

# Introduction

We are pleased to share our Household Products Industry Multiples Valuation Update for Q1 2024.

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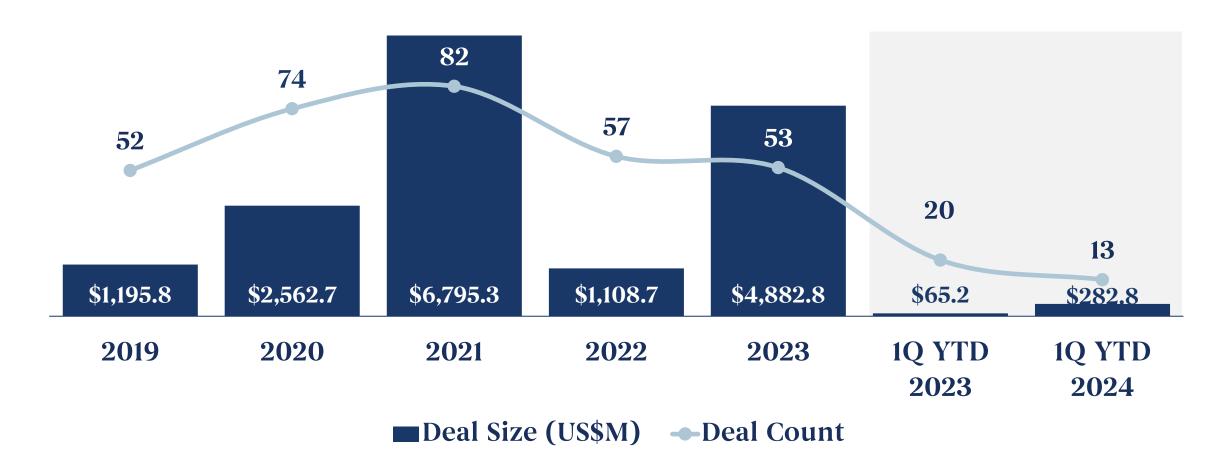
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### Household Products Industry Overview, M&A Trends and Market Intelligence

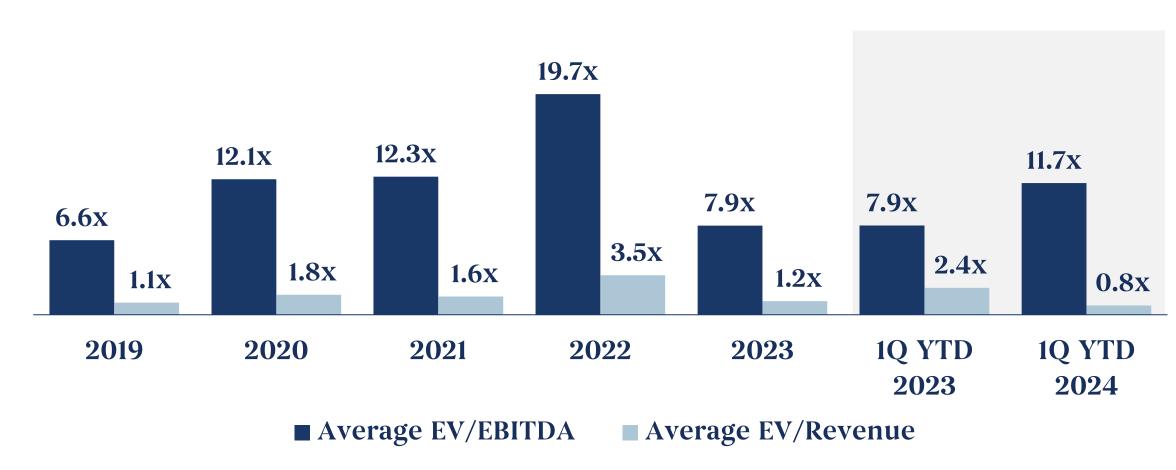
### **Industry Overview**

- The global household products market is expected to grow at a CAGR of 6.2% from 2024 to 2029
- Sector players are expected to continue to eye consolidation opportunities, with strategic buyers driving the vast majority of mergers and acquisitions (M&A). Privately-owned companies with defensible revenues, strong margins, and healthy supply chains are poised to attract substantial acquirer appetite
- Demand for cleaning products has **risen significantly worldwide**, due to heightened consumer awareness about sanitation and wellbeing. **Primarily driven** by the increasing consciousness among individuals about maintaining the household clean
- Manufacturers in the household market are focusing on leveraging opportunities posed by emerging markets to expand their revenue base. They're also embarking on M&A and new product developments as critical strategies to consolidate and optimize their offerings
- The North American market is expected to expand backed by rising environmental concerns, increasing the demand for safe and organic homecare products
- Major market players are **leveraging** their **online presence** by selling products on their websites and utilizing popular social media sites to increase their visibility and reach

#### **Household Products Industry M&A Deal Size and Volume**



#### Household Products Industry M&A Average EV/EBITDA and EV/Revenue



# Cleaning Products Industry Global Comparable Public Companies

			Market	Enterprise	Revenue	EBITDA	Annual Average EV/EBITDA		First Quarter Mar. 31, 2024	
Company		Country	Cap. US\$M	Value US\$M	US\$M	Margin	2022	2023	EV/ EBITDA	EV/ Revenue
Albaad Massuot Yitzhak Ltd	Albaad	ISR	\$80	\$302	\$463	10.9%	11.7×	11.6x	6.0x	0.7x
Bombril S.A.		BRA	\$119	\$190	\$283	16.4%	5.0x	4.0x	4.1x	0.7x
Jyothy Labs Limited		IND	\$1,937	\$1,889	\$326	17.3%	22.7x	28.6x	33.6x	5.8x
McBride plc McBride		GBR	\$219	\$403	\$1,175	7.0%	11.5x	70.0x	4.9x	0.3x
Net Detergent JSC	(R) (NETCO) 150 9001:2015	VNM	\$76	\$69	\$72	11.9%	7.6x	7.3x	8.0x	1.0x
Niitaka Co., Ltd.	NIITAKA	JPN	\$78	\$53	\$147	7.7%	4.3x	5.4x	4.6x	0.4x
Peerapat Technology Public Company Limited	PEERAPAT	THA	\$17	\$26	\$30	17.8%	7.9x	6.9x	5.0x	0.9x
PZ Cussons plc		GBR	\$474	\$601	\$753	NM	11.0x	9.2x	NM	0.8x
Sano Bruno's Enterprises Ltd	sano <sup>*</sup>	ISR	\$933	\$781	\$558	13.9%	9.9x	8.2x	10.0x	1.4x
Excluded from mean and median						Mean	6.9x	7.5x	6.1x	0.8x
NM: Not Measurable						Median	9.9x	8.2x	5.5x	0.8x

## Manufacturers of Household Products (1/2)

			Market	Enterprise	Revenue	EBITDA	Annual Average EV/EBITDA		First Quarter Mar. 31, 2024	
Company		Country	Cap. US\$M	Value US\$M	US\$M	Margin	2022	2023	EV/ EBITDA	EV/ Revenue
Church & Dwight Co., Inc.	CO., INC.	USA	\$25,442	\$27,703	\$5,868	22.1%	19.7x	19.4x	21.3x	4.7x
Colgate-Palmolive Company		USA	\$74,020	\$82,287	\$19,457	24.1%	16.3x	16.7x	17.6x	4.2x
Ecolab Inc.	ECELAB	* USA	\$66,017	\$73,858	\$15,320	21.7%	19.3x	18.9x	22.2x	4.8x
Henkel AG & Co. KGaA	Henkel	DEU	\$31,562	\$32,407	\$23,211	15.5%	9.5x	10.4x	9.0x	1.4x
Kao Corporation	Kao	JPN	\$17,324	\$17,266	\$10,130	12.5%	11.2x	13.3x	13.6x	1.7×
Kimberly-Clark Corporation	Kimberly-Clark	USA	\$43,580	\$51,126	\$20,431	20.6%	13.4x	12.9x	12.1x	2.5x
Kimberly-Clark de México, S. A. B. de C. V.	Kimberly-Clark	MEX	\$6,857	\$7,510	\$3,232	26.0%	11.7×	10.8x	8.9x	2.3x
Lion Corporation	life.love. <b>LION</b>	JPN	\$2,481	\$2,153	\$2,662	10.9%	7.4×	8.9x	7.4x	0.8x
Reckitt Benckiser Group plc	reckitt	GBR	\$40,369	\$49,426	\$18,448	31.2%	16.0x	13.9x	8.6x	2.7x
The Clorox Company	The Clorox Company	× USA	\$19,002	\$21,941	\$7,310	17.4%	19.7x	18.4x	17.3x	3.0x

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### Manufacturers of Household Products (2/2)

Company	Company		Country		Revenue	EBITDA	Annual Average EV/EBITDA		First Quarter Mar. 31, 2024	
Company		Country	Cap. US\$M	Value US\$M	US\$M	Margin	2021	2022	EV/ EBITDA	EV/ Revenue
The Procter & Gamble Company	P&G	USA	\$381,778	\$408,703	\$84,060	28.6%	16.8x	17.5x	17.0x	4.9x
Unilever PLC	Unilever	GBR	\$125,648	\$154,616	\$64,305	19.6%	13.0x	12.5x	12.3x	2.4x
Excluded from mean and median						Mean	12.8x	12.9x	12.4x	2.1x
						Median	14.7×	13.6x	12.9x	2.6x

# Industry - Global Transactions

Date	Target	Country	Description	Buyer	Seller	% Acquired	Size US\$M	EV/ EBITDA	EV/ Revenue
Mar-24	ACCROL GROUP	GBR	Produces private label toilet roll, kitchen roll, and facial tissue	NAVIGATOR	Multiple Sellers	100.0%	\$234.4	11.9x	0.8x
Mar-24	Clorox Argentina S.A.	ARG	Manufactures cleaning and home care products	Apex Investments Management	The Clorox Company	100.0%	-	-	-
Mar-24	PARKER & BAILEY	USA	Manufactures household cleaners, woodcare products, and other furniture care accessories	shepherd HARDWARE PRODUCTS	-	100.0%	-	-	-
Mar-24	Daz	ESP	Provides laundry detergents, including pods, gels, and powders	BlueSun	P&G	100.0%	-	-	-
Mar-24	BOOMERANG LABORATORIES, INC.	USA	Manufactures household and personal care products, specializing in cleaning and hygiene solutions	ELEVATION	-	100.0%	-	-	-
Feb-24	strata	GBR	Manufactures home and garden plastic products	© CHILTERN CAPITAL	Berry	100.0%	-	-	-
Feb-24	Cleanomic	USA	Provides biodegradable waste bags and eco-friendly cleaning products	Society	-	100.0%	-	-	-

### Selected Transactions Commentary



"I would like to thank our teammates in Argentina for effectively managing the business in this dynamic operating environment. The new owners share our values and bring proven local operating experience and we believe their focus on maximizing the potential of the business will position it to deliver continued growth that benefits consumers and employees."

Linda Rendle, CEO of The Clorox Company



"We remain true to identifying and acquiring strong brands with a loyal consumer following that have built a thriving e-commerce revenue base. Not only are the brands perfect for our portfolio, but we are adding more than 30 talented team members as a result of this transaction. Together as a unified group, I'm confident we will take both brands to the next level."

Michael Sirpilla, CEO of Society Brands



"We are delighted to partner with Jay, Ian and Glen and support another corporate carve out. We look forward to supporting Strata in capitalising on its strong market position and delivering the team's exciting plans to expand the business both in the UK and internationally."

Andrew Reid, Investment Manager of Chiltern Capital



"This partnership represents a natural progression for our company, allowing us to leverage Shepherd Hardware's resources and distribution network to reach new heights. Together, we will continue to uphold our tradition of delivering superior home care solutions."

Andrew Schultz, Co-owner of Parker & Bailey

# Private Equity Transactions

INDUSTRY CLASIFICATION	PERIOD	AVERAGE ENTERPRISE VALUE (IN USD)	REVENUE (IN USD)	TTM REVENUE GROWTH	ENTERPRISE VALUE / REVENUE	EBITDA MARGIN	ENTERPRISE VALUE/EBITDA	NUMBER OF TRANSACTIONS
	0-0-0-0	\$	\$	\$\\\$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	\$	\$	\$	\$
Soap, Cleaning Compound, and Toilet Preparation Manufacturing  NAICS 3256 – Soap, Cleaning Toilet Preparation Manufact	<b>2018-2024</b> Compound, and uring	\$70.6M	\$43.5M	12.8%	2.2x	27.8%	7.8x	11
Soap and Other Detergent Manufacturing  NAICS 325611 – Soap and Oth	<b>2018-2024</b> ner Detergent	\$87.1M	\$57.2M	7.6%	1.8x	21.2%	<b>7.9</b> x	5

#### **Notes:**

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

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Source: GF Data

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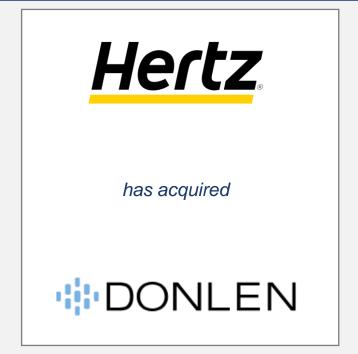








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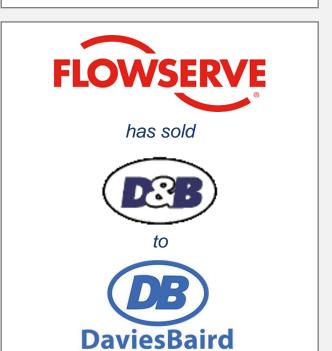






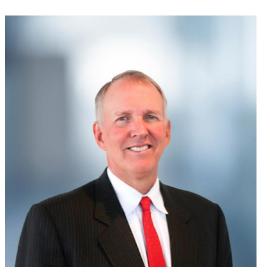












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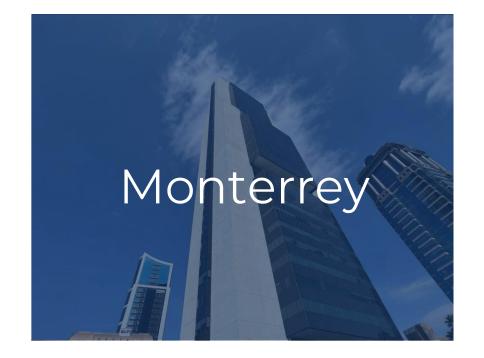
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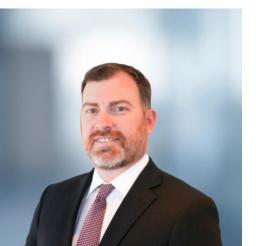


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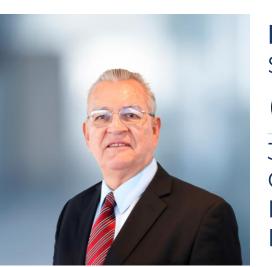
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