



Trendrating US Market Analysis - Monthly

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Clear evidence of performance dispersion with the top 25% of stocks producing an average return of +8.03% and bottom 25% of stocks producing an average return of -51.86% over the last six months.
- Energy and Utilities represent the sectors with the highest proportion of A&B rated stocks.

TREND CAPTURE RATING

Overall weighted rating:

D+

SECURITIES

Number of securities covered in US universe:

4032

UPGRADES

Number of securities upgraded over the **last 20 days:**

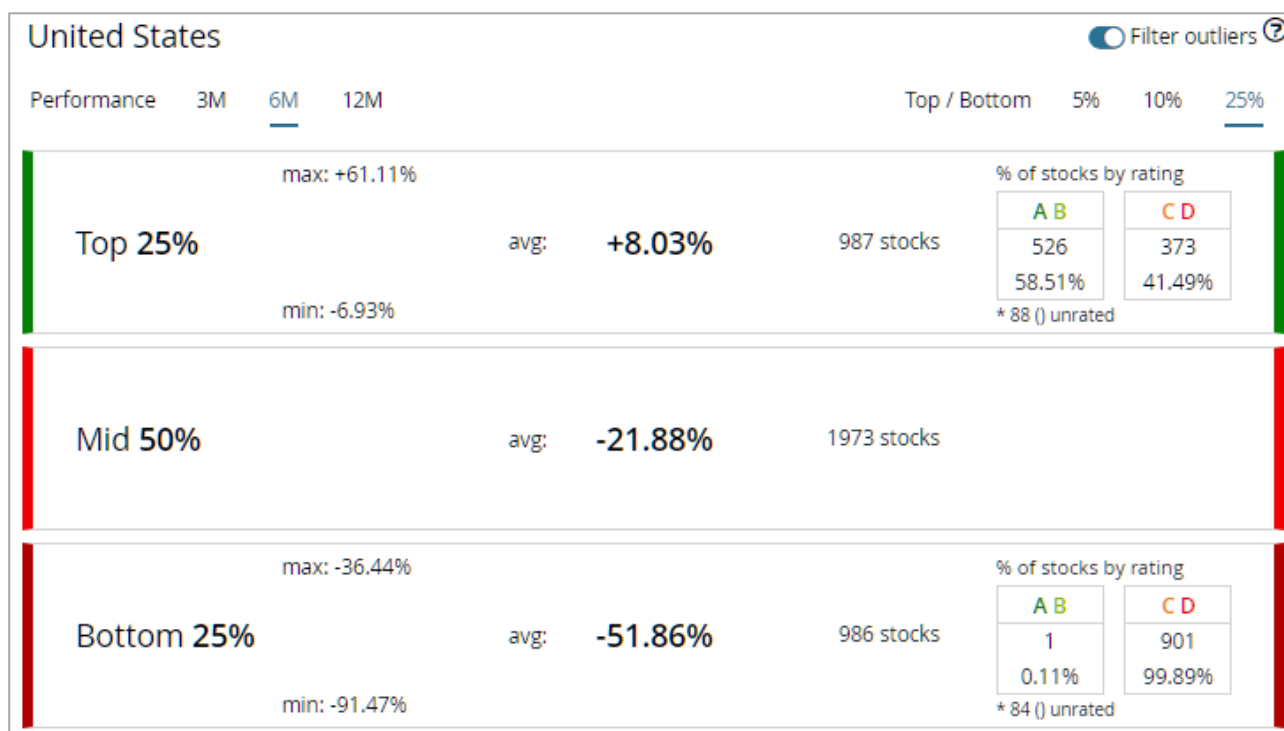
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DOWNGRADES

Number of securities downgraded over the **last 20 days:**

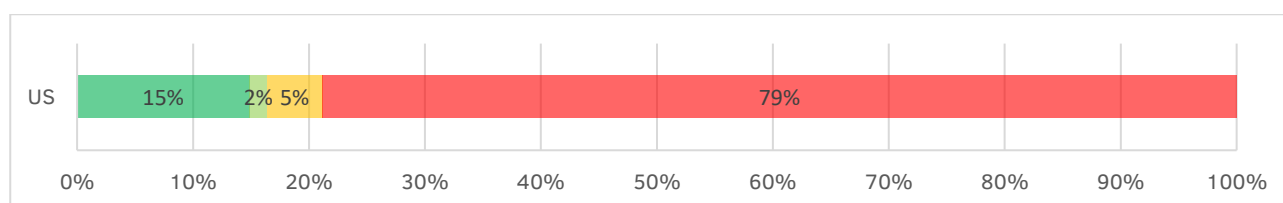
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PERFORMANCE DISPERSION WITHIN US



Average returns represent the dispersion of performance across US over the last month. The greater the dispersion, the higher the potential to gain meaningful returns above the average return of the market. In periods of high dispersion, active managers have more opportunities to generate excess returns through positive stock selection.

OVERALL PERCENTAGE OF A, B, C & D RATED STOCKS



COUNTRIES COMPARISON - this table shows the aggregated Rating of all the Stocks listed in the Country and the Number of Upgrades (Up) and Downgrades (Dn) over the last 20 days.

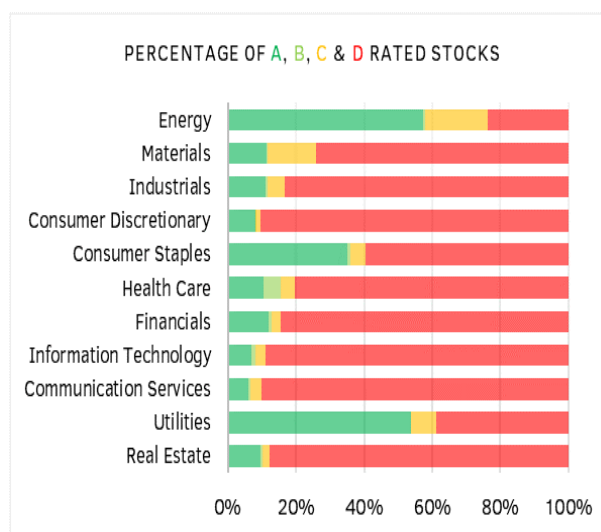
United States
D+
Up 97
Dn 450

SECTORS COMPARISON - this table shows the aggregated Rating of all the Stocks listed in the Sectors and the Number of Upgrades (Up) and Downgrades (Dn) over the last 20 days.

Energy	Materials	Industrials	Consumer Discretionary	Consumer Staples	Health Care	Financials	Information Technology	Communication	Utilities	Real Estate
B-	D+	D+	D	C	D+	D+	D+	D	B-	D+
Up 0 Dn 48	Up 0 Dn 63	Up 7 Dn 84	Up 7 Dn 24	Up 7 Dn 16	Up 51 Dn 50	Up 5 Dn 62	Up 8 Dn 50	Up 1 Dn 14	Up 0 Dn 11	Up 3 Dn 21

TREND EVOLUTION - PERCENTAGE OF STOCKS RATED A&B

	Current	Last Month	Change
Energy	58%	78%	↓
Materials	12%	15%	↓
Industrials	12%	13%	↓
Consumer Discretionary	8%	8%	↓
Consumer Staples	36%	38%	↓
Health Care	16%	15%	↑
Financials	13%	13%	↓
Information Technology	8%	8%	↓
Communication Services	6%	7%	↓
Utilities	54%	62%	↓
Real Estate	10%	11%	↓



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A = strong bull trend

B = beginning of a bull trend

C = inception of a bear trend

D = strong bear trend

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