

S&P Select Sector Capped 20% Technology Index Consultation Results

NEW YORK, JULY 9, 2018: S&P Dow Jones Indices (“S&P DJI”) has conducted a consultation with members of the investment community on potential changes to the S&P Select Sector Capped 20% Technology Index.

Currently, the S&P Select Sector Capped 20% Technology Index is made up of companies in the S&P 500 that are classified, according to the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®), in the Information Technology (GICS Code 45) and Telecommunication Services (GICS Code 50) sectors.

As previously announced, GICS will undergo a structural change in September 2018. As part of this change, the Telecommunication Services Sector will be renamed to Communication Services.

In line with this structural change, S&P DJI will exclude stocks classified as Communication Services (GICS Code 50) from the S&P Select Sector Capped 20% Technology Index. The table below summarizes the change.

Change	Methodology	
	Previous	Updated
Index Eligibility	Companies in the S&P 500 classified in the Information Technology (GICS Code 45) and Telecommunication Services (GICS Code 50) sectors.	Companies in the S&P 500 classified in the Information Technology (GICS Code 45) sector.

This change will become effective prior to the market open on Monday, September 24, 2018, in conjunction with the September index rebalancing.

Please note the index methodology on S&P DJI’s website is being updated to reflect this change.

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