Quarterly Industry Update

As of March 31, 2014 Industry: Solar

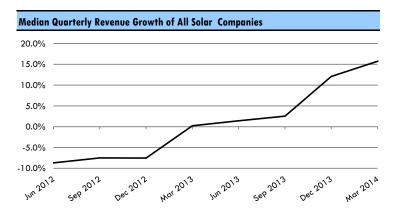


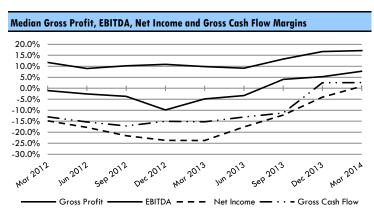
Industry Summary

Cogent Valuation identified publicly traded companies, IPOs, and recent M&A transactions within the Solar industry, which provides a basis for market and transaction pricing that can be used by your firm in estimating market sentiment and its impact on your firm's value. Since March 31, 2013, the median 52-week share price return of the Solar industry has increased by 179.5%. In the last quarter, the median price-to-earnings multiple remained unchanged.

Comparable Public Company Key Statis	tics										
Median 52-Week Return	179.5%	Median EV/Revenue Multiple			1.3x	Median Price/Earnings Multiple			18.5x		
Median 3-Year CAGR Return	-24.8%	Median EV/EBITDA Multiple			11.2x	Median EV/Gross CF Multiple			13.5x		
Comparable Public Company Market Price Returns (As of March 31, 2014)											
	YTD	3 Month	1 Year	2 Year	3 Year	5 Year	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
First Solar, Inc.	126.2%	27.7%	158.9%	66.9%	-24.3%	-12.1%	-8.6%	-74.1%	-3.9%	-1.9%	-48.4%
SunPower Corporation	474.0%	8.2%	179.5%	124.9%	N/A	N/A	-9.8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
JA Solar Holdings Co., Ltd.	138.2%	10.9%	180.9%	14.6%	-33.8%	-9.6%	-36.3%	-80.6%	21.4%	30.4%	-81.2%
Trina Solar Limited	209.9%	-1.6%	270.5%	37.3%	-23.6%	20.9%	-35.0%	-71.5%	-13.2%	480.9%	-82.7%
Yingli Green Energy Holding Co. Ltd.	85.1%	-13.9%	128.9%	9.6%	-30.4%	-6.3%	-38.2%	-61.5%	-37.5%	159.2%	-84.2%
China Sunergy Co. Ltd.	203.5%	-28.5%	216.9%	60.2%	-29.6%	-14.0%	26.8%	-91.1%	-9.5%	17.0%	-76.1%
Ascent Solar Technologies, Inc.	-1.6%	-13.5%	8.9%	-1.6%	-40.3%	-31.6%	59.0%	-88.4%	-36.6%	41.0%	-84.9%
Canadian Solar Inc.	842.4%	7.4%	826.0%	217.4%	41.6%	39.9%	27.8%	-78.5%	-57.0%	346.1%	-77.1%
JinkoSolar Holding Co., Ltd.	350.1%	-4.6%	502.4%	114.1%	1.2%	N/A	24.2%	-75.1%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Song Da Industry Trade Jsc	8.6%	16.3%	12.8%	-7.3%	-25.3%	-12.8%	8.1%	-75.2%	-25.3%	127.0%	N/A
Ellomay Capital Ltd.	64.2%	0.8%	35.5%	22.5%	13.0%	13.3%	6.8%	-25.3%	20.0%	7.8%	-18.3%
Enphase Energy, Inc.	101.6%	16.1%	18.7%	0.1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
SolarCity Corporation	424.9%	10.2%	231.7%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Median of Industry Public Companies	138.2%	7.4%	179.5%	29.9%	-24.8%	-9.6%	6.8%	-75.2%	-13.2%	41.0%	-79.1%

(Multiple year periods are calculated as the average annual return.)





Median Public Company Multiples of the Solar Industry									
Date:	3/31/2012	6/30/2012	9/30/2012	12/31/2012	3/31/2013	6/30/2013	9/30/2013	12/31/2013	3/31/2014
EV/Revenues Multiple	0.6x	0.8x	0.6x	0.8x	1.0x	1.1x	1.3x	1.4x	1.3x
EV/EBITDA Multiple	26.9x	9.7x	10.4x	3.2x	19.5x	15.6x	15.7x	10.2x	11.2x
Price/Earnings Multiple	nm	13.0x	nm	6.0x	9.7x	13.1x	9.0x	20.4x	18.5x
EV/Gross Cash Flows Multiple	6.7x	10.4x	8.6x	13.9x	4.1x	5.9x	4.2x	18.9x	13.5x

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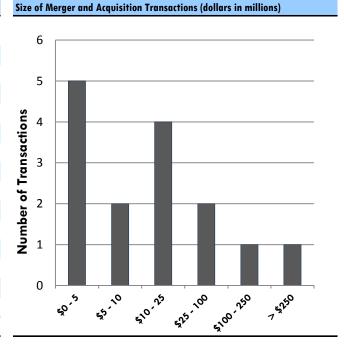
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Industry Initial Public Offerings (dollars in millions, except share prices)										
Offer Date	Company Name	Offer Price	Shares Offered	Amount Raised	<u>Total Assets</u>	<u>Debt</u>	LTM Revenues	LTM EBITDA	LTM Net Income	LTM Cash Flows
12/12/2012	SolarCity Corporation	\$8.00	11.5	\$92.0	\$1,151.2	\$299.3	\$124.1	(\$40.7)	(\$47.1)	N/A
3/29/2012	Enphase Energy, Inc.	\$6.00	9.0	\$53.8	\$106.2	\$33.9	\$149.5	(\$26.4)	(\$32.3)	(\$24.0)
5/13/2010	JinkoSolar Holding Co., Ltd.	\$11.00	5.8	\$64.2	\$378.8	\$167.4	\$274.7	\$37.3	\$24.1	\$37.3
6/7/2007	Yingli Green Energy Holding Co. Ltd.	\$11.00	29.0	\$319.0	\$435.4	\$182.9	\$241.3	\$55.3	\$25.8	\$62.2
5/17/2007	China Sunergy Co. Ltd.	\$11.00	8.5	\$93.5	\$176.3	\$77.9	\$149.5	\$16.9	\$11.8	\$18.7
2/6/2007	JA Solar Holdings Co., Ltd.	\$15.00	15.0	\$225.0	\$63.1	\$19.2	\$89.2	\$18.2	\$16.4	\$19.5
12/18/2006	Trina Solar Limited	\$18.50	5.3	\$98.1	\$112.5	\$44.3	\$91.6	\$14.8	\$10.0	\$15.8
11/16/2006	First Solar, Inc.	\$20.00	20.0	\$400.0	\$255.1	\$71.0	\$95.9	(\$5.1)	(\$11.3)	\$2.4
11/8/2006	Canadian Solar Inc.	\$15.00	7.7	\$115.5	\$66.3	\$23.2	\$50.7	\$7.8	(\$3.6)	\$7.8
7/10/2006	Ascent Solar Technologies, Inc.	\$5.50	3.0	\$16.5	\$0.2	\$0.2	\$0.0	\$0.0	(\$7.2)	\$0.0
Median of All IPOs		nm	nm	\$106.8	\$144.4	\$44.3	\$95.9	\$3.9	(\$1.8)	\$7.8

Recent Merger and Acquisition Transactions for a Majority Stake (dollars in millions)								
T D.t.	T4	Acceptance	T C:	0/ Db+				
<u>Transaction Date</u>	<u>Target</u>	<u>Acquirer</u>	<u>Transaction Size</u>	<u>% Bought</u>				
3/12/2014	FCC Energia, SA	Plenium Partners	\$11.1	51%				
1/7/2014	Changzhou Dinghui New Energy	United Photovoltaics	\$2.5	100%				
12/3/2013	Mia Sol Solar	Aspen Group Ltd.	\$4.0	100%				
10/1/2013	Wafering Technology Corp.	Gigastorage Corporation	\$3.7	100%				
5/31/2013	DelSolar Co.	Neo Solar Power	\$241.6	85%				
4/18/2013	Yunnan Tianda Photovoltaic	Xi'an North Photoelectric	\$14.0	88%				
2/20/2013	Photovoltech	Solartec S.A.	\$63.1	100%				
1/9/2013	MiaSolé	Hanergy Holdings Group	\$30.0	100%				
11/22/2012	CNPV Dongying Solar Power	N/A	\$10.0	50%				
11/8/2012	Twin Creeks	GT Advanced	\$10.2	100%				
10/10/2012	Q-Cells SE	Hanwha Chemical	\$312.9	100%				
9/28/2012	Nanjing Daqo New Energy	Daqo Group	\$9.9	100%				
8/27/2012	Day4 Energy	N/A	\$1.3	100%				
7/11/2012	Premier Power Renewable	Gascom Renew	\$4.9	56%				
Median of All Transaction Targets \$10.1 100%								



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