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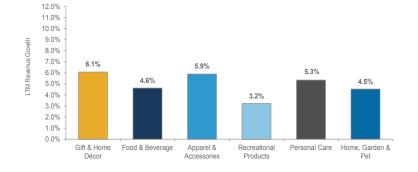
Consumer Headline Transactions

Target Acquiror Acquisition Synopsis The Flex Bedding Group, a global luxury bedding producer based in Spain, has acquired 0 **FLEX** Canada-based Marshall Mattress to expand its North American presence KLUFT Marshall will enhance Flex's leadership role in the global luxury sleep products sector by joining North American Brands Kluft and Aireloom (acquired in 2015) BDT Capital Partners has acquired a significant minority stake in WhistlePig Whiskey, a Vermont-based distiller in the fast-growing luxury rye whiskey category BDT CAPITAL WhistlePig views the partnership as an important step in its transition from a startup to a WHISTLEPIG leading craft distiller; the deal has also provided liquidity for founder Raj Bhakta's full exit from the business Netherlands-based optical retailer GrandVision, one of the world's leading optical retailers with 7,000 stores (operating as ForEyes in the US market) has announced the acquisition of online eyewear store Charlie Temple GrandVision ((()) Charlie Temple was founded in 2016 and has quickly grown to become the leading optical e-commerce player in the Benelux region · Main Street Capital has acquired a majority stake in Tedder Industries, a manufacturer and marketer of firearm holsters and accessories, primarily under the Alien Gear brand MAINST TEDDER Main Street's \$24 million investment provides it 56% ownership in the business, a stake acquired from founder Thomas Tedder who will transition to a board advisory role Unilever has acquired The Laundress, a global premium eco-friendly line of detergent, fabric care, and home cleaning products, from its co-founders THE LAUNDRESS Unilever anticipates leveraging its global reach to accelerate expansion of the brand, which has realized particularly fast growth among millennials in the US and China · Hyper-Pet, a manufacturer and marketer of innovative pet toys and interactive accessories, has acquired R2P Pet, an producer of pet products under the brands Ultra Paws, Mad Cat, Mega Mutt, and Mega Chewz This marks the second add-on acquisition completed by Hyper-Pet since it was purchased by Guardian Capital Partners in 2016

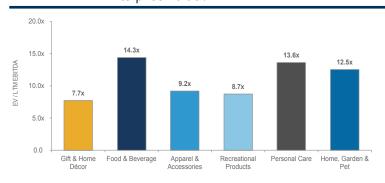
Enterprise Value / LTM Revenue

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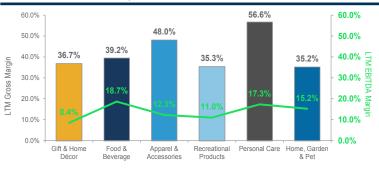
LTM Revenue Growth

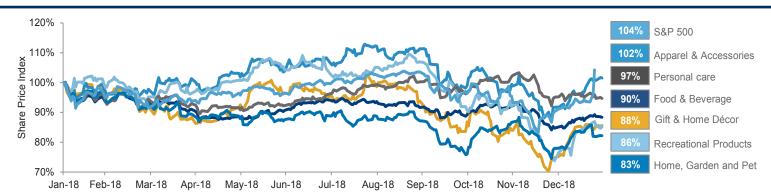


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Selected Consumer Transactions

Gift & Home Decor		
Acquiror	Transaction Description	
Manufacturing	Zippo Manufacturing Company has expanded its product line and	

Northern Lights Zippo Manufa Enterprises distribution channels with the acquisition of Northern Lights Company Enterprises, a leading designer of luxury candles and artisan-made accessories in the United States

Online Home Retail Management Buy-Out The management team at Plumbworld, a bathroom products ecommerce retailer, completed a buy-out of the online platform from Plumbworld) corporate parent Grafton plc, a U.K.-based builders merchant, with funding provided by Panoramic Growth Equity

Apparel & Accessories

Target	Acquiror	Transaction Description
Saint Tropez AF	DK Company A/S	Saint Tropez, a designer, and manufacturer of women's clothing with stores in Denmark and Sweden has been divested from IC group to DK Company, a designer and supplier of fashion and lifestlye products in Europe and internationally
Tom Tailor SE	Fosun International Limited	Fosun International Limited, a Chinese fashion conglomerate including the Lanvin, Wolford, and Caruso Suiting brands, has announced the acquisition of Tom Tailor, a German-based integrated fashion and lifestyle company

Personal Care

Transaction Description

sunburn products from private equity firm Prospect Partners

Acquiror

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RoC Skincare Brand of Johnson & Johnson	Gryphon Investors	Johnson & Johnson has divested RoC Skincare, a market-leading anti-aging skincare brand, to private equity firm Gryphon Investors; it is the firm's second investment in the beauty sector following its purchase of Milani Costmetics in June 2018
Tender Corporation	Victor Capital	Victor Capital Partners has acquired Tender Corporation, a

Selected TM Capital Consumer Experience



Target





Food & Beverage

Target	Acquiror	Transaction Description
Chi Limited	The Coca-Cola Company	Coca-Cola has completed the acquisition of Chi Limited, a fast- growing Nigerian producer and marketer of beverages incuding juices (under the Chivita brand), value-added dairy (under the Hollandia brand) and iced tea
Sky Bar Brand	Duck Soup, Inc.	Sky Bar Brand of the New England Confectionary Company (NECCO) has been purchased by specialty grocer Duck Soup; this marks the final NECCO asset sale since the Company's 2018 bankruptcy and sale of its primary candy wafer brand to Spangler Candy

Recreational Products

Target	Acquiror	Transaction Description
Wally Yachts	Ferretti S.p.A	The Ferretti Group, designers, builders and marketers of motor yachts, has announced plans to acquired Italian sailing yacht manufacturer Wally Yachts; Wally will join Ferretti's portfolio of brands including Riva, Pershing, and Mochi Craft
Kialoa Paddles Inc.	Werner Paddles	Kialoa, an Oregon-based manufacturer of outrigger and stand-up paddleboard paddles, has been acquired by Werner Paddles, a Washington-based manufacturer of paddles for canoes, kayaks, and paddleboards

Home, Garden & Pet

Target	Acquiror	Transaction Description
Poochie-Pets LLC	Only An Ocean LLC	Poochie-Pets, a manufacturer of pet care products including the PoochieBell, has been acquired by Only an Ocean, a provider of sales and marketing services to pet brands, products and services
Invisible Fence South, Inc.	Radio Systems Corporation	Radio Systems Corporation, the parent company of Invisible Fence, has acquired Invisible Fence South, a distributor to five Invisible Fence dealerships in the South; this marks Radio Systems' fifth Invisible Fence distributor acquisition since 2017

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