

# **CES CHINA 120 INDEX FUTURES**

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## THE ONLY FUTURES CONTRACT WITH COMPREHENSIVE CHINA STOCK EXPOSURE

The CES China 120 Index Futures contract is the only futures contract based on an underlying index tracking both China's A-shares and China stocks listed in Hong Kong. It is designed to provide investors with a convenient and cost efficient tool to simultaneously gain exposure to Mainland China and Hong Kong stock markets. It can also serve as an effective risk management tool for institutions to hedge their China stock positions and as the primary tool for Exchange Traded Fund (ETF) market makers seeking to hedge their positions in China-related ETFs.

#### **OVERVIEW OF CES CHINA 120 INDEX**

The CES China 120 Index (CES 120) is the first cross border index introduced by China Exchanges Services Company Limited (CESC). The index covers a wide spectrum of China exposure by combining stocks listed in Hong Kong, Shanghai and Shenzhen within a single index. With broad coverage to capture investment opportunities created by exposure to a comprehensive China investment universe, the CES 120 is an ideal benchmark and basis for futures, ETFs and other products.

#### A COMPREHENSIVE CHINA EQUITY BENCHMARK

## Representing onshore and offshore Mainland China Markets

Comprising 120 Mainland Chinese stocks listed in Shanghai, Shenzhen and Hong Kong:

- 80 most liquid and largest A shares listed on the Shanghai (58) and Shenzhen (22) stock exchanges
- 40 most liquid and largest Mainland China stocks (H-shares, P-chips and Red chips) listed in Hong Kong

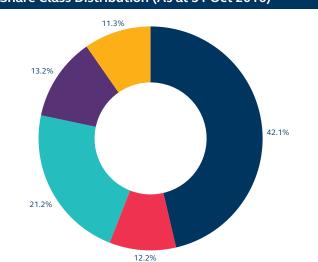
#### **Stocks Covered By CES 120 Information Technology** Tencent China's largest internet service provider (700 HK) Lenovo Group China's largest personal computer (992 HK) vendor by unit sales **Telecom** China Mobile China's largest mobile (941 HK) telecommunications company by market capitalisation China Unicom China's second largest mobile

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	telecommunication provider
(728 HK)	service and third largest mobile
• China Telecom	China's largest fixed line
(762 HK)	service provider

## **Energy**

 China Coal Energy (601898 SH) China's second largest coal mining enterprise

# Share Class Distribution (As at 31 Oct 2016)



## Hong Kong shares 45.7%

H-shares 21.2%

Bank of China (3988)

CCB (939)

China Life (2628)

ICBC (1398)

Ping An (2318)

P-chips 13.2%

Belle Intl (1880)

Hengan Intl (1044)

Tencent (700)

Tingyi (322)

Want Want China (151)

Red chips 11.3%
China Mobile (941)
China Overseas (688)
China Unicom (762)
CITIC (267)
CNOOC (883)

## Shanghai A shares 42.1%

China Merchants Bank (600036)
China Minsheng Bank (600016)
CITIC Securities (600030)
Industrial Bank (601166)
Ping An of China (601318)

### Shenzhen A shares 12.2%

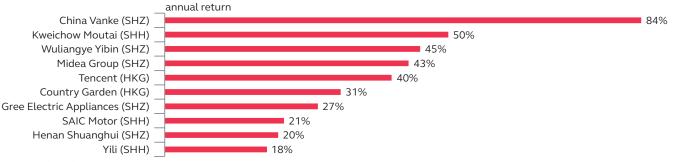
China Vanke (000002)
Gree Electric Appliances (000651)
Midea Group (000333)
Ping An Bank (000001)
Suning Commerce Group (002024)

Source: CESC

Note: The latest list of constituent stocks and compilation methodology are available on the website of CESC at http://www.cesc.com. Information is for reference only and is not intended as investment advice.



## Top 10 Best Performing Stocks in CES 120 (1 Nov 15 - 31 Oct 16)

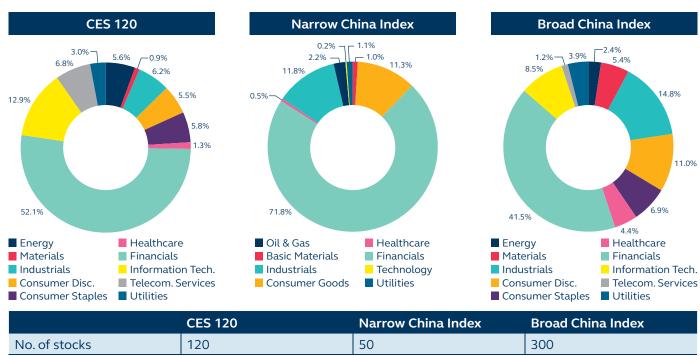


Source: Bloomberg

SHH: Shanghai Stock Exchange; SHZ: Shenzhen Stock Exchange; HKG: The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong

## BALANCED SECTORAL COMPOSITION - A VARIETY OF INDUSTRIES THAT MAKE UP CHINA'S ECONOMY

Sector Coverage Comparison with Other China Indices



Source: CESC; Bloomberg, as at 31 October 2016

## ALL CHINA INDEX MEANS DIFFERENTIATED RETURN CHARACTERISTICS

# Features of CES 120

## Comprehensive China Equity Exposure

- 54.3% weighting on A shares, 45.7% on HK-listed Mainland stocks (Oct 2016)
- · Closely tracks movement of A shares
- Correlation with Broad China Index around 0.9

#### 1,000 China index performance with diversified risks **Superior 1-Year Holding Period Returns** Comparison of 30-day Historical Volatility 10% Broad China Index: 23.3% 40% HSCEI: 23.1% 0% Narrow China Index: 20.0% 30% CES China 120: 17.79 -10% 20% -20% 10% 0% **CES 120** Narrow China Index **Broad China Index** Hang Seng China Enterprises Index (HSCEI)

10.000 9,000 8,000

7,000 6,000

5.000 4,000

3,000 2.000

**CES 120 Performance** 

Source: Bloomberg, as at 31 October 2016

# **CES 120 AND CES 120 FUTURES INFORMATION**

CES 120				
Item	Index Details			
Index Description	Comprising 80 A shares and 40 Hong Kong-listed Mainland China companies (H-shares, P-chips, and Red chips) reflecting Mainland China's economic development			
Index Currency	CNY			
Index Constituents	120			
Index Level	5,051.91 (As at 31 October 2016)			
Index Market Capitalisation (RMB Bn)	23,642 (As at 31 October 2016)			
Review Frequency	Semi-annually in June and December			
Launch Date	10 December 2012			
Base Index Level	2,000.00 (As at 31 December 2004)			
Coverage	Hong Kong: 40 Stocks (H-shares, P-chips and Red chips) Mainland: 80 Stocks (A shares listed on Shanghai Stock Exchange and Shenzhen Stock Exchange)			
Trading Hours; Calculation and Dissemination	The CES 120 is calculated every 1 second and disseminated every 5 seconds during the following times: 9:30 am to 4:15 pm (HK time)			
Frequency	(On any day either or both HK and A-share markets are open for trading)			

CES 120 Futures				
Item	Contract Terms (Summary)			
Underlying Index	CES 120			
HKATS Code	СНН			
Contract Multiplier	HK\$50 per index point			
Minimum Fluctuation	0.5 index point			
Contract Months	Spot month, the next calendar month and the next two calendar quarter months			
Trading Hours	9:15 am – 12:00 noon and 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm (Expiring contract month closes at 3:00 pm on the Last Trading Day)			
Last Trading Day	Business Day immediately preceding the last Business Day of the Contract Month If it falls on a Mainland China public holiday, the Last Trading Day will be the previous Hong Kong and Mainland China Business Day			
Final Settlement Price	The average of the values of the CES 120 compiled, computed and disseminated by CESC, rounded up to the nearest 1 decimal place, taken at five (5) minute intervals from 1:00 pm up to 3:00 pm on the Last Trading Day			
Minimum Volume Threshold for Block Trading	100 contracts			
Position limit	30,000 contracts			
Transaction Costs	Exchange Fee HK\$10.00^ Commission Levy HK\$0.54 Commission Rate Negotiable			

 $<sup>^{\</sup>wedge}$  Exchange fee will be discounted to HK\$5.00 till 29 December 2017



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