# Deloitte.

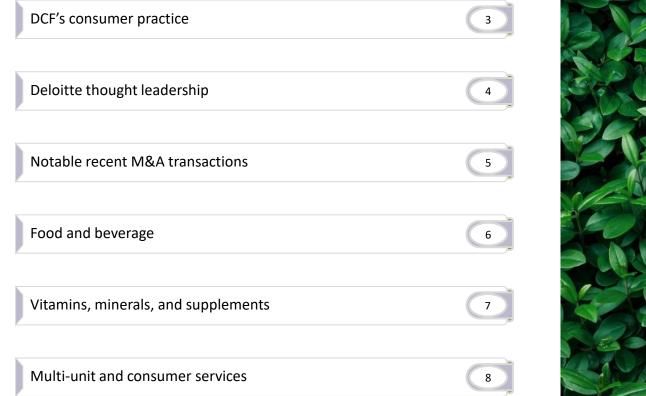


# Consumer Quarterly Update



Q4 2023

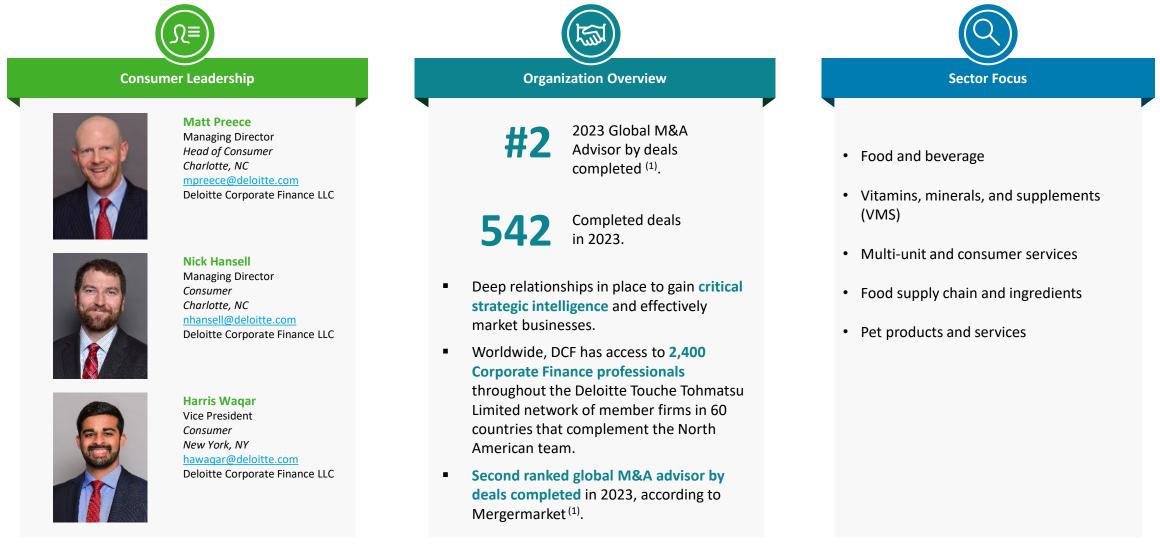
# Table of contents





# DCF's consumer practice

**Deloitte Corporate Finance LLC (DCF)** is a leading global middle-market M&A adviser. Our professionals have extensive knowledge in the Consumer & Retail industry and use their experience to help clients enhance value.



Footnote(s): (1) Recognized by Mergermarket as the #2 Global M&A Financial Advisor for 2023. Measured by deal volume.

Copyright © 2024 Deloitte Development LLC. All rights reserved.

# Deloitte thought leadership

#### **Deloitte thought leadership**

- Deloitte stays abreast of industry trends and makes significant investments in producing cutting-edge thought leadership.
- Deloitte is deeply committed to providing insights that help keep clients on the forefront of critical trends.
- Focused research on industry drivers and trends helps enable Deloitte to demonstrate eminence in the consumer and retail market by redefining the lens through which industry leaders operate.

#### Extensive knowledge network

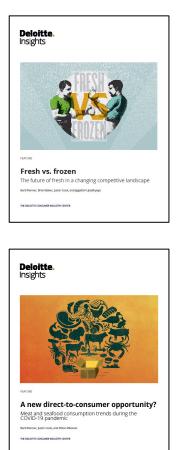
DCF leverages its expansive cross-business knowledge network, extensive consulting reports, and in-depth industry research to help drive results and provide differentiated insights for our clients.







#### Recent insights







# Notable recent M&A transactions

Food and beverage	<ul> <li>Chobani, LLC and Healthcare of Ontario Pension Plan acquisition of La Colombe Torrefaction, Inc.</li> <li>La Colombe Torrefaction, Inc. is a leading roaster and retailer of coffee blends and premade coffee products.</li> <li>Chobani is a healthy food company known for its signature Greek yogurt.</li> <li>Chobani aims to deliver cost synergies through improved procurement practices, improving overall financial performance.</li> </ul>	Announced Date: December 2023 EV: \$900.0MM Rev: N/A EV/Rev: N/A EV/EBITDA: N/A
	<ul> <li>Redwood Holdings' acquisition of Newly Wed Foods, Inc.</li> <li>With over 29 global facilities, Chicago-based Newly Wed Foods, Inc. produces custom food coatings and seasonings.</li> <li>Redwood Holdings is a family office investment firm based in Washington, D.C.</li> <li>The acquisition adds to Redwood Holdings' food and beverage portfolio, which includes beverage distributor Heidelberg Distribution Co. (Deloitte Corporate Finance acted as exclusive financial advisor to Heidelberg.)</li> </ul>	Announced Date: October 2023 EV: \$4000.0MM Rev: \$2,500.0MM EV/Rev: 1.6x EV/EBITDA: N/A
VMS	<ul> <li>PYFA Australia Pty Ltd.'s acquisition of Probiotec Limited</li> <li>Based in Australia, Probiotec Limited manufactures and sells over-the-counter health products internationally.</li> <li>PYFA Australia Pty Ltd., a subsidiary of PT Pyridiam Farma Tbk, produces self medication and pharmaceutical products.</li> <li>Through this transaction, PYFA Australia Pty Ltd. hopes to leverage Probiotec Limited's leading technology/R&amp;D capabilities and increase the company's international market share.</li> </ul>	Announced Date: November 2023 EV: \$216.3MM Rev: \$142.5MM EV/Rev: 1.5x EV/EBITDA: 9.4x
	<ul> <li>Shiseido Americas Corporation's acquisition of Dr. Dennis Gross Skincare LLC</li> <li>Dr. Dennis Gross Skincare LLC produces cruelty-free skin care products, including peel off masks and LED anti-aging devices.</li> <li>Based in New York, Shiseido Americas Corporation is a global beauty company with over 25 unique brands.</li> <li>The acquisition will help complement Shiseido's existing portfolio and drive the Company's growth in the Americas, a strong performance region for many Shiseido brands.</li> </ul>	Announced Date: December 2023 EV: \$450.0MM Rev: \$80.0M M EV/Rev: 5.6x EV/EBITDA: N/A
Multi-unit	<ul> <li>Six Flags Entertainment Corporation's (NYSE: SIX) merger with Cedar Fair, L.P. (NYSE: FUN)</li> <li>Cedar Fair, L.P. (NYSE: FUN) owns and operates 13 amusement parks, water parks, and resort facilities in the US and Canada.</li> <li>Six Flags Entertainment Corporation (NYSE: SIX) owns and operates 27 theme and water parks in the US, Canada, and Mexico.</li> <li>Six Flags Entertainment Corporation (NYSE: SIX) management cited cost savings, an attractive revenue profile, and enhanced ability to generate cash flow as reasons for the acquisition.</li> </ul>	Announced Date: November 2023 EV: \$8,000.0MM Rev: \$1,413.2MM EV/Rev: 5.7x EV/EBITDA: 18.6x
	<ul> <li>Mars, Incorporated's acquisition of Hotel Chocolat Group, plc</li> <li>Hotel Chocolat Group, plc manufactures and sells chocolate products out of 126 stores in the UK.</li> <li>Mars, Incorporated is a wholesaler of confectionary products and pet food based in Virginia.</li> <li>The partnership provides Hotel Chocolat Group, plc with the support necessary to expand in existing markets in the UK as well as new markets globally.</li> </ul>	Announced Date: November 2023 EV: \$652.7MM Rev: \$246.0MM EV/Rev: 2.7x EV/EBITDA: 33.6x

## Food and beverage

#### Sector trends (1)

- from 264.9 to 262.2 from September 2023 to December 2023.
- The Consumer Price Index (CPI) US city average for food and between December 2022 and December 2023.
- Food price increases slowed through Q4 2023, but remain above higher than in December 2022. As food costs continue to increase, restaurants (food away from home) have experienced higher price spikes than grocery stores (food at home).
- Spending at Food and Beverage stores increased 0.8% from \$246.9M to \$248.8M from Q3 to Q4 2023 according to the St. Louis Fed.

#### Select recent M&A activity<sup>(2)</sup>

Close Date	Target	Acquiror	Implied EV (MM)
12/2023	Xuwen Xinhao Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Co., Ltd.	New Hope Group Co., Ltd.	\$69.4
11/2023	Finlandia Vodka, LTD.	Coca-Cola Hellenic Bottling Company (LON: CCH)	\$34.0
10/2023	Mile Hi Foods, Co.	Grupo Bimbo	\$82.0
10/2023	Bazooka Candy Brands International Limited	Apax Partners LLP	\$700.0
10/2023	Extra Power energy drink brand	Britvic (LON: BVIC)	\$50.9



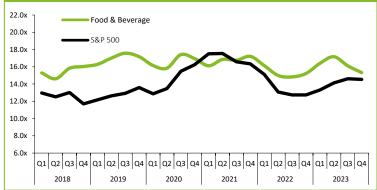
## Select public comparables <sup>(3)</sup>

Company Name	Enterprise Value (MM)
Nestlé S.A.	\$312,613.2
The Coca-Cola Company	\$283,689.2
Mondelez International, Inc.	\$120,253.7
General Mills, Inc.	\$48,921.9
Hormel Foods Corp.	\$19,330.5
Conagra Brands, Inc.	\$23,265.5

Footnote(s): FRED, USDA, The Wall Street Journal, Deloitte, S&P Capital IQ Copyright © 2024 Deloitte Development LLC. All rights reserved.

## Median trading metrics <sup>(4)</sup> EV/LTM Revenue 6.3x 1.7x 2.9x **EV/LTM EBITDA** 8.7x 17.4x

### Average historical EV/EBITDA multiples<sup>(5)</sup>



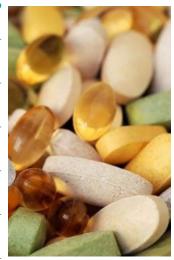
# Vitamins, minerals, and supplements

#### Sector trends (1)

- Consumer willingness to spend on vitamins, minerals, and supplements (VMS) is driven by disposable income. Real disposable personal income was 4.2% higher in December 2023 compared to December 2022, enabling consumers to spend in the VMS segment.
- Direct-to-consumer brands and e-commerce sales drove VMS market growth through Q4 2023. As of October 2023, e-commerce sales account for 36.5% of the market.
- According to Google Search Trends, online consumer engagement for vitamins was 2.9% higher in Q4 2023 as compared to Q4 2022.
- The U.S. accounts for just over one third of the \$183B global supplement market, marking the industry as one to watch with increased prioritization on physical and mental health initiatives globally.

#### Select recent M&A activity <sup>(2)</sup>

Close Date	Target	Acquiror	Implied EV (MM)
12/2023	The Body Shop International Limited	AURELIUS Equity Opportunities SE & Co. KGaA	\$258.3
11/2023	Bonafide Health, LLC	Pharmavite, LLC	\$425.0
10/2023	The Center Brands	e.l.f. Cosmetics, Inc.	\$332.2
10/2023	Thorne HealthTech, Inc.	L Catterton Partners	\$729.5
10/2023	Creed Fragrances	Kering SA	\$3,819.3



### Select public comparables <sup>(3)</sup>

Company Name	Enterprise Value (MM)
Reckitt Benckiser Group plc	\$58,685.7
Glanbia plc	\$4,822.3
Herbalife Ltd.	\$3,781.1
Jamieson Wellness, Inc.	\$1,304.5
Medifast, Inc.	\$589.0
Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc.	\$274.9

Median trading metrics <sup>(4)</sup>

EV/LTM Revenue

0.5x

0.8x

3.1x

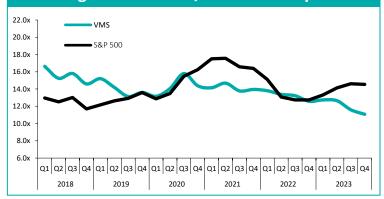
EV/LTM EBITDA

3.5x

8.5x

14.1x

## Average historical EV/EBITDA multiples<sup>(5)</sup>



Footnote(s): FRED, IBIS World, Google Trends, Glanbia Nutritionals, S&P Capital IQ, Pitchbook Copyright © 2024 Deloitte Development LLC. All rights reserved.

## Multi-unit and consumer services

#### Sector trends (1)

- American consumer spending in the retail and food services sectors rose 5.6% year-over-year from December 2022 to December 2023.
- Data from Mastercard Incorporated shows restaurant sales increased by 7.8% from the beginning of November 2023 to the end of December 2023.
- Sales in the Hospitality industry increased by 5.7% year-over-year in Q4 2023. This was largely driven by consumers splurging during the holidays.
- Personal consumption spending increased 2.8% in Q4 2023. While consumer spending remains strong, consumers are increasingly opting for discount retailers such as Aldi Inc. and club stores such as CostCo Wholesale Corporation.

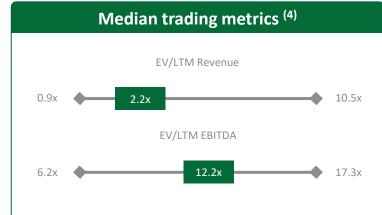
#### Select recent M&A activity<sup>(2)</sup>

Close Date	Target	Acquiror	Implied EV (MM)
11/2023	Young & Co.'s Brewery, plc	The City Pub Group, plc	\$200.2
11/2023	D&D London Ltd.	Breal Group Limited, Calveton	\$73.8
11/2023	MAPCO Express, Inc.	Majors Management, LLC	\$725.0
10/2023	Bluefit Academias de Ginastica e Participacoes S.A.	Mubadala Investment Company	\$91.6
10/2023	Apex Service Partners, LLC	Alpine Investors, LP	\$3,400.0

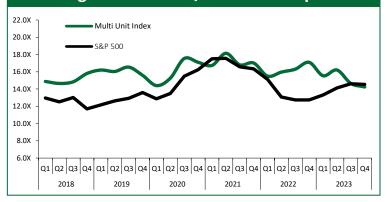


### Select public comparables <sup>(3)</sup>

Company Name	Enterprise Value (MM)
McDonald's Corporation	\$261,398.9
Dollar General Corporation	\$47,561.9
Planet Fitness, Inc.	\$8,202.5
Driven Brands Holdings Inc.	\$6,370.9
Papa Johns International, Inc.	\$3,474.2
Carrols Restaurant Group, Inc.	\$1,617.0
Driven Brands Holdings Inc. Papa Johns International, Inc.	\$6,370.9 \$3,474.2



## Average historical EV/EBITDA multiples<sup>(5)</sup>



Footnote(s): The US Census Bureau, Nations Restaurant News, Dollar General Investor Relations, CNBC, S&P Capital IQ

Copyright © 2024 Deloitte Development LLC. All rights reserved.

## Sources cited

#### Page 3:

1. Mergermarket. Accessed January 19, 2023. Data as of January 19, 2023.

#### Page 5:

- 1. Notable recent M&A transactions (Specific to Consumer).
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 29, 2024. Data as of December 31, 2023.
  - b. <u>PitchBook.</u> Accessed January 29, 2024. Data as of December 31, 2023.
  - c. Mergermarket. Accessed January 29, 2024. Data as of December 31, 2023.

#### Page 6:

- 1. Sector Trends.
  - a. <u>FRED.</u> Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: Food and Beverages in U.S. City Average. Accessed January 26, 2024.
  - b. USDA. Food Price Outlook, 2024. Accessed January 26, 2024.
  - c. <u>The Wall Street Journal.</u> What Happened in M&A in 2023, and What's Ahead, in Five Charts. Accessed January 26, 2024.
  - d. <u>Deloitte.</u> US MARS Market Sensing and Intelligence. Accessed January 26, 2024.
- 2. Relevant transactions closed in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 26, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 3. Select public comparables set in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 26, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 4. Expanded public comparables set in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 26, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 5. Historical EV/EBITDA multiples.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 26, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.

#### Page 7:

- 1. Sector Trends.
  - a. <u>FRED.</u> *Real Disposable Personal Income.* Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - b. <u>IBIS World.</u> *Vitamin & Supplement Manufacturing in the US.* Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - c. <u>IBIS World.</u> Online Vitamin & Supplement Sales in the US. Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - d. <u>GoogleTrends.</u> 2023 Search Trends Vitamin (Worldwide). Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - e. <u>Glanbia Nutritionals</u>. *Top 5 Supplement Trends for 2024*. Accessed January 29, 2024.

#### Page 7 (cont.):

- 2. Relevant M&A Transactions closed in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 24, 2024. Data as of December 31, 2023.
  - b. <u>PitchBook.</u> Accessed January 24, 2024. Data as of December 31, 2023.
- 3. Select public comparables set in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 24, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 4. Expanded public comparables set in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 24, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 5. Historical EV/EBITDA multiples.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 24, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.

#### Page 8:

- 1. Sector Trends.
  - a. <u>The U.S. Census Bureau.</u> Advance Monthly Sales for Retail and Food Services, January 2024. Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - b. <u>Nations Restaurant News</u>. *Restaurants Finish 2023 On A High Note*. Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - c. <u>Dollar General | Investor Relations.</u> *Dollar General Corporation Reports Fourth Quarter 2023 Results.* Accessed January 25, 2024.
  - d. <u>CNBC.</u> The U.S. Economy Grew At Blistering 3.3% Pace In Q4 While Inflation Pulled Back. Accessed January 25, 2024.
- 2. Relevant transactions announced in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ</u>. Accessed January 25, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 3. Select public comparables set in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ</u>. Accessed January 25, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 4. Expanded public comparables set in Q4 2023.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ.</u> Accessed January 25, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.
- 5. Historical EV/EBITDA multiples.
  - a. <u>S&P Capital IQ</u>. Accessed January 25, 2024. Data as of December 29, 2023.

# **Deloitte**

This newsletter is a periodic compilation of certain completed and announced merger and acquisition activity. Information contained in this newsletter should not be construed as a recommendation to sell or a recommendation to buy any security. Any reference to or omission of any reference to any company in this newsletter shall not be construed as a recommendation to sell, buy or take any other action with respect to any security of any such company. We are not soliciting any action with respect to any security or company based on this newsletter. This newsletter is published solely for the general information of clients and friends of Deloitte Corporate Finance LLC. It does not take into account the particular investment objectives, financial situation, or needs of individual recipients. Certain transactions, including those involving early-stage companies, give rise to substantial risk and are not suitable for all investors. This newsletter is based on information that we consider reliable, but we do not represent that it is accurate or complete, and it should not be relied upon as such. Prediction of future events is inherently subject to both known risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause actual results to vary materially. We are under no obligation to update the information contained in this newsletter. We and our affiliates and related entities, partners, principals, directors, and employees, including persons involved in the preparation or issuance of this newsletter may be: (i) investment banding clients of Deloitte Corporate Finance LLC; or (ii) clients of Deloitte Finance LLC; or (ii) clients of Deloitte Finance LLC; or (ii) clients of Deloitte Finance LLC; or (ii) clients of period or discussion in this newsletter is wholly unrelated entities, partners, principals, directors, and employees, including persons involved in the preparation or issuance of this newsletter may be: (i) investment banking clients of Deloitte Corporate Finance LLC; or (ii) clients of Deloitte Finance LLC; or (iii)

#### About Deloitte Corporate Finance

Deloitte Corporate Finance LLC (DCF), a broker-dealer registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (<u>FINRA</u>) and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (<u>SIPC</u>), is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP and affiliate of Deloitte Transactions and Business Analytics LLP. Investment banking or other services that would require registration as a broker-dealer with the SEC and membership in FINRA would be provided exclusively by DCF. For more information, visit www.investmentbanking.deloitte.com. Please see <a href="https://www.deloitte.com/us/about">www.deloitte.com/us/about</a> for a detailed description of the legal structure of Deloitte LLP and its subsidiaries.

#### About Deloitte

Deloitte refers to one or more of Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited, a UK private company limited by guarantee (DTTL), its network of member firms, and their related entities. DTTL and each of its member firms are legally separate and independent entities. DTTL (also referred to as Deloitte Global) does not provide services to clients. In the United States, Deloitte refers to one or more of the US member firms of DTTL, their related entities that operate using the "Deloitte" name in the United States and their respective affiliates. Certain services may not be available to attest clients under the rules and regulations of public accounting. Please see www.deloitte.com/about to learn more about our global network of member firms.

Copyright © 2024 Deloitte Corporate Finance LLC. All rights reserved.