Group Selection
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Note: Group tickers incorporate hyperlinks to decile charts, and then a link to our Toolkit of the group members.

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**Sector Relative Strength Profiles**

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<th>Reward/Risk</th>
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<td>30% / 32% / 26%</td>
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<td>Real Estate</td>
<td>55% / 60% / 50%</td>
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<td>9% / 8% / 2%</td>
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*Three terms define the relative performance Z-Score rating versus the markets (US = S&P 500; GBL = MSCI AC World; CDA = S&P/TSX Composite)*

(a) % Outperforming - what percentage of sector members are outperforming the market,

(b) Reward/Risk - how consistent is the median relative strength performance of the sector membership ( ranking)

(c) Trend Psn - what is the net percentage of the sector members which are breaking above/below relative strength channels.

The strength z-Score is weighted 60% towards the trend parameters (% outperforming and reward/risk ratios) and 40% towards the trend positions (reversals of trends). Gridlines are placed at 0.5 increments.

See Help Pages for further details.
Strength Changes Last Session

Momentum

DataProc → WaterUtil
ResidREIT ← AltCar
SpCmSrv ← HvyElcEq
LifeHthIns ←

IPPTrad ← Biotech

Cas&Gam ←
DiversBnk →

LfSciSrv ←

CnstMch&Tr ← ComEquip
InvBnkBrk ←

ApplicSwr ← IndusGas

HCareREIT →

IndCongl ←
Cns&Eng ←

PkgFdMt ←

Marine ←
CmpElRtl ←

Airline ←
SpecChm ←
ElecComp ←

Aprl&Gds ←

InetDmRtl ←
HdwrSt&P ←

FdDistri ←

IntMeSer ←
Textiles ←

Tire&Rub ←

OG StTr ←

ElecComp ←

InetDmRtl ←
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**Information Technology**

**Momentum**
- DataProc: 40 stocks, $120bn
- InetSrv&In: 14 stocks, $123bn
- ITConsult: 49 stocks, $733bn

**Strength**
- TechDist: 14 stocks, $53bn
- ComEquip: 42 stocks, $436bn
- ApplicSwr: 99 stocks, $1081bn
- SystmSwr: 39 stocks, $1430bn
- ElecInstr: 44 stocks, $286bn
- SemiEqp: 41 stocks, $259bn
- ElecComp: 37 stocks, $243bn
- ElecInstr: 44 stocks, $286bn
- Semi: 73 stocks, $1221bn
- HdwrSt&P: 41 stocks, $1331bn
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Utilities

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RenewElec
25 stocks; $133bn

WaterUtil
24 stocks; $97bn

ElecUtil
26 stocks; $1237bn

IPPTrad
25 stocks; $133bn

MultiUtil
35 stocks; $506bn

GasUtil
34 stocks; $252bn
User Guide 1 - Definitions & Dataset

Group Strength
Our Global Group analysis is based on bottom-up equity relative strength analysis as opposed to industry group (index) relative strength analysis.

Strength Decile Defined By
1. What percentage of a group's members are outperforming
2. How consistent that outperformance is
3. How the are members positioned (above/below) vs. their trend channels.

Momentum Decile
Rate of change of strength (change in 5-day moving average)

The Underlying Equity Relative Strength Analysis
Each day, for every equity we cover, our relative strength system assesses the best fit trend from a spectrum which covers a minimum trend duration of six months, and a maximum of 4-years. The "best fit" is the trend which maximizes duration, and minimizes deviation from the trend. Our process is flexible, thorough, and because it is run daily, timely.

The Dataset:
- Over 5,700 securities.
- Groups have a:
  ...Median depth of 28
  ...Average depth of 36

Heat Map Colour and Symbol Guide
Strength is highlighted by the background of the group title
- Bright green = best (1st decile) transitions towards...
- Bright red = worst (10th decile)
Momentum is highlighted in the border of the group title
- Colour map for momentum is the same as strength
Symbols to the right of the group ticker show where a group moved from in the previous session. Below the group symbol we highlight the number and total market capitalization of the members in a group. Clicking on the group, which brings up the chart via a hyperlink, will help to clarify the moves.
User Guide 2 - Momentum

Our Goals:
- To buy outperforming stocks in favoured groups
- To avoid underperforming stocks in unfavoured groups
- To be alerted of and act on the changes

#1 Rule of Momentum: You can use it only if it exists

- In stable/trending markets, one can buy stocks with high strength and momentum and hold them as long as momentum does not turn negative (trend following).

- In very rotational markets (e.g., where credit, currency, commodity conditions are choppy/changing):
  - Buying high strength and high momentum may be dangerous (buying yesterday's winners).
  - One is better off buying stocks with moderate strength and high momentum (bottom fishing).
User Guide 3 - Buy/Hold/Sell

Buy
- Groups with high strength and high positive momentum (top left) - “In Favour”
- Groups with moderate strength and high positive momentum - “Transitioning to Positive”
- Groups with mediocre strength and high positive momentum - “Gaining Favour”

Buy/Hold
- Groups with high strength and neutral momentum (middle left) - “Maintaining Favour”

Sell
- Groups with low strength and high negative momentum (bottom right) - “Out of Favour”
- Groups with moderately negative strength and high negative momentum - “Transitioning to Negative”
- Groups with mediocre strength and high negative momentum - “Losing Favour”
User Guide 4 - Hyperlinks To Decile Charts & Stock Selection

- Each group is hyperlinked to a chart that shows the relative strength decile as a function of time, and the moving average (momentum).

- Each chart is hyperlinked to the group membership, in our RS Filter Toolkit.
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