

Tech M&A Monthly





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Past Attendees Include:











































Past Conferences & Reports

- Private Equity Panel
- 10 Key Terms in an M&A Contract
- Google Acquisition Strategy
- Deal Structures Today
- Disruptive Tech Trend Reports: IoT Software, Majority Mobilization, Sports & Gaming, etc.
- Special Reports: Patents, New Buyers, M&A Process, Increasing Deal Value...



Merge Briefing

- 90 Minutes
- Industry Update
- Overview of the M&A Process
- Upcoming events in:
 - Berlin
 - Wellington
 - Birmingham
 - Cardiff

- Boise
- Toronto
- Paris
- Victoria



MERGE BRIEFING

Selling Up, Selling Out

- Half-Day
- Tech M&A Bootcamp
- The most attended tech executive conference in history
- Upcoming events in:
 - Auckland
 - Detroit
 - Richmond





8 Stages for an **Optimal Outcome**



Typical Negotiation Flow

Discovery process is complete

Seller presents delivers an opening counter offer

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AVOIDING THE DEAL DISASTERS

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Logistics

- Ask questions any time
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- This event is being recorded
 - European broadcast November 11, 1 PM Berlin Time
 - On demand webcast will be available at www.corumgroup.com

Tech M&A Monthly 12 Deal Structure Tips + Trump & Tech M&A

November 10, 2016

Welcome



Bruce Milne CEO Corum Group Ltd.

A leader in the software industry, Bruce has founded or owned four software companies, including the largest vertical market software company, AMI, an Inc. 500 firm rated by IDC as the fastest growing computer-related company in the world.

He has served on advisory boards for Microsoft, IBM, DEC, Comdex and Apple, and as board member/founding investor in some of the most innovative firms in their field, including Blue Coat, Bright Star and Sabaki. Past advisor to two governors and a senator, a board member of the Washington Technology Center, and founder of the WTIA, the nation's most active regional technology trade association.

He worked with the Canadian government to found SoftWorld, and he was recently chosen as one of the 200 most influential individuals in the IT community in Europe. He was also the only American juror for the recent Tornado 100 Awards given to Europe's top technology firms

A graduate with Distinction from Harvard Business School, Bruce has written three books on business models for success, including *Power Planning*. He is a frequent lecturer and author.

Agenda

- Welcome
- Trump and Tech M&A: What Now?
- November 2016 Research Report
- 12 Deal Structure Tips to Maximize Value
- -Q&A

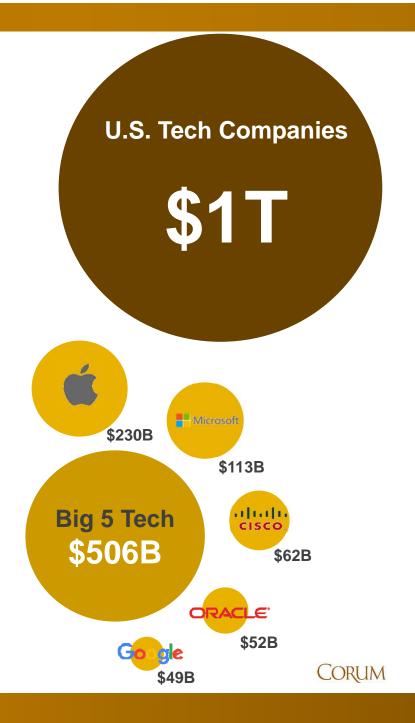
Reasons M&A Will Remain Strong

- Disruptive Technologies
- Urgent need for growth
- Access to capital

Total Overseas Cash

\$2.5T

Overseas Cash Holdings





Market Impacts by Sector

Elon Gasper Executive Vice President, Research and Technology Corum Group Ltd.

Elon Gasper founded pioneering animation and speech software company Bright Star Technology in the 1980s. With Corum's assistance he closed venture funding, expanded and then sold Bright Star to a public company in the early 90s. He holds 9 patents for his software innovations and was a finalist for the Fleugelman, the only personal achievement award given by the Software Publishers Association. He has also won a Traditional Game of the Year, a Best Practices for Product Innovation, a COMDEX Envision and a Codie, the retail software 'Oscar'.

Elon also chairs the World Technology Council, whose members include a number of former Corum clients who enjoy continued participation with the firm, ranging from taking a leadership role in transactions in their areas of expertise to rendering business, technical and other advice and assistance. Elon's other interests also include oversight of activities related to Corum's Web and social media presence. He earned his MS in Computer Science and BS in Biochemistry from Michigan State University.

Vertical Sector Impacts

- A/E/C: Value follows Caterpillar (up 8%) and defense stocks
- Government: Increased demand for productivity in the US government opens new opportunities
- Healthcare: Lower value for compliance and other Affordable Care Act beneficiaries, but new opportunities with a replacement. Research, biomed and biotech up with regulation pullbacks

Horizontal Sector Impacts

- HR: Compliance boom may wane, while training value may increase due to increased public works and overall change
 - BI: Increased value and demand as new models and faster reaction to changing market conditions is needed
 - SCM & ERP: Value up for those dealing with changing international supply chains and manufacturing geographies

Internet Sector Impacts

- **E-Commerce:** Uncertainty to downside. Trump has mentioned an Internet sales tax.
- Travel & Leisure: Accelerated consolidation in travel, with uncertainty pushing value down, as seen in public markets.
- Social Networks: Upside as Twitter & Facebook had a major electoral impact, they and others in the ecosystem will share in the benefit.

IT Services Sector Impacts

Emerging Markets: Premium continues trending downward as outsourcing becomes even less favorably looked upon.

Developed Markets: High valuations should continue, with particular opportunity for services firms leveraging small town and rural areas in the US (and maybe UK, others)



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After Bright Star, Elon went on to drive development, business and marketing strategies in a variety of companies and roles, including Chief Technologist in entertainment giant Vivendi Universal's Sierra Online division; Senior VP at VizX Labs, a pioneering SaaS business delivering DNA analysis tools to scientists; and participant in a number of other start-ups, notably in the medical device, geoweb and telecommunications spaces. His background also includes faculty, staff and other positions at UCLA, Cal State, and currently University of Washington, where he has appointment as Entrepreneur-in-Residence at UWBTEC; systems programming at a Fortune 500 company's Advanced Technology Center; and biomedical research.

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Corum Research Report



Amber Stoner
Director of Research

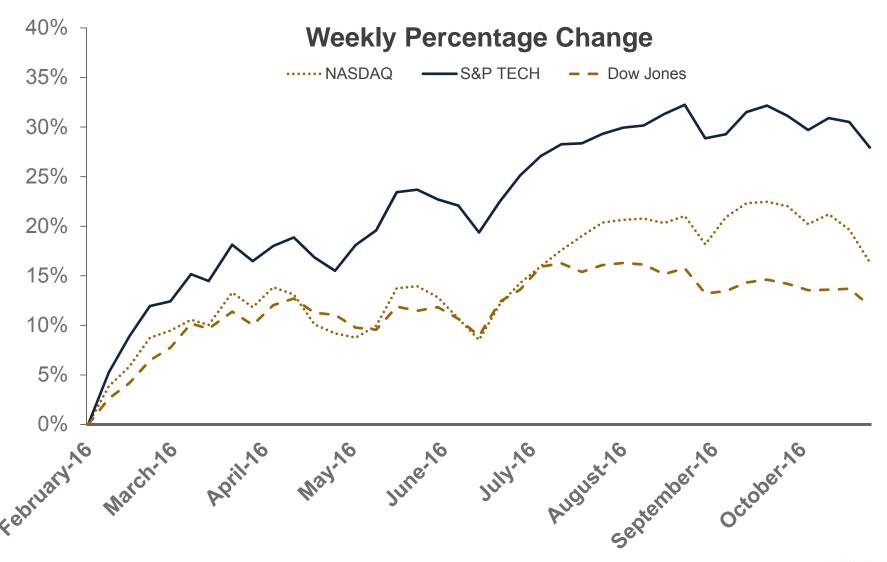


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Public Markets



Macro view: 4 Longest* Bull Market Runs

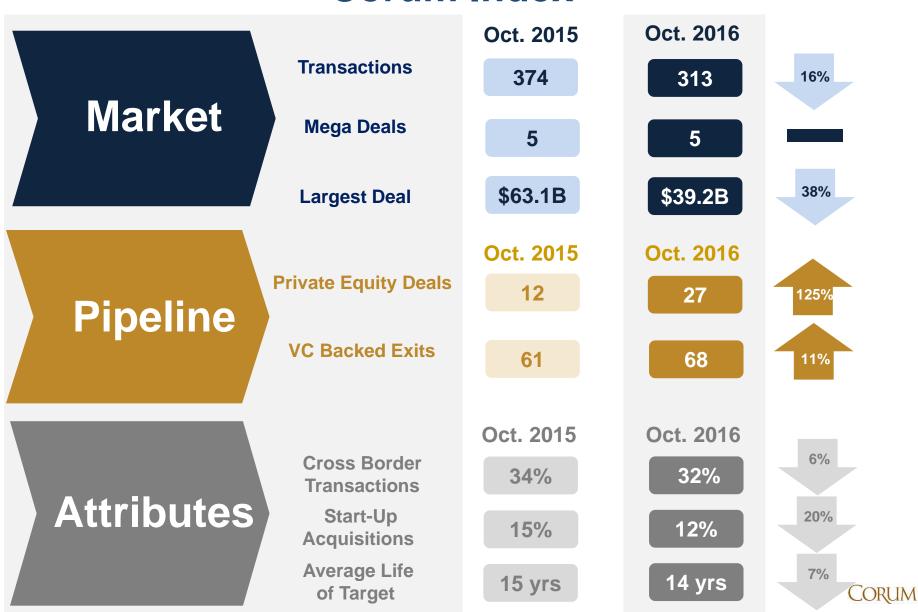
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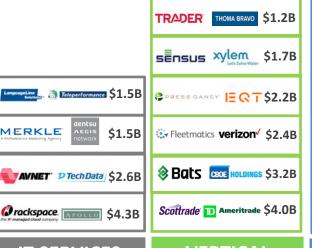
*Since the Great Depression. Source: S&P Capital IQ, The Associated Press

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\$9.1B







IT SERVICES

\$9.9B

VERTICAL \$14B

HORIZONTAL \$18B

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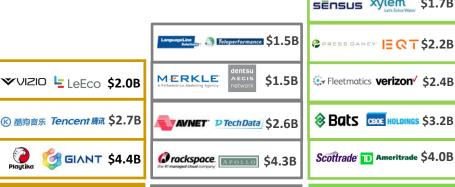
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Target: Brocade Communications Systems Inc. [USA]

Acquirer: Broadcom Corporation [Avago] [USA]

Transaction Value: \$5.5B (2.6x EV/S and 13.2x EBITDA)









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Intelligrated Honeywell \$1.5B

EMC² OPENTEXT \$1.6B

EPICOR KKR \$3.3B

NETSUITE ORACLE \$9.3B

Target: Qunar Cayman Islands Limited [China] Acquirer: Consortium led by Ctrip [China]

Transaction Value: \$4.4B (6.8x EV/S)



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Target: Grupa Allegro [Poland]

Acquirer: Cinven/Permira/Mid Europa [United Kingdom]

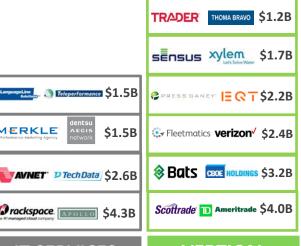
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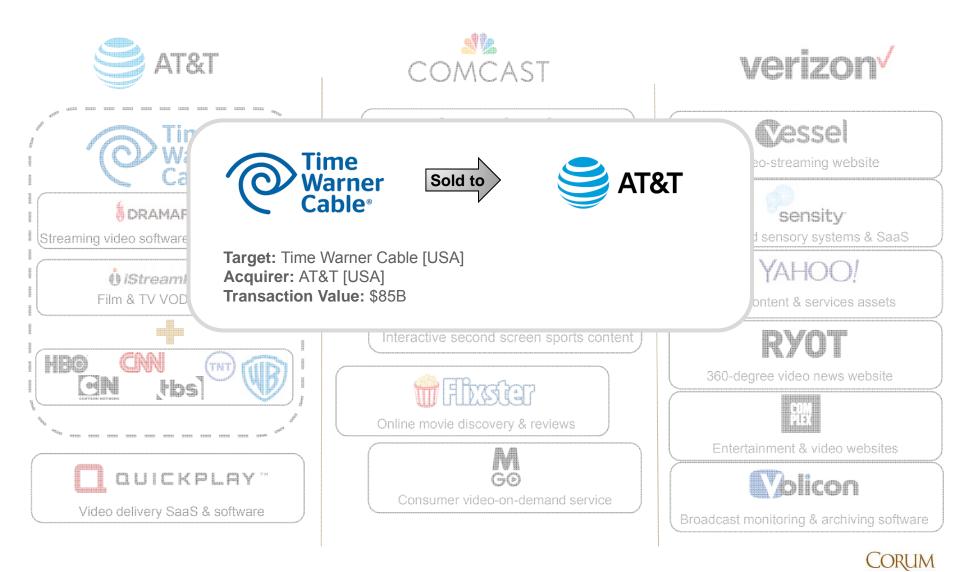
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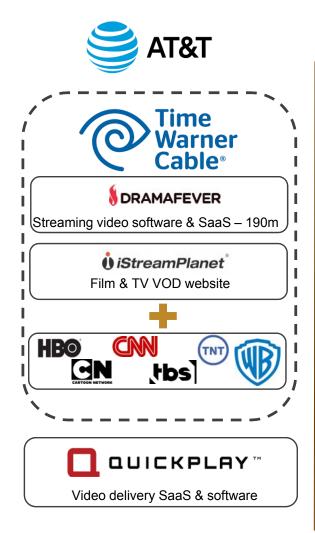


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Connected home automation software



Online video ad exchange



Interactive second screen sports content



Online movie discovery & reviews



Consumer video-on-demand service

verizon /



Video-streaming website



LED-based sensory systems & SaaS



Online content & services assets

RYOT

360-degree video news website



Entertainment & video websites



Broadcast monitoring & archiving software





Consumer Software Market

Public Valuation Multiples



Oct. 2016

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2.2x

Small dip as market penetration concerns yield to...





17.8x

...the need for profitable business models.



Consumer Software Market

Deal Spotlights: Video Networking







Target: any.TV [Canada]

Acquirer: AID Partners [China] **Transaction Value:** \$60M

- Canadian online video network







Target: FameBit [USA] **Acquirer:** Google [USA]

- YouTube online advertisement service



Deal Spotlight: Gaming

Since Q3 Oct. 2016

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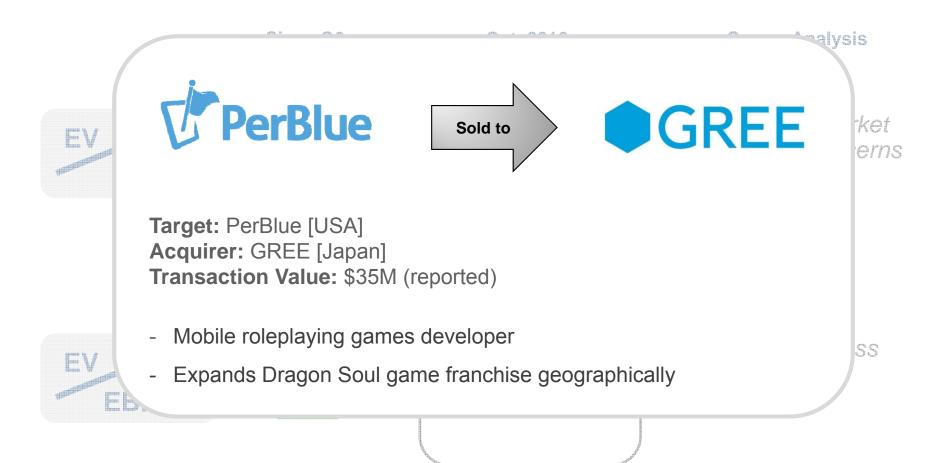
Target: Pixonic [Russia] **Acquirer:** Mail.Ru [Russia]

Transaction Value: \$20M (3.2x EV/S)

- Mobile video game developer
- Urges more worldwide appeal for Pixonic's War Robots game

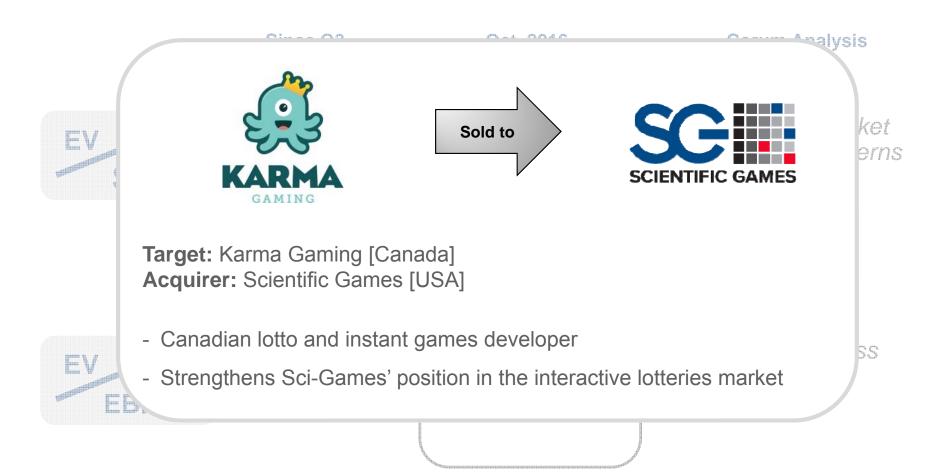


Deal Spotlight: Gaming





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Public Valuation Multiples



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4.3x

Sales multiples drop back to July levels after a brief bounce.





20.4x

Steeper decline back towards
January multiples.



Deal Spotlights: Travel & Leisure







Target: Qunar.com (Baidu) [China]

Acquirer: TuJia [China]

Chinese travel homestay division









Target: Ctrip.com International [China]

Acquirer: TuJia [China]

- Online travel reservations of private home share rentals in China











Target: Traveling Bestone [China]

Acquirer: Ctrip.com International [China]

Online travel booking services provider for consumers in China

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Deal Spotlights: Travel & Leisure









Target: ibibo Web [India]
Acquirer: MakeMyTrip [India]

Transaction Value: \$720M (reported)

Operates travel booking and ticketing websites for consumers in India









Target: Directground [India] **Acquirer:** Play Your Sport [India]

India-based online sports directory

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Deal Spotlights: Travel & Leisure







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Target: Agriturismo.it [Italy]

Acquirer: Casevacanza.it (Feries) [Italy]

Italy-based rural rentals website

Another move towards leadership within the non-hotel tourism in Europe







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Target: Wimdu [Germany] **Acquirer:** 9flats [Singapore]

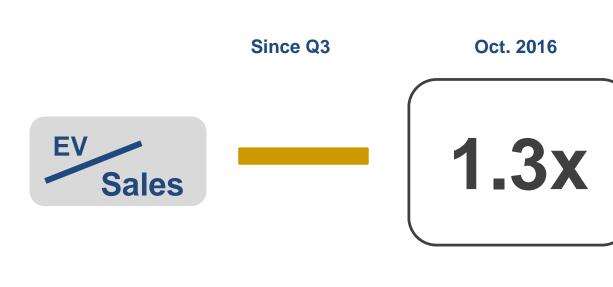
Short-term rentals classifieds website

Consolidation in order to withstand Airbnb's expansion





Public Valuation Multiples



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Retains historic highs reached via a multi-year upward trend.





10.9x

Small dip back to summer levels.



Deal Spotlights: Salesforce Integration Services





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Target: Cinder Group [Australia] **Acquirer:** Deloitte Digital [USA]

- Salesforce & marketing systems integration
- Cinder brings marketing optimization to Deloitte Digital











Target: ACF Solutions [USA]

Acquirer: Attain [USA]

Salesforce systems integration services

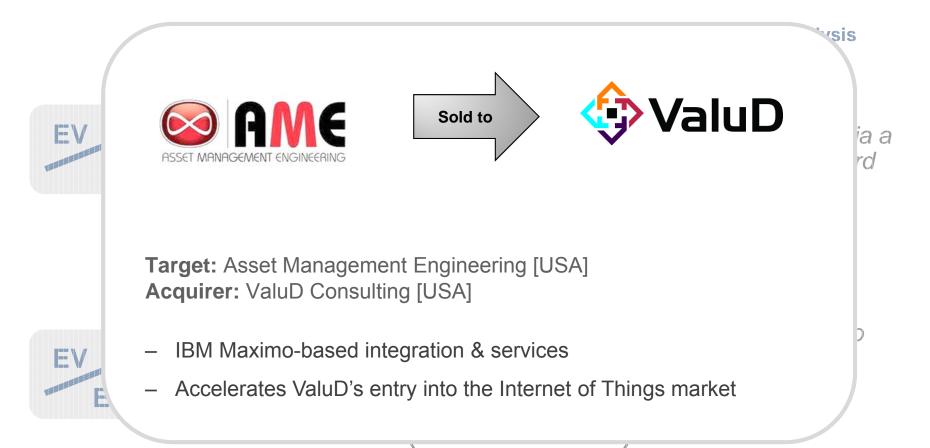


Deal Spotlight: Managed & Networking Services



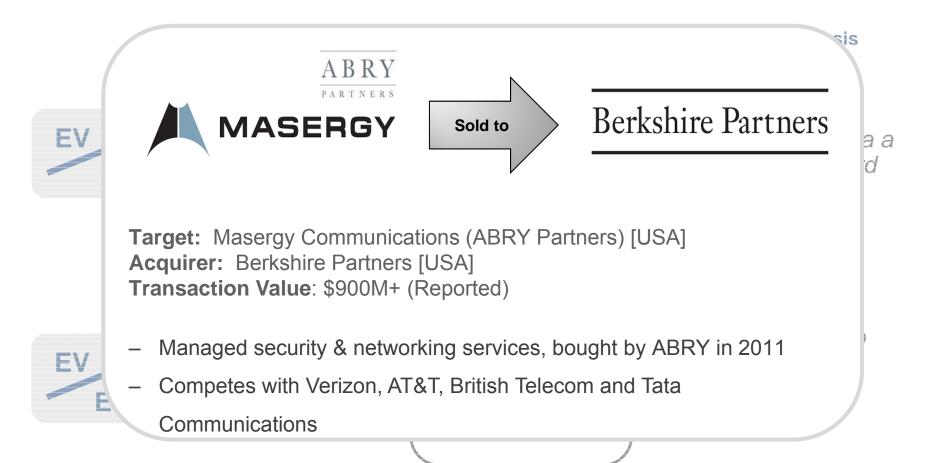


Deal Spotlight: IT Consulting and Services



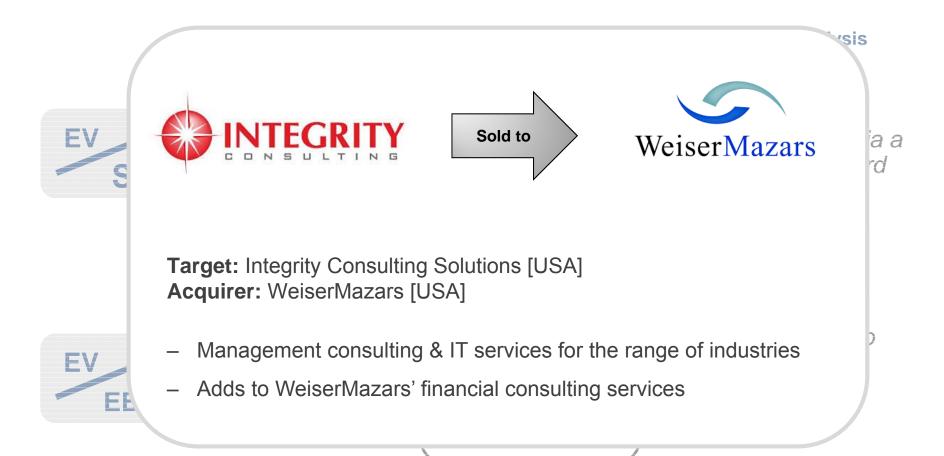


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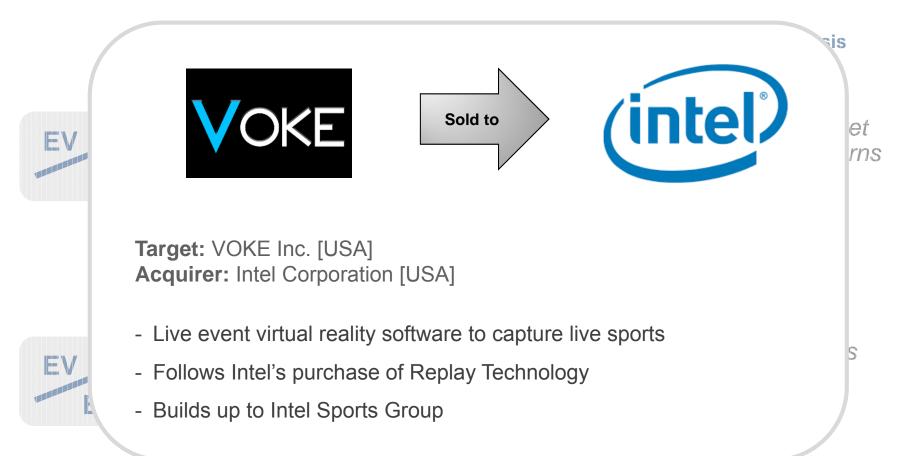


Deal Spotlight: IT Consulting





Deal Spotlight: Virtual Reality



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12 Deal Structure Tips to Maximize Valuation





Steve Jones Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Plan ahead for estates, trusts, tithes, etc.







Rob Griggs Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Choose your deal structure carefully: Asset Sale vs.
Stock Sale







David Levine Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Choose your deal consideration carefully: Cash

vs. Stock







Steve Hassett Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Avoid the tax traps





Tax Impact – Stock vs. Sale of Assets

	Stock	Assets	
Sale Price	\$100	\$100	
Basis for Assets	N/A	\$5	
Taxable Amount at Corp Level	N/A	\$95	
Total Taxes Paid	\$23	\$53	
Net Cash to Seller	\$77	\$47	
Shareholder's basis (may differ for each individual shareholder)	\$5	N/A	
Taxable Amount at Shareholders' Level	\$95	\$62	
Individual Capital Gain Tax @ 23.8%	\$23	N/A	
Individual Dividend Tax @ 23.8%	N/A	\$15	
Total Taxes Paid	\$23	\$53	
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Net Cash to Seller	\$77	\$47	



Dan Bernstein Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Earnout or Not?







Jim Perkins Executive Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

What to avoid in earnouts







Jon Scott Managing Director Corum Group Ltd.

Liabilities can kill you







Rob Schram Senior Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Be careful about escrows & holdbacks







Peri Pierone Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Who should stay with the deal?







Allan Wilson Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Negotiating your employment agreement







Peter Prince Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Noncompetes – how long?





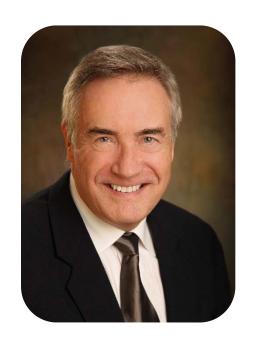


Ivan Ruzic, Ph.D. Vice President Corum Group Ltd.

Integrating for Success







Bruce Milne CEO Corum Group Ltd.

Clever ways to handle disparate ownership benefits





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After the Deal – Celebration



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