# GLOBAL GAMING REPORT Q1 2025

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# PROVEN TRACK RECORD IN GAMING M&A AND GROWTH FINANCING ADVISORY



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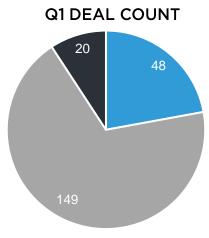




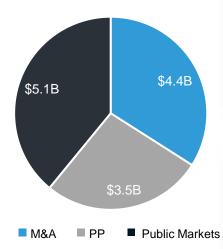




# Q1 DEAL ACTIVITY IN GAMING & ESPORTS AND MARKET OUTLOOK







### **Q1 2025 Summary**

- Gaming M&A activity rebounded in Q1 2025, with 48 announced deals totaling \$4.4 billion in disclosed value. This marks the highest quarterly deal value in nearly two years and a strong recovery from the dip seen in Q4 2024.
- Scopely's \$3.5B acquisition of Niantic's games division was the largest gaming deal of Q1 and the biggest since Scopely itself was acquired by Savvy for \$4.9B in 2023. Other notable mobile M&A activity this quarter included Tripledot's reported \$900M acquisition of AppLovin's games division, Miniclip's acquisition of German mobile studio Lessmore, and Krafton's purchase of Nautilus Mobile.
- Voldex strengthened its position as a leading Roblox games operator with the acquisition of Brookhaven, while EA acquired TRACAB
  to integrate its motion tracking technology into future game development.
- Q1 saw 149 private placements totaling \$3.5B in disclosed deal value. The largest was a reported \$3B investment received by Infinite Reality at a valuation exceeding \$12B. Other notable financings included rounds for Turkish mobile developers Grand Games and Good Job Games. As part of the Scopely transaction, Niantic Spatial secured \$50M, while mobile adtech firm Bigabig raised \$25M from MobilityWare, and AI game developer BeyondOS closed a \$20M round. Later stage financings for gaming studios continue to be challenging.
- New gaming funds announced in Q1'25 included Tilting Point's UA fund (\$150M), Arcadia Gaming Advisors (\$100M), Skillz (\$75M) and Laton Ventures (\$50M).
- Most active investors over the past year included BITKRAFT, Play Ventures, and Andreessen for larger funds and TIRTA, The Games Fund, and GEM Capital at the seed stage. Krafton, Tencent, and Samsung led strategic activity, while Animoca, Spartan, and Big Brain were the most active in blockchain gaming.
- Asmodee had a successful IPO post-Embracer spin-off, while Ubisoft raised \$1.25B from Tencent following speculations of a full sale.
   AMD, GameStop, and Logitech announced major debt deals.
- The Drake Star Index rose 16.4% since the end of 2023. SEA/Garena, DeNA, and Konami were the top performers, while Ubisoft, Unity, and WeMade lost most in value.

#### Outlook

- We anticipate a gradual uptick in M&A activity over the rest of the year. Key buyers to watch include Savvy / Scopely, Tencent, KRAFTON, Keywords Studios / EQT, Jagex / CVC, Infinite Reality, Sony and Asmodee.
- Private equity firms are expected to remain very active, with several publicly traded gaming companies potentially being taken private.
- Key growth segments are expected to include AI, tech platforms, and blockchain. Later stage financings will likely continue to be challenging.
- If public markets stabilize, Coffee Stain is expected to go public soon as part of a spin-out from Embracer. Other gaming companies, including Discord, are also reportedly preparing for IPOs.



































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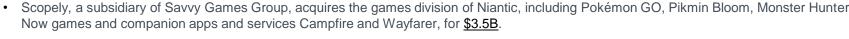






# **GAMING KEY HEADLINES: Q1 2025**

M&A



- AppLovin will spin off its games business, consisting of 10 studios to Tripledot, for \$900M \$400M in cash and \$500M in equity.
- Miniclip, a subsidiary of Tencent, acquired German mobile games developer Lessmore for an undisclosed amount.
- Roblox games company Voldex acquired Brookhaven, one of the top titles on the Roblox platform, for an undisclosed amount.
- EA acquired Swedish motion tracking company TRACAB to enhance its sports game development.
- Krafton acquired over 75% of Nautilus Mobile, maker of Real Cricket, for \$14M.
- Jam City sold Canadian mobile developer Ludia to a group of investors and Ludia's senior management team.



























Investors & Senior Management

**Fundraising** 



- Infinite Reality raised a reported \$3B from a private investor, reaching a \$12.25B valuation.
- Niantic Spatial, a geospatial Al company, received a \$50M investment from mobile gaming company Scopely.
- Turkish games studio Grand Games raised \$30M in Series A funding led by Balderton, with backing from Bek Ventures, Laton, and Mert Gür.
- Bigabid, an adtech company specializing in user acquisition and engagement for mobile apps, raised \$25M in a Series A round led by the mobile games company MobilityWare.
- Turkish mobile games developer Good Job Games raised \$23M in a Seed round led by Menlo Ventures and Arcadia.
- BeyondOS raised \$20M from a group of investors that included Makers Fund, Atinum Investment, and Play Ventures.























**Public Markets** 



- AMD, whose microprocessors are used in the Playstation and Xbox consoles, announced a \$1.5B debt offering to help repay a term loan.
- Video games retailer Gamestop, announced a \$1.3B debt offering to raise funds for general corporate purposes.
- Tencent will invest \$1.25B to obtain a minority stake in a new Ubisoft subsidiary that will oversee 3 of the French developer's top franchises.
- Logitech, a maker of gaming peripherals, entered into a new unsecured \$750M revolving credit facility.
- Asmodee, a French publisher of tabletop games, became a publicly listed company as part of a spin-off from the Embracer Group.



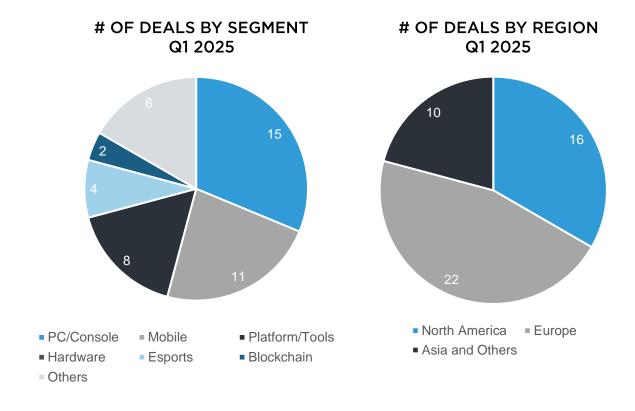


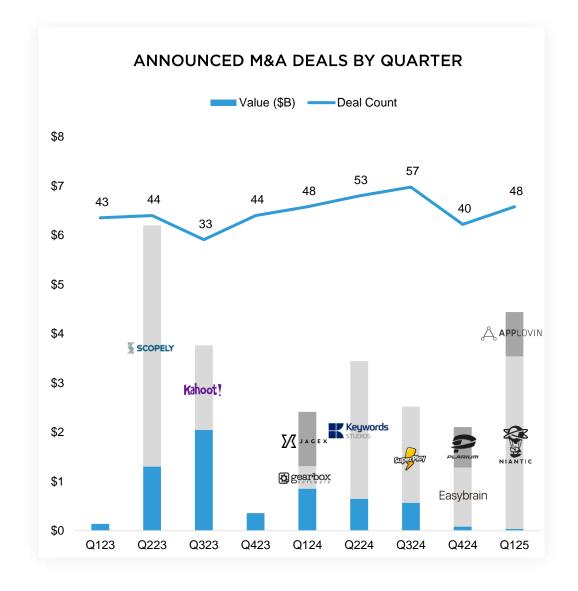


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# **GAMING M&A TRANSACTIONS Q1 2025**

48 DEALS AND \$4.4B IN ANNOUNCED DEALS







# **GAMING M&A TRANSACTIONS Q1 2025**

### 48 ANNOUNCED DEALS AND \$4.4B IN DISCLOSED DEAL VALUE









- Scopely, a subsidiary of Savvy Games Group, will acquire the games division of Niantic, most wellknown for its mobile AR game Pokémon GO, for \$3.5B.
- Niantic's games division has 30M+ monthly active users and took in \$1B+ in revenue in 2024.
- Along with the sale of its games business, Niantic will spin off its technology platform into a new company called Niantic Spatial.







- Roblox games company Voldex acquired Brookhaven, one of the top titles on the Roblox platform, for an undisclosed amount.
- Brookhaven is a life simulation game with 120M monthly active users and 60M lifetime visits.
- The acquisition was enabled by an equity financing led by Raine Partners and a debt financing led by Shamrock Capital.









- AppLovin will spin off its games business, consisting of 10 studios, for \$900M. The buyer is reportedly UK mobile games company Tripledot.
- The deal will consist of \$400M in cash and \$500M in equity.
- The divestment allows AppLovin to focus on its high-growth and high-margin adtech business.

# **₩TRACAB**





- Electronic Arts acquired Swedish motion tracking company TRACAB for an undisclosed amount.
- The company will join EA Sports, the division of EA known for licensed sports games, such as those in the EA Sports FC and Madden NFL franchises.
- EA aims to leverage TRACAB's technology to improve animations within its games and better simulate real-world sports.

### Lessmore.





- Miniclip, a subsidiary of Tencent, acquired German mobile games developer Lessmore for an undisclosed amount.
- Lessmore is known for its hybrid casual games Eatventure and We Are Warriors.
- The acquisition is the latest in a string of deals for Miniclip that includes Easybrain, FuturLab, and SYBO.



### KRAFTON

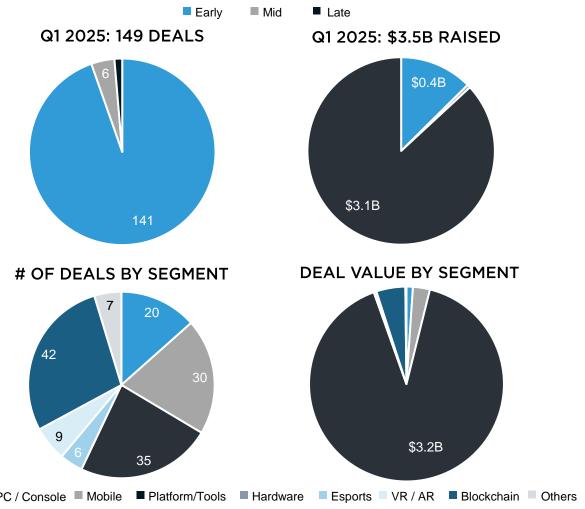


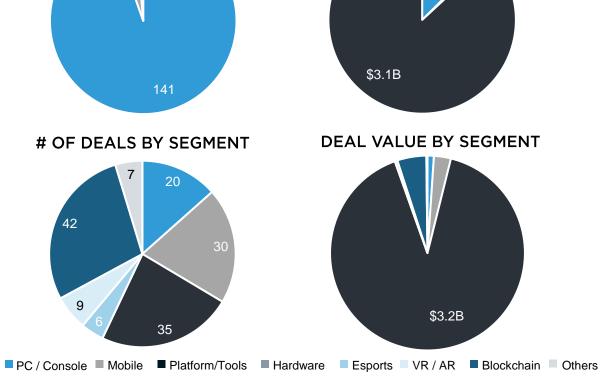


- Krafton acquired a 75%+ stake in Indian mobile games studio Nautilus Mobile for \$14M.
- Nautilus Mobile is known for its Real Cricket franchise, which has licensing partnerships with top cricket teams.
- Krafton sees the Indian market as a key avenue of growth and has invested heavily in Indian companies.

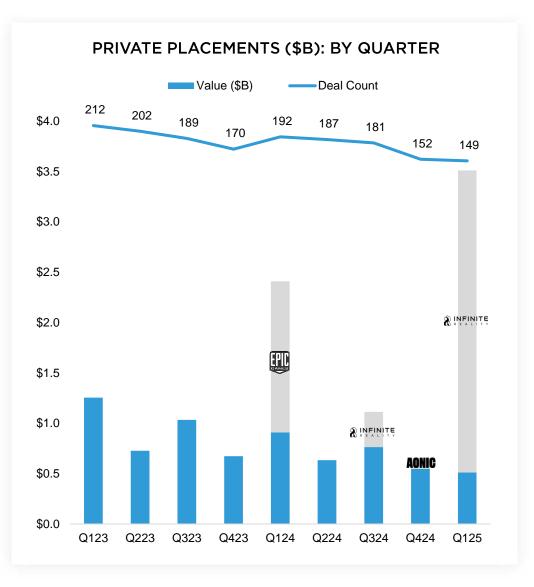
# **GAMING PRIVATE PLACEMENTS Q1 2025**

149 DEALS AND \$3.5B IN DISCLOSED PRIVATE PLACEMENTS









# **GAMING PRIVATE PLACEMENTS: Q1 2025**

### TOP PRIVATE PLACEMENTS

	TARGET	SEGMENT	DATE	DEAL VALUE (\$M)	VALUATION (\$M)	SELECT INVESTORS	TARGET COUNTRY
	REALITY	Platform/Tools	Jan-25	3,000	12,250	Undisclosed	
	> NIANTIC SPATIAL	Platform/Tools	Mar-25	<u>50</u>		Scopely	
	grand	Mobile	Jan-25	<u>30</u>		Balderton Capital, Bek Ventures, Laton Ventures	6
-	Bigabid	Platform/Tools	Feb-25	<u>25</u>		MobilityWare	
-	goodjob	Mobile	Mar-25	<u>23</u>		Menlo Ventures, Arcadia	6
-	beyondOS.	Platform/Tools	Mar-25	<u>20</u>		Makers Fund, Atinum Investment, Play Ventures	
Ī	SLINGSHOTDAO	Blockchain	Mar-25	<u>16</u>		Dragonfly Capital, Animoca Brands	<b>7</b>
Ī	BE∧MABLE	Blockchain	Feb-25	<u>14</u>		BITKRAFT, P2 Ventures	
	<b>‡</b> pragma	Platform/Tools	Mar-25	<u>13</u>		Square Enix, Greylock Partners	
	PIXION	Blockchain	Jan-25	<u>12</u>		Spartan, Animoca Brands, Yield Guild Games	



Source: CapIQ, Pitchbook & DSP Research Note: Drake Star did not act as financial advisor on transactions listed on this page



# **GAMING PRIVATE PLACEMENTS Q1 2025**

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- Infinite Reality, a company that provides tools for building virtual experiences, raised \$3B from an undisclosed private investor and achieved a valuation of \$12.25B.
- The company plans to use its new funding on acquisitions, partnerships, and product launches.





- Niantic Spatial, a geospatial AI company, received a \$50M investment from mobile gaming company Scopely.
- The company is being spun out of Niantic in conjunction with Scopely's acquisition of Niantic's games business.

# grand



- Turkish mobile gaming startup, Grand Games, raised \$30M in a Series A round led by Balderton Capital and with participation from Bek Ventures, Laton Ventures, and Mert Gür.
- The developer plans to use the new investment on expanding into new markets and launching a game in 2025.

# **Bigabid**



\$25M Raised

- Bigabid, an adtech company specializing in user acquisition and engagement for mobile apps, raised \$25M in a Series A round led by the mobile games company MobilityWare.
- The investment will be used to help develop machine learning models that can better target specific audiences.





\$23M Raised

- Turkish mobile games developer Good Job Games raised \$23M in a Seed round led by Menlo Ventures and Arcadia, Tripledot co-founder Akin Babayigit's new games fund.
- The company developed the game Zen Match, which it sold to Moon Active. It is now focused on the Match-3 genre with the game Match Villains.

# beyondOS.



\$20M Raised

- BeyondOS raised \$20M from a group of investors that included Makers Fund, Atinum Investment, and Play Ventures.
- The company aims to develop and scale Al entertainment experiences. Its first product is Decor Society, an interior design app that leverages generative Al.

# **MOST ACTIVE INVESTORS**

# TOP INVESTORS BY LTM DEAL COUNT

LARGE \	C FUNI	DS: SERIES A AND B FOCUSED
VC [	DEALS	SELECT INVESTMENTS LOCATION
• BITKRAFT	18	appcharge SAMES-
PL AY	15	Cypher C39
andreessen. horowitz	11	Yellow TAZRA GAMES
/ MAKERS	11	NPC'-   HYBE
galaxy	8	BUILD A BOCKET SE-PAL
GENERAL G CATALYST	4	FU TIU ETAB
HIRO CAPITAL	4	FRAMEPLAY FRVR
KONVOY	4	NERD ST & MAGIC POTION
GRIFFIN GAMING PARTNERS	3	GAMES BIT ODD
Lightspeed	3	volley 🌘

SEED FOCUSED GAMING VC FUNDS														
VC I	DEALS	SELECT INVESTMENTS	LOCATION											
TIRT∧	8	Artificial Agency												
GEM Capital	6	APPMAGIC ESCHATOLOGY ENTERTAINMENT												
THE GAMES FUND	6	playgama RED ROVER												
VENTURES	5	MIDSUMMER STUDIOS												
Goodwater	5	∕mmaus 🗙 studio B√ddy.ai												
PixCapital	5	WORLD Swart distribution												
LATON	4	grand Surpass												
GAME VENTURES	4	BITMAGIC	•											
Transcend.	4	LIVE AWARE dotplay												
F4	3	SERIES MIDSUMMER												



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# TOP INVESTORS BY LTM DEAL COUNT

:	STRATE	GIC GAMING INVESTORS	
INVESTOR	DEALS	SELECT INVESTMENTS	LOCATION
KRAFTON	12	ESCHATOLOGY ENTERTALINENT INTERACTIVE	
Tencent	8	appcharge BITMAGIC	6
SAMSUNG	8	MAWARI [7]	
SQUARE ENIX	5	<b>Jelixir</b> SOCKERVERSE	•
<b>®</b> Nazara <sup>™</sup> <b>®</b> Nobwin	5	CIRCUSOF CIAMES	
nc	4	VIC GAME MISTIL GRAMES	
WEBZEN	4	GPUN <b>DAMNLIKE</b>	
kakao	3	SANDY GPUI	
overwolf	3	WORLD REVER	<b>*</b>
Smilegate <sup>°</sup>	3	ABSURB + CEMBEM + VENTURES THERAPEUTICS	

	BLC	OCKCHAIN INVESTORS	
VC D	DEALS	SELECT INVESTMENTS	LOCATION
anim (ca BRANDS	33	MØNVEIL <b>E-PAL</b>	*
₱SPARTAN	16	PIXION	
BIG BRAIN HOLDINGS	14	BitKealms XOGETY	
beam	10	TRIBO OXALIS	
OKX VENTURES	10	CULIO GABBULLWORLD	
32-BIT	9	Black Block	
SELPHI VENTURES	8	Black Anim	
Sfermion_	8	/NICHESS SLINGSHOTDAO	
MH VENTURES	7	Mirror world PARAM LABS_	
FORESIGHT VENTURES	6	AVALON S	



# **GAMING LEAGUE TABLES: TOP BUYERS**

### TOP 10 STRATEGIC BUYERS LTM

	DOTERS	LEAGUE TABL	_
COMPANY	DISCLOSED DEAL VALUE (\$M)	# OF DEALS	SELECT DEALS
SAVY SCOPELY	\$3,534.5	3	MOBALYTICS Games Division  MOBALYTICS Aratifacts for Compensive Gamers
Tencent M RIOT SUF SUMO MINICLIP ELL	\$1,200.0	6	Easybrain <b>Lessmore</b> .
Playtika Playtika	\$1,950.0	1	Superfluy
🏂 tripledot	\$900.0	2	APPLOVIN Zephyr Mobile
R E A L I T Y	\$710.0	4	≈ Landvault → DRL
MO	\$820.0	1	PLARIUM
Voodoo	\$542.2	1	BeReal.
VIRTUOS		4	PIPEWORKS Obstraction
KRAFTON		2	Tango Gameworks
JL ATARI.		4	Intellivision Surgeon





# **PUBLIC MARKET VALUATIONS**

# ONLINE / MOBILE GAME DEVELOPERS & PUBLISHERS

COMPANY NAME North America / Europe - Mobile Focused	TICKER	COUNTRY	LTM	PRICE	MCAP	EV	REVENUE LTM	EBITDA LTM	EV/RE	EVENUE NTM	EV/E LTM	BITDA NTM	PRICE/E	EARNINGS NTM	REVENUI LTM	GROWTH NTM	EBITDA LTM	GROWTH NTM	EBITDA / REV LTM
Light & Wonder	LNW	US	31-Dec-24	\$86.61	\$7,308.3	\$11,029.3	\$3,188.0	\$1,045.0	3.5x	3.2x	10.3x	7.8x	23.5x	15.1x	10%	9%	8%	35%	32.8%
Playtika	PLTK	IL	31-Dec-24	\$5.17	\$1,940.4	\$3,852.4	\$2,549.3	\$619.9	1.5x	1.4x	6.0x	5.2x	11.9x	9.5x	-1%	11%	-10%	19%	24.3%
Modern Times Group	MTG B	SE	31-Dec-24	\$11.30	\$1,329.4	\$1,051.4	\$543.5	\$133.3	1.8x	0.9x	7.2x	3.3x	NM	11.9x	3%	106%	3%	117%	24.5%
Huuuge	HUG	US	30-Sep-24	\$4.94	\$276.9	\$161.5	\$260.4	\$77.9	0.6x	0.7x	2.0x	2.3x	4.8x	5.6x	-10%	-10%	-22%	10%	29.9%
Stillfront Group	SF	SE	31-Dec-24	\$0.47	\$232.1	\$630.1	\$652.4	\$131.1	0.9x	0.9x	4.4x	2.8x	NM	2.5x	-5%	-7%	-3%	54%	20.1%
GDEV	GDEV	CY	31-Dec-24	\$11.60	\$210.3	\$72.5	\$420.9	\$45.1	0.2x	0.2x	1.9x	1.8x	8.4x	6.5x	-9%	7%	4%	10%	10.7%
Ten Square Games	TEN	PL	31-Dec-24	\$23.10	\$146.6	\$111.5	\$93.5	\$20.3	1.1x	1.1x	5.0x	4.6x	9.2x	7.8x	-11%	2%	-14%	13%	21.7%
G5 Entertainment	G5EN	SE	31-Dec-24	\$12.19	\$95.1	\$67.8	\$102.5	\$10.9	0.6x	0.6x	5.6x	2.8x	8.0x	9.1x	-14%	-1%	1%	98%	10.6%
East Side Games	EAGR	CA	31-Dec-24	\$0.29	\$22.5	\$17.2	\$57.8	\$6.4	0.3x	0.3x	2.7x	1.7x	NM	8.3x	-4%	12%	-24%	57%	11.1%
								Average	1.2x	1.0x	5.0x	3.6x	11.0x	8.5x	-5%	14%	-6%	46%	20.6%
								Median	0.9x	0.9x	5.0x	2.8x	8.8x	8.3x	-5%	7%	-3%	35%	21.7%
North America / Europe – PC / Console F	ncused																		
Electronic Arts	EA	US	31-Dec-24	\$144.52	\$37,664.5	\$36,788.5	\$7,347.0	\$1,896.0	5.0x	5.0x	18.7x	15.4x	36.8x	20.8x	-4%	0%	-4%	26%	25.8%
Take-Two Interactive	TTWO	US	31-Dec-24	\$207.25	\$36,578.7	\$39.472.3	\$5.450.5	\$354.5	7.2x	5.1x	94.3x	20.5x	NM	32.7x	1%	41%	-37%	NM	6.5%
CD Projekt	CDR	PL	31-Dec-24	\$54.67	\$5,462.5	\$5,161.0	\$238.3	\$92.9	20.3x	25.7x	52.1x	55.4x	45.3x	80.3x	-20%	-21%	-18%	6%	39.0%
Embracer Group	EMBRAC B	SE	31-Dec-24	\$10.54	\$2,373.0	\$2,880.0	\$3,404,3	-\$557.4	0.8x	1.2x	NM	4.4x	NM	10.7x	NA	-35%	NA	NM	-16.4%
Asmodee	ASMDEE B	FR	31-Dec-24	\$9.12	\$2,130.2	\$3.085.3	\$1,350.9	\$134.0	2.1x	NA	18.8x	NA	NM	NA	0%	NA	0%	81%	9.9%
Paradox Interactive	PDX	SE	31-Dec-24	\$18.15	\$1,917.1	\$1,777.2	\$198.9	\$86.8	8.1x	6.3x	12.5x	9.3x	32.9x	26.4x	-17%	29%	-1%	99%	43.7%
Ubisoft	UBI	FR	30-Sep-24	\$12.06	\$1,577.0	\$3,102.0	\$2,383.2	-\$177.1	1.3x	1.4x	NM	3.3x	NM	23.4x	11%	-4%	NA	NM	-7.4%
everplay group	EVPL	GB	31-Dec-24	\$3.59	\$517.2	\$439.7	\$208.6	\$51.1	2.0x	2.0x	8.2x	7.6x	19.9x	11.6x	5%	2%	12%	10%	24.5%
PlayWay	PLW	PL	30-Sep-24	\$70.99	\$468.5	\$430.2	\$81.2	\$48.3	5.3x	5.1x	8.9x	8.8x	12.3x	11.1x	24%	5%	20%	2%	59.5%
Remedy Entertainment	REMEDY	FI	31-Dec-24	\$15.13	\$205.6	\$178.2	\$52.4	\$0.7	3.3x	2.5x	81.4x	13.5x	NM	65.1x	49%	31%	NA	NM	1.3%
Pullup Entertainment	ALPUL	FR	30-Sep-24	\$20.26	\$166.8	\$320.8	\$375.4	\$149.9	0.9x	0.9x	2.2x	2.4x	9.5x	4.2x	58%	-2%	113%	7%	39.9%
Digital Bros	DIB	IT	31-Dec-24	\$10.98	\$156.7	\$197.0	\$117.9	\$46.4	1.6x	1.6x	4.1x	4.9x	NM	75.3x	8%	-2%	27%	17%	39.3%
Bloober Team	BLO	PL	30-Sep-24	\$7.60	\$146.6	\$144.1	\$21.2	\$7.0	6.8x	NA	19.6x	NA	48.5x	NA	-5%	NA	NM	NA	33.1%
Devolver Digital	DEVO	US	31-Dec-24	\$0.27	\$128.7	\$96.9	\$104.8	\$5.0	0.9x	0.9x	34.4x	11.6x	NM	19.2x	13%	8%	NA	67%	4.8%
People Can Fly	PCF	PL	30-Sep-24	\$3.36	\$120.6	\$114.8	\$44.5	-\$2.5	2.6x	1.2x	NM	17.1x	NM	NA	12%	110%	NA	NM	-5.5%
Frontier Developments	FDEV	GB	30-Nov-24	\$2.84	\$109.8	\$100.9	\$112.9	\$12.8	0.9x	0.9x	6.5x	2.5x	5.4x	NM	-7%	-1%	NA	NM	11.3%
EG7	EG7	SE	31-Dec-24	\$1.15	\$102.3	\$77.1	\$173.8	\$39.2	0.4x	0.4x	1.8x	1.7x	NM	8.3x	-7%	4%	-5%	3%	22.6%
CI Games	CIG	PL	30-Sep-24	\$0.43	\$82.2	\$82.7	\$66.3	\$16.6	1.3x	5.0x	5.0x	8.9x	16.8x	NA	NM	-75%	NM	44%	25.1%
Nacon	NACON	FR	30-Sep-24	\$0.64	\$69.5	\$190.0	\$197.4	\$11.8	1.0x	0.9x	12.9x	2.6x	3.8x	6.3x	21%	6%	-3%	NM	6.0%
Skonec Entertainment	A276040	KR	31-Dec-24	\$2.77	\$34.8	\$23.4	\$3.0	-\$4.6	7.8x	NA	NM	NA	NM	NA	-28%	NA	NA	NA	-153.8%
Snail Games	SNAL	US	31-Dec-24	\$0.88	\$32.7	\$27.1	\$84.5	\$4.2	0.3x	0.3x	4.7x	18.1x	17.6x	NM	39%	20%	NA	64%	5.0%
tinyBuild	TBLD	US	30-Jun-24	\$0.07	\$29.2	\$20.1	\$40.2	-\$34.2	0.5x	0.5x	NM	NM	NM	NM	-30%	-6%	NA	91%	-85.0%
Starbreeze AB	STAR B	SE	31-Dec-24	\$0.02	\$27.1	\$9.8	\$16.8	\$10.0	0.5x	0.5x	0.9x	0.9x	NM	NA	-71%	12%	-48%	4%	59.3%
								Average	3.5x	3.4x	21.5x	11.0x	22.6x	28.2x	2%	6%	5%	37%	8.2%
								Median	1.6x	1.3x	10.7x	8.8x	17.6x	20.0x	1%	3%	-2%	22%	11.3%



# **PUBLIC MARKET VALUATIONS**

# DEVELOPERS IN JAPAN / KOREA AND CHINA (SHENZHEN LISTED)

COMPANY NAME	TICKER	COUNTRY	LTM	PRICE	MCAP	EV	REVENUE	EBITDA	EV/RE	VENUE	EV/E	BITDA	PRICE/E	ARNINGS	REVENUE	GROWTH	EBITDA	GROWTH	EBITDA / RE\
Japan/Korea							LTM	LTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM
BANDAI NAMCO	7832	JP	31-Dec-24	\$33.42	\$21,863.0	\$19,226.0	\$7,847.8	\$1,527.3	2.3x	2.4x	11.8x	13.0x	19.3x	25.2x	21%	-4%	97%	8%	19.5%
Konami Holdings	9766	JP	31-Dec-24	\$117.40	\$15,914.0	\$14,515.9	\$2,659.0	\$896.4	5.2x	4.7x	15.4x	14.8x	30.6x	27.1x	23%	11%	41%	5%	33.7%
NEXON	3659	JP	31-Dec-24	\$13.62	\$11,401.2	\$7,732.7	\$2,838.1	\$944.3	2.6x	2.6x	8.1x	9.5x	12.7x	17.7x	5%	-2%	5%	18%	33.3%
Krafton	A259960	KR	31-Dec-24	\$227.14	\$10,326.6	\$7,846.3	\$1,834.3	\$872.1	4.3x	3.7x	9.5x	8.1x	11.8x	14.4x	42%	14%	47%	11%	47.5%
Capcom	9697	JP	31-Dec-24	\$24.47	\$10,233.9	\$9,448.6	\$859.2	\$286.2	10.5x	6.6x	31.5x	17.8x	48.2x	27.3x	-11%	59%	-35%	77%	33.3%
Square Enix	9684	JP	31-Dec-24	\$46.44	\$5,575.2	\$3,990.2	\$2,208.7	\$248.4	1.7x	1.8x	15.3x	11.4x	64.9x	26.5x	1%	-6%	-12%	34%	11.2%
Koei Tecmo	3635	JP	31-Dec-24	\$13.13	\$4,147.6	\$3,967.6	\$483.5	\$160.3	7.8x	6.6x	23.6x	19.4x	19.2x	19.4x	-16%	18%	-34%	22%	33.1%
Sega Sammy	6460	JP	31-Dec-24	\$19.21	\$4,103.2	\$3,775.6	\$2,796.4	\$405.7	1.3x	1.3x	8.7x	7.4x	18.2x	13.6x	-6%	-2%	-15%	19%	14.5%
DeNA	2432	JP	31-Dec-24	\$23.44	\$2,610.4	\$2,495.9	\$949.7	\$313.8	2.5x	2.2x	7.3x	13.0x	21.4x	15.5x	8%	14%	NM	42%	33.0%
SHIFT UP	A462870	KR	31-Dec-24	\$37.82	\$2,206.4	\$1,782.0	\$158.3	\$110.7	11.3x	8.6x	16.1x	11.7x	17.0x	17.1x	33%	31%	38%	38%	69.9%
NetMarble	A251270	KR	31-Dec-24	\$26.58	\$2,178.2	\$2,897.1	\$1,803.2	\$245.3	1.6x	1.6x	7.0x	11.1x	NM	18.3x	6%	3%	NM	6%	13.6%
Ncsoft	A036570	KR	31-Dec-24	\$101.45	\$1,967.8	\$1,225.0	\$1,068.3	-\$0.1	1.1x	1.1x	NM	7.4x	31.6x	17.7x	-11%	4%	NA	NM	0.0%
Pearl Abyss	A263750	KR	31-Dec-24	\$20.37	\$1,251.2	\$1,072.4	\$231.8	\$8.6	4.6x	3.0x	64.5x	12.1x	30.5x	18.6x	3%	52%	32%	NM	3.7%
GungHo Online	3765	JP	31-Dec-24	\$19.50	\$1,056.7	\$523.4	\$658.9	\$117.3	0.8x	0.7x	4.2x	4.3x	16.2x	15.3x	-17%	4%	-37%	1%	17.8%
Kakao Games	A293490	KR	31-Dec-24	\$9.76	\$800.3	\$1,120.2	\$424.6	\$58.3	2.6x	2.1x	31.4x	15.7x	NM	29.3x	-14%	28%	-49%	22%	13.7%
Gree	3632	JP	31-Dec-24	\$3.93	\$672.5	\$372.0	\$380.4	\$40.3	0.9x	0.9x	8.8x	NA	20.9x	22.2x	-17%	8%	-45%	NA NA	10.6%
DOUBLEUGAMES	A192080	KR	31-Dec-24	\$33.85	\$671.1	\$428.6	\$428.8	\$176.8	1.0x	0.9x	2.4x	2.3x	5.3x	6.0x	9%	10%	18%	6%	41.2%
WeMade Entertainment	A112040	KR	31-Dec-24	\$19.62	\$661.9	\$850.3	\$481.9	\$17.1	1.8x	1.5x	8.9x	9.2x	6.6x	13.2x	18%	17%	NA	NM	3.6%
DoubleDown Interactive	DDI	KR	31-Dec-24	\$9.90	\$490.6	\$116.4	\$315.2	\$131.0	0.4x	0.3x	0.9x	0.9x	4.3x	4.4x	15%	-100%	21%	100%	41.6%
NHN Entertainment	A181710	KR	31-Dec-24	\$11.92	\$378.9	\$297.2	\$1,662.6	\$38.3	0.4x	0.2x	9.8x	1.9x	NM	7.3x	8%	10%	-57%	NM	2.3%
Com2uS	A078340	KR	31-Dec-24	\$28.42	\$324.6	\$415.0	\$469.8	\$18.2	0.2x	0.2x 0.8x	NM	8.5x	NM	13.1x	-6%	16%	NA	167%	3.9%
GAMEVIL Inc.	A063080	KR	31-Dec-24	\$14.50	\$95.6	\$171.8	\$101.1	-\$5.5	1.7x	NA NA	NM	NA NA	NM	NA NA	-2%	NA	NA	NA	-5.4%
JOYCITY	A067000	KR	31-Dec-24	\$0.99	\$69.1	\$125.0	\$96.7	\$10.9	1.7x	1.1x	11.1x	9.7x	NM	10.4x	-5%	23%	-46%	19%	11.2%
T3 Entertainment Inc.	A204610	KR	31-Dec-24	\$1.16	\$64.8	\$17.2	\$40.2	\$8.3	0.4x	NA NA	1.8x	NA NA	9.2x	NA	16%	NA	43%	NA	20.6%
Me2on	A201490	KR	31-Dec-24	\$1.15	\$35.8	\$59.9	\$63.8	\$12.7	0.4x 0.9x	NA NA	4.7x	NA	95.7x	NA	-13%	NA	-32%	NA NA	19.9%
BANDAI NAMCO		JP				****	*									-4%			
	7832 9766	JP JP	31-Dec-24	\$33.42 \$117.40	\$21,863.0	\$19,226.0	\$7,847.8	\$1,527.3 \$896.4	2.3x	2.4x	11.8x	13.0x	19.3x	25.2x 27.1x	21%	11%	97% 41%	8% 5%	19.5% 33.7%
Konami Holdings	9700	JP	31-Dec-24	\$117.40	\$15,914.0	\$14,515.9	\$2,659.0	\$696.4	5.2x	4.7x	15.4x	14.8x	30.6x	27.1X	23%	11%	41%	5%	33.1%
								Average	2.9x	2.6x	14.3x	10.6x	25.7x	17.8x	3%	9%	83%	105%	21.0%
								Median	1.7x	1.9x	9.7x	11.0x	19.3x	17.7x	3%	11%	5%	24%	17.8%
China (Shenzhen listed)																			
Quihoo 360	601360	CN	30-Sep-24	\$1.43	\$10,012.5	\$6.860.0	\$1,130.0	-\$104.7	6.3x	6.0x	NM	NM	NM	NM	-15%	NM	NA	NA	-9.3%
Zhejiang Century Huatong	002602	CN	30-Sep-24	\$0.89	\$6,516.5	\$6,529.7	\$2,712.4	\$415.6	2.5x	2.1x	15.5x	10.8x	53.6x	16.1x	57%	17%	75%	51%	15.3%
Beijing Kunlun	300418	CN	30-Sep-24	\$4.75	\$5,848.2	\$6,074.1	\$721.7	-\$63.5	8.7x	8.1x	NM	NM	NM	NM	1%	7%	NA	NM	-8.8%
Kingnet Network	002517	CN	30-Sep-24	\$2.21	\$4,706.5	\$4,304.9	\$740.4	\$235.6	6.0x	5.0x	18.7x	13.9x	20.6x	14.8x	32%	19%	17%	36%	31.8%
37Games	002577	CN	30-Sep-24	\$2.05	\$4,505.2	\$3.803.2	\$2,543.8	\$374.3	1.5x	1.5x	10.4x	8.0x	13.9x	11.0x	6%	1%	-16%	31%	14.7%
Giant Network	002558	CN	30-Sep-24	\$1.94	\$3,596.2	\$3,409.0	\$409.9	\$123.0	8.6x	7.1x	28.3x	14.6x	24.3x	17.4x	5%	21%	22%	96%	30.0%
Perfect World	002538	CN	30-Sep-24	\$1.58	\$3,143.7	\$2,923.7	\$808.0	-\$60.9	3.7x	3.4x	NM	27.8x	NM	NM	-30%	11%	NA	NM	-7.5%
Ourpalm	300315	CN	30-Sep-24	\$0.74	\$1,998.1	\$1,655.5	\$132.3	\$9.9	12.9x	11.3x	NM	28.0x	66.6x	49.9x	-4%	14%	178%	NA	7.5%
Dalian Zeus	002354	CN	30-Sep-24	\$0.74	\$1,996.1	\$1,055.5	\$228.8	\$0.5	6.2x	5.1x	NM	NA NA	NM	NM	-4%	21%	NA	NA NA	0.2%
Youzu Interactive	002354	CN	30-Sep-24 30-Sep-24	\$1.28	\$1,400.0	\$1,361.3	\$205.8	\$39.8	5.4x	4.7x	26.8x	16.4x	86.1x	28.3x	-10%	16%	NM	71%	19.3%
		CN		\$1.50	\$392.6	\$1,073.9	\$34.2	-\$3.6	12.3x	10.1x	NM	NM	NM	Z8.3X NM			NA	71%	-10.6%
ZQ Games	300052	CIN	30-Sep-24	υσ.1φ	φ39Z.0	ֆ4∪0.∠	<b>Φ34.</b> ∠								-2%	22%			-
								Average	6.7x	5.9x	19.9x	17.1x	44.2x	22.9x	2%	15%	55%	60%	7.5%
								Median	6.2x	5.1x	18.7x	14.6x	38.9x	16.8x	-2%	16%	22%	61%	7.5%



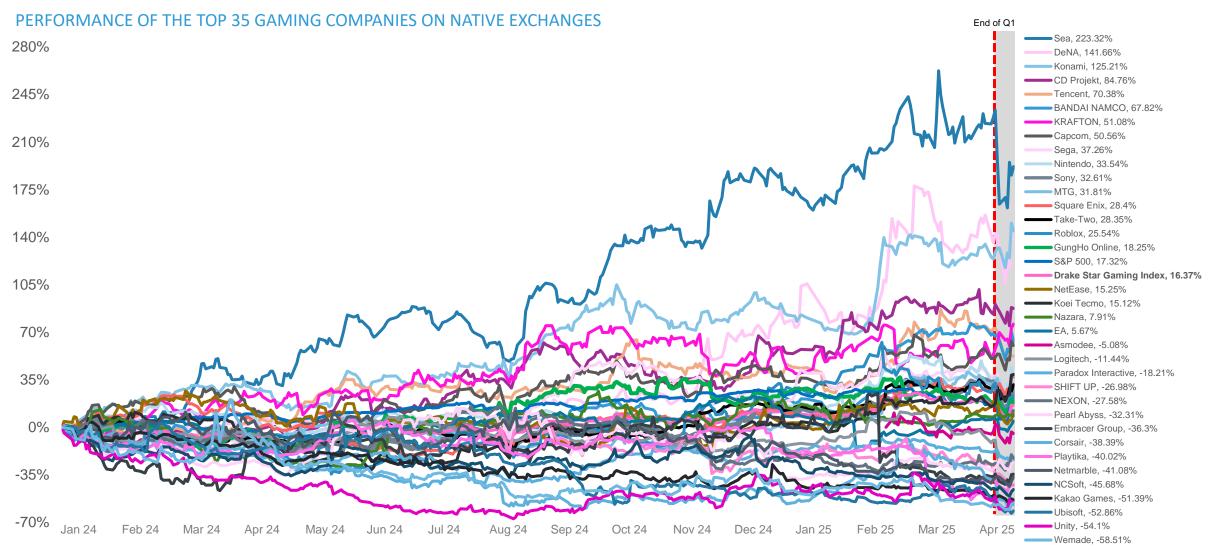
# **PUBLIC MARKET VALUATIONS**

# ONLINE/MOBILE GAME DEVELOPERS IN CHINA/INDIA/SE ASIA AND HARDWARE/PLATFORMS/ADVERTISING/TOOLS/ESPORTS

COMPANY NAME	TICKER	COUNTRY	' LTM	PRICE	MCAP	EV	REVENUE	EBITDA		VENUE		BITDA		ARNINGS		GROWTH		GROWTH	EBITDA / REV
China, South East Asia (US and HK	G listed) & India						LTM	LTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM	NTM	LTM
Tencent Holdings	700	CN	31-Dec-24	\$63.88	\$578,114.3	\$591,149.5	\$90,457.3	\$31,523.3	6.5x	5.9x	16.4x	14.0x	22.8x	17.7x	8%	9%	25%	33%	34.8%
Sea Limited	SE	SG	31-Dec-24	\$130.49	\$74,945.6	\$70,540.9	\$16,819.9	\$1,051.8	4.2x	3.4x	51.8x	25.5x	NM	34.3x	29%	25%	34%	163%	6.3%
NetEase	NTES	CN	31-Dec-24	\$102.92	\$65,441.9	\$48,817.7	\$14,425.8	\$4,384.4	3.4x	3.1x	11.2x	9.8x	0.0x	NA	2%	8%	4%	13%	30.4%
International Games System	3293	TW	31-Dec-24	\$23.20	\$6,538.2	\$6,135.0	\$564.8	\$320.0	11.0x	9.2x	19.5x	26.8x	24.3x	19.7x	31%	19%	37%	27%	56.7%
Kingsoft	3888	HK	31-Dec-24	\$4.84	\$6,415.3	\$4,007.5	\$1,413.6	\$469.7	2.8x	2.5x	9.9x	8.0x	31.8x	22.0x	21%	13%	70%	6%	33.2%
G-bits Network	603444	CN	31-Dec-24	\$30.73	\$2,205.1	\$1,802.0	\$506.3	\$171.1	3.5x	3.2x	10.5x	8.5x	17.0x	15.3x	-12%	11%	-24%	23%	33.8%
JOYY	JOYY	CN	31-Dec-24	\$41.98	\$2,185.4	\$454.6	\$2,237.8	\$167.6	0.2x	0.2x	2.3x	1.9x	NM	10.5x	-1%	-6%	8%	39%	7.5%
XD	2400	CN	31-Dec-24	\$4.15	\$2,003.8	\$1,655.0	\$686.7	\$134.4	2.4x	2.3x	12.2x	10.4x	18.0x	16.4x	48%	3%	NM	17%	19.6%
Nazara	543280	IN	31-Dec-24	\$11.09	\$972.0	\$929.7	\$160.1	\$9.4	5.8x	4.0x	96.9x	43.5x	0.0x	NA	18%	45%	-27%	128%	5.9%
HUYA	HUYA	CN	31-Dec-24	\$3.21	\$730.9	\$16.4	\$832.9	-\$12.1	0.0x	0.0x	NM	0.3x	NM	27.2x	-13%	1%	NA	NM	-1.5%
NetDragon	777	CN	31-Dec-24	\$1.31	\$693.8	\$650.5	\$828.5	\$138.9	0.8x	0.7x	4.7x	2.7x	16.3x	4.9x	-15%	16%	-9%	72%	16.8%
Gamania Digital Entertainment	6180	IN	31-Dec-24	\$2.17	\$380.8	\$337.0	\$337.9	\$27.3	1.0x	NA	11.6x	NA	6.2x	NA	13%	NA	-25%	NA	8.1%
Zengames Technology	2660	IN	31-Dec-24	\$0.29	\$296.4	-\$0.3	\$227.1	\$74.7	NM	NA	NM	NA	5.1x	NA	-20%	NA	-34%	NA	32.9%
iDreamSky	1119	CN	31-Dec-24	\$0.13	\$212.3	\$377.9	\$207.4	-\$20.3	1.8x	NA	NM	NA	NM	NA	-21%	NA	NA	NA	-9.8%
FriendTimes	6820	IN	31-Dec-24	\$0.08	\$159.4	\$72.3	\$159.3	-\$0.7	0.5x	0.4x	NM	3.1x	NM	7.8x	10%	15%	NA	NM	-0.4%
CMGE Technology Group	302	IN	31-Dec-24	\$0.05	\$153.9	\$195.8	\$264.4	-\$46.2	0.7x	0.9x	NM	9.5x	NM	37.3x	-26%	-19%	NA	144%	-17.5%
Archosaur Games Inc.	9990	CN	31-Dec-24	\$0.18	\$138.4	-\$75.9	\$156.3	-\$42.4	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	11.6x	26%	21%	NA	128%	-27.1%
Winking Studios Limited	WKS	SG	31-Dec-24	\$0.21	\$91.8	\$54.4	\$31.9	-\$1.1	1.7x	1.2x	NM	16.6x	NM	41.7x	9%	38%	NA	NM	-3.5%
Ourgame	6899	KY	30-Jun-23	\$0.02	\$26.3	\$0.0	\$42.4	-\$6.7	NM	NA	NM	NA	NM	NA	95%	NA	NA	NA	-15.8%
								Average	2.9x	2.6x	22.4x	12.9x	14.1x	20.5x	11%	13%	5%	66%	11.1%
								Median	2.1x	2.4x	11.6x	9.7x	16.6x	17.7x	9%	13%	4%	36%	7.5%
Hardware, Platforms, Advertising &	Tools																		
NVIDIA	NVDA	US	26-Jan-25	\$108.38	\$2,644,472.0	\$2,611,532.0	\$130,497.0	\$83,317.0	20.0x	12.8x	31.2x	20.0x	36.9x	23.9x	114%	57%	142%	56%	63.8%
Applovin	APP	US	31-Dec-24	\$264.97	\$90,078.7	\$92,893.7	\$4,709.2	\$2,323.0	19.7x	16.3x	39.6x	24.1x	58.4x	40.1x	43%	21%	104%	66%	49.3%
Dell	DELL	US	31-Jan-25	\$91.15	\$63,608.2	\$85,412.2	\$95,567.0	\$9,728.0	0.9x	0.8x	8.5x	7.1x	14.3x	9.6x	8%	8%	9%	24%	10.2%
Roblox	RBLX	US	31-Dec-24	\$58.29	\$38,896.9	\$38,279.9	\$3,602.0	-\$819.0	10.6x	7.3x	NM	35.8x	NM	NM	29%	46%	NA	NM	-22.7%
Hewlett Packard	HPE	US	31-Jan-25	\$15.43	\$20,268.5	\$25,594.5	\$31,226.0	\$5,057.0	0.8x	0.8x	4.7x	4.9x	7.4x	8.5x	11%	6%	3%	4%	16.2%
ASUS	2357	TW	31-Dec-24	\$18.30	\$13,594.4	\$12,204.3	\$17,909.9	\$961.4	0.7x	0.6x	11.7x	10.3x	14.5x	13.0x	22%	13%	144%	26%	5.4%
Logitech	LOGN	CH	31-Dec-24	\$83.62	\$12,476.8	\$11,033.4	\$4,556.0	\$767.1	2.4x	2.4x	13.7x	12.8x	19.2x	22.0x	7%	3%	25%	13%	16.8%
Unity	U	US	31-Dec-24	\$19.59	\$8,025.3	\$9,097.9	\$1,813.3	-\$132.0	5.0x	5.1x	NM	25.6x	NM	31.1x	-17%	-2%	NA	NM	-7.3%
MSI	2377	TW	31-Dec-24	\$4.87	\$4,113.3	\$3,415.4	\$6,036.4	\$246.5	0.6x	0.5x	13.4x	7.8x	20.3x	12.3x	8%	17%	-18%	80%	4.1%
Acer	2353	TW	31-Dec-24	\$1.07	\$3,202.8	\$2,710.1	\$8.074.5	\$176.6	0.3x	0.3x	13.1x	11.2x	19.3x	17.8x	10%	5%	15%	40%	2.2%
Corsair Gaming	CRSR	US	31-Dec-24	\$8.86	\$929.0	\$1,074.2	\$1,316.4	\$1.9	0.8x	0.7x	44.4x	12.0x	NM	17.1x	-10%	14%	-97%	NM	0.1%
Atari	ALATA	FR	30-Sep-24	\$0.14	\$62.3	\$111.6	\$31.1	-\$3.1	3.7x	NA	NM	NA	NM	NA	129%	NA	NA	NA	-10.0%
Flexion Mobile	FLEXM	GB	31-Dec-24	\$0.61	\$34.8	\$17.2	\$95.8	\$1.2	0.2x	0.2x	12.6x	1.9x	NM	11.8x	9%	15%	-66%	NM	1%
GLOE	9565	JP	31-Jan-25	\$6.40	\$17.7	\$16.8	\$15.0	\$0.4	1.1x	NA	43.6x	NA	0.0x	NA	0%	NA	0%	NA	2.5%
Enthusiast Gaming	EGLX	CA	31-Dec-24	\$0.07	\$10.5	\$35.0	\$50.4	-\$2.7	0.7x	0.6x	NM	8.6x	NM	NM	-59%	14%	NA	NM	-5.4%
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								Average	4.5x	3.7x			21.1x	18.9x	20%	17%		482%	8.4%
								Median	0.9x	0.8x	13.4x	11.2x	19.2x	17.1x	9%	14%	9%	66%	2.5%



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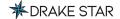


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