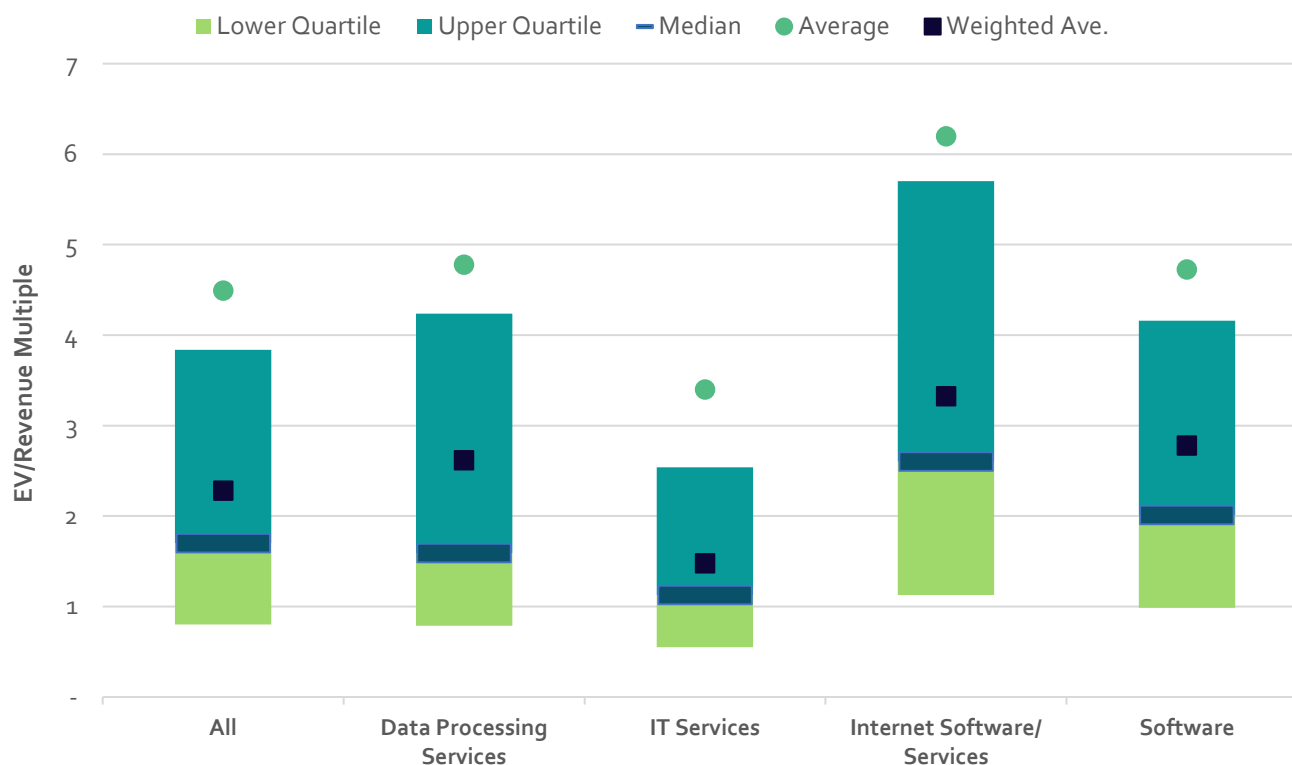


Overview

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This Tech Insights report looks into ~5,800 acquisition multiples of the four technology sub-sectors as defined by FactSet since the beginning of 2000.



	All	Data Processing Services	IT Services	Internet Software/ Services	Software
Count	5,839	257	2,009	875	2,698
Lower Quartile	0.8	0.8	0.6	1.1	1.0
Median	1.7	1.6	1.1	2.6	2.0
Upper Quartile	3.8	4.2	2.5	5.7	4.2
Average	4.5	4.8	3.4	6.2	4.7
Weighted Ave.	2.3	2.6	1.5	3.3	2.8

Definitions of Sub-Sectors

Data Processing Services

Examples of companies include processing and preparation of reports and automated data entry services.

IT Services

Examples of companies include networking and connectivity services, design of computing solutions, custom enterprise resource planning (ERP) software and services, conversions and migrations, application development, and computer disaster recovery services.

Internet Software/ Services

Examples of companies include operating systems, server applications, supply chain management software, open architecture software, computer-aided design and computer-aided manufacturing software, generic ERP software, business intelligence productivity tools, and interactive entertainment and information products.

Software

Examples of companies include internet services providers, e-mail, B2B services or software, online conferences, online navigational guide, other internet related software, and website development.

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Percentage of Acquisitions by EV/Revenue Multiple bracket

The four charts below show the percentage of acquisitions by different EV/Revenue multiple brackets for each technology sub-sector.

