Quarterly Industry Update

As of December 31, 2015 Industry: Healthcare Equipment

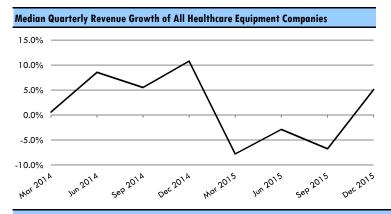


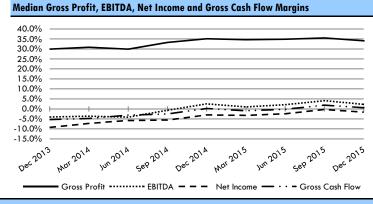
Industry Summary

Cogent Valuation identified Healthcare Equipment publicly traded companies, IPOs, and recent M&A transactions within the Healthcare Equipment 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. Over the last year since December 31, 2014, the median 52-week share price return of the Healthcare Equipment industry was 19.4%. Between December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2015, the median EV/EBITDA multiple increased from 16.3 to 19.2. However, the median price-to-earnings multiple decreased from 42.5 to 36.6 over the same period.

Comparable Public Company Key Statistics											
Median 52-Week Return	19.4%	Median EV/Revenue Multiple				3.7x	M	36.6x			
Median 3-Year CAGR Return	16.8%	Median EV/EBITDA Multiple			19.2x	Median EV/Gross CF Multiple				1.9x	
Comparable Public Company Market Price Returns As of December 31, 2015											
	YTD	3 Month	1 Year	2 Year	3 Year	5 Year	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Bruker Corporation	23.7%	47.7%	23.7%	10.8%	16.8%	7. 9 %	23.7%	-0.8%	29.7%	22.7%	-25.2%
Illumina Inc.	4.0%	9.2%	4.0%	31.7%	51.1%	24.8%	4.0%	66.9%	98.9 %	82.4%	-51.9%
Luminex Corporation	14.0%	26.5%	14.0%	5.0%	8.4%	3.2%	14.0%	-3.3%	15.5%	-20.9%	16.1%
PerkinElmer Inc.	22.5%	16.6%	22.5%	14.0%	1 9 .1%	15.7%	22.5%	6 .1%	29.9 %	58.7%	-22.5%
Qiagen NV	17. 9 %	7.2%	17. 9 %	7.8%	15.1%	7.2%	17. 9 %	-1.5%	31.2%	31.4%	-29.4%
Tecan Group Ltd.	43.0%	15.8%	43.0%	17. 2 %	24.9%	14.3%	43.0%	-4.0%	41.8%	23.0%	-18.6%
Waters Corporation	19.4%	13.8%	19.4%	16.0%	15. 6 %	11.6%	19.4%	12.7%	14.8%	17.7%	-4.7%
Median of Industry Public Companies	19.4%	15.8%	19.4%	14.0%	16.8%	11.6%	19.4%	-0.8%	29.9%	23.0%	-22.5%

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





Median Public Company Multiples of the Healthcare Equipment Industry

Date:	12/31/2013	3/31/2014	6/30/2014	9/30/2014	12/31/2014	3/31/2015	6/30/2015	9/30/2015	12/31/2015
EV/Revenues Multiple	3.4x	3.2x	2.8x	3.3x	2.9x	3.3x	3.0x	3.1x	3.7x
EV/EBITDA Multiple	16.3x	15.7x	16.2x	14.4x	14.9x	16.8x	17.2x	17.2x	19.2x
Price/Earnings Multiple	42.5x	30.4x	31.3x	32.6x	36.6x	36.5x	36.4x	32.1x	36.6x
EV/Gross Cash Flows Multiple	44.3x	29.7x	28.9x	25.6x	9.7x	30.8x	34.5x	27.5x	1.9x

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Industry Initial Public Offerings (dollars in millions, except share prices)

Median of All	l IPOs	nm	nm	\$46.5	\$31.6	\$10.3	\$24.1	(\$0.8)	(\$1.0)	(\$0.7)
10/8/2012	Novacyt Société Anonyme	\$10.51	0.3	\$3.3	\$3.2	\$1.6	\$1.2	(\$0.8)	(\$1.0)	(\$0.7)
11/7/2012	Atossa Genetics, Inc.	\$5.00	0.8	\$4.0	\$0.8	\$0.3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1/24/2013	LipoScience, Inc.	\$9.00	4.6	\$45.0	\$33.5	\$7.7	\$53.7	\$2.8	\$1.1	\$3.9
5/8/2013	Quintiles Transnational Holdings Inc.	\$40.00	23.7	\$947.4	\$2,499.2	\$2,456.0	\$3,692.3	\$486.2	\$177.5	\$538.1
6/25/2013	NanoString Technologies, Inc.	\$10.00	5.4	\$54.0	\$29.6	\$12.8	\$24.1	(\$17.5)	(\$21.4)	(\$15.5)
6/11/2015	Invuity, Inc.	\$12.00	4.0	\$48.0	\$46.2	\$14.4	\$15.4	(\$22.8)	(\$25.0)	(\$22.1)
<u>Offer Date</u>	<u>Company Name</u>	Offer Price	<u>Shares Offered</u>	Amount Raised	<u>Total Assets</u>	<u>Debt</u>	LTM Revenues	<u>LTM EBITDA</u>	LTM Net Income	<u>LTM Cash Flows</u>

nm: not meaningful, N/A: not applicable

Recent Merger and Acquisition Transactions for a Majority Stake (dollars in millions)

Transaction Date	<u>Target</u>	<u>Acquirer</u>	Transaction Size	<u>% Bought</u>	LTM Revenues	<u>EV/Revenues</u>		Size of M&A Transactions
11/26/2015	Delta Med Spa	Augens Capital S.r.l.	\$20.9	100%	N/A	N/A	7 г	
9/8/2015	Welch Allyn, Inc.	Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc.	\$2,051.0	100%	\$700.0	2.9x		
6/30/2015	Legacy Oxygen	Patient Home Monitoring Corp.	\$2.5	100%	\$2.7	0.9x	Number of Transactions - 9 - 9 - 9 - 9 - 9 - 9 - 9 - 9	
1/26/2015	Black Bear Medical, Inc.	Patient Home Monitoring Corp.	\$6.4	100%	\$6.8	0.9x	L Trans	
10/3/2014	GenCell Biosystems Ltd.	Becton, Dickinson and Company	\$150.0	100%	N/A	N/A		
10/1/2014	Scanmedics Pty Ltd	Paragon Care Limited	\$3.8	100%	N/A	N/A		
8/1/2014	Medisoft SA	MGC Diagnostics Belgium	\$8.0	100%	\$6.5	1.2x	Z ²	
7/31/2014	IBL International GmbH	Tecan Group Ltd.	\$38.8	100%	\$21.4	1.8x	1	
7/31/2014	Boulder Diagnostics Inc.	Oxford Immunotec	\$7.9	100%	N/A	N/A	0 1	2 ⁵³ 5.15 1.00 1.00 5.00
7/16/2014	Gentris LLC	Cancer Genetics, Inc.	\$6.3	100%	N/A	N/A		155 755 15 100 120 75150
6/30/2014	Ortho-Clinical Diagnostics	The Carlyle Group	\$4,150.0	100%	\$1,890.0	2.2x		,
6/16/2014	IQuum, Inc.	Roche Molecular Sys.	\$450.0	100%	N/A	N/A		LTM Revenues Reported
1/6/2014	Alverix, Inc.	Becton, Dickinson	\$40.0	100%	N/A	N/A	6	
11/18/2013	Cisbio Bioassays	Argos Soditic	\$34.0	100%	\$41.5	0.8x	5	
9/10/2013	Flowsense Medical	Baxter International	\$4.6	100%	\$0.1	79.6x	ü - 4	
9/6/2013	Gambro	Baxter International	\$4,013.8	100%	\$1,670.7	2.4x	ansa 3	
8/11/2013	Cardiocom	Medtronic	\$200.0	100%	\$50.0	4.0x	of Tr	
7/22/2013	Bionostics Holdings	Research And Diagnostic	\$104.0	100%	\$29.3	3.5x	Number of Transactions 3 - 5 - 5 - 1 7	
7/17/2013	ZONARE Medical Systems	Mindray Medical International	\$101.7	100%	\$64.0	1.6x	Ž 1	
4/9/2013	HemoCue	Radiometer Medical	\$300.0	100%	\$114.0	2.6x	0	
1/31/2013	Grass Technologies	Natus Medical	\$18.6	100%	\$18.5	1.0x		2510 7510-25 7525
Median of the	e 21 M&A Transaction Targe	ts	\$38.8	100%	\$35.4	2.0x		7 2 1

Definitions of Financial Terms Used in this Quarterly Industry Update:

Enterprise Value (EV): Market Value of Equity + Market Value of Debt - Cash

Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA): Profitability metric sometimes also referred to as operating profit or operating earnings.

Gross Cash Flows: Net Income + Depreciation and Amortization Expense

Latest Twelve Months (LTM): Financial information is as of the latest twelve months through the date of this Quarterly Industry Update.

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