

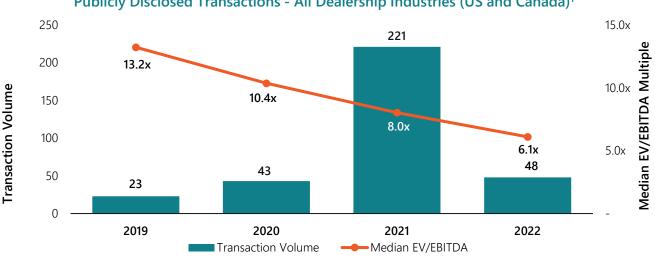
Dealerships

Quarterly Update Q1 2023



Industry Overview M&A Snapshot – All Dealership Industries





Publicly Disclosed Transactions - All Dealership Industries (US and Canada)¹

M&A Activity – All Dealership Industries (Automotive, Agriculture, Heavy Truck)

- M&A activity for North American dealerships across Q1 to Q4 2022 appears to be trending towards prepandemic levels. At the conclusion of Q4 2022, there have been a total of 48 publicly disclosed transactions with an aggregate deal value of \$2.498 billion.
- Median EV/EBITDA multiples across all dealership industries in North America on publicly disclosed transactions have been trending down since 2019.
- Due to the limited number of publicly traded dealerships in Canada, substantially all publicly available information is related to U.S. transactions across all dealership industries. While geographically different markets, M&A activity in the U.S. can be indicative of overall macro trends in the Canadian M&A market as well.

Automotive

- New Canadian passenger vehicle sales totalled 1.49 million vehicles in 2022, representing a decline of 9.1% from 2021, and the lowest level of new Canadian passenger vehicle sales since 2009³.
- New Canadian passenger vehicle sales improved in both March and Q1 2023, relative to the same periods in 2022. March 2023 sales of approximately 146,000 vehicles by reporting automakers, were up 3.7% from the same period in the prior year. January 2023 and February 2023 were up 7.5% and 5.7%, respectively, over January 2022 and February 2022⁴.
- On a quarterly basis, new units in Q1 2023 were up 5.2% from Q1 2022, but down 8.8% compared to Q1 2021 and 16% below 2019 pre-pandemic levels⁴.

Agriculture Implement

• Consolidation continues amongst Case-IH, New Holland, John Deere, and Kubota dealers. Valuations can vary significantly by location, size, and historical performance.

Heavy Truck

• Fragmented marketplace presents an opportunity for M&A activity amongst dealerships, as seen by the recent consolidation activity in southern Ontario, spearheaded by Penske Automotive Group and Rush Enterprises in 2022.

2: Average Median EV/EBITDA Last Twelve Months for automotive, heavy truck, agriculture implement, and construction equipment dealers, per CapIQ. Refer to page 8 for peer group comparison and comprehensive data. Peer groups may change from year to year.

^{1:} Capital IQ. Data as of March 31, 2023; SEC Filings via Haig Report for Q4 2022. The Haig Report data lags one quarter in our reports.

^{3:} Desrosiers "2022 auto sales worst since 2009, but December numbers offer hope" January 2023

^{4:} Canadian Auto Dealer "Q1 Canadian auto sales improve, but continue to disappoint" April 2023

Macroeconomic Indicators



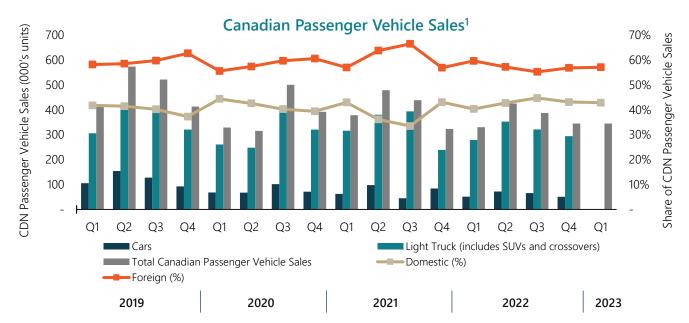
The key external drivers affecting the various dealership industries in Canada include: per capita disposable income, consumer confidence index, interest rates, and GDP.



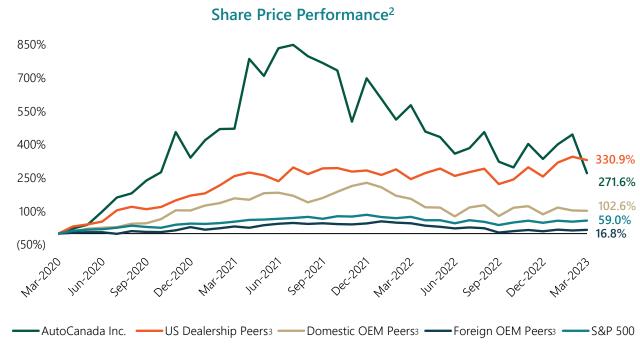
Source: IBISWorld Industry Reports, Bank of Canada. "F" indicates forecast.

Industry Snapshot Automotive





Q1 2023 sales totaled 345,335 units representing a 4.5% increase in comparison to Q1 2022. Total vehicle sales were composed of 85.3% light truck sales in Q4 2022. Light truck sales details for Q1 2023 are not available as at the date of this report. The domestic vs. foreign brand sales mix continues to favor foreign brands, with a market share of 57.1% in Q1 2023, up modestly from 56.8% in Q4 2022.



1: Desrosiers Automotive Consultants reports, June 2018 – March 2023, Porsche sales data is not available for Q1 2023. Porsche typically accounts for less than 1% of North American automotive sales.

2: Capital IQ. Data as of March 31, 2023.

3: US Dealership Peers: AutoNation, Group 1 Automotive, Asbury Automotive, Sonic Automotive, Lithia Motors and Penske Automotive. Domestic OEM Peers: General Motors, Ford and Stellantis. Foreign OEM Peers: Toyota, Honda and Nissan.

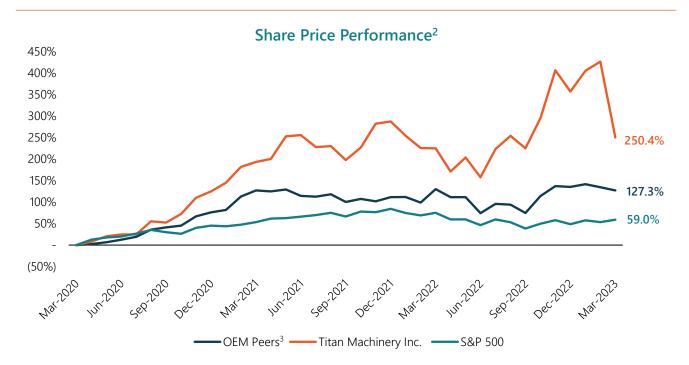
Industry Snapshot Agriculture Implement





Ag Implement Revenue vs. Farm Cash Receipts Per Quarter¹

Farm cash receipts tend to be one of the lagging indicators for agriculture equipment sales. Farm cash receipts recorded a 12.7% year-over-year growth from Q4 2021 to Q4 2022. John Deere's Canadian segment recorded 59.0% year-over-year revenue growth from Q4 2021 to Q4 2022. At the time of this report, Q1 2023 farm cash receipt data is not available. As there are no publicly traded Canadian agriculture equipment dealerships, we have used the U.S. agriculture dealership, Titan Machinery Inc., as part of our data. While geographically different, the U.S. market can be indicative of trends in the Canadian market.



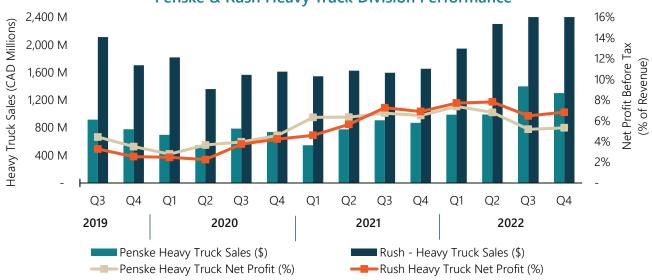
1: Farm Cash Receipts retrieved from Statistics Canada. Data effective March 31, 2023. Farm Cash Receipts lag one quarter in our reports.

2: Capital IQ. Data as of March 31, 2023.

3: **OEM Peers**: Deere & Company (John Deere), CNH Industrial (Case IH, New Holland), Kubota Corp., Caterpillar Inc. (CAT) and AGCO Corporation (Massey Ferguson).

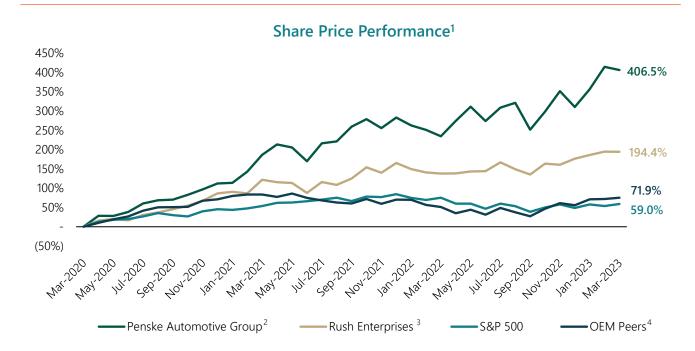
Industry Snapshot Heavy Truck





Penske & Rush Heavy Truck Division Performance⁷

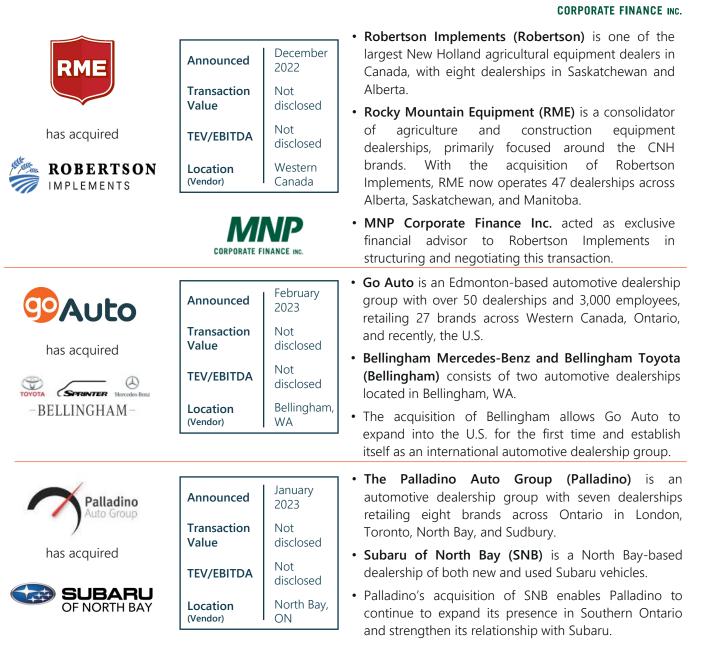
Penske Automotive Group (Penske) is a publicly traded, global dealership group. Rush Enterprises Inc. (Rush) is a publicly traded retailer of commercial vehicles in North America. Penske generated approximately 13.8% of sales from their heavy truck division in Q4 2022, while substantially all of Rush's sales relate to heavy truck. Heavy truck sales and net profit margins have been isolated in order to gauge divisional performance as a metric for the industry in general.



1: Capital IQ. Data as of March 31, 2023. Penske & Rush Heavy Truck Division Performance for Q1 2023 was not available at the time of preparing this report. 2: Penske is a diversified company, therefore the share price performance shown above is not inherently related to the performance of its heavy truck division. 3: Rush Enterprises is a retailer of commercial vehicles in North America, primarily retailing new and used heavy trucks.

4: OEM Peers: Daimler AG (Freightliner, Western Star), AB Volvo (Volvo, Mack), and PACCAR Inc. (Kenworth, Peterbilt).

Select Recent M&A Transactions





Source: Capital IQ, PitchBook, Titan Machinery, Ag Equipment Intelligence, Autosphere

Public Comparable Analysis Trading Multiples & Operating Statistics



(Figures In CAD Millions, except percentages and ratios)¹

AD millions			LTM Operating Figures				NTM Consensus Estimates			Valuation	
Company	Market Capitalization	Enterprise Value	Revenue	Revenue Growth	EBITDA	EBITDA Margin	Revenue Growth		NTM EV/EBITDA	LTM EV/EBITDA	LTM EV/REV
Automotive Dealerships											
AutoCanada Inc.	\$467	\$2,422	\$6,041	29.8%	\$298	4.9%	1.6%	4.1%	9.5x	8.1x	0.4x
AutoNation, Inc.	\$8,526	\$17,112	\$36,032	(0.2%)	\$2,979	8.3%	0.3%	6.7%	7.0x	5.6x	0.5x
Group 1 Automotive, Inc.	\$4,193	\$8,658	\$21,955	20.3%	\$1,660	7.6%	0.7%	5.5%	7.2x	5.2x	0.4x
Asbury Automotive Group, Inc.	\$6,165	\$10,825	\$20,889	56.9%	\$1,876	9.0%	(3.0%)	7.3%	7.2x	5.8x	0.5x
Sonic Automotive, Inc.	\$2,650	\$6,689	\$18,949	12.9%	\$1,093	5.8%	1.9%	4.3%	7.9x	6.1x	0.4x
Lithia Motors, Inc.	\$8,512	\$19,125	\$38,502	12.9%	\$2,719	7.1%	7.9%	5.5%	8.1x	6.0x	0.5x
Penske Automotive Group, Inc.	\$13,252	\$22,682	\$37,645	8.8%	\$3,332	8.9%	(0.7%)	5.9%	10.3x	6.8x	0.6x
Median	\$6,165	\$10,825	\$21,955	12.9%	\$1,876	7.6%	0.7%	5.5%	7.9x	6.0x	0.5x
Mean	\$6,252	\$12,502	\$25,716	20.2%	\$1,994	7.3%	1.3%	5.6%	8.2x	6.2x	0.5x
Heavy Truck Dealerships											
Penske Automotive Group, Inc.	\$13,252	\$22,682	\$37,645	8.8%	\$3,332	8.9%	(0.7%)	5.9%	10.3x	6.8x	0.6x
Rush Enterprises, Inc.	\$4,103	\$5,798	\$9,612	38.5%	\$951	9.9%	1.2%	7.6%	7.8x	6.1x	0.6x
Median	\$8,678	\$14,240	\$23,628	23.7%	\$2,142	9.4%	0.3%	6.7%	9.0x	6.5x	0.6x
Mean	\$8,678	\$14,240	\$23,628	23.7%	\$2,142	9.4%	0.3%	6.7%	9.0x	6.5x	0.6x
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Titan Machinery Inc.	\$924	\$1,428	\$2,947	29.1%	\$237	8.0%	18.3%	7.0%	5.9x	5.9x	0.5x
Median	\$924	\$1,428	\$2,947	29.1%	\$237	8.0%	18.3%	7.0%	5.9x	5.9x	0.5x
Mean	\$924	\$1,428	\$2,947	29.1%	\$237	8.0%	18.3%	7.0%	5.9x	5.9x	0.5x
Automobile OEMs		* ., .= -	<i><i><i>x</i>=<i>x</i>=<i>x</i></i></i>								
General Motors Company	\$69,214	\$195,182	\$212,128	23.4%	\$25,451	12.0%	2.4%	13.2%	6.8x	7.7x	0.9x
Stellantis N.V.	\$77,331	\$45,547	\$259,766	20.2%	\$37,915	14.6%	4.4%	14.6%	0.0x	1.2x	0.2x
Ford Motor Company	\$67,956	\$214,372	\$213,918	15.9%	\$15,919	7.4%	(1.5%)	9.4%	10.5x	13.5x	1.0x
Honda Motor Co., Ltd.	\$59,806	\$103,277	\$168,306	14.7%	\$25,915	15.4%	8.2%	7.5%	7.4x	4.0x	0.6x
Nissan Motor Co., Ltd.	\$19,971	\$78,722	\$100,273	12.3%	\$8,210	8.2%	13.4%	7.3%	9.3x	9.7x	0.8x
Toyota Motor Corporation	\$259,566	\$497,234	\$365,124	14.9%	\$50,628	13.9%	1.0%	10.5%	12.5x	9.9x	1.4x
Median	\$68,585	\$149,229	\$213,023	15.4%	\$25,683	12.9%	3.4%	9.9%	8.3x	8.7x	0.9x
Mean	\$92,307	\$189,056	\$219,919	16.9%	\$27,340	11.9%	4.6%	10.4%	7.7x	7.7x	0.8x
Heavy Trucks OEMs											
AB Volvo (publ)	\$57,349	\$74,700	\$65,274	30.3%	\$9,270	14.2%	(3.3%)	14.7%	8.3x	9.2x	1.2x
PACCAR Inc	\$51,754	\$59,115	\$39,005	22.5%	\$5,567	14.3%	4.2%	13.4%	10.9x	10.6x	1.5x
Median	\$54,551	\$66,908	\$52,140	26.4%	\$7,419	14.2%	0.4%	14.0%	9.6x	9.9x	1.4x
Mean	\$54,551	\$66,908	\$52,140	26.4%	\$7,419	14.2%	0.4%	14.0%	9.6x	9.9x	1.4x
Agriculture Implement / Construc											
Deere & Company	\$165,535	\$236,288	\$74,080	25.2%	\$16,869	22.8%	(1.0%)	23.2%	13.9x	13.8x	3.1x
CNH Industrial N.V.	\$27,669	\$54,007	\$31,874	20.8%	\$4,604	14.4%	7.2%	12.5%	12.9x	11.7x	1.7x
Kubota Corporation	\$24,195	\$39,541	\$27,492	21.9%	\$3,072	11.2%	3.8%	12.3%	11.0x	13.0x	1.5x
Caterpillar Inc.	\$159,872	\$202,563	\$80,430	16.6%	\$16,458	20.5%	5.9%	18.9%	12.5x	12.3x	2.5x
AGCO Corporation	\$13,691	\$14,835	\$17,123	13.6%	\$2,307	13.5%	10.3%	12.5%	6.3x	6.4x	0.9x
AB Volvo (publ)	\$57,349	\$74,700	\$65,274	30.3%	\$9,270	14.2%	(3.3%)	14.7%	8.3x	9.2x	1.2x
Median	\$42,509	\$64,354	\$48,574	21.4%	\$6,937	14.3%	4.8%	13.6%	11.8x	12.0x	1.6x
Mean	\$74,719	\$103,656	\$49,379	21.4%	\$8,763	16.1%	3.8%	15.7%	10.8x	11.1x	1.8x

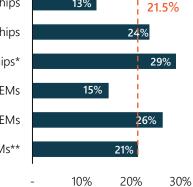
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Public Comparable Analysis Growth, Margins & Multiples



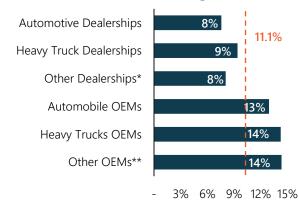
Median Revenue Growth (LTM)





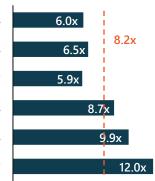
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Median EBITDA Margin (LTM)



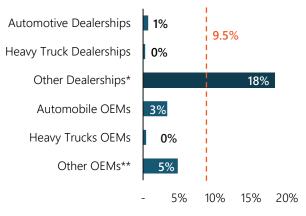
Median EV/EBITDA (LTM)





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Median Revenue Growth (NTM)



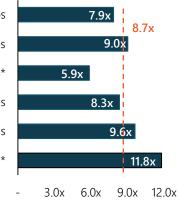
Median EBITDA Margin (NTM)





Median EV/EBITDA (NTM)





*Agriculture Implement / Construction Dealerships. **Agriculture Implement / Construction OEMs. Source: Capital IQ. Data as of March 31, 2023. "LTM" refers to last twelve months. "NTM" refers to next twelve months. Valuation details provided on page 8.

About Us

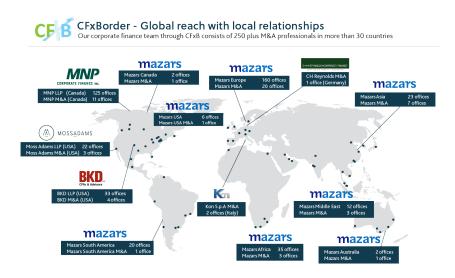
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