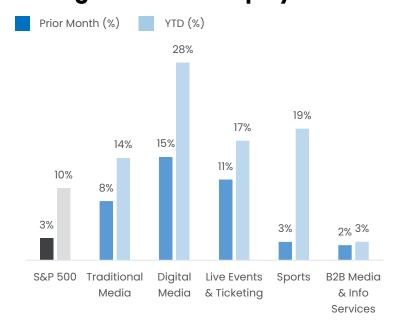
Change in Market Cap by Sector



Note: Components of sector groups can be found on Page 4 of this report

Top Movers

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Sector Market Cap Gained / Lost (\$B)		
PRIOR MONTH		
Digital Media		\$445
Sports		\$1
YEAR-TO-DATE		
Digital Media		\$763
Live Events & Ticketing		\$5
Individual Stocks (%)		
PRIOR MONTH		
CTS Eventim		13%
Formula One	•	(10%)
YEAR-TO-DATE		
SimilarWeb		69%
Eventbrite	•	(34%)

Select Earnings Releases

Past			Upcoming (cont.)
MAR 4	Semrush	(16.2%)	APR 24	Morningstar
MAR 5	Vivid Seats	(3.6%)	APR 24	Meta
MAR 12	Manchester United	2.2%	APR 25	Roku
MAR 21	Factset	(0.7%)	APR 25	Pinterest
MAR 26	CTS Eventim	5.3%	APR 26	Sony
Upcoming			APR 29	ZoomInfo
APR 18	Netflix	_	APR 30	Verisk
APR 23	Spotify		APR 30	Thomson Reuters
APR 23	Warner Bros Discovery		APR 30	Sprout Social
APR 23	CoStar Group		APR 30	S&P Global
APR 23	Alphabet			

Select Industry News

MAR 1	Universal Music Group escalated its dispute with Tiktok by removing its full publishing catalogue (Variety)
MAR 1	Winners Alliance and Michael Johnson announced a new competitive track league (ESPN)
MAR 1	Variety and Luminate announced a new venture to track viewership of streaming TV and movies (<u>Variety</u>)
MAR 1	BBC Studios acquired ITV's 50% stake in BritBox for \$322M (Hollywood Reporter)



Select Industry News (Cont.)

MAR 4	Semrush shares fell 16% after reporting lower customer retention rates than expected (<u>Semrush</u>)
MAR 4	Sony renewed its India broadcasting rights for UEFA through 2027 (<u>SportsPro</u>)
MAR 4	Trian Partners released a 140-page whitepaper on its proxy fight with Disney (Hollywood Reporter)
MAR 6	Apollo Global Management has expressed interest in a bid for TripAdvisor (Bloomberg)
MAR 6	Paramount is in talks to sell its stake in Viacom18 to Reliance (Bloomberg)
MAR 6	FC Barcelona launched a free OTT streaming platform "Barca One" (Sportcal)
MAR 7	Warner Music Group is in discussions to acquire French digital music company Believe (<u>WMG</u>)
MAR 12	Banijay announced an investment and joint venture in Dynamic Ally Pictures (Hollywood Reporter)
MAR 12	CONCACAF announced a new women's Champions Cup as a qualifier for the World Cup (<u>Athletic</u>)
MAR 13	The US House of Representatives passed a bill to force TikTok to be either sold or banned (<u>NY Times</u>)
MAR 13	Saudi Arabia's Public Investment Fund reportedly made a \$2B bid for the WTA and ATP tours (<u>SportsPro</u>)
MAR 15	Altice Group sold its media arm to Rodolphe Saadé for \$1.7B (Deadline)
MAR 15	Pete Distad is named CEO of upcoming Disney Fox WBD sports streaming service (<u>Hollywood Reporter</u>)
MAR 18	Amazon announced a new reality competition show featuring YouTube celebrity MrBeast (CNN)
MAR 18	Minute Media signed a 10-year publishing rights deal for Sports Illustrated (Minute Media)
MAR 19	ESPN and The College Football Playoff agree to a six-year, \$7.8B media rights extension (<u>ESPN</u>)
MAR 20	BBC Studios acquired Spanish producer Brutal Media (Hollywood Reporter)
MAR 21	Apollo Global Management made a \$11B bid for Paramount Global (Variety)
MAR 21	Reddit shares closed up 48% on its initial public offering (Reuters)
MAR 22	The UK began an antitrust investigation into the merger between Vodafone and Three UK (<u>TechCrunch</u>)
MAR 26	CTS Eventim shares rose 5% after reporting 22% YoY revenue growth (CTS Eventim)
MAR 27	The Chernin Group, David Blitzer and Josh Harris announced the creation of Unrivaled Sports (<u>Variety</u>)
MAR 28	Liberty Media is in exclusive talks to buy Dorna Sports for more than \$4B (<u>Financial Times</u>)
MAR 28	Alex Rodriguez missed the required payment to acquire the Minnesota Timberwolves (Sportico)

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Altice Media

Brutal Media

San Diego Wave

MAR 15

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MAR 20

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DATE	TARGET	TARGET DESCRIPTION	ACQUIROR	TRANSACTION	VALUE (\$M)			
MAR 1	BritBox	Digital video subscription service	BBC Studios	Acquisition	631			
MAR 12	Dynamic Ally Pictures	Film and TV production	Banijay	Minority transaction	N/A			
MAR 12	9 Story	Canadian animated production studio	Scholastic	Acquisition	183			
MAR 13	Viacom18	Mumbai-based media distribution	Reliance	Minority transaction	517			
MAR 14	Pacific Park	Amusement park in	SC Holdings	Acquisition	N/A			

Rodolphe Saadé

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BBC Studios

Select Private Capital Market Transactions

Santa Monica

NWSL team

Film and TV

production

Media production

DATE	TARGET	TARGET DESCRIPTION	INVESTOR(S)	TRANSACTION	AMOUNT RAISED (\$M)
MAR 7	Pro Shop	Golf-focused media company	Elysian Park Ventures, PGA Tour	Series A	20
MAR 8	Betr	Online sports betting	Harmony Partners, 10X Capital	Series B	15
MAR 12	Five Iron Golf	Indoor golf simulator	Enlightened Hospitality Investments	N/A	20
MAR 20	Pocket FM	Audio entertainment platform	Lightspeed Ventures	Series D	103
MAR 27	Fireworks.ai	Generative Al platform	Benchmark	Series A	25
MAR 27	Unrivaled	Youth sports platform	The Chernin Group, D. Blitzer, J. Harris	N/A	N/A

Select Public Capital Market Transactions

					AMOUNT
DATE	TARGET	TARGET DESCRIPTION	Exchange	TRANSACTION	RAISED (\$M)
MAR 21	Reddit	Social network and	NYSE	IPO	860
		news aggregator			

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Select Public Company Trading Metrics

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(\$ in millions, except per-share values)		Share Price Performance		% of 52-Week	Equity	Enterprise -		Enterprise Value / 2024E Growth-Adj. Growth-Adj. Price / '24E			
As of March 31, 2024	Share Price	Last Month	YTD	% of 52-week High / Low	Value	Value	Revenue	Revenue ¹	EBITDA	EBITDA ²	Earnings
Traditional Media											
Disney	\$122.36	9.7%	35.5%	98.9% / 155.4%	224,445	273,321	2.9x	0.58x	15.0x	1.15x	26.1:
Sony	¥12,985	(0.1%)	(9.5%)	84.9% / 107.7%	108,210	120,191	1.4x	0.51x	8.5x	1.60x	15.5
Warner Bros Discovery	\$8.73	(0.7%)	(23.3%)	56.1% / 108.9%	21,298	61,034	1.5x	0.86x	6.2x	1.56x	N/N
Paramount	\$21.83	3.6%	11.0%	80.2% / 162.9%	8,089	21,571	0.7x	0.74x	7.8x	1.55x	20.1:
Fox	\$31.27	5.0%	5.4%	88.3% / 110.6%	14,225	19,317	1.3x	0.44x	6.7x	N/M	9.7
Endeavor	\$25.73	7.0%	8.4%	98.0% / 145.8%	17,827	15,393	2.0x	N/M	8.2x	1.26x	18.0
Lionsgate	\$9.95	2.5%	(8.7%)	82.3% / 143.7%	2,243	4,693	1.1x	0.18x	8.8x	2.12x	13.1
Median		3.6%	5.4%				1.4x	0.55x	8.2x	1.55x	16.7
Digital Media											
Alphabet	\$152.26	8.9%	8.0%	98.1% / 151.8%	1,884,055	1,837,069	5.4x	0.49x	13.1x	1.00x	22.4
Meta	\$485.58	(0.9%)	37.2%	92.7% / 239.8%	1,237,940	1,263,205	8.0x	0.65x	13.7x	0.89x	24.2
Netflix	\$607.33	0.7%	24.7%	95.7% / 192.4%	262,828	276,898	7.2x	0.59x	27.8x	1.33x	35.4
Spotify	\$263.90	2.9%	40.4%	94.8% / 205.3%	52,339	50,108	3.0x	0.22x	43.3x	1.07x	N/N
Pinterest	\$34.67	(5.5%)	(6.4%)	83.3% / 168.3%	23,540	22,842	6.4x	0.35x	25.7x	0.76x	25.7
Snap	\$11.48	4.2%	(32.2%)	64.1% / 146.1%	18,949	20,763	4.0x	0.27x	N/M	N/M	N/N
Roku	\$65.17	3.1%	(28.9%)	59.9% / 126.2%	9,355	7,854	2.0x	0.16x	N/M	ν/м	N/N
New York Times Company	\$43.22	(2.4%)	(11.8%)	86.7% / 123.3%	7,074	6,669	2.6x	0.45x	15.7x	1.36x	25.8
Median		1.8%	0.8%				4.7x	0.40x	20.7x	1.03x	25.73
Live Events & Ticketing											
Live Nation	\$105.77	9.1%	13.0%	98.6% / 162.8%	24,411	26,404	1.1x	0.13x	12.7x	1.18x	N/M
CTS Eventim	€ 82.45	13.4%	31.7%	99.0% / 161.0%	8,548	6,724	2.6x	0.58x	12.9x	2.13x	29.3
Vivid Seats	\$5.99	(0.5%)	(5.2%)	60.6% / 117.2%	1,259	1,418	1.7x	0.19x	8.6x	0.58x	17.2
Eventbrite	\$5.48	(2.1%)	(34.4%)	46.0% / 108.5%	558	293	0.8x	0.05x	5.6x	0.15x	N/M
Median		4.3%	3.9%				1.4x	0.16x	10.7x	0.88x	23.23
Sports											
тко	\$86.41	3.2%	5.9%	73.2% / 119.5%	14,857	17,554	9.2x	0.78x	21.0x	1.18x	39.1
	\$65.60	(9.8%)	3.9%	81.9% / 107.6%	13,661		4.6x	0.76x 0.61x	20.1x		N/M
Formula One MSG Sports	\$184.52	(2.0%)	1.5%	85.5% / 112.0%	4,419	17,242 4,788	5.2x	1.46x	46.5x	1.34x N/M	N/N
Manchester United	\$13.96	(8.2%)	(31.5%)	52.4% / 103.4%	2,278	3,186	3.7x	N/M	17.0x	0.99x	N/N
Atlanta Braves	\$41.90	(0.1%)	(2.1%)	76.3% / 113.9%	2,453	2,846	4.2x	0.80x	N/M	N/M	N/N
Median		(5.1%)	(0.3%)				4.4x	0.80x	20.1x	1.16x	N/A
B2B Media & Info Services											
S&P Global	\$425.45	(0.7%)	(3.4%)	92.3% / 129.1%	133,634	146,519	11.0x	1.43x	22.9x	2.25x	30.4
Thomson Reuters	\$155.83	(1.2%)	6.6%	96.4% / 132.7%	70,310	71,082	9.8x	1.37x	25.5x	2.87x	43.4
Verisk	\$235.73	(2.6%)	(1.3%)	93.6% / 126.1%	33,801	36,501	12.7x	1.69x	23.3x	2.87x	36.2
CoStar Group	\$96.60	11.0%	10.5%	96.2% / 143.7%	39,452	35,337	12.8x	0.72x	N/M	N/M	N/N
Hubspot	\$626.56	1.3%	7.9%	94.9% / 160.6%	31,751	32,751	12.8x	0.65x	N/M	ν/м	N/N
FactSet	\$454.39	(1.8%)	(4.8%)	93.0% / 119.3%	17,306	18,850	8.4x	1.36x	21.4x	2.83x	28.3
Morningstar	\$308.37	3.3%	7.7%	97.6% / 188.9%	13,176	13,849	6.0x	0.52x	24.5x	1.52x	46.3
Klaviyo	\$25.48	(3.8%)	(8.3%)	64.6% / 111.7%	7,284	7,215	8.1x	0.35x	N/M	N/M	N/N
Zoominfo	\$16.03	(4.4%)	(13.3%)	53.2% / 129.7%	6,087	6,997	5.5x	0.49x	13.1x	1.19x	16.1:
Sprout Social	\$59.71	(3.4%)	(2.8%)	87.3% / 161.4%	3,359	3,539	8.3x	0.30x	N/M	N/M	N/N
Semrush	\$13.26	6.3%	(2.9%)	94.1% / 183.9%	1,917	1,777	4.9x	0.27x	39.8x	0.97x	49.4
	\$9.00	1.5%	68.9%	92.2% / 196.5%	708	738	3.0x	0.19x	N/M	N/M	N/M
Similarweb	\$5.00	1.076	00.070	32.2% / 130.3%	700	730	3.01	0.157	14/141	14/141	



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