# CORPORATE FINANCE

### **CYBERSECURITY**

**SECTOR BRIEFING** 

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# INTRODUCTION TO ICON CORPORATE FINANCE

#### **ICON AT A GLANCE**

#### SPECIALIST INDEPENDENT M&A AND FUNDRAISING ADVISER TO FAST-GROWING TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES

#### **INDEPENDENT**



Independent advice on strategy, fundraising and M&A, creating significant value for shareholders, customers, employees and other stakeholders

#### **TRUSTED**



Consistent track record of success built on M&A know-how, negotiation skills and providing the best advice and outcomes possible to our clients on turning technology into wealth

#### LEADER IN TECHNOLOGY DEALS



100%

100+

Combined years of deal making



Dedicated to tech Senior Investment sector Bankers

#### **INDUSTRY FOCUS**







**Fintech** Software

Cybersecurity







Cloud/ Comms

Healthtech

Digital Media

#### **GLOBAL**



Extensive international transaction experience and global network, providing access to the most relevant investors, buyers and strategic partners

#### **TECH EXPERTS**



Experts in the technology sector, we have a deep understanding of disruptive business models and the entrepreneurial journey from start-up to successful exit

#### **AWARDS & ACCOLADES**

#### **GLOBAL VENTURE** AWARDS 2019 Q

















"We act exclusively for tech companies. Our clients are changing the world and we help them secure funding to build great companies and realise maximum value when they come to sell", Alan Bristow, Founder & CEO of ICON

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#### LONG ESTABLISHED TEAM OF SEASONED DEAL MAKERS

#### HIGHLY EXPERIENCED, INTERNATIONAL, COMMITTED AND AWARD-WINNING

#### Alan Bristow - Founder, CEO



- Focus: Enterprise Software, Cloud (SaaS), e-Commerce, IoT, Telecoms, Cyber Security
- Specialist in M&A and funding, advised on over 250 transactions
- Over 20 years of experience

#### Eddie Harding – Partner



- Focus: FinTech, Enterprise Software, Digital Media, Cloud (SaaS), Cyber Security, e-Commerce
- Specialist in M&A and funding
- Over 20 years of experience

#### Monica Shupikai Simmons - Director



- Focus: FinTech, HealthTech, e-Commerce
- Specialist in M&A and funding
- Over 17 years of experience in deal making, in London & New York, with extensive US investor network on East & West coasts

#### Emily Rose - Associate



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- Transaction support
- Assistance on M&A & Funding research
- Target list creation
- IM preparation

#### Nicky Cotter – Co-Founder, Head of FinTech



- Focus: FinTech, RegTech, InsurTech
- Specialist in M&A and funding from VCs, CVCs
- Co-founder of The FinTech50 & FinTechCity.com, Finastra World Trade Symposium Board member

#### Simon Moynagh - Partner



- Focus: Enterprise Software, FinTech. Digital Media, Energy, Electronics & e-Commerce
- Specialist in M&A and funding
- Over 7 years of experience

#### James Kenward - Director



- Focus: Capital Markets, RegTech, Telco, Logistics & IT Services
- Specialist in M&A and funding
- Over 12 years of experience

#### Younes Benchaiba - Analyst



- Transaction support
- Assistance on M&A & Funding research
- Target list creation
- IM preparation
- Deal sourcing

#### Brian Parker – Partner, Head of M&A



- Focus: Enterprise Software, Financial Services, Wireless, Security, e-Commerce, Outsourcing & ICT Services
- Specialist exclusively in M&A
- Author, annual 'Technology M&A Review'
- Over 25 years of experience

#### Florian Depner - Director



- Focus: Cyber Security, Enterprise Software, Infrastructure Software, Digital Media
- Specialist in M&A and funding
- Over 10 years of experience

#### Ritika Hiranandani – US Representative



- Specialist in strategic partnerships across US and India
- Buyer reach
- Extensive US investor network on East & West coasts and India

#### Laura Stepney – Transaction Support



- Assistance on M&A & Funding research
- Target list creation
- IM preparation

















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#### **GLOBAL TRANSACTION TRACK RECORD**

#### SELECTED RECENT DEALS ADVISED BY ICON CORPORATE FINANCE

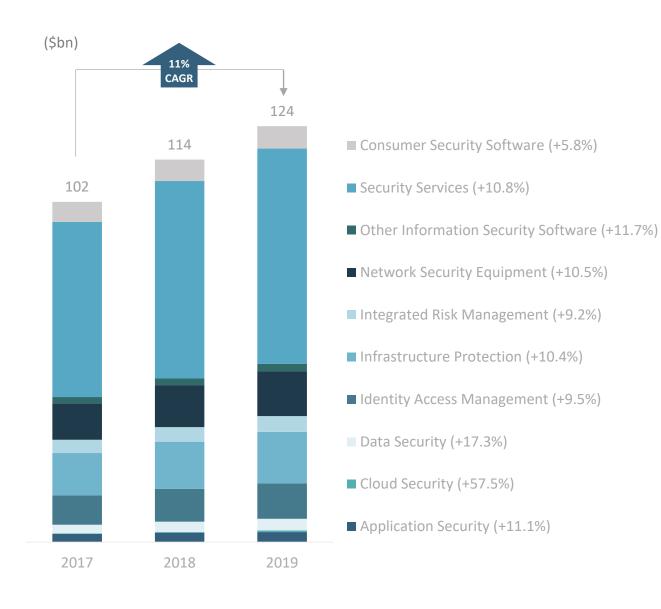


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# CYBERSECURITY MARKET OVERVIEW

#### A MASSIVE \$124 BILLION MARKET OPPORTUNITY

#### CYBERSECURITY IS NOW ONE OF THE LARGEST TECHNOLOGY CATEGORIES BUT THE MARKET REMAINS HIGHLY FRAGMENTED



- According to Gartner, worldwide spending on cybersecurity is predicted to reach over \$124bn in 2019 (CAGR of 10.6% 2017-2019)
- Services (subscription and managed) represent 50% of total market spend
- Widely publicised data breaches comprising millions of personal data records highlight importance of protecting sensitive data assets
- Nation-state level attacks drive the demand for protection of mission-critical IT infrastructure
- Security and risk management have become a top board-level priority and are increasingly regarded as a competitive differentiator
- Market remains highly fragmented: with app. 2,500 vendors and a large amount of VC funding creating new companies, consolidation is accelerating

Source(s): Gartner 2018; Note: percentage represents CAGR 2017-2019

#### **INCREASING COST OF CYBERCRIME**

THE GLOBAL ECONOMY IS ESTIMATED TO LOSE \$5.2 TRILLION IN VALUE OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS BECAUSE OF CYBERCRIME (ACCENTURE, JULY 2019)

## FI Breaking News

# Equifax to pay up to \$700m in US settlement over data breach

Equifax will pay up to \$700m as part of a settlement with US authorities after a major 2017 hack that exposed the personal data of close to 150m people.

The resolution with the Federal Trade Commission, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau and 50 state attorneys-general draws a line under the hack, the largest-ever breach of consumer data. The US-based credit scoring company has also settled with claimants in a class-action lawsuit.





Marriott Faces \$123 Million I For 2018 Mega-Breach

### **FINANCIAL TIMES**

Google unearths 2-year-long iPhone spyware attack

Sustained hacking campaign could have affected hundreds of thousands of users

### **NEWS**

B B C Q Your account

Capital One data breach: Arrest after details of 106m people stolen



Sport

Weather

**iPlaver** 

Technolog

Microsoft reports hundreds of electionrelated cyber probes

Source(s): Accenture: Ninth Annual Cost of Cybercrime Study, March 201

#### MARKET SPEND DRIVEN BY A CONTINUOUS ARMS RACE BETWEEN GOOD AND BAD

MAJOR NON-CYCLICAL TRENDS ARE SHAPING THE RAPIDLY ADVANCING CYBERSECURITY LANDSCAPE

#### THREAT SOPHISTICATION

- Increasing frequency and complexity of attacks from a constantly evolving threat landscape
- Continuous responsiveness required through deployment of behavioural analytics and ML, complementing traditional/legacy security solutions
- Need for 'Defence in Depth' covering technology, operations and people

#### **END-POINT PROLIFERATION**

- Extensive use of cloud applications by a mobile-first workforce increases the attack vectors and vulnerabilities
- Organisations are moving from perimeter protection to 'Zero Trust' as the new industry standard
- Exponential growth in connected low security IoT devices is adding to an increasingly complex attack surface

#### **DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION**

- New architectures and computing models are creating fresh opportunities to exploit (Cloud, Containers, Dev Opps, OSS)
- Cloud now the preferred delivery model for enterprise applications
- Shift to multi-cloud infrastructure is accelerating and driving demand for vendor agnostic security solutions

#### **REGULATION**

- Compliance with regulatory requirements such as the EU's GDPR<sup>(1)</sup> or California's CCPA<sup>(2)</sup> and adaptation of projects and workflows to assure data privacy
- Security solutions need to be capable to deliver compliance and protection at the same time

#### **EXPLOSIVE DATA GROWTH**

- Data creation doubles in size approximately every two years with a plethora of confidential and sensitive data stored in many disparate silos
- Privacy concerns, data loss prevention and data breach awareness continue to drive market demand for security solutions

#### PERSISTING SKILLS SHORTAGE

- Highly competitive labour market for cyber talent: unemployment rate for cybersecurity professionals at zero
- Organisations increasingly invest in automation and orchestration to address cybersecurity tasks
- Outsourcing to specialised services providers (MSSPs) rather than onpremise deployment is accelerating

Note(s): (1) GDPR – General Data Protection Regulation; (2) CCPA – California Consumer Privacy Act

#### CRITICAL COMPONENTS FOR A HOLISTIC CYBERSECURITY STRATEGY

#### CYBERSECURITY AND ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK, ENABLED THROUGH TECHNOLOGY

#### **NETWORK SECURITY**

- Prevent unauthorised access
- Protection from external and internal threats
- Manage and monitor activity
- Establish and test controls

#### **MALWARE PREVENTION**

- Implement anti-malware protection mechanisms
- Scan for and neutralise malicious code across the entire organisation

#### **MONITORING**

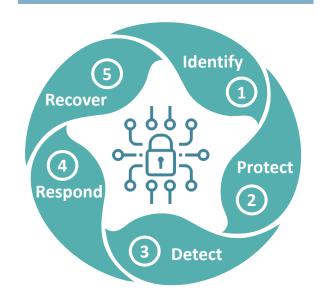
- Continuous monitoring of all systems, networks, devices and user activity
- Log file and behavioural analytics

#### **INCIDENT MANAGEMENT**

- Implement incident response and disaster recovery policy and capabilities
- Reporting procedures

#### INFORMATION RISK MANAGEMENT

- Establish risk governance structure and determine risk appetite
- Design appropriate information risk management policies



#### **MANAGING USER PRIVILEGES**

- Implement account management processes: limit user privileges and monitor user activity
- Control access to activity and audit logs

#### **END USER EDUCATION AND AWARENESS**

- Define user policies for appropriate use of enterprise systems
- Establish cyber and risk awareness training programs

#### **HOME AND MOBILE WORKING**

- Define mobile working user policies
- Protect and control all mobile devices
- Protect exchange and storage of data

#### SECURE CONFIGURATION

- Maintain secure configuration of all ICT systems
- Patch management and pen testing
- Establish system inventory and certificate management

#### **REMOVABLE MEDIA CONTROLS**

- Control and monitor access to all removable data devices
- Limit types and usage of media
- Malware scanning of all removable media

Source(s): CESG, NIST

#### **SELECTED CYBER THEMES (I)**

#### IDENTITY & ACCESS MANAGEMENT – IDENTITY IS THE NEW CONTROL VECTOR IN A 'ZERO TRUST' ENVIRONMENT



#### **DRIVERS & TRENDS**

- Complex challenge to manage and control access for multiple user categories (customer, employees, partners, etc.) and devices across increasingly hybrid or virtualised application environments
- Increasing de-perimeterisation and growing intelligence-driven protection leads to convergence of network security and IAM
- Raise of adaptive authentication and behavioural biometrics

### **SELECTED VENDORS**

















#### SELECTED M&A ACTIVITY



Acquired by



\$27m Oct 18



Acquired by



Undisclosed Sep 18



Acquired by



\$2,350m Aug 18



Acquired by



\$500m Jul 18

#### **SELECTED FUNDRAISING ACTIVITY**















USA, Series D, \$100m

USA, Series D, \$90m







USA, Series B, \$20m USA, Series G, \$100m

UK, Series A

Source(s): Capital IQ, Mergermarket, Pitchbook

#### **SELECTED CYBER THEMES (II)**

#### MSSP/MDR – SPECIALIST 24/7 CYBERSECURITY PROTECTION HELPING TO OVERCOME SKILLS SHORTAGE



#### **DRIVERS & TRENDS**

- Rapidly evolving and fractured cybersecurity vendor landscape is becoming increasingly complex to oversee, implement and manage
- Organisations faced with a chronic cybersecurity skills shortage are outsourcing their cybersecurity management to specialised service providers
- Investment in upgrading SOC platforms with more autonomous technology (SIEM, SOAR, analytics) to improve functionality and ROIs

#### **SELECTED VENDORS**

Secureworks orange KUDELSKI SECURITY S

#### **SELECTED M&A ACTIVITY**



Acquired by



Undisclosed
Jun 19



Acquired by



**\$577m** May 19



Acquired by



Undisclosed May 19



Acquired by



**\$139m** Jun 18

#### **SELECTED FUNDRAISING ACTIVITY**











USA, Seed, \$1.6m



USA, Series B, \$9.6m

Source(s): Capital IQ, Mergermarket, Pitchbook

#### **SELECTED CYBER THEMES (III)**

#### CYBER AWARENESS TRAINING – STRENGTHENING THE HUMAN FIREWALL



#### **DRIVERS & TRENDS**

- 90% of advanced attacks are targeting humans via phishing to exploit the weakest link inside an organisation's defence
- Attacks are becoming increasingly peoplecentric, driven by social engineering
- Strengthen vigilance, reduce alert fatigue through awareness training and reduce risk at the end-user level
- Real-time breach and attack simulation to consistently validate and train cyber skills



#### **SELECTED M&A ACTIVITY**



Acquired by



Undisclosed Feb 19



Acquired by

mimecast<sup>\*</sup>

**\$24m** Jul18



Acquired by

BLACKROCK®

PAMPLONA

CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

**\$400m** Jul18



Acquired by

proofpoint.

**\$225m** Feb 18

#### **SELECTED FUNDRAISING ACTIVITY**



USA, PE Growth, \$402m



USA, Growth, \$2.5m



Germany, Seed, n.a.



Israel, Seed, \$5m



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UK, Seed, \$9m



US. Seed. n.a.

Source(s): Cofense 2019, Capital IQ, Pitchbook

#### **SELECTED CYBER THEMES (IV)**

#### IOT SECURITY – ADVANCING ENDPOINT VISIBILITY IN COMPLEX INDUSTRIAL NETWORKS



#### **DRIVERS & TRENDS**

- IoT endpoints have become a prime target for hackers and the market for IoT specific security solution is predicted to grow at 50% CAGR (2018-2022)
- Low security IoT devices present a huge challenge to businesses attempting to deploy and scale their IoT use cases
- Identify and manage devices at scale, protect assets and secure communication between siloed systems (IT & OT)

#### **SELECTED VENDORS** (intel) (infineon CISCO gemalto F#RTINET. Symantec.

## SELECTED M&A ACTIVITY



Acquired by



Undisclosed Jun 19



Acquired by



Undisclosed Jun 19



Acquired by



Undisclosed May 19



Acquired by

\*\*\* BlackBerry.

\$1,500m Nov 18

#### **SELECTED FUNDRAISING ACTIVITY**



USA, Series C, \$77m









PubNub<sup>\*</sup>



USA, Series D, \$23m

USA, Series F, \$15m



ambio micro

**○** SentryBay

Israel, Series E. \$200m

USA. Series D. \$34m

UK, Funding, £7m

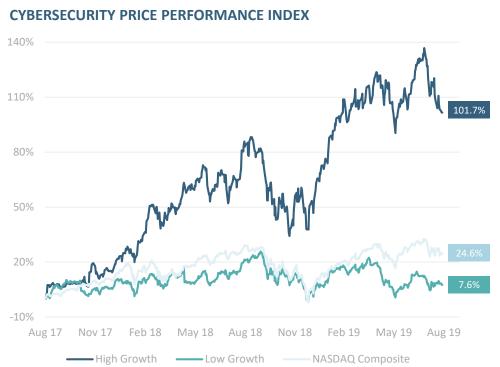
Source(s): Technavio 2018, Capital IQ, Pitchbook

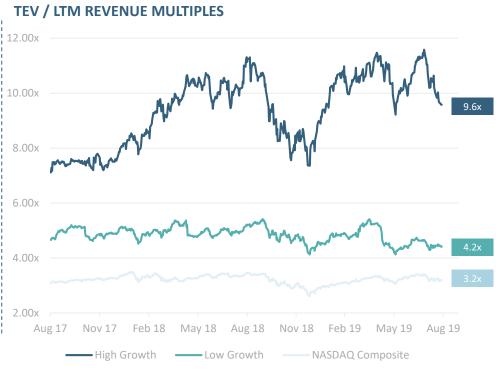
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# PUBLIC MARKET ACTIVITY

#### **PUBLIC MARKET VALUATION OVERVIEW**

#### HIGH GROWTH CYBER SECURITY COMPANIES ARE CONSISTENTLY OUTPERFORMING THE MAJOR TECH INDEX









Source(s): Capital IQ as of 28 August 2019 Note(s): (1) Average revenue growth of 2018-2020E and 2019E-2020E greater than 20%

#### **GROWTH DRIVES PREMIUM VALUATIONS...**

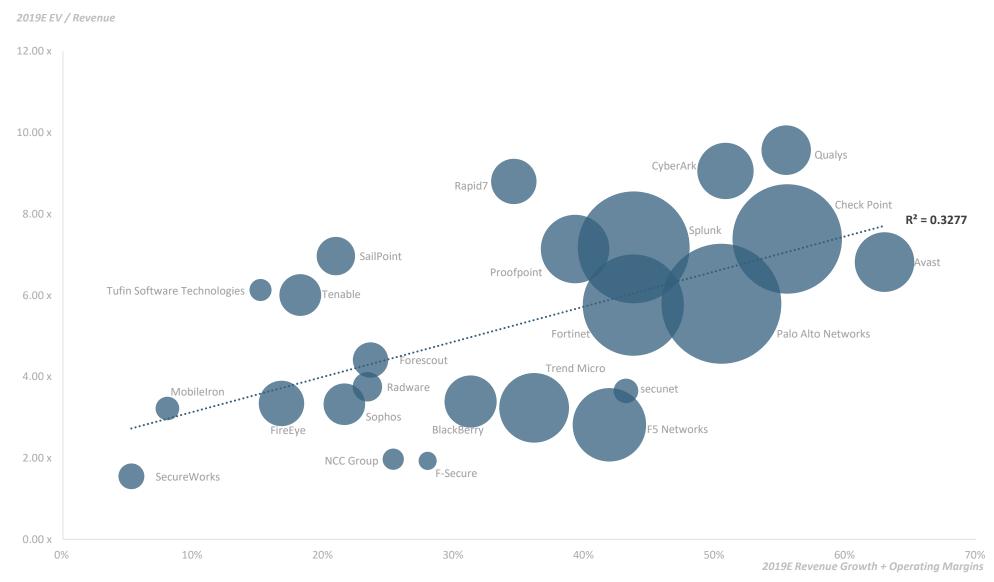
#### FAST-GROWING CYBERSECURITY COMPANIES ARE COMMANDING A PREMIUM VALUATION



Source(s): Capital IQ as of 28 August 2019

#### ...BUT PROFITABILITY BECOMING INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT IN A MATURING SECTOR

#### STRIKING THE RIGHT BALANCE BETWEEN GROWTH AND PROFITABILITY DRIVES PREMIUM VALUATIONS(1)



Source(s): Capital IQ as of 28 August 2019

Note(s): (1) Peer group valuations cut-off at 14x EV/Revenue; (2) Size of the bubble indicates USD market cap; (3) Carbon Black and Symantec are currently under offer and have been removed from the analysis

#### **PUBLIC COMPARABLES OVERVIEW**

#### VALUATION SUMMARY<sup>(1)</sup>

USD millions, except per share data									Enter	prise Value Mı	ultiples							
	Price		% of 52	f 52 Market	t Net	Enterprise	Revenue EBITDA Revenue Growth					th	EBITDA Margin					
Company	Vertical	(27-Aug-19)	Week High	Cap	Debt	Value	FY 2018A	FY 2019E	FY 2020E	FY 2018A	FY 2019E	FY 2020E	2017-18A	2018-19E	2019-20E	FY 2018A	FY 2019E	FY 2020
High growth																		
Zscaler	Network	71.46	79.8%	8,980	(365)	8,615	36.33 x	25.02 x	18.98 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	55.4%	45.2%	31.8%	(9.0%)	0.4%	9.7%
Okta	IAM	135.07	95.2%	15,769	(118)	15,651	40.40 x	28.50 x	21.68 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	55.8%	41.8%	31.4%	(29.8%)	(9.9%)	(2.0%
Rapid7	Vulnerability Analytics	54.09	81.9%	2,804	12	2,816	11.54 x	8.80 x	7.13 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	21.5%	31.1%	23.4%	(16.8%)	3.4%	7.5%
Tenable	Vulnerability Analytics	21.79	55.3%	2,380	(286)	2,094	7.83 x	6.01 x	4.83 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	42.4%	30.4%	24.3%	(25.1%)	(12.2%)	(7.7%
Splunk	Vulnerability Analytics	112.97	78.6%	17,140	(670)	16,470	9.35 x	7.25 x	5.94 x	n.m.	49.1 x	31.8 x	37.8%	28.9%	22.1%	(10.7%)	14.8%	18.79
Tufin Software Technologies	Network	17.36	55.9%	696	(106)	590	6.95 x	5.44 x	4.41 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	31.7%	27.8%	23.3%	(1.1%)	(6.2%)	(4.3%
Forescout	Network	33.94	73.1%	1,702	(63)	1,639	5.51 x	4.41 x	3.65 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	32.6%	24.9%	20.8%	(21.2%)	(1.3%)	4.4%
Palo Alto Networks	Cloud Security	202.08	77.5%	19,600	(1,373)	18,227	7.19 x	5.81 x	4.86 x	n.m.	43.1 x	20.3 x	28.3%	23.7%	19.5%	2.6%	13.5%	23.99
Mimecast	Messaging	43.33	79.4%	2,799	51	2,850	8.89 x	7.21 x	5.96 x	n.m.	47.0 x	32.4 x	32.0%	23.3%	20.9%	8.3%	15.3%	18.49
CyberArk	IAM	111.90	75.2%	4,320	(499)	3,821	11.13 x	9.05 x	7.62 x	66.3 x	32.4 x	27.4 x	31.1%	23.0%	18.7%	16.8%	27.9%	27.89
Proofpoint	Messaging	112.40	84.6%	6,407	(126)	6,282	8.76 x	7.14 x	5.94 x	n.m.	43.3 x	32.5 x	38.0%	22.8%	20.1%	(3.9%)	16.5%	18.39
Median							8.89 x	7.21 x	5.94 x	66.3 x	43.3 x	31.8 x	32.6%	27.8%	22.1%	(9.0%)	3.4%	9.7%
Mean							13.99 x	10.42 x	8.28 x	66.3 x	43.0 x	28.9 x	37.0%	29.3%	23.3%	(8.2%)	5.7%	10.4%
Low growth		427.04	00.00/	022	(2)	020	4.50	2.55	2.22	25.7	40.4	45.4	2.40/	24.00/	0.00/	47.50/	40.40/	20.20
secunet	Cybersecurity services	127.01	88.8%	822	(2)	820	4.53 x	3.65 x	3.32 x	25.7 x	19.1 x	16.4 x	3.1%	24.0%	9.9%	17.6%	19.1%	20.29
BlackBerry	Endpoint	6.75	57.8%	3,722	(21)	3,701	4.07 x	3.39 x	3.02 x	35.5 x	30.6 x	18.0 x	(8.7%)	20.2%	12.3%	11.5%	11.1%	16.89
Fortinet	Network	80.86	83.4%	13,962	(1,793)	12,170	6.76 x	5.76 x	5.07 x	42.4 x	21.8 x	18.8 x	20.5%	17.3%	13.5%	15.9%	26.4%	27.0%
Carbon Black	Vulnerability Analytics	26.11	99.5%	2,277	(131)	2,146	10.23 x	8.78 x	7.45 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	30.4%	16.5%	17.8%	(30.2%)	(14.7%)	(8.8%
F-Secure	Endpoint	2.86	74.7%	451	23	474	2.24 x	1.93 x	1.78 x	48.8 x	13.8 x	13.6 x	12.4%	16.1%	8.6%	4.6%	13.9%	13.1%
Qualys	Vulnerability Analytics	80.83	83.2%	3,340	(259)	3,080	11.05 x	9.57 x	8.29 x	38.9 x	24.0 x	20.8 x	20.8%	15.4%	15.4%	28.4%	39.9%	39.9%
SailPoint	IAM	21.98	63.5%	2,002	(51)	1,951	7.84 x	6.97 x	6.00 x	n.m.	n.m.	52.4 x	33.8%	12.5%	16.1%	8.7%	8.4%	11.5%
MobileIron	Endpoint	6.83	92.0%	758	(83)	675	3.49 x	3.22 x	2.91 x	n.m.	n.m.	56.8 x	7.5%	8.5%	10.8%	(20.0%)	(0.5%)	5.1%
NCC Group	Cybersecurity services	2.19	79.2%	616	25	641	2.14 x	1.97 x	1.80 x	13.7 x	11.9 x	10.0 x	7.8%	8.8%	9.4%	15.6%	16.6%	18.0%
Radware	Network	24.48	87.0%	1,186	(234)	953	4.06 x	3.75 x	3.42 x	53.3 x	25.1 x	19.4 x	10.9%	8.4%	9.5%	7.6%	15.0%	17.6%
Sophos	Endpoint	4.78	71.4%	2,364	128	2,492	3.60 x	3.33 x	3.08 x	37.2 x	24.5 x	18.3 x	13.2%	8.0%	8.1%	9.7%	13.6%	16.8%
Avast	Endpoint	4.72	96.1%	4,846	1,096	5,943	7.35 x	6.83 x	6.40 x	17.8 x	12.3 x	11.6 x	23.8%	7.6%	6.8%	41.2%	55.4%	55.3%
SecureWorks	Cybersecurity services	11.18	44.9%	908	(87)	821	1.61 x	1.52 x	1.43 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	10.4%	5.6%	6.2%	(2.1%)	0.3%	1.8%
FireEye	Cloud Security	13.33	64.7%	2,821	92	2,913	3.51 x	3.34 x	3.09 x	n.m.	28.2 x	20.1 x	6.6%	4.9%	8.0%	(12.8%)	11.9%	15.4%
Trend Micro	Cloud Security	47.44	66.3%	6,607	(1,512)	5,095	3.36 x	3.26 x	3.11 x	10.4 x	10.1 x	9.7 x	7.8%	3.1%	4.9%	32.3%	32.3%	32.1%
Check Point	Network	106.72	80.4%	16,345	(1,615)	14,730	7.69 x	7.39 x	7.16 x	15.8 x	14.4 x	13.8 x	3.3%	4.1%	3.1%	48.6%	51.5%	51.9%
F5 Networks	Network	122.07	61.1%	7,340	(986)	6,354	2.92 x	2.82 x	2.71 x	8.9 x	7.3 x	7.2 x	3.4%	3.5%	4.0%	32.6%	38.4%	37.7%
Symantec	Cloud Security	23.07	88.5%	14,441	2,972	17,413	3.66 x	3.61 x	3.55 x	18.0 x	9.3 x	7.8 x	2.7%	1.3%	1.8%	20.3%	38.9%	45.6%
Median							3.86 x	3.50 x	3.22 x	25.7 x	16.7 x	17.2 x	9.1%	8.4%	9.0%	13.5%	15.8%	17.8%
Mean							5.03 x	4.56 x	4.13 x	28.4 x	18.0 x	19.9 x	12.2%	9.5%	9.2%	12.5%	21.1%	23.3%
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UK Small Caps																		
Shearwater Group	Cybersecurity services	0.02	47.6%	55	5	60	2.54 x	1.26 x	1.02 x	n.m.	36.6 x	11.5 x	309.2%	100.9%	23.7%	(19.1%)	3.5%	8.9%
Osirium Technologies	Endpoint	0.69	36.5%	11	(3)	8	6.58 x	4.94 x	3.18 x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	47.9%	33.2%	55.6%	(274.8%)	(130.6%)	(57.8%
Intercede Group	Network	0.41	75.5%	21	2	23	1.85 x	1.70 x	6.66 x	n.m.	38.4 x	n.m.	10.1%	9.1%	(74.5%)	(9.3%)	4.4%	5.5%
Median	INCLINUIN	0.41	73.370	21		23	2.54 x	1.70 x	3.18 x	n.m	37.5 x	11.5 x	47.9%	33.2%	23.7%	-19.1%	3.5%	5.5%
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Source(s): Capital IQ as of 28 August 2019

Note(s): (1) High growth comparables comprise of companies with average 18-20E revenue growth greater than 20%; (2) Carbon Black and Symantec are currently under offer

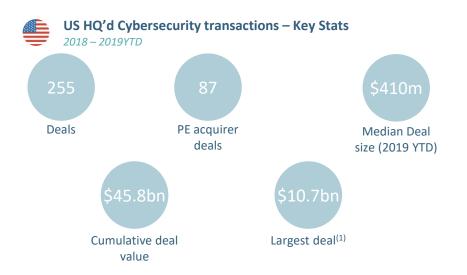
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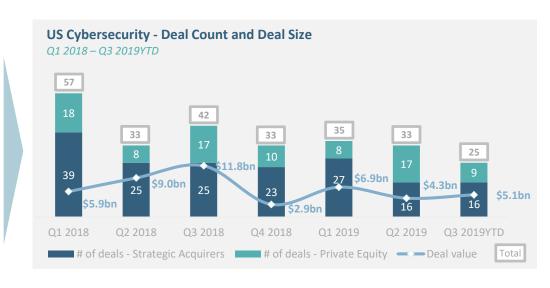
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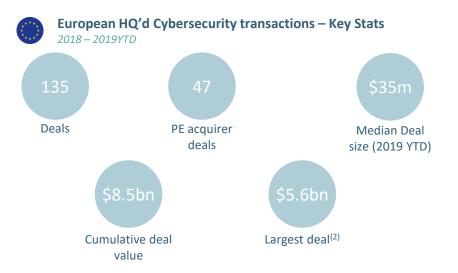


#### **M&A ACTIVITY - SNAPSHOT**

#### TRANSACTION ACTIVITY CONTINUES TO THRIVE ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ATLANTIC









Source(s): ICON Analysis, Pitchbook, Capital IQ

Note(s): (1) Apr 18: Acquisition of Enterprise Security assets Of Symantec Corporation by Broadcom; (2) Apr 19: Acquisition of Gemalto by Thales

#### PRECEDENT M&A TRANSACTIONS OVERVIEW (1/6)

#### JULY 2018 – 2019YTD

Date announced	Acquirer	Target	Target company description	EV	EV / Revenue	EV / EBITDA
22 Aug 2019	VMware, Inc.	Carbon Black, Inc.  Cloud-native security platform that enables customers to predict, prevent, detect, respond to, and remediate cyber-attacks before they cause a damaging incident or data breach		2,139.7	9.3x	n.m.
21 Aug 2019	VMware, Inc.	Intrinsic	Develops an application runtime security technology for serverless computing applications	-	n.a.	n.a.
21 Aug 2019	Splunk Inc.	SignalFx, Inc. Cloud application monitoring solutions		1,050.0	n.a.	n.a.
21 Aug 2019	Elastic N.V.	Perched, LLC Provides education and consulting services for security analytics, threat hunting, and security operations		-	n.a.	n.a.
20 Aug 2019	PerimeterX, Inc.	Develops software to block malware on websites. The company's product helps to stop pop- PageSeal up ads, hiding ads, and redirects that diverts website visitors from the intended destination website		-	n.a.	n.a.
16 Aug 2019	Vmware	Veriflow Focuses on network verification and troubleshooting, helping customers model, analyze and verify their hybrid networks to allow IT teams to operate, secure and resilient networks		-	n.a.	n.a.
13 Aug 2019	Barracuda Networks, Inc.	InfiSecure Technologies Private Limited	Web security platform to detect and block online security threats. It platform enables online businesses to control bot traffic on their Websites and protects businesses from various online threats	-	n.a.	n.a.
08 Aug 2019	McAfee LLC	NanoSec Co.	Application-centric security solutions aimed at protecting data centre and cloud traffic.	-	n.a.	n.a.
08 Aug 2019	TEMASEK Holdings / Ensign	D'Crypt	Cryptographic cybersecurity solutions	72.3	n.a.	n.a.
08 Aug 2019	Broadcom Inc.	Enterprise Security assets Of Symantec Corporation	Provides cyber security products, services, and solutions worldwide. It operates through two segments, Enterprise Security and Consumer Cyber Safety	10,700.0	4.6x	30.6x
05 Aug 2019	Razorpay Software Private Limited	ThirdWatch Data Pvt Ltd	ThirdWatch Data Pvt Ltd  Develops real-time fraud detection and prevention platform. Its product Mitra evaluates in real-time whether every transaction is fraudulent or genuine based on a trust score		n.a.	n.a.
01 Aug 2019	Everbridge, Inc.	Develops and provides safety and security solutions to collect, manage, share, and NC4, Inc.  disseminate information to reduce cyber threats, fight crime, mitigate risks, manage incidents		86.8	n.a.	n.a.
01 Aug 2019	Perspecta Inc.	Knight Point Systems, LLC	Provides IT services and solutions to federal and commercial clients that include program management, cyber security, cloud computing, application development, infrastructure services, and service desk management	250.0	n.a.	n.a.
01 Aug 2019	GoSecure, Inc.	Edge Wave, Inc.	Develops and markets on demand, on-premises, and hybrid secure content management solutions	-	n.a.	n.a.
31 Jul 2019	JAMF Software, LLC	Digita Security LLC	Developer of enterprise-grade, purpose-built endpoint protection solutions designed to protect Mac users from malicious activities and threats	-	n.a.	n.a.

#### PRECEDENT M&A TRANSACTIONS OVERVIEW (2/6)

#### JULY 2018 – 2019YTD

Date announced	Acquirer	Target	Target company description	EV	EV / Revenue	EV / EBITDA
29 Jul 2019	Microsoft Corporation	BlueTalon, Inc.	Develops and operates data collaboration and data unification technology platform and solutions. It develops and maintains BlueTalon Virtual Database, a cloud-based virtual database	-	n.a.	n.a.
24 Jul 2019	Equistone Partners Europe	Heras	Provides mobile and permanent perimeter protection systems and products including fencing systems, manual and automated gates, hostile vehicle mitigation barriers and electronic perimeter detection products			
19 Jul 2019	Quadrum Capital BV; Quadrum Investment Fund II	Develops software for cyber-crime prevention and data security. Its products include  DataExpert BV analytical software, cyber security solutions, digital forensics solutions, mobile forensics, and cloud forensics software		-	n.a.	n.a.
18 Jul 2019	Workday, Inc.	Trusted Key Solutions Inc.  Develops blockchain based secure digital identity solutions. Its platform protects the privacy of consumer data and allows enterprises to verify the customers that they claim to be		-	n.a.	n.a.
10 Jul 2019	Braes Capital LLC	Provides defensive cyber security solutions for private and government sectors in the United  Siege Technologies, LLC States. Its portfolio includes Hypervisor designed for enhanced CNO, security, and advanced research capabilities; Hauberk, a software protection suite for critical applications		-	n.a.	n.a.
09 Jul 2019	TA Associates, Clearlake Capital	Provides SSL certificates and SSL management tools for small and large companies. It offers DigiCert, Inc. standard SSL certificates (single name), extended validation (EV) certificates, unified communications (UC or SANS) certificates, etc.		-	n.a.	n.a.
09 Jul 2019	AppLovin Corporation	SafeDK Mobile LTD	Offers an infrastructure solution, which improves mobile apps' security, stability and QoS, by monitoring and controlling 3rd party tools integrated in the apps	-	n.a.	n.a.
02 Jul 2019	Certified Security Solutions , Inc.	Evolium Technologies S.L.U	Designs and develops digital identities management software solutions	-	n.a.	n.a.
02 Jul 2019	Exabeam, Inc.	SkyFormation Ltd.	Develops application, which provides visibility of threats and compliance risks	-	n.a.	n.a.
02 Jul 2019	Certified Security Solutions , Inc.	Evolium Technologies S.L.U	Designs and develops digital identities management software solutions	-	n.a.	n.a.
17 Jun 2019	Accenture plc	Deja vu Security, LLC  Offers cybersecurity research and consulting services. the Company specialises in security design and testing of enterprise software platforms and internet of things (IoT) technologies.		-	n.a.	n.a.
13 Jun 2019	CACI Limited	Mood Enterprises Limited	MooD Enterprises provides software and managed services to defence, national security and commercial organisations	-	n.a.	n.a.
07 Jun 2019	SmoothWall Ltd.	SafeGuard Software Limited	Develops digital record keeping safeguarding software for schools, multi academy trusts, local authorities and other organizations	-	n.a.	n.a.
06 Jun 2019	Cisco Systems, Inc.	Sentryo SAS	Provides cybersecurity and situational awareness solutions. Its solutions enable corporations to ensure continuity, resilience and safety of industrial operations by providing continuous visibility over ICS and SCADA infrastructures.	-	n.a.	n.a.
05 Jun 2019	Elastic N.V.	Endgame, Inc.	Provides security intelligence and analytics solutions for federal and commercial customers/enterprises to give them real-time visibility and actionable insight across their digital domains	234.0	11.8x	n.a.

#### PRECEDENT M&A TRANSACTIONS OVERVIEW (3/6)

#### JULY 2018 – 2019YTD

Date announced	Acquirer Target Target company description		Target company description	EV	EV / Revenue	EV / EBITDA
04 Jun 2019	Imperva, Inc.	Distil Networks, Inc.	Provides public and private cloud security software that blocks malicious bots and automated computer programs attacking websites	100.0	5.0x	n.a.
03 Jun 2019	Sophos Group plc	Rook Security, LLC	Offers managed digital detection and response services. Further, the company offers Force which is a security operations management platform that optimizes security resource workflows, metrics, and outcomes; and digital security consulting and advisory services, etc.	-	n.a.	n.a.
30 May 2019	Insight Venture Partners LLC	Recorded Future, Inc.  Provides real-time threat intelligence solutions to companies and security profession		780.0	12.0x	n.a.
29 May 2019	Palo Alto Networks, Inc.	Twistlock Inc.  Provides docker container security solutions for DevOps with seamless CI integration, API support, and a security framework  410.		410.0	n.a.	n.a.
28 May 2019	FireEye, Inc.	Platform to test weaknesses in company cybersecurity networks, by identifying gaps in  Verodin, Inc. security effectiveness due to equipment misconfiguration, changes in the IT environment, evolving attacker tactics		264.0	n.a.	n.a.
07 May 2019	Orange S.A.	SecureLink nv Cybersecurity services provider, plans, builds, and manages clients' network and cybersecurity infrastructures		576.0	2.1x	n.a.
06 May 2019	Proofpoint, Inc.	Meta Networks Ltd.	Develops cloud native networking and security solutions for enterprises	120.0	n.a.	n.a.
09 Apr 2019	Shearwater Group PLC	Certain Business And Assets of Secarma Limited	Business unit that provides cyber threat analytics and monitoring services	9.7	2.0x	n.a.
28 Mar 2019	Nixu Oyj	Ezenta A/S	Ezenta A/S Provides information technology consulting services such as IT security, consulting, and advice		0.9x	n.a.
22 Mar 2019	NSEIT Ltd.	Aujas Networks Pvt. Ltd.	Provides cyber security services to banking, insurance, retail, energy, communications, and technology industries in North America, South Asia, and the Middle East	-	n.a.	n.a.
18 Mar 2019	Nixu Oyj	Cybersecurity business of Vesper Group	Application development services provider for financial services companies	1.8	1.0x	n.a.
12 Mar 2019	SecureSky, Inc.	EvengX, LLC	Develops and provides SafetyNet, an agent-based and network technology that offers cross- platform technology and defence capabilities against threats and malicious behaviours	-	n.a.	n.a.
05 Mar 2019	NTT Security Corporation	WhiteHat Security, Inc.	Operates a Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) platform. Its platform enables enterprises to secure their digital businesses ranging from application creation through production, and from the desktop to mobile device	315.0	5.3x	n.a.
01 Mar 2019	Comcast Corporation	BluVector, Inc.	Operates a cyber-threat detection and hunting platform that defends enterprises against evolving security threats	-	n.a.	n.a.
01 Mar 2019	Verizon Communications Inc.	ProtectWise, Inc.	Offers cloud-based network security services	-	n.a.	n.a.

#### PRECEDENT M&A TRANSACTIONS OVERVIEW (4/6)

#### JULY 2018 – 2019YTD

Alto Networks, Inc.  Focus International plc	ConnectWise, Inc.  nCipher Security Limited  Demisto, Inc.  Interset Inc.  Decyber Limited	Provides professional services automation solutions for small and mid-sized companies  Designs and develops cryptographic and security solutions for general purpose hardware, cloud, blockchain, and digital payments applications  Operates a security orchestration, automation, and response platform that combines orchestration, incident management, and interactive investigation into a seamless experience  Is an enterprise threat detection company which provides behavioural-centric security solutions  Offers cyber awareness training, Internet security/anti-virus, cyber insurance, dark web monitoring, and other cyber security protection services	- 464.5 100.0	n.a. n.a. 14.3x n.a.	n.a. n.a.
Focus International plc	Demisto, Inc. Interset Inc. Decyber Limited	cloud, blockchain, and digital payments applications  Operates a security orchestration, automation, and response platform that combines orchestration, incident management, and interactive investigation into a seamless experience  Is an enterprise threat detection company which provides behavioural-centric security solutions  Offers cyber awareness training, Internet security/anti-virus, cyber insurance, dark web	100.0	n.a. 14.3x	n.a.
Focus International plc	Interset Inc.  Decyber Limited	orchestration, incident management, and interactive investigation into a seamless experience  Is an enterprise threat detection company which provides behavioural-centric security solutions  Offers cyber awareness training, Internet security/anti-virus, cyber insurance, dark web	100.0	14.3x	n.a.
nouse Agencies Limited	Decyber Limited	Solutions  Offers cyber awareness training, Internet security/anti-virus, cyber insurance, dark web			
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ntec Corporation	Luminate Security Ltd.				n.a.
	Luminate Security Ltd.  Operates software-as-a-service (SaaS) security platform which allows users to securely manage access to all corporate resources from any device		139.0	n.a.	n.a.
s, Inc.	Adya Inc. Provides cloud applications management that enable enterprises to manage and secure their SaaS applications from a single console		1.8	n.a.	n.a.
nite, Inc.	Webroot Inc.	Provides cloud-based Internet threat detection solutions for consumers, businesses, and enterprises	618.5	2.9x	n.a.
n Cyber Technologies	Onevinn AB	Designs and develops cyber security solutions	-	n.a.	n.a.
vstems II(	Core Security Assets of SecureAuth Corporation	Core Security Assets of SecureAuth Corporation was acquired by HelpSystems, LLC. Core Security Assets of Core Security Solutions, Inc. comprises security device equipment	-	n.a.	n.a.
ge S.A.	SecureData Europe Limited	Offers SecureData GI, an integrated security platform that is hosted and managed in the cloud	157.0	2.7x	n.a.
Bay Networks AB	Loryka	Provides data security solutions	-	n.a.	n.a.
os Group plc	DarkBytes, Inc.	Develops a unified endpoint protection platform which offers cyber security services to commercial organizations	-	n.a.	n.a.
sis Inc.	Virtual Forge GmbH	Provides cyber security software solutions for systems applications and products (SAP)	-	n.a.	n.a.
rporation	AppRiver, LLC	Provides cloud-based email and cyber security solutions to businesses worldwide	268.5	3.0x	n.a.
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#### PRECEDENT M&A TRANSACTIONS OVERVIEW (5/6)

#### JULY 2018 – 2019YTD

Date announced	Acquirer Target Target company description		EV	EV / Revenue	EV / EBITDA	
14 Jan 2019	Check Point Software Technologies Ltd.	ForceNock Security Ltd.	Designs and develops a machine learning based web application security software	-	n.a.	n.a.
08 Jan 2019	Sophos Group plc	Avid Secure, Inc.	Develops cloud infrastructure security platform to deliver security analytics, compliance automation, and rugged DevSecOps	-	n.a.	n.a.
21 Dec 2018	Bechtle AG	R.Bücker EDV-Beratung Datentechnik GmbH	Provides information technology consulting and security services		n.a.	n.a.
05 Dec 2018	Inside Secure S.A. (nka:Verimatrix Société anonyme)	Verimatrix, Inc.	Specialises in securing and enhancing revenue for multi-network/multi-screen digital TV services around the globe	155.9	2.0x	10.8x
29 Nov 2018	Neustar, Inc.	TRUSTID, Inc.	Provides Software-as-a-Service based phone ownership authentication solutions for call centres	-	n.a.	n.a.
16 Nov 2018	BlackBerry Limited	Cylance Inc.	Develops artificial intelligence based prevention-first and predictive security solutions		11.5x	n.a.
08 Nov 2018	Forescout Technologies, Inc.	SecurityMatters B.V.	Provides cyber security solutions to critical infrastructure and industrial automation companies		14.2x	n.a.
08 Nov 2018	IK Investment Partners; IK VIII	Infradata Group B.V.	Provides cyber security and cloud networking solutions		n.a.	n.a.
05 Nov 2018	Thoma Bravo, LLC	Veracode, Inc.	Develops SaaS platform and integrated solutions that help security teams and software developers to find and fix security-related defects in software development lifecycle	950.0	7.6x	n.a.
30 Oct 2018	Gro Capital A/S; CVC Capital Partners SICAV-FIS S.A; CVC Growth Partners	Omada A/S	Provides identity and access management, and identity and access governance solutions	140.0	4.7x	n.a.
23 Oct 2018	Fortinet, Inc.	Zonefox Limited	Provides security software to protect business-critical assets, data, and intellectual property	18.0	n.a.	n.a.
22 Oct 2018	GB Group plc	Vix Verify Global Pty Ltd	Offers identity verification and location intelligence software	27.1	1.7x	n.a.
16 Oct 2018	Temasek Holdings (Private) Limited	Sygnia Consulting Ltd.	Operates as a cyber technology and services company, providing consulting and incident response support for organizations worldwide	-	n.a.	n.a.
10 Oct 2018	Thoma Bravo, LLC	Imperva, Inc.	Engages in the development, market, sale, and support of cyber security solutions that protect business critical data and applications in the cloud or on premises worldwide	1,814.7	5.7x	n.m.
03 Oct 2018	Palo Alto Networks, Inc.	RedLock, Inc.	Develops internet security software	173.0	n.a.	n.a.

#### PRECEDENT M&A TRANSACTIONS OVERVIEW (6/6)

#### JULY 2018 – 2019YTD

Date announced	Acquirer	Target	Target company description	EV	EV / Revenue	EV / EBITDA
13 Sep 2018	Bomgar Corporation	BeyondTrust Software, Inc.	Develops and offers privileged access management software solutions to prevent data breaches related to stolen credentials, misused privileges, and compromised remote access	750.0	6.8x	18.8x
20 Aug 2018	Six Degrees Technology Group Ltd	Convergent Network Solutions Limited	Provides IT security and networking consultancy services. The company operates in three divisions: Network and Security Solutions, Security Assessment, and Managed Services.	-	n.a.	n.a.
17 Aug 2018	Shearwater Group PLC	Brookcourt Solutions Limited	Sells, implements, integrates, and supports cyber security and networking technologies to business sectors	39.5	1.4x	15.1x
16 Aug 2018	Cyberfort Software, Inc.	Just Content Software	Provides an ad blocking application that protects families and businesses against unsafe links, adult contents, phishing sites, inflammatory hate speeches, backdoor attacks, and cyber threats	-	n.a.	n.a.
02 Aug 2018	Cisco Systems, Inc.	Duo Security, Inc.	Provides unified access security and multi-factor authentication solutions for customers worldwide	2,350.0	18.8x	n.a.
10 Jul 2018	AT&T Communications, LLC	AlienVault, Inc.	Provides unified security management and crowd-sourced threat intelligence solutions	600.0	6.0x	n.a.
10 Jul 2018	Thoma Bravo, LLC	Centrify Corporation	Designs and develops unified identity management software for cloud, mobile, and data centre platforms	500.0	3.3x	n.a.
10 Jul 2018	Bomgar Corporation	Avecto Limited	Develops endpoint security software solutions that protect businesses from advanced threats	-	n.a.	n.a.
05 Jul 2018	Claranet Limited	NotSoSecure Global Services Limited	Provides penetration testing and hacking training services	-	n.a.	n.a.
				Median	5.00x	15.15x
				Mean	6.11x	14.88x



#### **FUNDING ACTIVITY - SNAPSHOT**

#### US IS LEADING THE CHARGE IN CYBERSECURITY FUNDRAISING



#### **US Cybersecurity funding rounds – Key Stats**

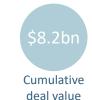
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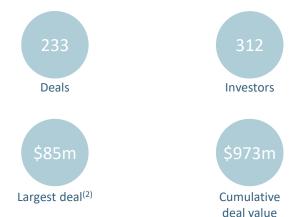






#### **European Cybersecurity transactions – Key Stats**

2018 - 2019YTD







Source(s): ICON Analysis, Pitchbook

Note(s): (1) In Sep 2018, Anchor Free raised \$295m from WndrCo, Accel, 8VC, SignalFire, and Green Bay Ventures; (2) In Dec 2018, Nexthink raised \$85m from Index Ventures, Auriga Partners, Highland Europe, Galeo-Ventures, and Forestay Capital

#### **MOST ACTIVE CYBERSECURITY EARLY STAGE INVESTORS (1/2)**

UK IS A HOTBED FOR CYBERSECURITY START-UP FUNDING

#### **TOP 3 SEED INVESTORS**

	Company Country Category			Selected Past Investments					
1	CYLON		Accelerator / Incubator	CYBER SMART UK, Seed, \$0.3m	TORSION NORMATION SECURITY  UK, Seed,  \$0.3m	MyDocSafe™ UK, Seed, \$0.3m	Lantaca Ireland, Seed, \$0.1m		







VC



UK, Seed, \$6.4m



UK, Seed, \$2.8m











VC



France, Seed, \$1.2m

NEOWAVE

France, Seed, \$0.3m



France, Seed, \$1.3m

Source(s): ICON Analysis, Pitchbook

#### MOST ACTIVE CYBERSECURITY EARLY STAGE INVESTORS (2/2)

CYBERSECURITY IS ONE OF THE MOST ACTIVE SECTORS FOR EARLY STAGE VENTURE CAPITAL

#### **TOP 3 SERIES A INVESTORS**

	Company	Country	Category		Selected Past	Investments	
1	kima ventures		VC	sqreen France, Series A, \$14m	Cobalt US, Series A, \$5m	Tanker France, Series A, \$7.2m	ACCRUS NETWORKS France, Series A, \$5.7m







VC













VC





France, Series A, \$14m



Finland, Series A, \$3m

Source(s): ICON Analysis, Pitchbook

