

FLEET LEASING INDUSTRY Q3 2023 VALUATION UPDATE



# Introduction

We are pleased to share our Fleet Leasing Industry Multiples Valuation Update for Q3 2023.

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## Fleet Leasing's Industry Overview, M&A Trends and Market Intelligence

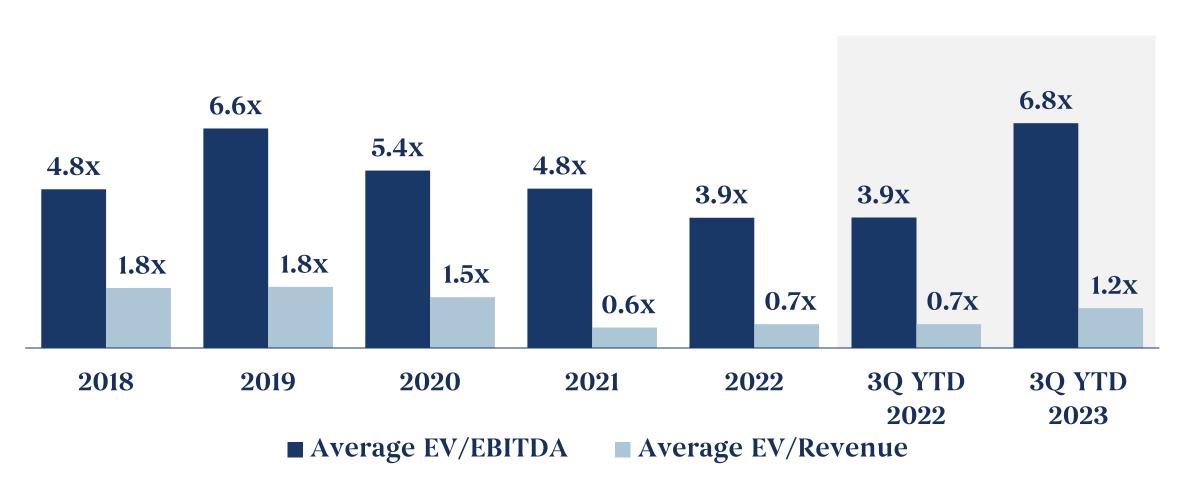
#### Fleet Leasing's Industry Overview

- The car rental market accounted for **2027US\$119.3B** in **2021**, and it is expected to reach US\$223.1B by 2027, projecting a CAGR of more than 11.0% from 2022 to 2027
- The fleet management solutions market size is estimated at **US\$24.5B** in 2023 and is expected to reach US\$52.4B by 2028, growing at a CAGR of 16.4% from 2023 to 2028
- The COVID-19 pandemic **hindered** the **growth** of the car rental market owing to travel restrictions and the shutdown of several tourist agencies and car rental service providers
- The growth of the global machinery and equipment market decreased due to the shutdown of manufacturing facilities during the pandemic, but the market is now expected to gain **momentum** as economic activities have resumed post-pandemic
- Due to the global lockdown, travel limitations, and the work-fromhome culture, the **vendors** offering fleet management solutions for non-essential fleets were **affected**, as many vehicles were left idle
- Last-mentioned trend is still **prevailing**, as companies have extended • the work-from-home policy, and people are avoiding ride-sharing
- The market is becoming more **IT** and **data-driven**, with increasing • involvement from **tech** companies and other mobility providers, such as car rental companies and Mobility as a Service (MaaS) providers

#### Fleet Leasing Industry M&A Deal Size and Volume



#### Fleet Leasing Industry M&A Average EV/EBITDA and EV/Revenue

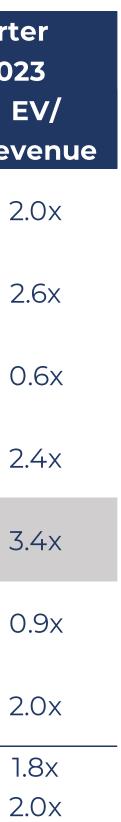




## Vehicle Rental - Global Comparable Public Companies

Company		Country	, Market	Enterprise Value	Revenue	EBITDA	Annual Average EV/EBITDA		Third Quarte Sep. 30, 202	
Company	Company		Cap. US\$M	US\$M	US\$M	Margin	2021	2022	EV/ EBITDA	E' Reve
Alquiber Quality, S.A.		ESP	\$52	\$217	\$106	56.1%	3.8x	3.9x	3.6x	2.
Avis Budget Group, Inc.	avis budget group	D USA	\$6,961	\$31,455	\$12,015	42.9%	16.0x	6.5x	6.1x	2.
Inchcape plc	Inchcape	GBR	\$3,820	\$7,204	\$12,044	6.7%	13.3x	9.4x	8.9x	0.
Hertz Global Holdings, Inc.	Hertz	USA	\$3,813	\$21,743	\$9,222	26.7%	61.5x	6.2x	8.8x	2.4
Localiza Rent a Car S.A.	<b>Sent a Car</b>	BRA	\$12,371	\$18,139	\$5,382	20.1%	23.9x	16.8x	16.8x	3.
Redde Northgate plc	<b>redd</b> €n⊚rthga1	re gbr	\$941	\$1,788	\$1,949	25.7%	4.8x	4.2x	3.6x	0.
Sixt SE	Sixt	DEU	\$3,845	\$7,355	\$3,716	20.4%	38.4x	10.3x	9.7x	2.
Excluded from mean and median						Mean	12.4x	6.7x	6.8x	1.8
						Median	16.0x	6.5x	8.8x	2.0





## Leasing - Global Comparable Public Companies (1/2)

			Market	Enterprise	Revenue	EBITDA	Annual Average EV/EBITDA		Third Quarter Sep. 30, 2023	
Company		Country	Cap. US\$M	ap. US\$M US\$M	US\$M	Margin	2021	2022	EV/ EBITDA	EV/ Revenue
Air Transport Services Group, Inc.	ATSG AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES GRO	USA	\$1,468	\$3,002	\$2,087	31.0%	6.3x	5.6x	4.6x	1.4x
ALD S.A.	ALD Automotive	FRA	\$6,333	\$37,845	\$16,473	11.9%	29.3x	17.5x	19.3x	2.3x
Cargojet Inc.	CARGOJET	CAN	\$1,145	\$1,676	\$682	29.8%	14.9x	10.7x	8.2x	2.5x
Chorus Aviation Inc.	chorus	CAN	\$354	\$1,771	\$1,256	25.6%	9.0x	8.8x	5.5x	1.4x
FirstGroup plc	Fırst 🌈	GBR	\$1,213	\$2,783	\$5,796	15.9%	4.0x	2.1x	3.0x	0.5x
Global Ship Lease, Inc.	死 GLOBAL SHIP LEASE	GBR	\$645	\$1,431	\$646	63.3%	8.3x	6.3x	3.5x	2.2x
Mesa Air Group, Inc.	<b>MESA</b> AR GROUP	USA	\$35	\$566	\$509	12.5%	6.8x	9.3x	8.9x	1.1x
NS United Kaiun Kaisha, Ltd.		JPN	\$622	\$1,045	\$1,556	19.4%	7.0x	4.1x	3.5x	0.7x
PT Blue Bird Tbk	<b>BLUE BIRD</b> <b>GROUP</b>	IDN	\$340	\$335	\$279	24.9%	12.0x	7.3x	4.8x	1.2x
Ryder System, Inc.	<b>Ryder</b> ®	USA	\$4,869	\$11,958	\$11,848	24.1%	4.3x	3.7x	4.2x	1.0x



















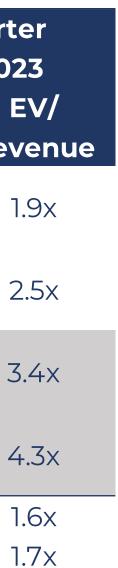




## Leasing - Global Comparable Public Companies (2/2)

Company	Country	Market	Enterprise Value	Revenue	EBITDA	Annual Average EV/EBITDA		Third Quarte Sep. 30, 202	
Company	Country	Cap. US\$M		US\$M	Margin	2021	2022	EV/ EBITDA	E Reve
Touax SCA	X FRA	\$36	\$414	\$218	29.0%	7.1x	6.8x	6.5x	1.9
U-Haul Holding Company	JL USA	\$10,315	\$14,119	\$5,754	37.1%	8.9x	6.0x	6.6x	2.
Vamos Locação de Caminhões, Máquinas e 🏾 🖓 VAMO Equipamentos S.A.	DS BRA	\$2,140	\$4,051	\$1,206	40.6%	18.2x	13.0x	8.3x	3.
Wisdom Marine Lines Co., Limited (Cayman)	TWN	\$1,124	\$2,410	\$556	59.2%	14.4x	7.0x	7.3x	4.
Excluded from mean and median					Mean	8.6x	6.5x	5.8x	1.
					Median	8.6x	6.9x	6.0x	1.1





## Fleet Leasing - Global Transactions

Date	Target	Country	Description	Buyer	Seller	% Acquired	Size US\$M	EV/ EBITDA	EV/ Revenue
Sep-23		DEU	Provides car rental services	Europcar MobiLity Group	>>EURO LEASING	51.0%	-	-	-
Sep-23	LEASING COMPANY	USA	Provides trailer leasing and maintenance services	COMMERCIAL TRAILER LEASING, INC.	I SQUARED CAPITAL	100.0%	-	-	-
Sep-23	<u>.</u>	BEL	Provides bicycle leasing services		-	100.0%	-	-	-
Sep-23	MiteTrain COACH	USA	Provides coach leasing and driver services for interstate transportation	ENC RE	-	100.0%	>\$100.0	-	-
Aug-23	Royal Coach Tours	USA	Provides charter bus transportation services	TKRG Holdings Inc.	-	100.0%	-	-	-
Aug-23		GBR	Operates as a car and commercial vehicle leasing broker	<b>MØBILIZE</b> FINANCIAL SERVICES	-	36.6%	-	-	-
Jul-23	ຓ៰៶ʹ៰៱	CHE	Provides leasing and management solutions of individual vehicles as well as vehicle fleets for commercial customers		amag Leasing	JV	-	-	-
Jul-23	driiveme	GBR	Provides car and van rental services	isai	-	ND	-	-	-
Jul-23	noleggio plattaforme aeree	ITA	Provides vehicle rental services for building and industrial maintenance		-	100.0%	-	-	-

ND: Not Disclosed





## **Selected Transactions Commentary**



"Europcar Mobility Group is well positioned to play an active role in defining new offers to make mobility services more flexible, sustainable and accessible to all. Joining forces with Euromobil makes a lot of sense and has great potential for value creation."

Alain Favey, CEO of Europear Mobility



"I am excited to bring those entrepreneurial skills from my original home base of North Carolina to Tennessee and work with the Nitetrain and Encore teams to create something special in the touring sector of the entertainment business."

Amanda Stophel, President of Encore Luxury Coach Leasing



"With this new partnership, Mobilize Financial Services continues to roll out its global strategy, particularly for its subsidiary Mobilize Lease&Co, aiming for a fleet size of one million vehicles by 2030."

Frédéric Schneider, Interim CEO of Mobilize Financial Services

ISQI has acquired driiveme

**Geoffroy Lambert, CEO and Co-Founder of Driiveme** 

"In a fragmented market, we also want to seize opportunities in terms of strategic growth operations." Our objective is to achieve an annual turnover of more than €100M within 3 years."



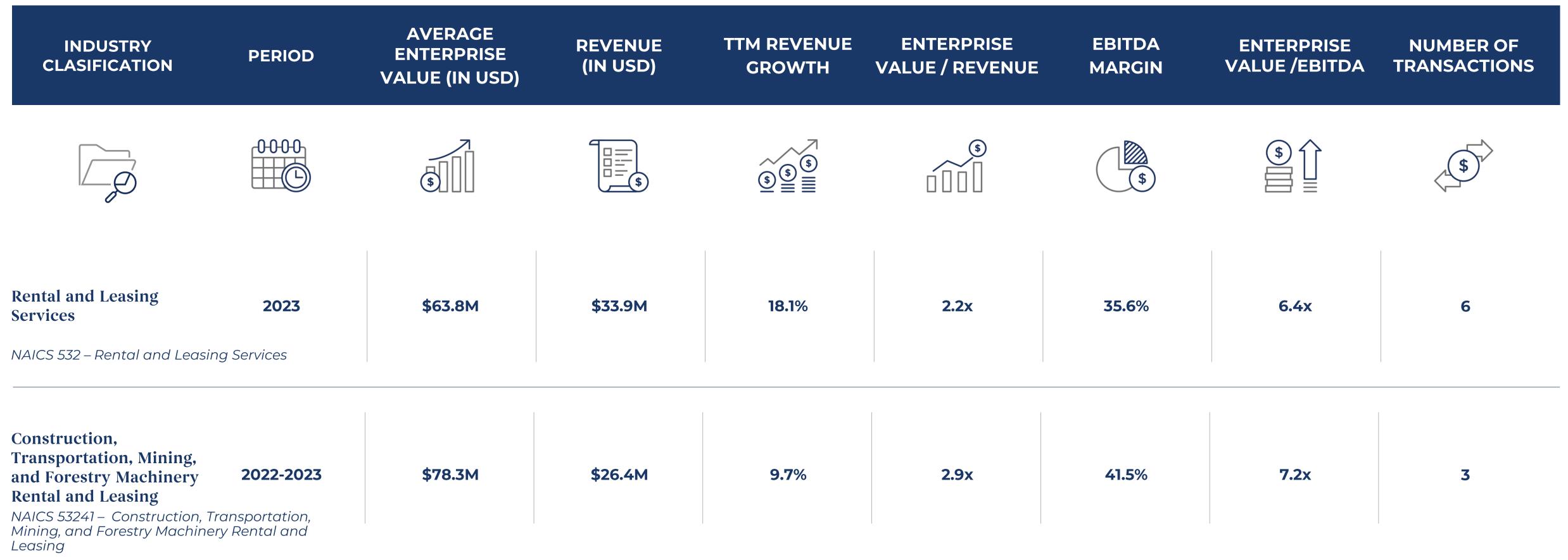








## **Private Equity Transactions**



#### Notes:

- this blind approach, the data submitted is less likely to be biased or manipulated.

• Data obtained via GF Data, a subscription-based information platform, offering detailed information and metrics about the transactions of Private Equity funds in the U.S. • The data is provided under a blind confidential format. Users of the data are unable to identify the exact company and transaction corresponding to the transaction details. Given



# HERTZ

#### **TARGET** Donlen Corporation

#### **TRANSACTION TYPE** Buy-side Advisory

#### INDUSTRIES

Vehicle fleet leasing and management services

#### **GEOGRAPHY** Northbrook, IL

#### SITUATION

Seale & Associates, Inc. announced that it acted as financial advisor to The Hertz Corporation ("Hertz") on the acquisition of Donlen Corporation for US\$947M. This transaction was part of the overall growth strategy of Hertz to provide the most flexible transportation programs for corporate and general consumers.

#### **SEALE & ASSOCIATES' APPROACH**

Seale professionals conducted a comprehensive evaluation of vehicle fleet companies that could potentially align with Hertz's growth strategy. After prequalifying each potential target, Seale began negotiations with the companies that best matched Hertz's investment criteria and strategic objectives.

#### OUTCOME

The process resulted in the purchase of Donlen Corporation by Hertz. Donlen, a leading provider of vehicle fleet leasing and management services.

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"The acquisition of Donlen is consistent with the evolution of Hertz's asset-light, technology focused business model"

has acquired

DONLEN

Hertz

"The acquisition of Donlen is consistent with the evolution of Hertz's asset-light, technology focused business model and is part of the Company's overall growth strategy to provide the most flexible transportation programs for corporate and retail customers. Integrating Donlen into the Hertz family of products gives us a yearly and multi-year offering that complements our current core competencies of hourly, daily and monthly car sharing and car rental options and provides the Company with a more stable revenue stream and new adjacent markets to leverage our existing business model."

Mark P. Frissora, the Chairman and CEO of Hertz



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