

Oilfield Services

Quarterly Update | Q3 2023



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Industry Overview M&A Transactions & Performance





North American Mid-Market Oilfield Services - M&A Activity (Transaction Count)

Source: Capital IQ. Data as of September 30, 2023.

Above noted mid-market M&A activity includes disclosed transactions not exceeding a total transaction value of \$500 million.

Oilfield Services - Merger and acquisition (M&A) activity in Q3 2023 reached \$954.5 million in disclosed transaction value across 18 deals in Canada and the U.S. The average deal size among disclosed transactions was \$119.3 million, a more than tenfold increase from \$9.5 million in Q2 2023. Canada and the U.S. accounted for three and 15 disclosed deals in the quarter, respectively.



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Oil & Gas Exploration & Production - M&A activity in Q3 2023 exceeded \$1.6 billion in disclosed transaction value across 43 deals in Canada and the U.S. The average deal size among disclosed transactions was \$58.3 million, an 18.9% decrease from \$71.9 million in Q2 2023. Canada and the U.S. accounted for 15 and 28 disclosed deals in the quarter, respectively.

Market Update Articles



Ottawa announces plan to phase out "inefficient" fossil fuel subsidies¹

- July 24, 2023: The federal government published its plan for eliminating inefficient fossil fuel subsidies. This plan honours the country's public promise to phase out and rationalize these subsidies over the medium term, as stated during the 2009 G20 summit.
- The plan still allows fossil fuel subsidies for projects if these are used to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, support clean and renewable energy, support Indigenous economic participation in fossil fuel activities, offer essential energy services to remote communities, provide short-term support for emergencies, or support carbon capture in oil and gas.
- Fossil fuels are still supported via other methods, such as commercial loans through Export Development Canada (EDC). Approximately \$19 billion in financing for fossil fuels came from the EDC in 2022, says Environmental Defence, a Canadian advocacy group.
- The federal government says they are currently working on identifying all remaining sources of public financing and intends to create a plan to phase them out by the end of 2024.

Enbridge bets big on US gas with \$14 billion bid for Dominion utilities²

- September 5, 2023: Enbridge is set to buy three utilities from Dominion Energy for \$14 billion. Upon completion of this deal, Enbridge will become North America's largest natural gas provider.
- This deal signals Enbridge is bullish on the future of natural gas, even as energy companies and consumers transition away from fossil fuels.
- Enbridge is currently the only pipeline and midstream company that is also a regulated gas utility provider. This deal will double the size of the company's gas distribution and storage business.

Chevron buys world's biggest hydrogen storage plant in Utah³

- September 12, 2023: Chevron announced the acquisition of a majority stake in the advanced clean energy storage hydrogen project (ACES Delta LLC), the world's largest proposed storage facility for hydrogen, located in Delta, Utah.
- The facility will use clean energy created from wind and solar to produce hydrogen, an important technology in reaching net zero emissions. When combusted, hydrogen produces water as a by-product, making it a cleaner source of energy.
- The ACES Delta LLC project received a loan for clean energy in the amount of US\$504 million in 2022, the first U.S. Department of Energy loan for a clean energy project in nearly a decade.
- Chevron intends to develop "a large-scale, hydrogen platform that provides affordable, reliable, ever-cleaner energy," Austin Knight, vice president of hydrogen, Chevron New Energies.

Market Update Select Recent M&A Transactions



AMMOLITE	Closed	Sept 6, 2023
has acquired	Transaction Value	Not disclosed
FIR	TEV/EBITDA	Not disclosed
DILVERLINE	Location	Virden, MB

- Ammolite Investment Partners is a Calgary-based private equity firm with a focus on investing in small and medium-sized Canadian businesses to help them pursue growth, achieve liquidity, and facilitate generational change.
- Silverline Oilfield Services is an oilfield hauling company servicing Manitoba's energy producers. In addition to oil hauling, Silverline provides ancillary services such as well stimulation, boiler and heaters, and vacuum truck services.
- MNP Corporate Finance Inc. acted as the exclusive financial advisor to Silverline Oilfield Services in structuring and negotiating this transaction.



- Precision Drilling Corporation (TSX:PD; NYSE:PDS) is an oil and gas drilling contractor with operations in Canada, the U.S. and international markets. The company also provides oilfield equipment rentals and camp services.
- CWC Energy Services Corporation (TSXV:CWC) provides drilling and service rigs to established oil and gas producers in Canada and the U.S.
- Finite Services
 Announced
 Sept 15, 2023

 To acquire
 Transaction
 \$73.7MM

 Field Services
 TEV/EBITDA
 4.95x

 Location
 Calgary, AB
- Element Technical Services is a private company that provides well fracturing services and coiled tubing operations in Western Canada and the U.S.
- Essential Energy Services (TSE: ESN) provides oilfield services in Western Canada. The company offers completion, production and wellsite restoration services and has one of the largest coiled tubing fleets in Canada.

Industry Overview Alberta Oil Patch



WTI Versus WCS



Average Barrel and BOE¹ Production Per Day in Alberta



Note 1: Barrel of oil equivalent (BOE) summarizes the amount of energy of natural gas equivalent to that contained in a barrel of oil. Source: https://economicdashboard.alberta.ca/dashboard/wcs-oil-price/,

https://www.aer.ca/providing-information/data-and-reports/statistical-reports/st3

Industry Overview Natural Gas Performance



Natural Gas Prices: Henry Hub vs. AECO





Statistics Canada – Canadian Natural Gas Storage as of September 30, 2023.

Industry Overview Rig Count & Land Sales





Total Rig Count: Canada Vs. United States





Sources: Baker Hughes rig count report as of September 30, 2023, Government of Alberta and Saskatchewan; Data as of September 30, 2023.

Public Comparable Analysis Growth, Margins & Multiples



LTM Revenue Growth

Software Solutions Camp Accomodation Storage and Transportation Integrated Oilfield Services Machinery and Equipment Field Services Drilling



LTM EBITDA Margin

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0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50%

NTM Revenue Growth



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NTM EV/EBITDA

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LTM EV/EBITDA





Note: Above noted oilfield service peer groups are market capitalization weighted indexes. Valuation details provided on page 10. "LTM" refers to last twelve months. "NTM" refers to next twelve months. Figures above are based on median peer group metrics.

Public Comparable Analysis



Performance Analysis



Oilfield Service Group Share Prices

Oilfield Service Group EBITDA Multiples



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Public Comparable Analysis Trading Multiples & Operating Statistics



We have selected a group of publicly traded oil and gas entities for this high-level analysis. These public companies help act as a proxy for the industry and provide a strong industry context.

(Figures in \$CAD Millions, except percentages and ratios) LTM Operating Figures NTM Consensus Estimates Valuation Market Enterprise Revenue **EBITDA** Revenue EBITDA NTM LTM LTM Capitalization Value Revenue EBITDA **EV/EBITDA EV/EBITDA** EV/REV Company Growth Margin Growth Margin Oil and Gas Drilling \$2,334 \$1,924 56.9% \$552 28.7% 4.3% 30.4% 3.9x Precision Drilling Corporation \$1.325 4.2x 1.2x Ensign Energy Services Inc. \$599 \$1,890 \$1,817 46.4% \$478 26.3% 0.6% 26.5% 3.9x 4.0x 1.0x PHX Energy Services Corp. \$377 \$423 \$622 44.2% \$104 16.8% 3.7% 20.7% 3.2x 4.1x 0.7x Western Energy Services Corp. \$128 \$241 \$241 55.4% \$47 19.5% 7.9% 19.8% 4.5x 5.1x 1.0x \$236 25.3% 7.4% 20.9% 2.7x AKITA Drilling Ltd \$70 \$141 55.3% \$60 2.4x 0.6x Stampede Drilling Inc. \$59 \$85 \$83 114.9% \$17 20.8% 28.9% 24.8% 3.2x 4.9x 1.0x Cathedral Energy Services Ltd. \$216 \$272 \$479 352.5% \$69 14.3% 18.7% 22.2% 2.1x 4.0x 0.6x Median \$216 \$272 \$479 55.4% \$69 20.8% 7.4% 22.2% 3.2x 4.1x 1.0x Mean 103.7% \$190 10.2% 0.9x \$396 \$769 \$772 21.7% 23.6% 3.4x 4.1x Oil and Gas Field Services Mullen Group Ltd. \$1,191 \$1,994 \$2.013 8.6% \$342 17.0% (0.5%) 16.1% 6.2x 5.8x 1.0x Calfrac Well Services Ltd. \$457 \$811 \$1,846 67.0% \$314 17.0% 27% 17 5% 2 5x 2 6x 04x STEP Energy Services Ltd. \$306 \$447 \$992 26.4% \$197 19.9% 0.5% 20.3% 2.2x 2.3x 0.5x \$57 Wolverine Energy and Infrastructure Inc. \$5 \$89 3.4% \$2 3.0% N/A N/A 5.9x 51.9x 1.6x Essential Energy Services Ltd. \$49 \$158 17 1% \$14 91% N/A N/A N/A 4 2x 0 4 x \$61 Vertex Resource Group Ltd. \$46 \$168 \$238 26.8% \$37 15.6% 8.3% 15.9% 4.1x 4.5x 0.7x Flint Corp. \$3 \$361 \$641 29.8% \$23 3.6% N/A N/A N/A 15.6x 0.6x 26.4% 1.6% <u>4.5</u>x Median \$49 \$361 \$641 \$37 15.6% 16.8% 4.1x 0.6x \$849 Mean \$294 \$561 25.6% \$133 12.2% 2.7% 17.4% 4.2x 12.4x 0.7x Oil and Gas Machinery and Equipment Enerflex Ltd. \$2,295 \$2,684 115.2% \$267 10.0% 16.2% 17.6% 8.6x 0.9x \$966 4.1x \$1 417 CES Energy Solutions Corp. \$945 \$2 161 42.4% \$276 12.8% 0.1% 14 0% 4 7x 5 1x 0 7x Total Energy Services Inc. \$374 \$463 \$866 45.7% \$157 18.1% 2.4% 19.2% 2.7x 3.0x 0.5x 55.2% McCov Global Inc \$39 \$64 14.3% N/A 4.3x 0.6x \$49 \$9 N/A N/A 0.6x Median \$660 \$940 \$1,513 50.5% \$212 13.5% 2.4% 17.6% 4.1x 4.7x Mean \$1,054 6.2% 16.9% \$583 \$1,444 13.8% 64.6% \$177 3.8x 5.2x 0.7x Integrated Oilfield Services \$983 \$958 \$960 38.7% \$246 25.7% 24.8% 3.8x Trican Well Service Ltd 6.1% 3.9x 1.0x Secure Energy Services Inc. \$2,157 \$3,220 \$7,863 22.5% \$551 7.0% N/A 36.4% 5.6x 5.8x 0.4x \$139 \$214 51.3% \$41 19.2% N/A N/A 3.4x 0.6x CWC Energy Services Corp. \$98 N/A \$18 High Arctic Energy Services Inc \$58 \$53 (44.6%) \$0 N/A N/A N/A 0.3x 0.2% N/A \$541 \$548 \$587 \$144 6.1% 30.6% 0.5x Median 30.6% 13.1% 4.7x 3.9x Mean \$824 \$1,084 \$2,272 17.0% \$210 13.0% 6.1% 30.6% 4.7x 4.4x 0.6> Oil and Gas Storage and Transportation \$95,757 \$184,177 \$47,504 (9.2%) \$17,170 36.1% 6.0% 31.7% 11.5x 10.7x 3 9x Enbridge Inc. \$48,461 \$111,370 \$15,598 11.7% \$10,586 67.9% (0.1%) 67.6% 10.7x 10.5x 7.1x TC Energy Corporation Pembina Pipeline Corporation \$22,430 \$35,887 \$9,845 (9.2%) \$3,011 30.6% (6.3%) 40.8% 9.6x 11.9x 3.6x \$7,308 \$11,569 \$6,782 4.3% \$1,102 16.2% (4.0%) 16.6% 10.8x 10.5x 1.7x Keyera Corp. Gibson Energy Inc. \$3,141 \$4,791 \$10,131 3.3% \$547 5.4% 4.3% 6.1% 7.5x 8.8x 0.5x Tidewater Midstream and Infrastructure Ltd \$438 \$1 4 93 \$2 546 5.2% \$130 51% (0.3%) 8.8% 64x 11 5x 0.6x \$2,056 2.7x Median \$14,869 \$23,728 \$9,988 3.8% 23.4% (0.2%) 24.2% 10.1x 10.6x Mean \$29,589 \$58,215 \$15,401 1.0% \$5,424 26.9% (0.1%) 28.6% 9.4x 10.6x 2.9x Camp Accomodations Dexterra Group Inc. \$371 \$526 \$1,050 21.7% \$63 6.0% 6.0% 8.9% 5.3x 8.3x 0.5x Civeo Corporation \$416 \$604 \$917 4.1% \$134 14.6% (7.9%)13.2% 5.5x 4.4x 0.6x Black Diamond Group Limited \$439 \$669 \$358 3.8% \$86 24.0% 1.7% 27.4% 6.7x 7.8x 1.9x Median \$416 \$604 \$917 4.1% \$86 14.6% 1.7% 13.2% 5.5x 0.6x 7.8x Mean \$409 \$599 \$775 9.9% \$95 14.9% (0.1%) 16.5% 5.8x 6.8x 1.0x Oil and Gas Software Solutions \$910 \$370 37.7% \$175 (5.0%) 5.5x 2.5x Pason Systems Inc. \$1,078 47.3% 45.6% 5.2x \$687 \$661 \$78 \$34 43.8% 31.8% 39.9% 15 9x 19.2x Computer Modelling Group Ltd. 15.6% 84x 53.1% (\$18) (21.9%) NM 0.9x Dawson Geophysical Company \$78 \$74 \$80 N/A N/A N/A \$100 \$91 \$22 (27.9%) 68.8% N/A 4.2x Pulse Seismic Inc \$15 N/A N/A 6.1x Median \$394 \$376 \$79 26.6% \$25 45.5% 13.4% 42.7% 10.7x 6.1x 3.3x Mean \$486 \$434 \$138 19.6% \$52 34.5% 13.4% 42.7% 10.7x 10.2x 4.0x

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Note: In order to derive more accurate valuation multiples, MNP Corporate Finance Inc. has eliminated results which skew the averages excessively. "LTM" refers to last twelve months. "NTM" refers to next twelve months.

About Us

CORPORATE FINANCE INC.

MNP Corporate Finance (MNPCF) has a dedicated team of over 100 M&A, capital markets, and due diligence professionals across Canada. MNPCF works with clients in virtually all industries as they prepare, plan and execute transactions.

Our typical transactions range in value between \$3 million and \$300 million.

Local and International Reach

MNP is a participating firm within Praxity, a unique global alliance of independent accounting/advisory firms created to answer global business needs. As a member of Praxity, we are able to offer access to corporate finance, accounting and tax advisory services worldwide. We are also affiliated with Corporate Finance Cross Border, which consists of 250+ M&A professionals in more than 30 countries.





Services

- Divestitures
- Acquisitions
- Debt Financing
- Due Diligence
- Transaction Advisory Services





About Us



Deal Experience

Since our inception, our team has advised on hundreds of transactions, in a wide range of industries with diverse enterprise values. In the past 10 years alone, we have completed over 250 transactions worth over \$4.5 billion (not including due diligence engagements).

Recently Closed Deals (National)



Industry Experience

- Food & Beverage
- Retail & Distribution
- Manufacturing
- Agriculture
- Automotive
- Materials
- Healthcare
- Pharmaceutical

- Transportation
- Construction
- Software
- Financial Services
- Technology
- Energy
- Oilfield Services
- Real Estate

Hands-on Approach

Current M&A transactions require a hands-on approach from start to finish including the active engagement of senior resources. Our senior resources are dedicated to our clients and are available as necessary and appropriate. We keep our clients regularly informed of the engagement status, issues we are encountering, successes and overall progress.

Integrated Service Offering

We draw on the vast experience and deep specialist knowledge network of our partners locally, nationally and internationally as specialty issues arise, such as pre-transaction tax planning, transaction structuring, estate planning, valuation, due diligence, performance improvement and risk management.

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