Review of 2024 S&P GSCI Rebalance

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Overview

- No membership changes
- Investment Support Level: U\$\$270 billion
- Large increase to Livestock sector; Large decrease to Energy sector
- Largest percent weight increases: Live Cattle, Brent Crude Oil & Feeder Cattle
- Largest percent weight decreases: WTI Crude Oil & Natural Gas
- Brent Crude Oil will now hold the largest weight
- Largest World Production Average increase: Lean Hogs (15.4%)
- Largest World Production Average decrease: Silver (-4.2%)
- Largest percentage volume increase: Sugar (25.4%)
- Largest percentage volume decrease: Nickel (-36.9%)

World Production Quantity Sources

- Nickel 2020 production data provided by International Nickel Study Group
- Cattle 2020 production data provided exclusively by UN Data due to change in data reporting
- Lean Hogs 2020 production data provided by UN Data due to change in data reporting
- No additional changes to reported sources for 2024

WORLD PRODUCTION QUANTITY SOURCES

Commodity	Source
Wheat	FAOSTAT
Corn	FAOSTAT
Soybeans	FAOSTAT
Lean Hogs	FAOSTAT and UN Data
Cattle	UN Data & U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)
Coffee	FAOSTAT
Sugar	U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)
Cocoa	FAOSTAT
Cotton	U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)
Gold	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
Silver	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
Crude Oil	UN Data
Natural Gas	UN Data
Aluminum	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
Copper	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
Lead	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
Nickel	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) & International
Nickei	Nickel Study Group (INSG)
Zinc	U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)

World Production Issues & Resolutions

Nickel

<u>Issue</u>

 U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 2020 World Production data will not be made available

Resolution

- Utilized 2020 Nickel Production data from the International Nickel Study Group (INSG)
- We will compare the 2020 Production data from INSG to the USGS data once made available

World Production Issues & Resolutions (Cont.)

<u>Cattle</u>

<u>Issue</u>

Change in data reporting from UN Data; no longer reported as Industrial Production

Resolution

- UN Data is now more robust and reported as true World Production
- ALW and ADW data from USDA no longer needed to apply conversion factor
- Data will be incorporated one year at a time

World Production Issues & Resolutions (Cont.)

Lean Hogs

Issue

- · Change in data reporting from UN Data
- Directly references FAOSTAT as the data source
- Additional countries now provided, most notably China

Resolution

- Due to the large percentage of production represented by China Lean Hogs, 20% of the production will be rolled in annually starting with the 2024 rebalance, along with the additional countries
- The World Production excluding China data will be incorporated one year at a time
- By Year 5, 100% of China production will be accounted for in the first year and all subsequent years used in the calculation of the World Production Average
- By Year 10, all the years and countries will be used in calculating World Production Average, including the full production total of China Lean Hogs

World Production Average (WPA)

WORLD PRODUCTION AVERAGE COMPARISONS

Commodity	WPQ Units	2023 WPA	2024 WPA	Percentage Change
Wheat	M ton	751,938,281	754,797,305	0.4%
Corn	M ton	1,116,902,063	1,137,644,091	1.9%
Soybeans	M ton	339,964,995	346,297,758	1.9%
Lean Hogs	1000 M ton	43,826,446	50,568,169	15.4%
Cattle	M ton	64,585,598	66,261,157	2.6%
Coffee	M ton	9,583,155	10,014,257	4.5%
Sugar	M ton	177,615,400	178,439,200	0.5%
Cocoa	M ton	5,170,340	5,303,011	2.6%
Cotton	M ton	24,644,954	25,324,820	2.8%
Gold	1 Kg	3,226,000	3,210,000	-0.5%
Silver	1 M ton	27,340	26,180	-4.2%
Crude Oil	1000 M ton	3,898,368,579	3,851,970,991	-1.2%
Natural Gas	1 Petajoule	41,624	43,171	3.7%
Aluminum	1000 M ton	67,890,000	69,000,000	1.6%
Copper	1000 M ton	23,840,000	24,280,000	1.8%
Lead	1000 M ton	11,220,000	11,640,000	3.7%
Nickel	1 M ton	2,093,800	2,162,800	3.3%
Zinc	1000 M ton	13,520,000	13,580,000	0.4%

WPA Comparison Table (2019 – 2024)

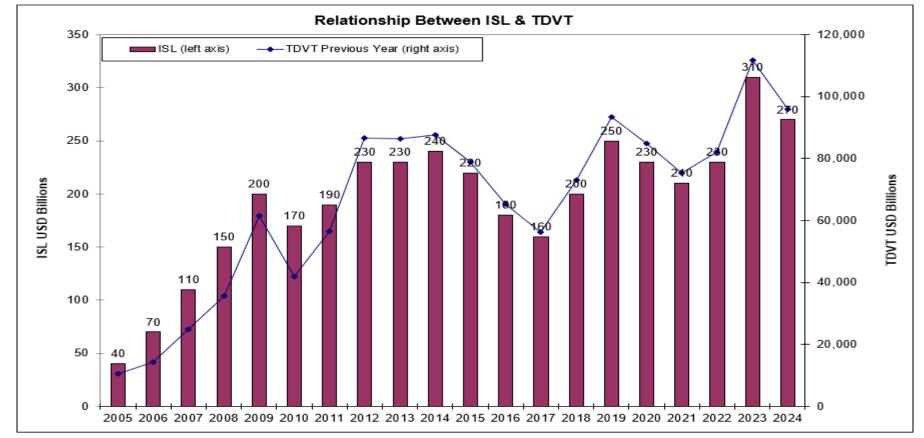
WORLD PRODUCTION AVERAGE COMPARISON TABLE

Commodity	Unit	2019	2020		2021		2022		2023		2024	
Wheat	1000 M ton	710,379,591	722,164,585	1.7%	740,527,832	2.5%	744,992,805	0.6%	751,938,281	0.9%	754,797,305	0.4%
Corn	1000 M ton	964,917,628	1,016,567,342	5.4%	1,079,790,527	6.2%	1,096,590,952	1.6%	1,116,902,063	1.9%	1,137,644,091	1.9%
Soybeans	1000 M ton	281,947,576	296,726,183	5.2%	319,193,687	7.6%	333,936,604	4.6%	339,964,995	1.8%	346,297,758	1.9%
Lean Hogs	1000 M ton	41,004,075	41,552,392	1.3%	42,099,187	1.3%	42,882,833	1.9%	43,826,446	2.2%	50,568,169	15.4%
Cattle	1000 M ton	56,877,204	60,238,537	5.9%	61,910,132	2.8%	63,586,878	2.7%	64,585,598	1.6%	66,261,157	2.6%
Coffee	1000 M ton	8,756,024	8,941,803	2.1%	9,007,432	0.7%	9,376,819	4.1%	9,583,155	2.2%	10,014,257	4.5%
Sugar	1000 M ton	173,191,200	173,720,600	0.3%	174,081,600	0.2%	176,971,200	1.7%	177,615,400	0.4%	178,439,200	0.5%
Cocoa	1000 M ton	4,515,547	4,651,853	3.0%	4,808,290	3.4%	5,013,083	4.3%	5,170,340	3.1%	5,303,011	2.6%
Cotton	1000 M ton	25,568,018	24,660,238	-3.6%	24,662,720	0.0%	24,585,384	-0.3%	24,644,954	0.2%	25,324,820	2.8%
Gold	1 Kg	2,894,000	2,984,000	3.1%	3,108,000	4.2%	3,184,000	2.4%	3,226,000	1.3%	3,210,000	-0.5%
Silver	1 M ton	25,680	26,220	2.1%	26,600	1.4%	27,600	3.8%	27,340	-0.9%	26,180	-4.2%
Crude Oil	1000 M ton	3,718,068,764	3,779,857,044	1.7%	3,817,246,522	1.0%	3,866,576,722	1.3%	3,898,368,579	0.8%	3,851,970,991	-1.2%
Natural Gas	1 Petajoule	36,612	37,478	2.4%	38,268	2.1%	39,758	3.9%	41,624	4.7%	43,171	3.7%
Aluminum	1000 M ton	58,178,000	61,248,000	5.3%	63,580,000	3.8%	65,892,000	3.6%	67,890,000	3.0%	69,000,000	1.6%
Copper	1000 M ton	21,300,000	22,073,200	3.6%	22,764,800	3.1%	23,580,000	3.6%	23,840,000	1.1%	24,280,000	1.8%
Nickel	1 M ton	1,870,000	1,944,000	4.0%	1,996,000	2.7%	2,016,000	1.0%	2,093,800	3.9%	2,162,800	3.3%
Lead	1000 M ton	10,480,000	10,549,000	0.7%	10,849,600	2.8%	11,020,000	1.6%	11,220,000	1.8%	11,640,000	3.7%
Zinc	1000 M ton	13,220,000	13,340,000	0.9%	13,600,000	1.9%	13,440,000	-1.2%	13,520,000	0.6%	13,580,000	0.4%

Investment Support Level (ISL)

Purpose of ISL:

- Estimate for liquidity
- Trigger for CPW Changes
- Not an accurate estimate of commodity investment space



ISL Commentary

- ISL recommendation level: US\$ 270 billion
- 12.9% decrease from recommended level of US\$ 310 billion for 2023

ISL DETERMINATION CALCULATON MODEL

Year	ISL	% Change In ISL	TDVT	% Change In TDVT	% Change In TDVT Captured By ISL Change
2004	30	0.00%	7828.4	33.82%	0.00%
2005	40	33.33%	10582.1	35.18%	94.76%
2006	70	75.00%	14301.3	35.15%	213.39%
2007	110	57.14%	24964	74.56%	76.64%
2008	150	36.36%	35670.6	42.89%	84.79%
2009	200	33.33%	61399.1	72.13%	46.21%
2010	170	-15.00%	41984.7	-31.62%	47.44%
2011	190	11.76%	56608.4	34.83%	33.78%
2012	230	21.05%	86698.5	53.15%	39.61%
2013	230	0.00%	86253.4	-0.51%	0.00%
2014	240	4.35%	87565.9	1.52%	285.73%
2015	220	-8.33%	78917.0	-9.88%	84.37%
2016	180	-18.18%	65320.9	-17.23%	105.53%
2017	160	-11.11%	56214.9	-13.94%	79.70%
2018	200	25.00%	73173.6	30.17%	82.87%
2019	250	25.00%	93533.4	27.82%	89.85%
2020	230	-8.00%	84814.5	-9.32%	85.82%
2021	210	-8.70%	75288.6	-11.23%	77.42%
2022	230	9.52%	82045.7	8.97%	106.12%
2023	310	34.78%	111800.3	36.27%	95.91%
2024	270	-12.90%	96029.9	-14.11%	91.47%

2024 S&P GSCI CPW Calculation – Pro Forma

- All data subject to revisions based on revised data from designated sources
- Official 2024 S&P GSCI CPW announcement November 2023

2024 S&P GSC	CI CONTRACT PRODUCTION	I WEIGHT CALCULATION	- DRO FORMA
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Symbol	Component	Commodity	CF	Contract Size	Lot Size	ISL	WPA	Volume	тот	% тот	CPW	ACRP	TDW	RPDW	TDVT (bill)	TVM
w	Wheat	Chicago Wheat	36.7437	5000	100	270	754,797,305	27,895,354	3,795,936,991	0.720511308	19982.69	7.2475	144824.5458	3.17%	1010.9	117.9
KW	Wheat	Kansas Wheat	36.7437	5000	100	270	754,797,305	10,820,699	1,472,456,367	0.279488692	7751.352	8.528333333	66106.1136	1.45%	461.4	117.9
C	Corn	Corn	39.36825	5000	100	270	1,137,644,091	78,819,315	10,010,517,994	1	44787.06	6.112291667	273751.5736	6.00%	2408.8	148.7
S	Soybeans	Soybeans	36.7437	5000	100	270	346,297,758	58,317,802	7,935,755,245	1	12724.26	14.21916667	180928.3737	3.97%	4146.2	387.2
KC	Coffee	Coffee	2204.623	37500	100	270	10,014,257	10,504,770	178,683,101	1	22077.66	1.764791667	38962.4704	0.85%	695.2	301.5
SB	Sugar	Sugar	2204.623	112000	100	270	178,439,200	38,733,818	1,967,768,465	1	393391.2	0.218975000	86142.8380	1.89%	950	186.3
cc	Cocoa	Cocoa	1	10	1	270	5,303,011	13,691,487	136,914,870	1	5.303011	2881.083333	15278.4166	0.33%	394.5	436.2
СТ	Cotton	Cotton	2204.623	50000	100	270	25,324,820	9,143,335	207,367,314	1	55831.68	0.829616667	46318.8923	1.02%	379.3	138.4
LH	Lean Hogs	Lean Hogs	2204.623	40000	100	270	50,568,169	12,624,162	229,048,903	1	111483.7	0.861333333	96024.6269	2.10%	434.9	76.5
LC	Cattle	Live Cattle	2204.623	40000	100	270	66,261,157	15,595,258	282,955,553	0.759469708	110944.0	1.645333333	182539.8613	4.00%	1026.4	95
FC	Cattle	Feeder Cattle	2204.623	50000	100	270	66,261,157	3,951,317	89,614,347	0.240530292	35136.87	2.108291667	74078.7702	1.62%	416.5	95
CL	Crude Oil	WTI Crude Oil	7.33	1000	1	270	3,851,970,991	240,382,527	32,794,342,044	0.39853409	11252.59	78.28	880852.7452	19.31%	18817.1	360.9
НО	Crude Oil	Heating Oil	315	42000	1	270	3,851,970,991	37,958,633	5,061,151,067	0.061505769	74629.31	2.941616667	219530.8221	4.81%	4689.7	360.9
RB	Crude Oil	RBOB Gasoline	354.9	42000	1	270	3,851,970,991	39,867,472	4,718,044,024	0.057336152	78382.22	2.552375	200060.8188	4.39%	4273.8	360.9
LCO	Crude Oil	Brent Crude Oil	7.33	1000	1	270	3,851,970,991	242,358,095	33,063,860,164	0.401809416	11345.07	83.3525	945639.9472	20.73%	20201.2	360.9
LGO	Crude Oil	Gas Oil	1	100	1	270	3,851,970,991	66,500,226	6,650,022,600	0.080814572	311.2954	839.625	261371.4002	5.73%	5583.5	360.9
NG	Natural Gas	Natural Gas	975609.75	10000	1	270	43,171	115,543,943	1,184,325	1	42118.17	3.754083333	158115.1200	3.47%	4337.6	463.5
MAL	Aluminum	Aluminum	1	25	1	270	69,000,000	53,827,566	1,345,689,150	1	69.00000	2313.5125	159632.3625	3.50%	3113.3	329.5
MCU	Copper	Copper	1	25	1	270	24,280,000	31,719,943	792,998,575	1	24.28000	8430.004167	204680.5012	4.49%	6685	551.8
MNI	Nickel	Nickel	1	6	1	270	2,162,800	9,451,826	56,710,956	1	2.162800	23829.29167	51537.9920	1.13%	1351.4	443
MPB	Lead	Lead	1	25	1	270	11,640,000	12,247,698	306,192,450	1	11.64000	2114.498333	24612.7606	0.54%	647.4	444.5
MZN	Zinc	Zinc	1	25	1	270	13,580,000	20,798,938	519,973,450	1	13.58000	2779.214167	37741.7284	0.83%	1445.1	646.9
GC	Gold	Gold	32.15075	100	1	270	3,210,000	55,854,797	173,727,820	1	103.2039	1879.391667	193960.5496	4.25%	10497.3	914.4
SI	Silver	Silver	32150.75	5000	1	270	26,180	18,030,514	2,804,058	1	841.7066	22.88825	19265.1911	0.42%	2063.4	1809.7

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2024 S&P GSCI CPW Comparison

2024 S&P GSCI CPW COMPARISON

Symbol	Commodity	2023 CPW	2024 CPW	% Change
W	Chicago Wheat	19263.74	19982.69	3.73%
KW	Kansas Wheat	8365.251	7751.352	-7.34%
С	Corn	43970.54	44787.06	1.86%
S	Soybeans	12491.57	12724.26	1.86%
KC	Coffee	21127.24	22077.66	4.50%
SB	Sugar	391575.0	393391.2	0.46%
cc	Cocoa	5.170340	5.303011	2.57%
СТ	Cotton	54332.83	55831.68	2.76%
LH	Lean Hogs	96620.79	111483.7	15.38%
LC	Live Cattle	110633.0	110944.0	0.28%
FC	Feeder Cattle	Feeder Cattle 31753.94 35136.87		10.65%
CL	WTI Crude Oil	12079.15	11252.59	-6.84%
но	Heating Oil	75458.02	74629.31	-1.10%
RB	RBOB Gasoline	82553.26	78382.22	-5.05%
LCO	Brent Crude Oil	10693.69	11345.07	6.09%
LGO	Gas Oil	319.4099	311.2954	-2.54%
NG	Natural Gas	39421.14	42118.17	6.84%
MAL	Aluminum	67.89000	69.00000	1.63%
MCU	Copper	23.84000	24.28000	1.85%
MNI	Nickel	2.093800	2.162800	3.30%
MPB	Lead	11.22000	11.64000	3.74%
MZN	Zinc	13.52000	13.58000	0.44%
GC	Gold	103.7183	103.2039	-0.50%
SI	Silver	879.0015	841.7066	-4.24%

2024 ACRP Comparison

2024 ACRP COMPARISON

Symbol	Commodity	2023 ACRP	2024 ACRP	% Change
w	Chicago Wheat	868.6666667	724.75	-16.57%
KW	Kansas Wheat	909.6041667	852.8333333	-6.24%
C	Corn	651.1458333	611.2291667	-6.13%
S	Soybeans	1460.375	1421.916667	-2.63%
KC	Coffee	223.8875	176.4791667	-21.18%
SB	Sugar	18.74833333	21.8975	16.80%
CC	Cocoa	2492.333333	2881.083333	15.60%
СТ	Cotton	117.9533333	82.96166667	-29.67%
LH	Hogs	95.66458333	86.13333333	-9.96%
LC	Live Cattle	136.3395833	164.5333333	20.68%
FC	Feeder Cattle	167.2854167	210.8291667	26.03%
CL	WTI Crude Oil	91.4525	78.28	-14.40%
но	Heating Oil	3.100816667	2.941616667	-5.13%
RB	RBOB Gasoline	2.817091667	2.552375	-9.40%
LCO	Brent Crude Oil	94.36333333	83.3525	-11.67%
LGO	Gas Oil	912.6041667	839.625	-8.00%
NG	Natural Gas	6.056416667	3.754083333	-38.01%
MAL	Aluminum	2835.175	2313.5125	-18.40%
MCU	Copper	9230.270833	8430.004167	-8.67%
MNI	Nickel	23762.83333	23829.29167	0.28%
MPB	Lead	2211.320833	2114.498333	-4.38%
MZN	Zinc	3560.584167	2779.214167	-21.94%
GC	Gold	1822.708333	1879.391667	3.11%
SI	Silver	22.27158333	22.88825	2.77%

Yearly Volume Comparison

- Overall total volume decrease
- Volume increases for 12 commodities
- Sugar with the largest increase of 25.38%
- Volume decreases for the other 12 commodities
- Nickel with the largest decrease of 36.86%

2024 YEARLY VOLUME COMPARISON

Symbol	Commodity	2023 Volume	2024 Volume	% Change
w	Chicago Wheat	26,360,640	27,895,354	5.82%
KW	Kansas Wheat	11,447,067	10,820,699	-5.47%
С	Corn	79,291,279	78,819,315	-0.60%
S	Soybeans	50,787,076	58,317,802	14.83%
KC	Coffee	10,771,144	10,504,770	-2.47%
SB	Sugar	30,892,952	38,733,818	25.38%
cc	Cocoa	12,458,531	13,691,487	9.90%
СТ	Cotton	8,416,885	9,143,335	8.63%
LH	Lean Hogs	11,277,750	12,624,162	11.94%
LC	Live Cattle	14,145,607	15,595,258	10.25%
FC	Feeder Cattle	3,248,065	3,951,317	21.65%
CL	WTI Crude Oil	276,138,308	240,382,527	-12.95%
но	Heating Oil	41,072,054	37,958,633	-7.58%
RB	RBOB Gasoline	44,934,017	39,867,472	-11.28%
LCO	Brent Crude Oil	244,465,728	242,358,095	-0.86%
LGO	Gas Oil	73,019,472	66,500,226	-8.93%
NG	Natural Gas	121,684,838	115,543,943	-5.05%
MAL	Aluminum	55,050,458	53,827,566	-2.22%
MCU	Copper	28,650,419	31,719,943	10.71%
MNI	Nickel	14,970,108	9,451,826	-36.86%
МРВ	Lead	10,270,597	12,247,698	19.25%
MZN	Zinc	22,746,030	20,798,938	-8.56%
GC	Gold	54,308,012	55,854,797	2.85%
SI	Silver	16,615,349	18,030,514	8.52%

Total Volume	1,263,022,386	1,224,639,495	-3.04%

2024 Dollar Weight Comparison – Pro Forma

2024 COMMODITY REFERENCE PERCENTAGE DOLLAR WEIGHT COMPARISON - PRO FORMA

Symbol	Commodity	2023 CPW	2024 CPW	2024 ACRP	2024 TDW	2023 RPDW	2024 RPDW	RPDW BP Diff
W	Chicago Wheat	19263.74	19982.69	7.2475	144824.5458	3.307%	3.175%	-13
KW	Kansas Wheat	8365.251	7751.352	8.528333333	66106.11364	1.504%	1.449%	-5
C	Corn	43970.54	44787.06	6.112291667	273751.5736	5.658%	6.001%	34
S	Soybeans	12491.57	12724.26	14.21916667	180928.3737	3.605%	3.966%	36
KC	Coffee	21127.24	22077.66	1.764791667	38962.47039	0.935%	0.854%	-8
SB	Sugar	391575.0	393391.2	0.218975	86142.83802	1.451%	1.888%	44
cc	Cocoa	5.170340	5.303011	2881.083333	15278.41661	0.255%	0.335%	8
СТ	Cotton	54332.83	55831.68	0.829616667	46318.89226	1.266%	1.015%	-25
LH	Lean Hogs	96620.79	111483.7	0.861333333	96024.62693	1.826%	2.105%	28
LC	Live Cattle	110633.0	110944.0	1.645333333	182539.8613	2.981%	4.001%	102
FC	Feeder Cattle	31753.94	35136.87	2.108291667	74078.77021	1.050%	1.624%	57
CL	WTI Crude Oil	12079.15	11252.59	78.28	880852.7452	21.83%	19.31%	-252
но	Heating Oil	75458.02	74629.31	2.941616667	219530.8221	4.624%	4.812%	19
RB	RBOB Gasoline	82553.26	78382.22	2.552375	200060.8188	4.595%	4.385%	-21
LCO	Brent Crude Oil	10693.69	11345.07	83.3525	945639.9472	19.94%	20.73%	79
LGO	Gas Oil	319.4099	311.2954	839.625	261371.4002	5.760%	5.729%	-3
NG	Natural Gas	39421.14	42118.17	3.754083333	158115.1200	4.718%	3.466%	-125
MAL	Aluminum	67.89000	69.00000	2313.5125	159632.3625	3.803%	3.499%	-30
MCU	Copper	23.84000	24.28000	8430.004167	204680.5012	4.348%	4.487%	14
MNI	Nickel	2.093800	2.162800	23829.29167	51537.99202	0.983%	1.130%	15
MPB	Lead	11.22000	11.64000	2114.498333	24612.76060	0.490%	0.540%	5
MZN	Zinc	13.52000	13.58000	2779.214167	37741.72838	0.951%	0.827%	-12
GC	Gold	103.7183	103.2039	1879.391667	193960.5496	3.736%	4.252%	52
SI	Silver	879.0015	841.7066	22.88825	19265.19109	0.387%	0.422%	4

2024 Sector Weight Comparison – Pro Forma

2024 S&P GSCI RPDW SECTOR WEIGHTS - PRO FORMA

Sector	2023 Weight	2024 Weight	Sector RPDW BP Diff
Energy	61.47%	58.43%	-303
Agriculture	17.98%	18.68%	70
Livestock	5.86%	7.73%	187
Industrial Metals	10.58%	10.48%	-9
Precious Metals	4.12%	4.67%	55

- Largest sector percentage increase: Livestock
 - Attributed to percentage weight increases in Live Cattle and Feeder Cattle
- Largest sector percentage decrease: Energy
 - Attributed to percentage weight decreases in WTI Crude Oil and Natural Gas

Component Candidate Screening Review

CONTRACTS TESTED FOR INCLUSION								
Commodity	Exchange	Commodity	Exchange					
Soybean Meal	CBOT	WTI Light Sweet Crude Oil	ICE - Europe					
Soybean Oil	CBOT	Tin	LME					
Random Lumber	CME Group	Hard Red Spring Wheat	MGEX					
Aluminum	COMEX	Argus Propane Far East Index	NYMEX					
Copper	COMEX	Brent Crude Oil Last Day Financial	NYMEX					
E-Micro Gold Futures	COMEX	Chicago Ethanol (Platts)	NYMEX					
miNY Gold	COMEX	E-mini Crude Oil	NYMEX					
Silver (1,000 oz)	COMEX	Micro WTI Crude Oil	NYMEX					
Robusta Coffee 10 Tonne	ICE - Europe	Mont Belvieu LDH Propane (OPIS)	NYMEX					
White Sugar	ICE - Europe	Mont Belvieu Normal Butane (OPIS)	NYMEX					
gC Newcastle Coal	ICE - Europe	Natural Gas (Henry Hub) Last-day Financial	NYMEX					
Heating Oil	ICE - Europe	Natural Gas (Henry Hub) Penultimate Financial	NYMEX					
NYH (RBOB) Gasoline (Monthly)	ICE - Europe	Palladium	NYMEX					
Rotterdam Coal	ICE - Europe	Platinum	NYMEX					

Additional Commodity Candidate Testing

ADDITIONAL COMMODITY TDVT TESTING FOR 2024 REBALANCE

Symbol	Commodity	Contract Size	Units	Volume	ACRP	TDVT (bill)	TDVT	Pass/Fail
OCB	Cobalt Metal	2204.62	USD	31,375	18.68083333	1.3	15	FAIL
HRC	U.S. Midwest Domestic Hot-Rolled Coil Steel	20	USD	302,826	861	5.2	15	FAIL
СМНС	Steel HRC FOB China	10	USD	51,643	581.6008333	0.3	15	FAIL
SRR	Steel Rebar	10	USD	85,718	649.4875	0.6	15	FAIL
SSC	Steel Scrap	10	USD	635,191	389.1683333	2.5	15	FAIL
LTH	Lithium	1000	USD	2,809	63.00833333	0.2	15	FAIL

Component Candidate Eligibility Criteria

Eligibility Criteria for inclusion:

- RPDW at least 1% for a contract that is not included in S&P GSCI
- <u>TDVT</u> minimum **US\$ 15 billion** for contracts not represented in S&P GSCI minimum **US\$ 30 billion** for components not represented in S&P GSCI
- <u>TQT</u> minimum 25% for components not represented in S&P GSCI
- <u>TVM Lower Level</u> 30 for Contracts not represented in S&P GSCI
- TVM Upper Level 200 for components not represented in S&P GSCI

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