capitalization which will be increased to 5% in September 2018 as part of the August 2018 Quarterly Index Review.

The MSCI China Index was launched on Jan 01, 2001. Data prior to the launch date is back-tested data (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.

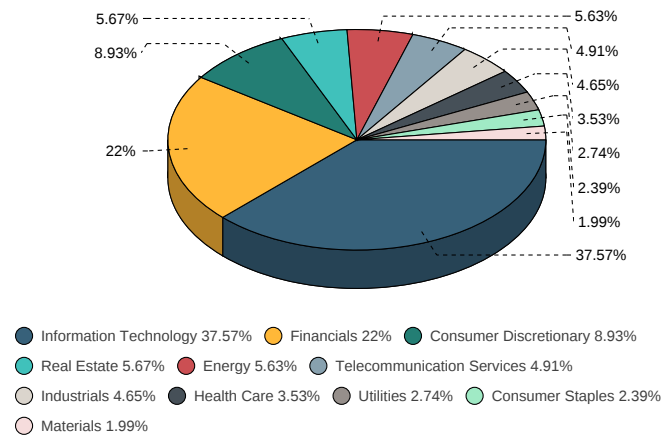
## INDEX CHARACTERISTICS

MSCI China	
Number of Constituents	447
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
Index	1,603,877.81
Largest	246,897.36
Smallest	14.93
Average	3,588.09
Median	538.04

## TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS

	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
TENCENT HOLDINGS LI (CN)	246.90	15.39	Info Tech
ALIBABA GROUP HLDG ADR	202.36	12.62	Info Tech
CHINA CONSTRUCTION BK H	85.15	5.31	Financials
BAIDU ADR	62.54	3.90	Info Tech
CHINA MOBILE	57.76	3.60	Telecom Srvc
ICBC H	51.13	3.19	Financials
PING AN INSURANCE H	50.21	3.13	Financials
BANK OF CHINA H	35.73	2.23	Financials
CNOOC	31.58	1.97	Energy
CHINA PETRO & CHEM H	25.65	1.60	Energy
<b>Total</b>	<b>849.01</b>	<b>52.93</b>	

## SECTOR WEIGHTS



## INDEX METHODOLOGY

The index is based on the MSCI Global Investable Indexes (GIMI) Methodology—a comprehensive and consistent approach to index construction that allows for meaningful global views and cross regional comparisons across all market capitalization size, sector and style segments and combinations. This methodology aims to provide exhaustive coverage of the relevant investment opportunity set with a strong emphasis on index liquidity, investability and replicability. The index is reviewed quarterly—in February, May, August and November—with the objective of reflecting change in the underlying equity markets in a timely manner, while limiting undue index turnover. During the May and November semi-annual index reviews, the index is rebalanced and the large and mid capitalization cutoff points are recalculated.

## ABOUT MSCI

For more than 40 years, MSCI's research-based indexes and analytics have helped the world's leading investors build and manage better portfolios. Clients rely on our offerings for deeper insights into the drivers of performance and risk in their portfolios, broad asset class coverage and innovative research. Our line of products and services includes indexes, analytical models, data, real estate benchmarks and ESG research. MSCI serves 99 of the top 100 largest money managers, according to the most recent P&I ranking. For more information, visit us at [www.msci.com](http://www.msci.com).

The information contained herein (the "Information") may not be reproduced or disseminated in whole or in part without prior written permission from MSCI. The Information may not be used to verify or correct other data, to create indexes, risk models, or analytics, or in connection with issuing, offering, sponsoring, managing or marketing any securities, portfolios, financial products or other investment vehicles. Historical data and analysis should not be taken as an indication or guarantee of any future performance, analysis, forecast or prediction. None of the Information or MSCI index or other product or service constitutes an offer to buy or sell, or a promotion or recommendation of, any security, financial instrument or product or trading strategy. Further, none of the Information or any MSCI index is intended to constitute investment advice or a recommendation to make (or refrain from making) any kind of investment decision and may not be relied on as such. The Information is provided "as is" and the user of the Information assumes the entire risk of any use it may make or permit to be made of the Information. NONE OF MSCI INC. OR ANY OF ITS SUBSIDIARIES OR ITS OR THEIR DIRECT OR INDIRECT SUPPLIERS OR ANY THIRD PARTY INVOLVED IN THE MAKING OR COMPILING OF THE INFORMATION (EACH, AN "MSCI PARTY") MAKES ANY WARRANTIES OR REPRESENTATIONS AND, TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, EACH MSCI PARTY HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. WITHOUT LIMITING ANY OF THE FOREGOING AND TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, IN NO EVENT SHALL ANY OF THE MSCI PARTIES HAVE ANY LIABILITY REGARDING ANY OF THE INFORMATION FOR ANY DIRECT, INDIRECT, SPECIAL, PUNITIVE, CONSEQUENTIAL (INCLUDING LOST PROFITS) OR ANY OTHER DAMAGES EVEN IF NOTIFIED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. The foregoing shall not exclude or limit any liability that may not be by applicable law be excluded or limited.

© 2018 MSCI Inc. All rights reserved.