



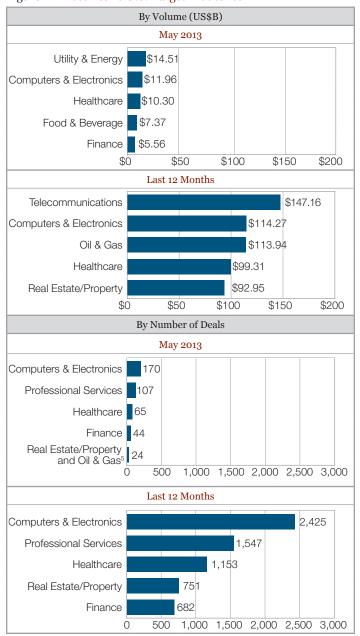
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# **M&A** Activity

#### Figure 1

May 2013	Global	+/- From Prior Month	U.S.	+/- From Prior Month
Total				
Volume (US\$B)	187.01	(21.07)	68.03	(22.20)
No. of deals	2,557	(126)	660	7
Avg. value of deals (US\$mil)	152.3	(4.4)	299.7	(103.1)
Avg. deal multiple <sup>1</sup>	11.6x	(0.4)	13.4x	(1.0)
Strategic Transactions				
Volume (US\$B)	139.41	(43.35)	33.83	(45.88)
No. of deals	2,292	(114)	554	(8)
Avg. value of deals (US\$mil)	124.7	(26.0)	180.9	(240.8)
Avg. deal multiple <sup>1</sup>	11.0x	(0.8)	11.5x	(2.1)
Sponsor-Related Transactions				
Volume (US\$B)	47.60	22.29	34.20	23.67
No. of deals	265	(12)	106	15
Avg. value of deals (US\$mil)	432.7	212.6	855.0	554.3
Avg. deal multiple <sup>1</sup>	15.0x	1.3	15.9x	(1.3)
Crossborder Transactions <sup>2</sup>				
Volume (US\$B)	66.37	20.04	Inbound 19.18 Outbound 17.98	Inbound 11.20 Outbound 6.28
No. of deals	613	(58)	Inbound 74 Outbound 124	Inbound (21) Outbound (8)
Avg. value of deals (US\$mil)	225.8	84.1	Inbound 547.9 Outbound 374.5	Inbound 353.5 Outbound 165.7
Avg. deal multiple <sup>1</sup>	9.3x	(1.3)	Inbound 12.4x Outbound 11.8x	Inbound 1.5 Outbound 0.6

Figure 2 - Most Active U.S. Target Industries<sup>3 4</sup>



Figures 1-3 were compiled using data from Dealogic, and are for the broader M&A market, including mergers of any value involving public and/or private entities. Figures 4 and 5 were compiled using data from FactSet MergerMetrics, and are limited to mergers involving public U.S. targets announced during the period indicated and valued at \$100 million or higher regardless of whether a definitive merger agreement was reached and filed or withdrawn. All data is as of June 10, 2013 unless otherwise specified. "Last 12 Months" data is for the period from June 2012 to May 2013 inclusive. Data obtained from Dealogic and FactSet MergerMetrics has not been reviewed for accuracy by Paul, Weiss.

<sup>1</sup> Ratio of enterprise value to EBITDA, trailing 12 months. This statistic is calculated using a smaller subset of deals for which this data is available.

<sup>2</sup> Global crossborder transactions are those where the acquirer and the target have different nationalities. Nationality is based on where a company has either its headquarters or a majority of its operations. U.S. crossborder transactions are those transactions where the acquirer and the target have different nationalities and either the acquirer ("Outbound") or the target ("Inbound") has a U.S. nationality.

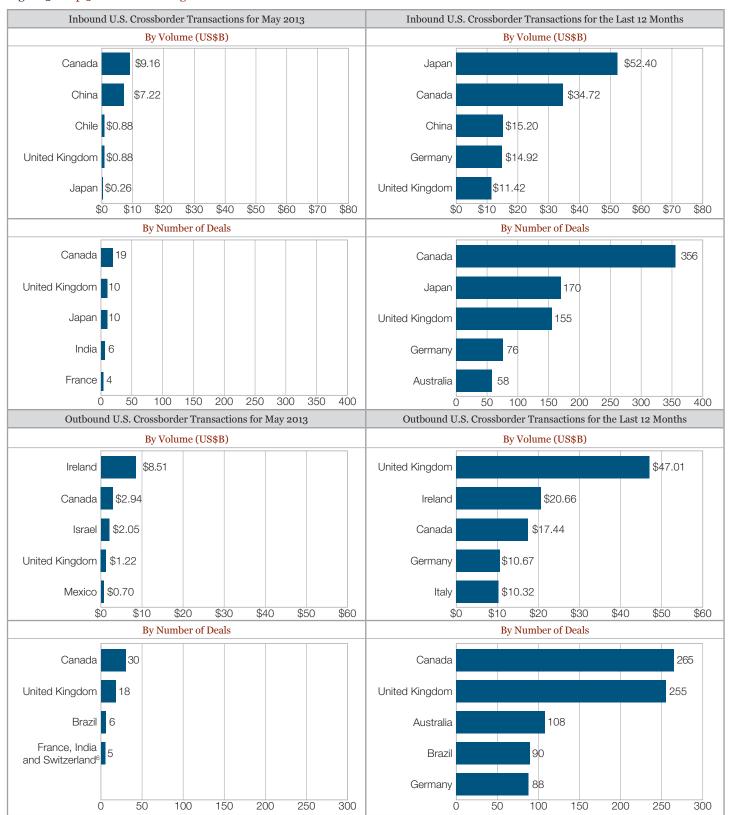
<sup>3</sup> Industries categories are determined and named by Dealogic.

<sup>4</sup> See box on p. 5 for treatment of Dell Inc. offers.

 $<sup>5\ \ \</sup>text{There were 24 transactions in both the Real Estate/Property category and Oil \& Gas category in May 2013}.$ 

M&A Activity (Continued)

Figure 3 - Top 5 Countries of Origin or Destination for U.S. Crossborder Transactions



 $<sup>^{6}\,\,</sup>$  Each of France, India and Switzerland was the country of destination for five transactions in May 2013.

M&A Activity (Continued)

Figure 4 - Average Value of Announced U.S. Public Mergers (in US\$mil)<sup>7</sup>

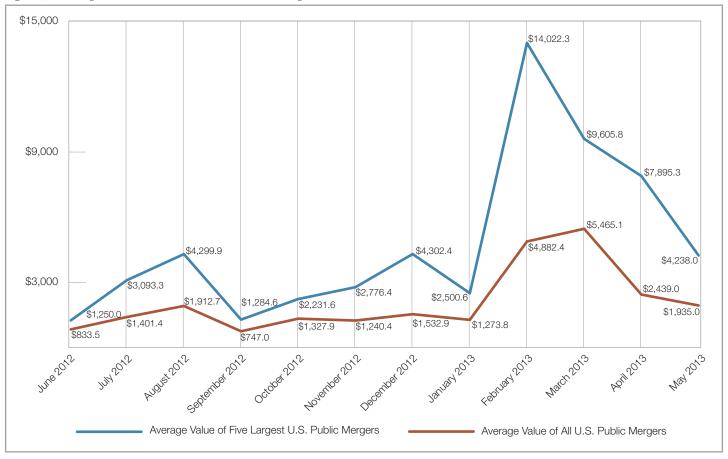
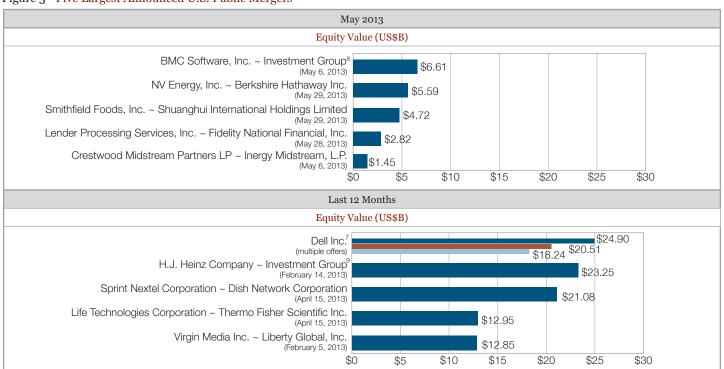


Figure 5 - Five Largest Announced U.S. Public Mergers



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<sup>8</sup> Members of Investment Group reported by FactSet MergerMetrics are GIC Special Investments Pte Ltd, Insight Venture Partners, Golden Gate Capital and Bain Capital, LLC.

<sup>9</sup> Members of Investment Group reported by FactSet MergerMetrics are 3G Capital and Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

### **M&A Terms**

Figure 6 - Average Break Fees as % of Equity Value 10

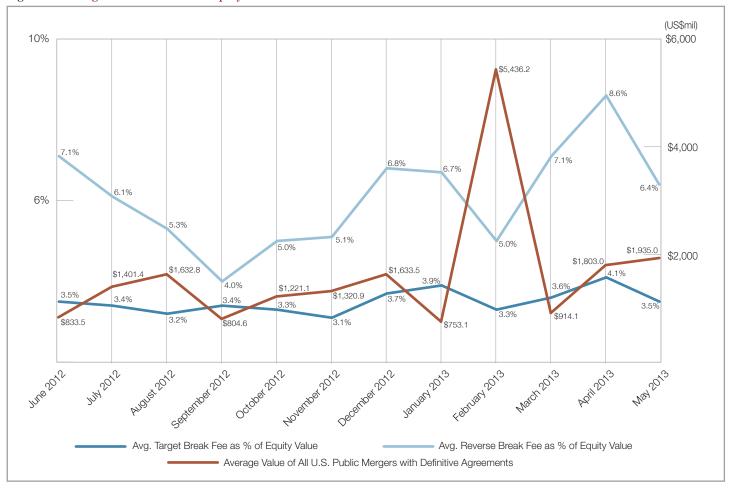


Figure 7 - Average Break Fees as % of Equity Value 10

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			May 2013	3	Last 12 Months	
Target	Break Fee	for All Mergers	3.5		3.5	

	May 2013	Last 12 Months
Reverse Break Fee for All Mergers	6.4	6.1
Reverse Break Fee for Mergers Involving Financial Buyers	7.5	6.7
Reverse Break Fee for Mergers Involving Strategic Buyers	5.3	5.6

Figures 6-12 were compiled using data from FactSet MergerMetrics, and are limited to select mergers involving public U.S. targets announced during the period indicated, valued at \$100 million or higher and for which a definitive merger agreement was reached and filed (unless otherwise indicated). Data obtained from FactSet MergerMetrics has not been reviewed for accuracy by Paul, Weiss.

Figure 8 - U.S. Public Merger Go-Shop Provisions

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	May 2013	Last 12 Months	
% of Mergers with Go-Shops	42.9	13.3	
% of Mergers Involving Financial Buyers with Go-Shops	75.0	34.5	
% of Mergers Involving Strategic Buyers with Go-Shops	30.0	7.9	
Avg. Go-Shop Window (in Days) for All Mergers with Go-Shops	35.3	35.2	
Avg. Go-Shop Window (in Days) for Mergers Involving Financial Buyers with Go-Shops	29.0	34.3	
Avg. Go-Shop Window (in Days) for Mergers Involving Strategic Buyers with Go-Shops	41.7	36.2	

 $<sup>^{10}</sup>$  Based on the highest target break fees and reverse break fees payable in a particular deal.

#### M&A Terms (Continued)

Figure 9 - Form of Consideration as % of U.S. Public Mergers<sup>11</sup>

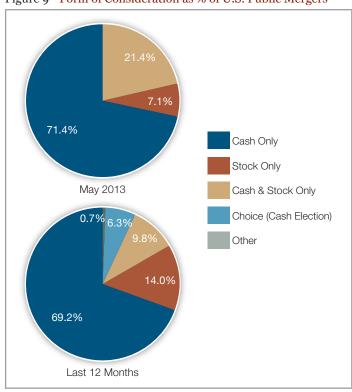


Figure 10 - % of Partial and All Stock Deals that Have a Fixed Exchange Ratio

May 2013	75.0
Last 12 Months	91.2

Figure 11 - Tender Offers as % of U.S. Public Mergers

May 2013	7.1
Last 12 Months	21.0

Figure 12 - Hostile/Unsolicited Offers as % of U.S. Public Mergers<sup>12</sup>

May 2013	0.0
Last 12 Months	15.3

Note on the Treatment of the Multiple Dell Inc. Offers: For Figure 2, with data reported by Dealogic, the "Last 12 Months" category includes the February 2013 management buyout of Dell Inc. by Michael Dell and Silver Lake Management LLC, reported at \$20.72 billion, and two March 2013 offers for Dell Inc., one from The Blackstone Group LP, reported at \$25.68 billion, and one from Icahn Enterprises L.P., reported at \$18.90 billion. For Figures 4, 5 and 12, with data reported by FactSet MergerMetrics, February 2013 includes the management buyout of Dell Inc. by Michael Dell and Silver Lake Management LLC, reported at \$20.51 billion, and March 2013 includes two subsequent offers, one from The Blackstone Group LP, Insight Venture Partners and Francisco Partners at \$24.90 billion, and another from Icahn Enterprises L.P., reported at \$18.24 billion. Excluding the March 2013 offers, the Average Value of all U.S. Public Mergers for March 2013 would be \$8,3.8 million, and the Average Value of Five Largest U.S. Public Mergers for March 2013 would be \$1,116.2 million.

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 $<sup>^{11}\,</sup>$  Due to rounding, percentages may not add up to 100%.

<sup>12</sup> This data includes both announced transactions for which a definitive merger agreement was reached and filed and those for which a definitive merger agreement was never reached and filed (including withdrawn transactions).