

# Construction & Engineering

Q3 2021



# **Key Highlights**

**M&A** in the United States

M&A in the Construction & Engineering Sector

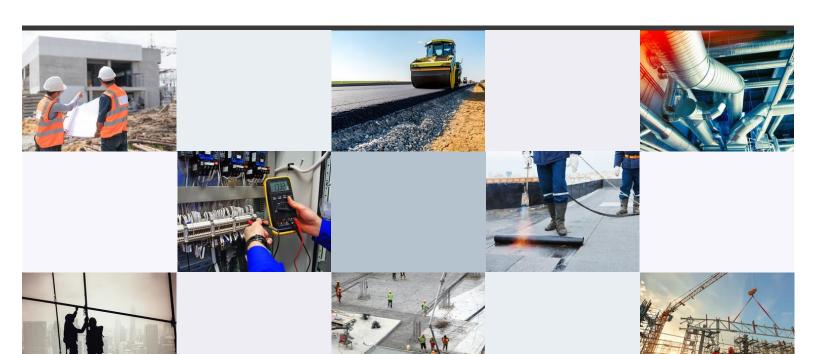
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# **M&A** in the United States

# Deal Activity & Valuations

# **Deal Activity**

Aided by continued low interest rates, a surplus of capital reserves, and looming tax increases on capital gains, U.S. mergers and acquisitions activity through Q3 2021 increased 13% on a year-over-year basis. The M&A market for the first nine months of 2021 are trending towards a record setting year for both deal volume and transaction value as both strategic and financial buyers compete for acquisitions.

### 12,011 **M&A Deals**

▲ 13% YoY growth

### \$2.2 Trillion **Deal Value**

▲ 238% YoY growth

#### Total M&A Deal Volume & Value in the United States

\$ in Billions; Year to date through September 30, 2021



### Valuations

Median EV / EBITDA multiples for transactions in the United States have remained strong throughout 2021. Increased competition between strategic and financial buyers for attractive assets are commanding high valuations. Public market valuations have skyrocketed as money has continued to pour into equity markets. Undeployed capital coupled with "post-pandemic" business model adjustments will lead companies to further pursue M&A options.

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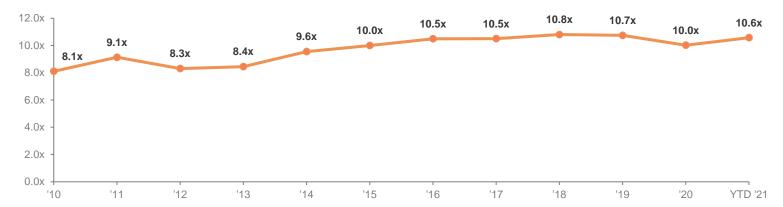
**Current Median** EV / EBITDA

10.6x

5-Year Median EV / EBITDA

#### Median Enterprise Value (EV) / EBITDA Valuation Multiple

Only includes transactions with disclosed financial terms; Year to date through September 30, 2021



Sources: S&P Capital IQ, Pitchbook, IMAA Institute, CCCA Research

Definitions: YoY = Year-over-year; Enterprise Value = Market Cap + Debt - Cash; EBITDA = Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation & Amortization



# M&A in the Construction & Engineering Sector

Sector Snapshot

# Industries in the U.S. Construction & Engineering Sector

#### **Construction & Engineering**

- Commercial Construction
- **Heavy Construction**
- Residential Construction
- Construction Support Services

#### **Specialty Contract Work**

HVACR

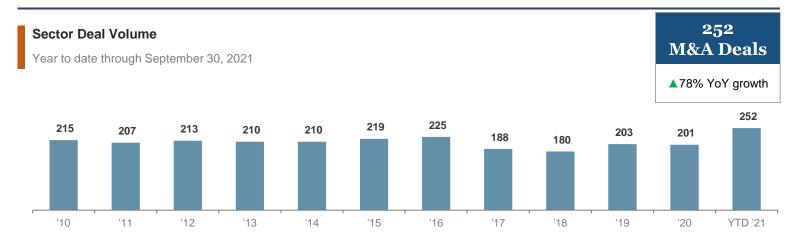
Plumbing

Mechanical & Electrical

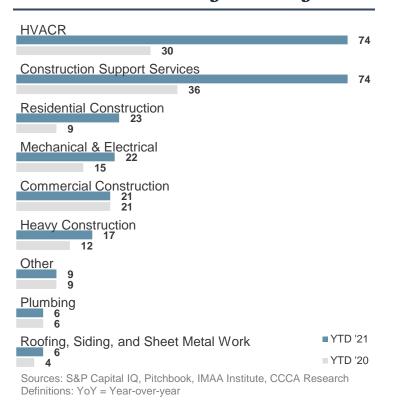
- Other (1)
- Roofing, Siding, and Sheet Metal Work

(1) Includes Carpentry, Glazing, and Masonry & Concrete

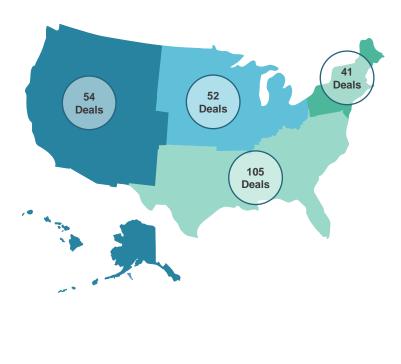
### Sector M&A Deal Volume



### **M&A Deal Volume by Industry**



### M&A Deal Volume by U.S. Region



# M&A in the Construction & Engineering Sector

Notable Deals & Buyer Mix

### **Notable Deals**

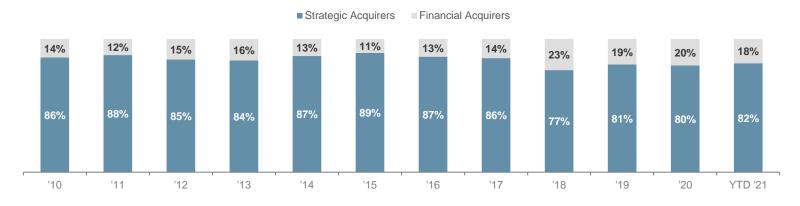
Date	Company	Acquirer	Enterprise Value (EV) (\$ in MM)	Implied EV / Revenue	Implied EV / EBITDA
Sep 2021	Vue at the Quarter	Exeter Property Group	\$80	-	-
Sep 2021	Plain Sight Innovations	Comstock Mining Inc. (NYSEAM:LODE)	\$26	-	-
Sep 2021	Blattner Holding Company, Inc.	Quanta Services, Inc. (NYSE:PWR)	\$2,996	1.2x	10.3x
Sep 2021	Tecta America Corporation	Leonard Green & Partners	-	-	-
Aug 2021	Storybook Homes	Toll Brothers, Inc. (NYSE:TOL)	-	-	-
Aug 2021	CastleRock Communities	Daiwa House USA Inc.	\$503	1.0x	-
Aug 2021	Quebe Holdings, Inc.	EMCOR Group, Inc. (NYSE:EME)	-	-	-
Jul 2021	The New Home Company Inc.	Apollo Global Management	\$337	0.7x	16.1x
Jul 2021	Geotechnology, Inc.	Universal Engineering Sciences	-	-	-
Jul 2021	Neighborly, Inc.	KKR & Co. Inc. (NYSE:KKR)	-	-	-

Note: This table includes only a sample of relevant transactions in the context of M&A activity in the sector. It is not meant to be all-inclusive.

# **Buyer Mix**

### **Share of Acquisitions**

% of Acquisitions by Strategic and Financial Acquirers

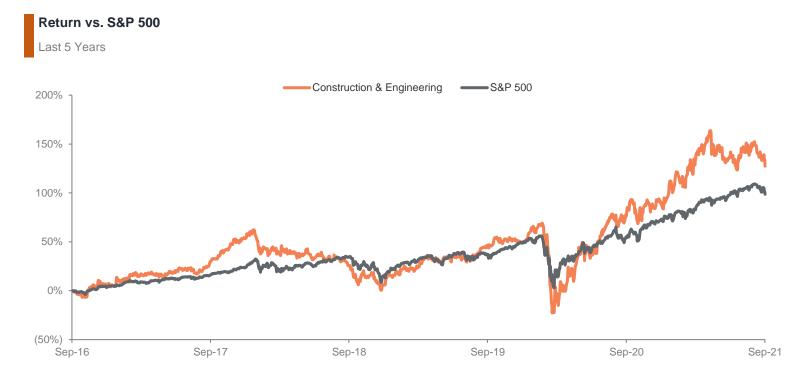


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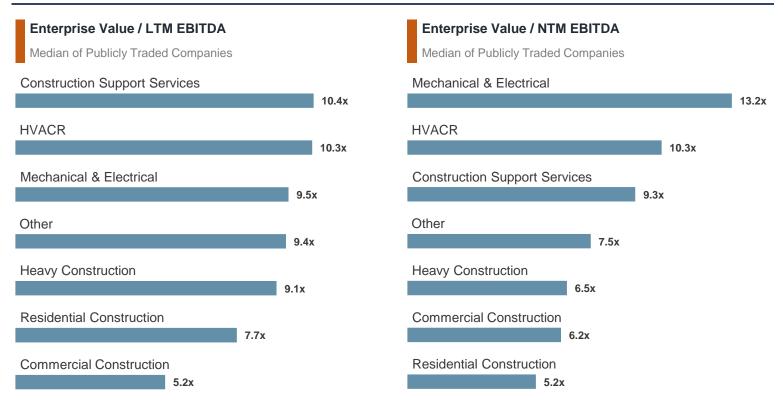
# Public Companies in the Construction & Engineering Sector

Performance & Valuations

### Sector Performance



### Valuations



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NTM = Next Twelve Months

# CC Capital Advisors

# Firm Overview

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Mergers & Acquisitions	Capital Raising Advisory	Strategic Advisory
<ul> <li>Sales of privately-held companies</li> </ul>	Senior secured and unsecured debt	<ul><li>Business valuations</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Buy-side acquisitions</li> </ul>	Mezzanine capital	<ul> <li>Strategic options assessment</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Minority buyouts</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Growth equity capital</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ownership transition planning</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Corporate subsidiary divestitures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Recapitalizations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Corporate reorganizations</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Private equity and venture capital portfolio divestitures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Private placements of institutional capital</li> </ul>	

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100+ Years	Collective investment banking experience of our team	\$7 Billion	Completed transaction experience of our team
Midwest Values	Integrity, experience and commitment are our core values	\$400+ Million	Completed transaction value in the last 12 months
Global Reach	We represent clients across the world	30+ Deals	Number of transactions closed since 2017

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