Restaurant Monthly

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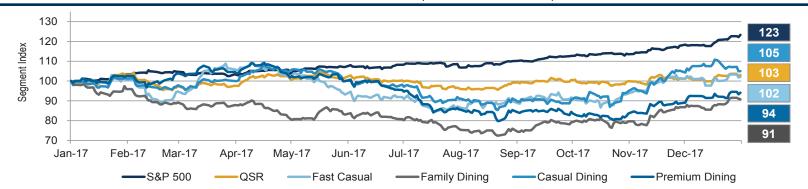
Restaurant Industry Commentary

TM Capital's restaurant indices, except for Fast Casual and Family, traded below the S&P 500 over the last 30 days, while same-store sales marginally increased by 0.3% and same-store traffic declined by 1.8%. As chains battle traffic declines, we expect that the underperformers will be faced with some difficult strategic decisions. For example, Toronto-based **Freshii Inc. (TSE:FRII)**, the health-oriented fast casual franchise with 300 locations, continues to urge **Subway** to explore a partnership that would enable franchisees (following the closure of more than 900 locations in 2017) to convert to Freshii restaurants. M&A activity continues to be strong - with the \$305 million sale of **Qdoba Restaurant Corporation** to **Apollo Global Management's** at the tail end of 2017 and the recent acquisition of **Captain D's** by **Sentinel Capital Partners**.

Restaurant Valuations by Price Point (TEV / EBITDA)

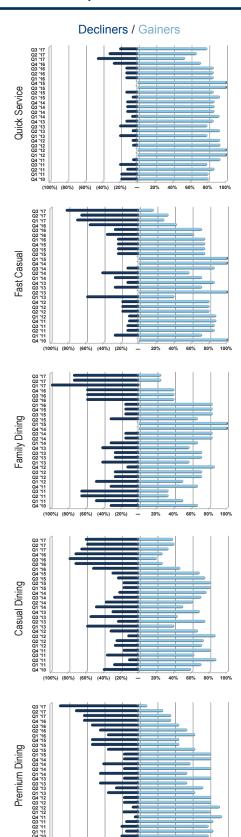


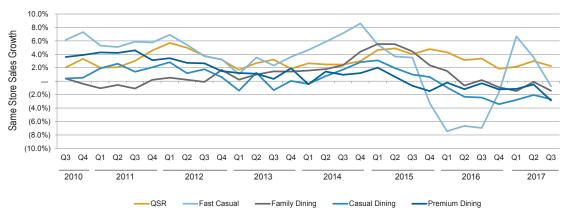
Public Market Performance (Latest Twelve Months)



Recent Restaurant M&A Activity

Closed / Announced	Target	Acquiror	Enterprise Value	EBITDA / Value Multiple		Industry Segment	
01/10/2018	15 Wendy's Restaurant in Florida	Gold Coast Holdings Restaurants	NA	NA	/	NA	QSR
01/10/2018	52 Wendy's Restaurants in Southern California	WKS Restaurant Corporation	NA	NA	/	NA	QSR
01/09/2018	Growth Investment in MOD Pizza	PWP Growth Equity & Fidelity Management & Research	NA	NA	/	NA	Fast Casual
12/19/2017A	Qdoba Restaurant Corporation	Apollo Global Management, LLC (NYSE:APO)	\$305.0	\$48.0	/	6.4x	Fast Casual
12/18/2017	Captain D's, LLC	Sentinel Capital Partners, LLC	NA	NA	/	NA	Family
12/12/2017	Imvescor Restaurant Group Inc. (TSX:IRG)	MTY Food Group Inc. (TSX:MTY)	\$214.0	\$13.1	/	16.3x	Casual
12/12/2017	6 Ruth Chris Franchised Units in Hawaii	Ruth's Hospitality Group, Inc. (NasdaqGS:RUTH)	\$35.0	NA	/	NA	Premium
12/06/2017A	57 Wendy's Restaurants	Meritage Hospitality Group Inc. (OTCPK:MHGU)	NA	NA	/	NA	QSR
11/30/2017	Terra Preta	Carl's Prime	NA	NA	/	NA	Casual
11/29/2017	FILL Restaurant & Bar	Charleston Hospitality Group	NA	NA	/	NA	Casual





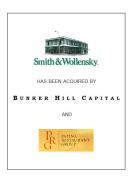
Selected TM Capital Restaurant Experience

















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