

FINTECH Snapshot

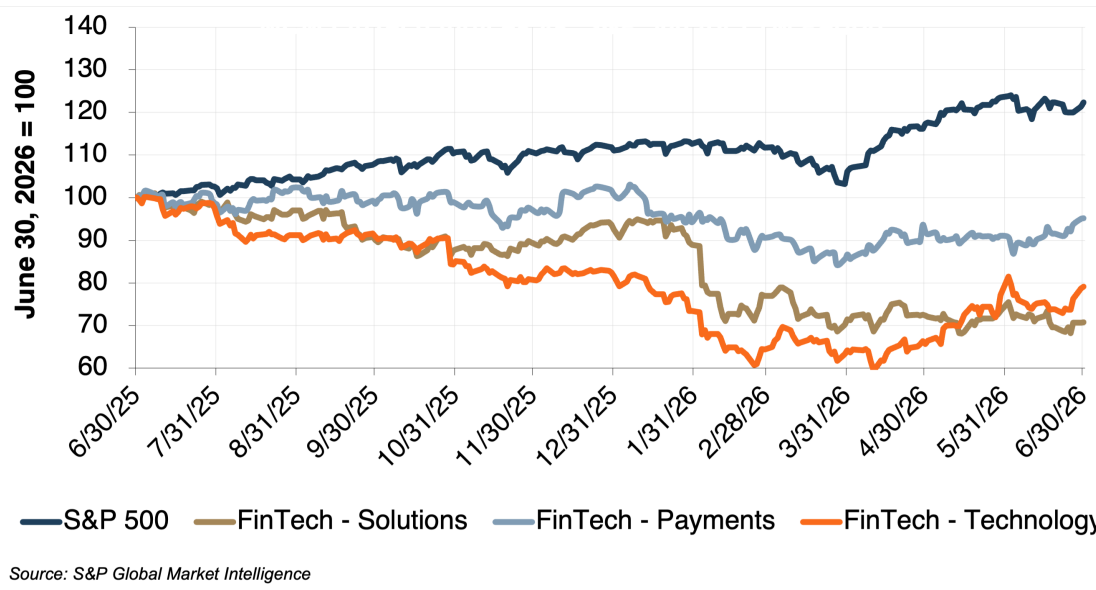


July 2026

Summary

For the last twelve months ended June 30, 2026, the Payments, Solutions, and Technology FinTech indices had total returns of -4.9%, -29.2%, and -20.9%, respectively. All three lagged the wider market as the S&P 500 had a total return of 22.3% over the same period. For the month ended June 30, 2026, the Payments, Solutions, and Technology indices had total returns of 4.1%, -2.7%, and 2.0%, respectively. All but the Solutions Index surpassed the S&P 500 return of -1.2% over the same time period.

Mercer Capital's FinTech Group Index Overview



Valuation Multiples as of June 30, 2026

Segment	Price/ LTM EPS	Price / 2026 (E) EPS	Ent'p Value / LTM EBITDA	Ent'p Value / FY26 (E) EBITDA	Ent'p Value / LTM Revenue
FinTech - Payments	28.6	15.9	9.7	8.1	2.1
FinTech - Solutions	25.7	14.4	11.7	10.5	2.9
FinTech - Technology	20.9	13.4	12.8	8.4	3.1

Notable Merger



Nium Announces Acquisition of Cypher

On July 8, Nium announced the acquisition of Cypher, a crypto-native non-custodial wallet and issuing platform, for undisclosed financial terms. Cypher develops digital asset infrastructure that enables businesses to bridge traditional banking and blockchain-based payments. The acquisition expands Nium's cross-border payments platform by adding fiat-to-on-chain money movement capabilities and digital asset expertise. The transaction supports Nium's strategy of strengthening its global payments infrastructure across both traditional and digital financial networks.

Notable IPO

■ Natural

Natural Raises \$30 Million Series A Financing

On July 20, Natural announced a \$30 million Series A financing led by Forerunner, with participation from existing investors. Natural is building a payments infrastructure platform designed to enable AI agents to initiate and manage transactions autonomously. The financing brings the Company's total funding to more than \$40 million and supports continued development of its AI-native payments platform. Proceeds from the financing will accelerate product development and expand the Company's payments infrastructure for autonomous commerce.

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