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Public company valuations in the asset management sector have been trading in line with long-term historical averages, while M&A valuations have been holding up reasonably well.









Recent large-scale M&A transactions stirring debate

 Janus / Henderson, Aberdeen / Standard Life, Pioneer / Amundi -- a sign of things to come?

Significant activity in alternatives

- Real estate, real assets and private credit have been important themes
- Hedge fund minority stakes

Private equity as more active buyers and sellers

Announcement Date	Target Country	Target	Acquirer	Target's AUM (US\$bn)	Value (US\$mm)	Sellers	EV/EBITDA
March 2017		25% of 🚯 OMAM	HNA	240	1,788	🛞 OLDMUTUAL	• n/a
March 2017	Ð	Merger of Aberdeen	Standard Life	374	4,700	Aberdeen	• 11.3x
February 2017	۲	FORTRESS	SoftBank	70	3,300	FORT RESS	• 10.3x
December 2016	0	PIONEER Investments	Amundi	252	3,757	💋 UniCredit	• 11.4x
October 2016		ANUS CAPITAL	Henderson	191	2,680	ANUS CAPITAL	• 7.9x
May 2016		American Capital	ØARES	77	3,430	American Capital	• 11.7x
March 2016		Merger of	& Babson	260	n/a	MassMutual	• n/a
December 2015	۲	Merican Century Investments*	NO/MURA	149	2,440	CIBC	• n/a

Enterprise

Middle Market

Large Scale

Announcement Date	Target Country	Target	Acquirer	Target's AUM (US\$bn)	% Sold	Sellers	Target's Expertise
March 2017	۲	SNW	®.	2.7	n/a	SNW Management	Fixed Income
February 2017	۲	Merger of KKR	PAAMCO	10	n/a	KKR	Fund-Of-Hedge Funds
January 2017	Ð	HAYFIN	bic unc	9	Majority	Consortium of institutional investors	Credit
January 2017		We a	磷酸	2	Majority	Const West Remain	Opportunistic Credit
December 2016	۲	CVTVWO	Management	20	100%	CÝLÝ MOS	Multi-Strategy
November 2016		RIDGEWÖRTH	VIRTUS	40	100%	LIGHTYEAR CAPITAL Management	Multi-Strategy
November 2016		Dolan McEniry	MSquare.	6	Minority	Dolan McEniry	Fixed Income
November 2016	۲	C. KULLEY	Advisors	3	100%	TAAssociates	Equity
October 2016	۲	Calvert	EatonVance Investment Managers	12	100%	Calvert	• SRI
October 2016	۲	Aberdeen (US Flowd Income)	Character Instant	4	100%	Aberdeen	Fixed Income (Abandoned)
September 2016	(Eureka	MANAGERS	4	100%	Eureko	Real Estate
June 2016	۲	MARATHON	Blackstone	13	Minority	🛞 M A R A T H O N	Distressed Debt















Drivers	 Ownership succession / liquidity needs Expand distribution into new geographies and new channels Access to growth capital AUM scale and access to new investment capabilities, particularly in niche strategies and unique geographies
How Much Sold	 Strategic buyers typically looking for majority ownership The more integration / consolidation involved, the more important majority / 100% will be to the buyer Financial buyers, including private equity, more open to both majority and minority stakes Many financial buyers looking to acquire revenue shares
Form and Timing of Consideration	 Upfront proceeds often represent only a portion of total enterprise value Deferred purchase price can be in form of earnouts or retained equity Earnouts can be simply deferred or contingent consideration Pre-arranged mechanics to determine subsequent valuations / payments Generally 2-5 years for earnouts and 5-7 years for retained equity liquidity Use of cash versus stock
Culture	 Autonomy with respect to investment process / security selection and day-to-day management Consolidating transactions naturally allow for less independence Continuity of salary / bonus schemes (at least for a period of time)
Legal / Regulatory	 Employment contracts, including non-competes, generally in place for 3-7 years Client consents required in change of control







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2012-2016







Potential Mutualization of Asset Management





Equity ownership of asset management is controlled by a small number of private investors

Source: eVestment & Nile Capital Group LLC

Fund data as of June 2014. Plan sponsor data as of most recent reported fiscal year







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REVENUE SHARE BY GICS* INDUSTRY GROUP

Private Public



Source: Bloomberg & Nile Capital Group LLC *GICS - Global Industry Classification Standard Data as of December 2013

By contrast, equity ownership of other major industries is in public hands







- Clear differences in P/AUM exist between firms with/without an established mutual fund complex
- Firms without a mutual fund complex are consistently valued at between 1.5% and 2.5% of AUM
- Firms with a mutual fund complex are valued at between 2.5% and 4% of AUM more than a 50% premium



Source: Price Waterhouse Coopers, Asset Management M & A Highlights, March 2015









Exhibit 1: Average trailing 3 year performance decile of the top 20 funds with the highest net AUM increase in International Equity funds. 1996-2013.



Exhibit 2: Average net AUM increment decile of the top 20 performing funds in International Equity. 1996-2013.

: Nile Capital Group LLC, derived based on data from Mutual Fund Data database @201312 from the for Research in Securities Prices (CRSP©), The University of Chicago Booth School of Business







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Implications of that debate for the

Mutual Fund/Investment Management Industry

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What it will look like in 2017 and 2018?

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Making an acquisition in the

Mutual Fund/Investment Management Industry







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Q&A





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