

M&A Market Update

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U.S. M&A values remained strong through the first quarter, rising 19.4% to \$300.2 billion with 1,116 deals, compared to \$251.3 billion with 1,256 deals during the same period last year. However, political uncertainty in Europe appears to have affected activity from international dealmakers pursuing deals in the region, and Chinese deal making has decreased as a result of the Chinese government's crackdown on capital leaving its borders and heightened CFIUS scrutiny in the U.S.

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