

US 500 2012 by sector

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Market value by sector		
Sector	Number of companies	Market value \$m
Technology hardware & equipment	33	1,391,304.0
Oil & gas producers	28	1,167,417.2
Software & computer services	25	1,083,101.4
Pharmaceuticals & biotechnology	21	948,317.2
General retailers	31	809,175.7
Banks	14	748,713.0
Financial services	25	606,629.1
Health care equipment & services	29	495,215.4
Media	21	478,420.0
Nonlife insurance	14	436,599.5
General industrials	7	409,765.4
Travel & leisure	18	375,883.7
Fixed line telecommunications	5	331,360.3
Real estate investment trusts	23	328,633.3
Oil equipment & services	16	324,936.3
Beverages	8	324,352.3
Electricity	18	320,550.2
Food producers	18	308,375.5
Aerospace & defence	12	289,961.2
Chemicals	16	286,264.5
Tobacco	4	256,376.9
Industrial engineering	13	247,226.7
Personal goods	12	229,056.5
Household goods & home construction	5	220,093.3
Industrial transportation	9	218,908.2
Support services	13	189,257.7
Food & drug retailers	8	180,360.5
Automobiles & parts	9	161,407.4
Electronic & electrical equipment	10	125,317.9
Gas, water & multiutilities	10	114,836.7
Life insurance	6	114,560.6
Industrial metals & mining	5	97,163.4
Mining	3	40,775.9
Mobile telecommunications	3	29,605.6
Construction & materials	3	27,159.1
Leisure goods	2	25,840.3
Forestry & paper	1	15,341.7
Real estate investment & services	2	12,929.2