

# Sectorwatch: Supply Chain Tech & Software

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## Overview

7MA provides Investment Banking & Advisory Services to the Business Services and Technology Industries globally.

We advise on M&A and private capital transactions and provide market assessments and benchmarking. As a close-knit team with a long history together and a laser focus on our target markets, we help our clients sell their companies, raise capital, grow through acquisitions, and evaluate new markets.

We publish our sectorwatch, a review of M&A and operational trends in the industries we focus.

#### **DASHBOARD**

- Summary metrics on the sector
- Commentary on market momentum by comparing the most recent 12-month performance against the last 3-year averages.

#### PUBLIC BASKET PERFORMANCE

• Summary valuation and operating metrics for a basket of comparable public companies.

#### **VALUATION COMPARISON**

• Graphical, detailed comparison of valuation multiples for the public basket.

#### **RECENT DEALS**

• The most recently announced deals in the sector

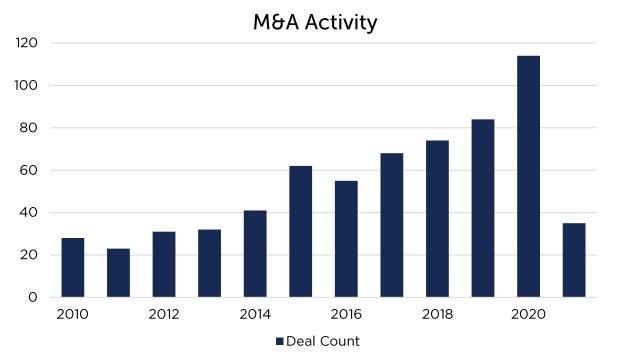


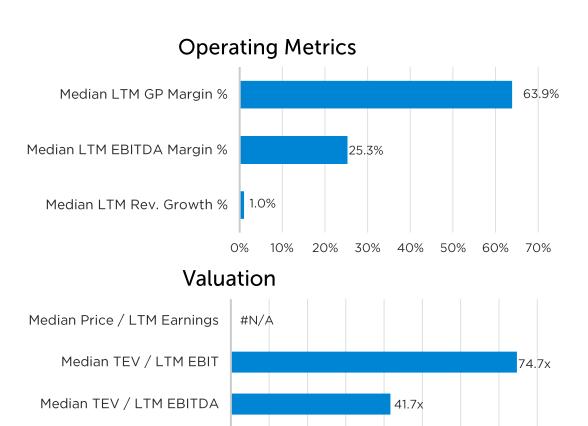
## Dashboard

#### **REVENUE GROWTH MOMENTUM**

**↓** -2.0%

1 - year revenue growth compared to revenue growth average for last 3 years - Current revenue growth rate is less than the average of the last 3 years, indicating that the market may be flattening or declining





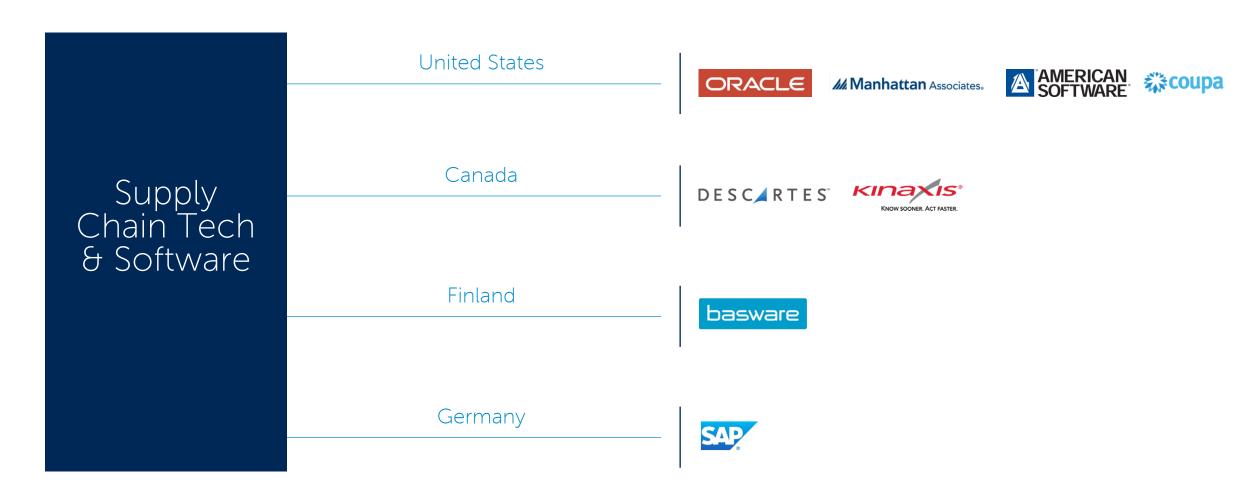
9.7x

Median TEV / LTM Revenue



30x 40x 50x 60x 70x 80x

## Public Basket Overview

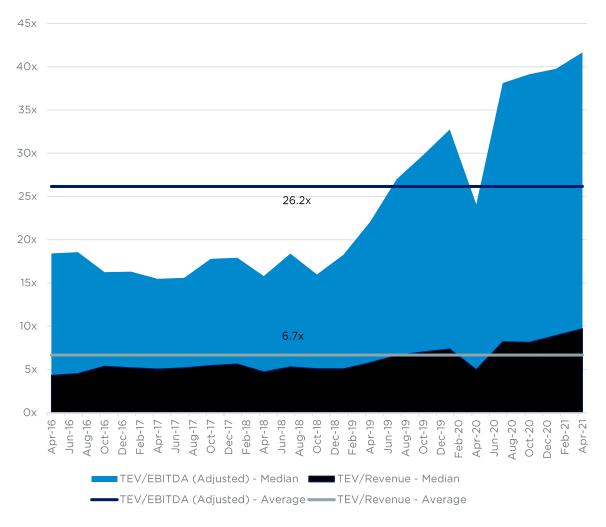




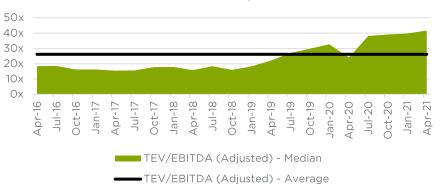
Company	TEV \$m	LTM EBITDA \$m	LTM Rev \$m	Rev Growth YoY	GP %	EBITDA %	TEV / Rev X	TEV / EBITDA X	# FTEs	Rev / FTE \$k
Oracle	255,224	19,958	39,691	-0.2%	80.6%	50.3%	6.4x	12.8x	135,000	294
SAP	173,794	11,324	31,163	-0.8%	71.2%	36.3%	5.6x	15.3x	101,379	307
Manhattan Associates	7,623	157	586	-5.1%	54.0%	26.8%	13.0x	48.6x	3,500	168
Coupa	20,255	67	542	39.0%	59.1%	12.3%	37.4x	303.3x	1,693	320
Descartes Systems Group	5,341	130	339	8.6%	73.7%	38.2%	15.7x	41.2x	1,500	226
Kinaxis	3,113	53	224	17.0%	68.7%	23.8%	13.9x	58.3x	662	339
Basware	719	28	173	2.2%	56.5%	16.3%	4.2x	25.5x	1,323	131
American Software	563	13	112	-0.3%	53.7%	11.9%	5.0x	42.2x	437	257
Average	58,329	3,966	9,104	7.6%	64.7%	27.0%	12.6x	68.4x	30,687	255
Median	6,482	98	441	1.0%	63.9%	25.3%	9.7x	41.7x	1,597	275

share price as of 21Apr21

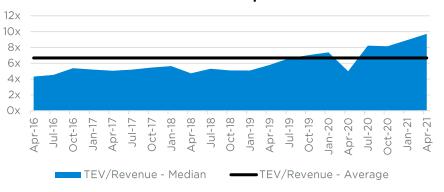




#### Public EBITDA Multiples over Time



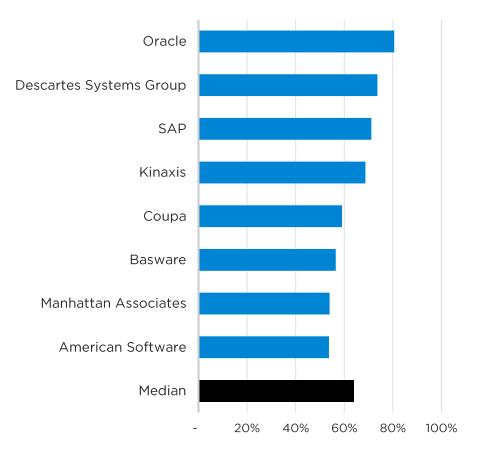
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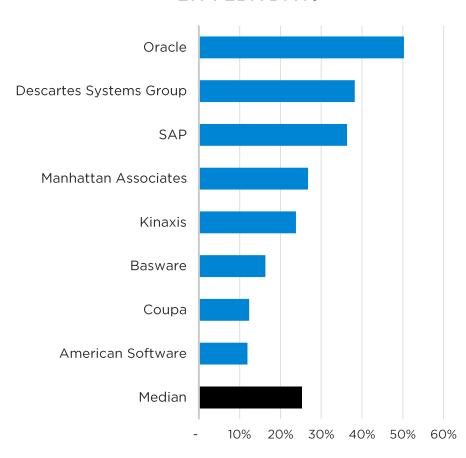


# Operational Metrics

#### LTM Gross Profit Margin %



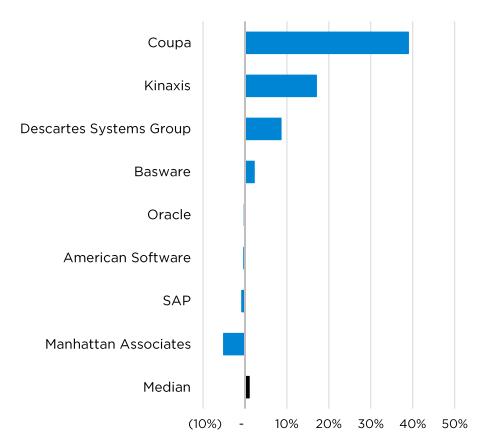
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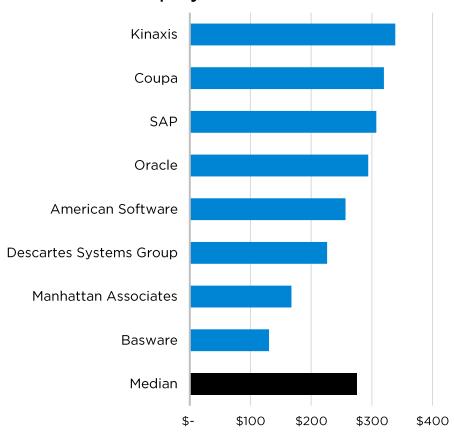


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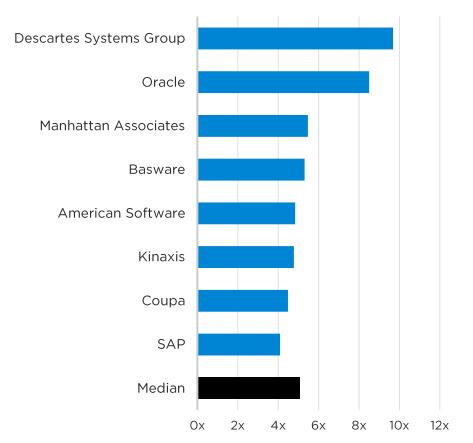
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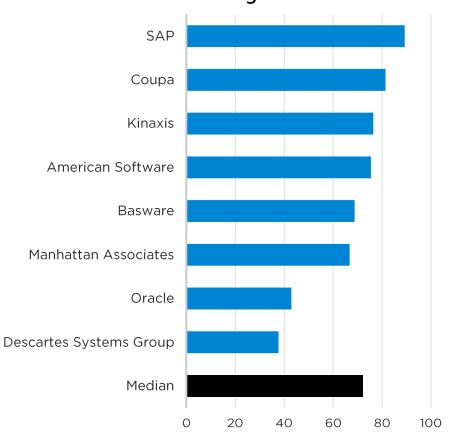


# Operational Metrics

#### **Accounts Receivable Turnover**



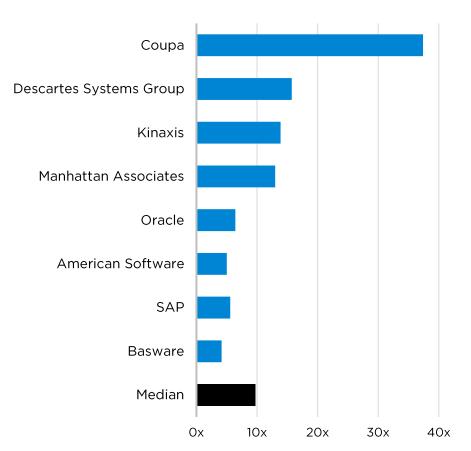
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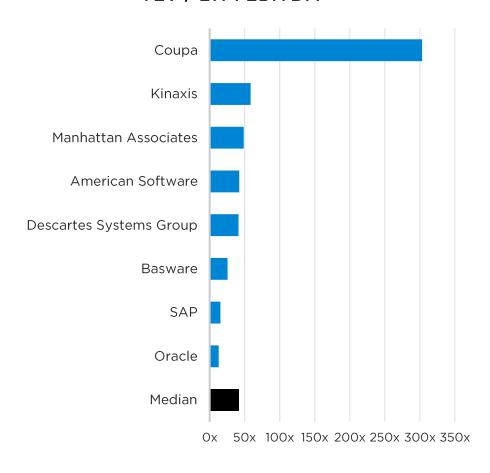


# Valuation

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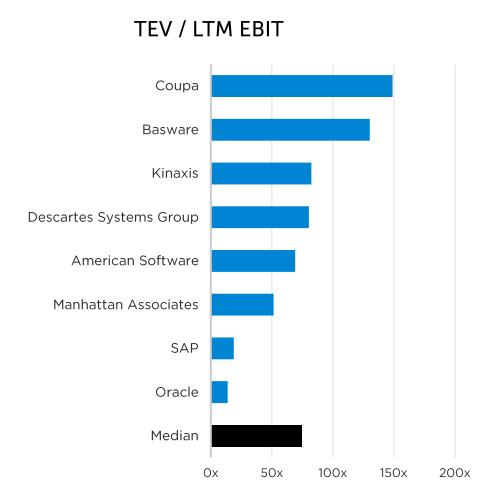


#### TEV / LTM EBITDA

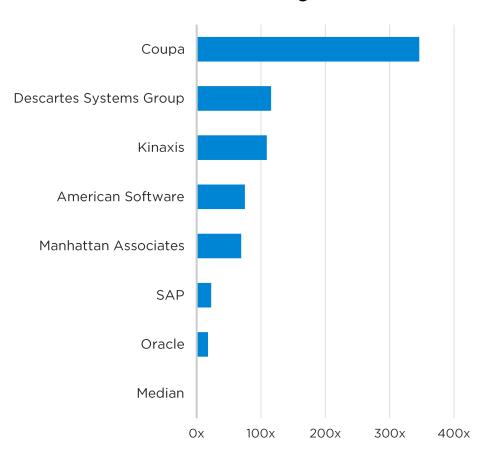




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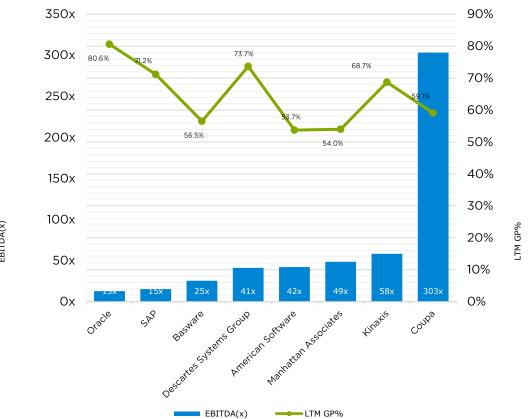
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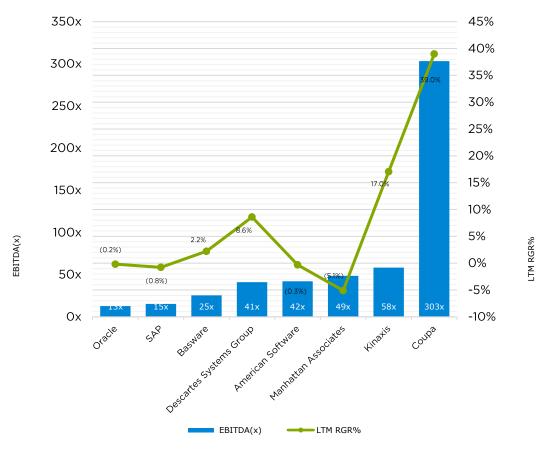


## Valuation





# Historical Valuation Multiples versus Revenue Growth Rate





# Recent Transactions

December   December	Date	Target 	Buyer / Investor		Target Revenue	TEV / Revenue	TEV / EBITDA
67-Rp-21   Haven   Fourkites   -	20-Apr-21	Bex Technologies	Gemelo Holding GmbH	-	-	-	-
06-Apr-21   Cheetah Software Systems   MercuryGate International   -	16-Apr-21	Vend	Lightspeed POS	204.70	-	6.02	-
D5-Apr-21   SPL Central   Mainsail Partners   3PL Central   3PL Centra	07-Apr-21	Haven	FourKites	-	-	-	-
S-R21   Skubane   SPL Central   SPL Central   Sprinnaker SCA   Black Lake Capital   Sprinnaker SCA   Black Lake Capital   Sprinnaker SCA	06-Apr-21	Cheetah Software Systems	MercuryGate International	-	-	-	-
Spinnaker SCA	05-Apr-21	3PL Central	Mainsail Partners	45.00	-	=	-
26-Mar-21   BunkerEx   United Shipping & Trading Company   -	05-Apr-21	Skubana	3PL Central	-	=	=	-
16-Mar-21 QLD Technologies M33 Growth - - - -   09-Mar-21 Geometrix Rail Logistics Amsted Digital Solutions - - - -   04-Mar-21 Upekill TeamViewer - - - -   01-Mar-21 Upekill TeamViewer 35.00 - - -   01-Mar-21 peosco Aspen Capital Group 35.00 - - -   01-Mar-21 pustaweb Descartes Systems Group 36.00 - - -   20-Feb-21 pustor BUCO ODDO BHF Group 31.5 - - -   17-Feb-21 pustor CO Septial - - - - -   17-Feb-21 pustor OS Copital - - - - - -   17-Feb-21 pustor OS Copital -	30-Mar-21	Spinnaker SCA	Black Lake Capital	-	-	-	-
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Oracle

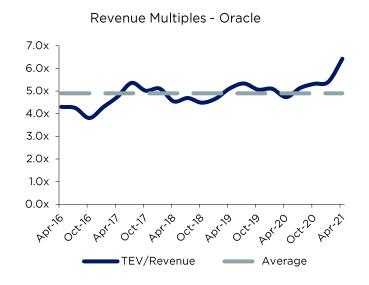
#### Oracle

Oracle provides database technology and enterprise resource planning, or ERP, software to enterprises around the world.

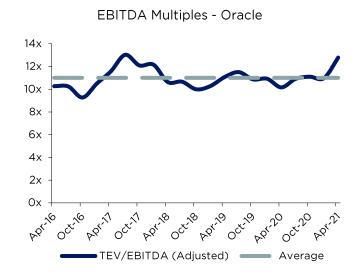
Founded in 1977, Oracle pioneered the first commercial SQL-based relational database management system. Today, Oracle has 430,000 customers in 175 countries, supported by its base of 136,000 employees.

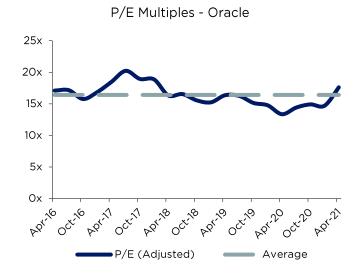


### Oracle



27-Apr-20





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Nor1	18-Nov-20	The company reached a definitive agreement to be acquired by Oracle (NYS: ORCL) for an undisclosed amount on November 18, 2020.
		The company was acquired by Oracle (NYS: ORCL) for an undisclosed amount on April 27, 2020. The acquisition helps Oracle to enhance



Sauce Video

The company was acquired by Oracle (NYS: ORCL) for an undisclosed amount on April 27, 2020. The acquisition helps Oracle to enhance its portfolio with advanced video capabilities and to provide customers with a comprehensive set of content creation and management tools in order to create exceptional customer, employee and supplier experiences.

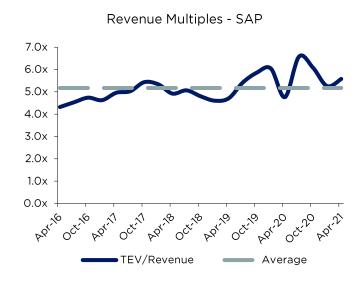
SAP

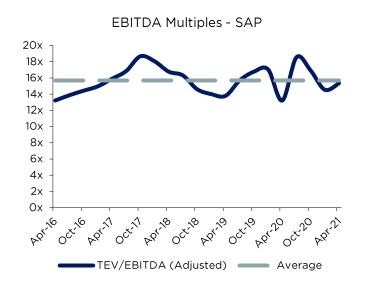
#### SAP

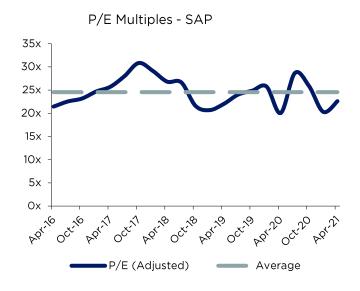
SAP is a global software vendor providing solutions for enterprise resource planning, database management, business intelligence, and vertical-specific software.

Its flagship software products run on SAP's HANA database technology. In fiscal 2019, the company generated roughly 44% of revenue from Europe, the Middle East, and Africa, 41% from the Americas, and 15% from Asia.









Company Name	Date
Crosschq	09-Mar-21
Signavio	05-Mar-21

Deal Synopsis

The company raised \$13.00 million of Series A venture funding in a deal led by Tiger Global Management on March 9, 2021, putting the company's pre-money valuation at \$50 million. Intersect Capital, Slack Fund, SAP, Rocketship, Bessemer Venture Partners, GGV Capital, Klay Thompson, Aaron Gordon, Isaiah Thomas, Khris Middleton, Nolan Arenado, and DK Metcalf also participated in the round. The funds will be used to enhance the company's data analytics that enables companies to track and measure the quality of hire and also use the financing to grow its ML/AI, Go-To-Market and Development teams, expand partnerships and continue its focus on driving diversity in hiring practices

The company was acquired by SAP (ETR: SAP) for EUR 1 billion on March 5, 2021.



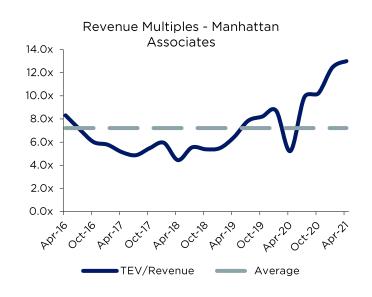
#### **Manhattan Associates**

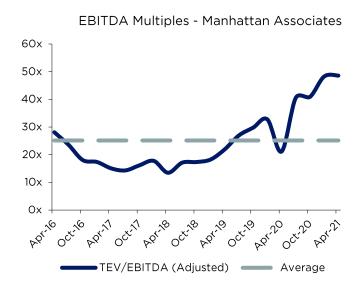
Manhattan Associates provides software that helps users manage their supply chains, inventory, and omnichannel operations.

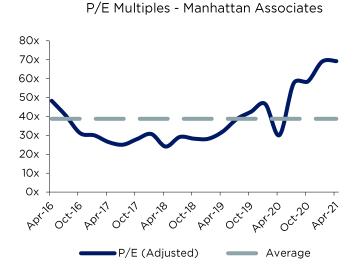
Customers are generally retailers, wholesalers, manufacturers, and logistics providers. The company was founded in 1990 and serves more than 1 200 customers around the world



#### Manhattan Associates







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Company Name	Date	Deal Synopsis

Global Bay Mobile Technologies

11-Aug-14

The company was acquired by Manhattan Associates (NASDAQ: MANH) for \$2.8 million on August 11, 2014.

Evant

01-Sep-05

The company was acquired by Manhattan Associates (NAS: MANH) for \$50 million on September 1, 2005.



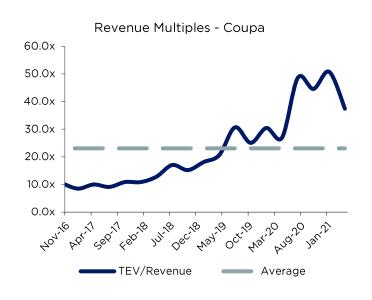
#### Coupa

Coupa Software is a cloud-based, business spending management platform that provides companies with more control and visibility into how they spend money.

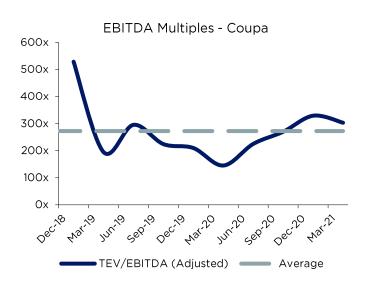
Since it was founded in 2006, Coupa has connected buyers with suppliers and helped buyers save money by improving procurement, expense management, and invoice processing. The company is headquartered in San Mateo, California, and went public in October 2016.

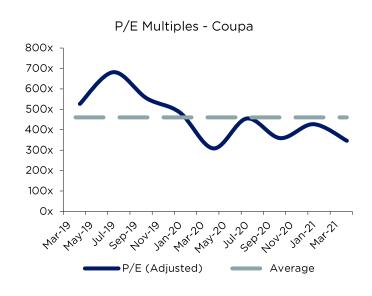


### Coupa



02-Nov-20





Company Name	Date	Deal Synopsis
Coupa K.K.	09-Apr-21	Coupa (NAS: COUP) and Japan Cloud have entered into an agreement to form a joint venture as of April 9, 2021. The joint venture will enable Coupa to scale to support the growing number of Japanese companies looking to gain greater efficiency and agility through business spend management.



LLamasoft

The company was acquired by Coupa (NAS: COUP) for an estimated \$1.39 billion on November 2, 2020.

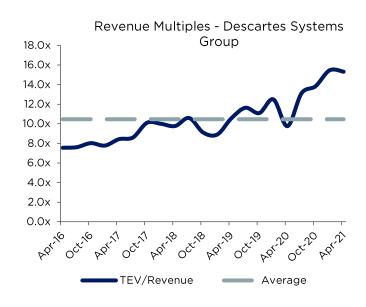
#### **Descartes Systems Group**

# The Descartes Systems Group provides a software solution that allows users in the shipping industry to communicate with one another.

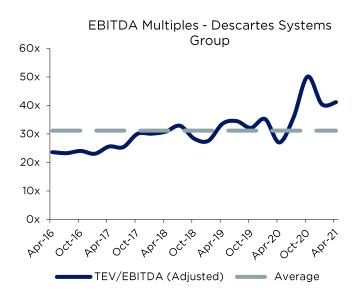
The core product is the Global Logistics Network, which is best understood as transaction driven. Descartes charges clients to send/receive messages, data, and documents on the GLN (the transactions). Customers typically contract for a monthly minimum over a multiyear period. The GLN platform allows for Descartes to upsell additional software modules as well, typically provided via a software-as-a-service model

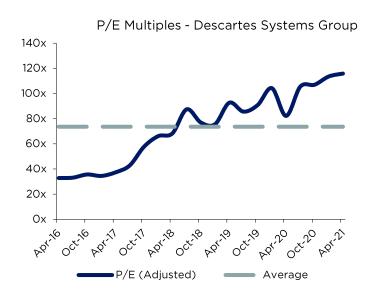


### Descartes Systems Group



Date





QuestaWeb	01-Mar-21
ShipTrack ( Canada )	06-Nov-20

The company was acquired by Descartes Systems Group (TSE: DSG) for \$36 million on March 1, 2021. The acquisition will help Descartes' customers manage the complete lifecycle of shipments.

Deal Synopsis

The company was acquired by Descartes Systems Group (TSE: DSG) for an estimated CAD 50 million on November 6, 2020. The company will receive a maximum contingent payout of CAD 25 million based on achieving revenue-based targets over the first two years post-acquisition. The acquisition compliments Descartes strategy to fill the gap in the market with its advanced Routing, Mobile and Telematics suite of solutions and also will allow ShipTrack an opportunity to create a differentiated product that combines its advanced final-mile solutions with Descartes route optimization and reservations capabilities.



Company Name

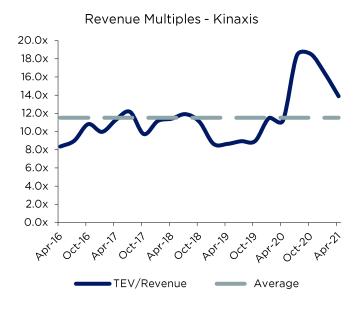
#### **Kinaxis**

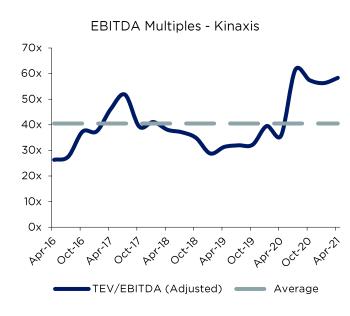
# Kinaxis Inc is a Canada-based provider of software solutions for sales and operations planning (S&OP) and supply chain management.

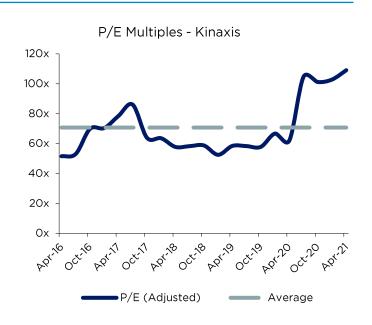
The firm's flagship RapidResponse product is offered on the cloud. Its capabilities include consequence evaluation and alerting, responsibility-based collaboration, high-speed analytics, and scenario simulation. Kinaxis's S&OP solution capabilities include supply and demand planning, capacity and inventory planning, and inventory management. The firm has operations in North America, Europe, and Asia-Pacific regions.



### Kinaxis







Company Name	Date	Deal Synopsis

Rubikloud

02-Jul-20

The company was acquired by Kinaxis (TSE: KXS) for \$60.39 million on July 2, 2020.

Prana Consulting

31-Jan-20

The company was acquired by Kinaxis (TSE: KXS) for \$4.006 million on January 31, 2020. the company will receive a contingent payout of \$80,000 upon attainment of specific revenue and team retention metrics in the year following the acquisition. The acquisition immediately adds many highly-skilled practitioners who have deep experience in RapidResponse®, and creates a hub from which Kinaxis can offer expanded services to its customers.

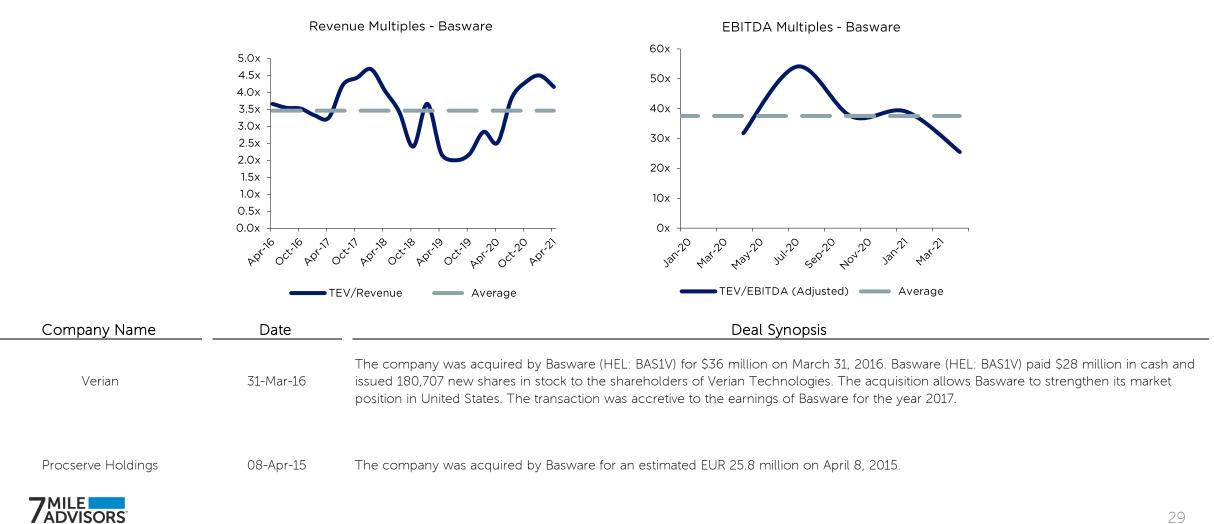


#### **Basware**

## Basware Oyj is engaged in the provision of cloudbased-solutions to organizations of all sizes.

It is involved in the following business areas: Network services, Purchase to Pay, and e-invoicing Services. It provides networked purchase-to-pay solutions and e-invoicing and financing solutions to all enterprises. It offers e-invoicing services and software; accounts payable automation solutions; receiving and sending e-invoices; e-procurement, business consulting, scan and capture, and travel and expense management solutions. The firm also provides InvoiceReady, a purchase-to-pay solution; Basware Discount, a Web-based supply chain financing solution; and accounts receivable financing for suppliers. It primarily serves business process outsourcing providers and financial institutions.





#### **American Software**

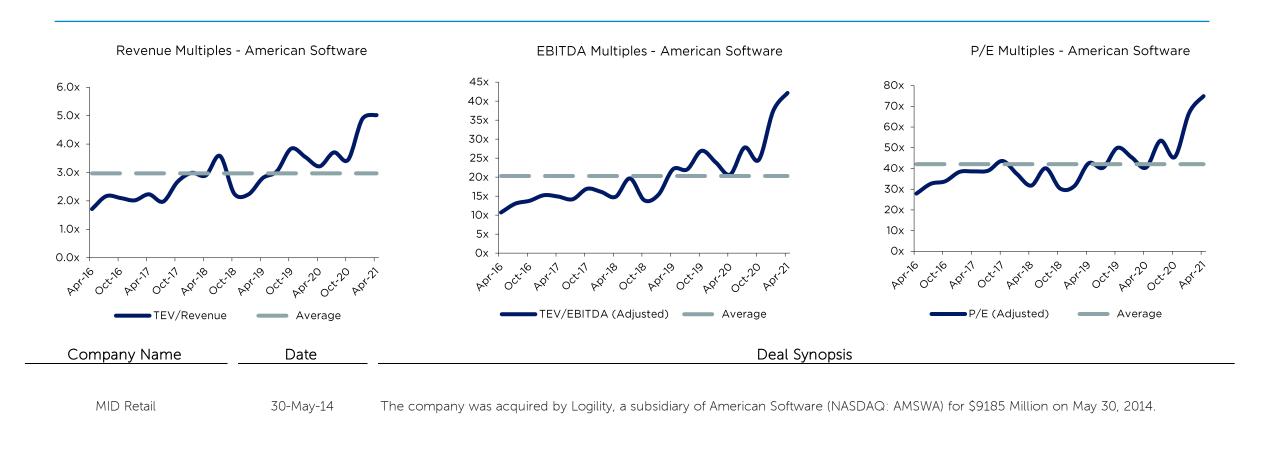
# American Software Inc develops enterprise management and supply chain-related software and services.

Its software and services bring business value to companies by supporting their operations over cloud-based Internet-architected solutions. The company's operating segment inlcude Supply Chain Management (SCM); Information Technology Consulting (IT Consulting) and Other. It generates maximum revenue from the Supply Chain Management segment. SCM segment provides collaborative supply chain solutions to streamline and optimize the production, distribution, and management of products between trading partners. Its solutions consist of global sourcing, workflow management, customer service applications, and ERP solutions.



29-Jun-09

#### American Software



listed from the NASDAQ Global stock exchange.

The company was acquired by American Software (Nasdaq: AMSWA) for \$12.3 Billion on June 6, 2009. As a result, the company was de-



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