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Industry Update Media and Entertainment Q4 2023

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Financial Performance Size Profile, LTM Financials, Forward Estimates

(USD in millions, except per share data)

			Size Profi	le		LTM Operating Data		Forward Estimates	
Company Name	Ticker	Price at 12/31/23	% of 52 Week High	TEV	Total Assets	LTM Revenue	LTM EBITDA	2023 Est. Revenue	2023 Est. EBITDA
Broadcasting									
Warner Bros. Discovery, Inc.	WBD	\$11.38	69.6%	\$69,606	\$123,749	\$42,045	\$6,866	\$42,019	\$10,565
Gray Television, Inc.	GTN	\$8.96	62.2%	\$7,809	\$10,735	\$3,489	\$1,048	\$3,939	\$1,385
Stolt-Nielsen Limited	SNI	\$30.72	83.8%	\$3,810	\$4,794	\$2,858	\$727	\$2,825	\$815
Entravision Communications Corporation	EVC	\$4.17	56.9%	\$552	\$876	\$1,083	\$56	\$1,259	\$93

Cable and Satellite									
AT&T Inc.	Т	\$16.78	73.5%	\$287,919	\$407,060	\$122,428	\$41,837	\$123,672	\$44,686
AMC Networks Inc.	AMCX	\$18.79	68.4%	\$3,034	\$5,391	\$2,998	\$653	\$2,643	\$575
Amala Foods Plc	DISH	\$0.00	28.0%	\$2	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0

Movies and Entertainment									
Netflix, Inc.	NFLX	\$486.88	97.2%	\$259,497	\$48,732	\$33,723	\$7,311	\$38,407	\$9,889
The Walt Disney Company	DIS	\$90.29	76.4%	\$224,764	\$205,579	\$88,898	\$14,701	\$93,351	\$18,455
AMC Entertainment Holdings, Inc.	AMC	\$6.12	8.1%	\$9,603	\$8,793	\$4,699	\$369	\$4,585	\$360
Lions Gate Entertainment Corp.	LGF.A	\$10.90	90.2%	\$6,485	\$6,179	\$4,010	\$484	\$4,425	\$520
Cinemark Holdings, Inc.	CNK	\$14.09	71.0%	\$4,480	\$4,811	\$3,028	\$572	\$2,897	\$497

Source: Capital IQ

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Publishing									
The New York Times Company	NYT	\$48.99	98.9%	\$7,501	\$2,547	\$2,389	\$368	\$2,576	\$427
The E.W. Scripps Company	SSP	\$7.99	49.5%	\$4,223	\$5,688	\$2,358	\$487	\$2,548	\$602
Gannett Co., Inc.	GCI	\$2.30	63.9%	\$1,585	\$2,249	\$2,725	\$271	\$2,602	\$270
Scholastic Corporation	SCHL	\$37.70	79.8%	\$1,154	\$1,834	\$1,644	\$97	\$1,703	\$206

Source: Capital IQ

Valuation Metrics

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Return Profile, Trading Multiples

			Trading Multiples						
Company Name	Ticker	Return on Assets	Return on Equity	Revenue Growth	EBITDA Margin	EBITDA Growth	5-yr Beta	TEV / LTM Revenue	TEV / LTM EBITDA
Broadcasting									
Warner Bros. Discovery, Inc.	WBD	-0.6%	-9.9%	61.7%	16.3%	56.7%	1.6x	1.7x	10.1x
Gray Television, Inc.	GTN	4.1%	4.5%	4.9%	30.0%	-4.3%	1.7x	2.2x	7.5x
Stolt-Nielsen Limited	SNI	6.5%	16.8%	8.6%	25.5%	22.7%	0.0x	1.3x	5.2x
Entravision Communications Corporation	EVC	2.0%	1.1%	21.2%	5.2%	-32.9%	1.3x	0.5x	9.9x
	Mean Median	3.0% 3.0%	3.1% 2.8%	24.1% 14.9%	19.2% 20.9%	10.6% 9.2%	1.1x 1.4x	1.4x 1.5x	8.2x 8.7x
Cable and Satellite									
AT&T Inc.	Т	3.6%	13.8%	1.4%	34.2%	-6.0%	0.7x	2.4x	6.9x
Amala Foods Plc	DISH	-70.5%	N/A	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	-0.1x	N/A	N/A
AMC Networks Inc.	AMCX	6.1%	-2.9%	2.1%	21.8%	-0.9%	1.3x	1.0x	4.6x
	Mean	-20.3%	5.5%	1.2%	18.6%	-2.3%	0.7x	1.7x	5.8x
Source: Capital IQ	Median	3.6%	5.5%	1.4%	21.8%	-0.9%	0.7x	1.7x	5.8x

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Movies and Entertainment									
The Walt Disney Company	DIS	2.9%	3.1%	7.5%	16.5%	22.6%	1.4x	2.5x	15.3x
Netflix, Inc.	NFLX	8.9%	26.1%	6.7%	21.7%	22.5%	1.3x	7.7x	35.5x
AMC Entertainment Holdings, Inc.	AMC	-0.1%	N/A	14.8%	7.9%	219.5%	1.8x	2.0x	26.0x
Lions Gate Entertainment Corp.	LGF.A	2.3%	-150.8%	11.9%	12.1%	151.5%	1.3x	1.6x	13.4x
Cinemark Holdings, Inc.	CNK	4.6%	40.8%	20.1%	18.9%	54.2%	2.2x	1.5x	7.8x
	Mean	3.7%	-20.2%	12.2%	15.4%	94.0%	1.6x	3.1x	19.6x
	Median	2.9%	14.6%	11.9%	16.5%	54.2%	1.4x	2.0x	15.3x
Publishing									
The New York Times Company	NYT	7.2%	12.1%	8.3%	15.4%	24.8%	1.1x	3.1x	20.4x
The E.W. Scripps Company	SSP	3.4%	-34.9%	-1.5%	20.7%	-13.4%	2.1x	1.8x	8.7x
Gannett Co., Inc.	GCI	3.2%	8.7%	-10.4%	9.9%	-14.6%	2.4x	0.6x	5.8x
Scholastic Corporation	SCHL	2.1%	5.2%	-3.8%	5.9%	-31.2%	1.0x	0.7x	11.9x
	Mean	4.0%	-2.2%	-1.9%	13.0%	-8.6%	1.7x	1.6x	11.7x
Source: Capital IO									
Source: Capital IQ	Median	3.3%	6.9%	-2.7%	12.7%	-14.0%	1.6x	1.2x	10.3x

LTM Equity Performance

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Recent M&A Activity

Last Twelve (12) Months as of December 31, 2023

(USD in millions)

Close Date	Target	Acquirer	Implied TEV
Oct-23	Activision Blizzard, Inc.	Microsoft Corporation	\$68,987
Dec-23	DISH Network Corporation	EchoStar Corporation	\$25,111
Sep-23	World Wrestling Entertainment, Inc. (nka:World Wrestling Entertainment,	TKO Group Holdings, Inc.	\$9,300
Jul-23	Washington Commander's NFL franchise	N/A	\$6,050
Jul-23	Scopely, Inc.	Savvy Games Group	\$4,900
Oct-23	Simon & Schuster, Inc.	KKR & Co. Inc.; KKR North America Fund XIII SCSp	\$1,620
Jun-23	IMG Academy, LLC	BPEA EQT; Nord Anglia Education, Inc.; Baring Private Equity Asia Fund	\$1,100
Nov-23	Loom, Inc.	Atlassian Corporation	\$975
Sep-23	Quotient Technology Inc.	Neptune Retail Solutions	\$461
May-23	Winsight, LLC	Informa plc	\$402
Nov-23	My Code Media, Inc.	Ariel Alternatives, LLC; Project Black, LP	\$400
Jul-23	Substantially all of the assets of Vice Media, LLC	Fortress Investment Group LLC; Soros Fund Management LLC; Monroe	\$350
Oct-23	Reliance Communications, Inc.	PowerSchool Holdings, Inc.	\$300
Jul-23	WBBH-TV in Fort Myers, Florida	Hearst Corporation	\$221
Jul-23	Mode Analytics, Inc.	ThoughtSpot, Inc.	\$200
Sep-23	Google Domains Assets	Squarespace, Inc.	\$180
Jun-23	Giphy, Inc.	Shutterstock, Inc.	\$123
Aug-23	Cloudco Entertainment, LLC	IVEST Consumer Partners	\$100
Mar-23	Digital Media Management, Inc.	Keywords Studios plc	\$100
Jun-23	After, Inc.	Domestic & General Group Limited	\$75
Sep-23	Chicago Womens Soccer Academy, LLC	N/A	\$60
Oct-23	Betches Media, LLC	LBG Media plc	\$54
Jul-23	Playmaker HQ LLC	Better Collective A/S	\$54
Oct-23	texts.com, LLC	Automattic Inc.	\$50
Nov-23	Movers and Shakers LLC	Stagwell Inc.	\$50
Jul-23	Honest Day's Work, Inc.	Latch, Inc.	\$45
Nov-23	System Era Softworks, Inc.	Devolver Digital, Inc.	\$40
Nov-23	Substantially all of the assets of S44 LLC	PopReach Corporation	\$40
Aug-23	Assets of KUSI-TV	Nexstar Media Group, Inc.	\$35
Aug-23	Mavrix/Octane Raceway	Bowlero Corp.	\$34

Source: Capital IQ

Change in Market Capitalization by Sector

Last Three (3) Months as of December 31, 2023



Source: Capital IQ

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M&A Deal Flow Statistics

Last Three (3) Years as of December 31, 2023



Source: Capital IQ

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