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## Executive Summary

The Road Ahead

With 2018's first quarter now in the rearview mirror, adaptation has been this year's central theme in the apparel sector. Facing complex challenges to their long-term success (and in some cases, survival), apparel brands and retailers have embarked on an urgent mission to redefine their value propositions for an increasingly demanding consumer. Brands are applying new tools and techniques to become more collaborative, nimble and engaged with their consumer. Retailers have invested heavily in technology and innovation, increasing next-generation store layouts in an effort to provide vibrant experiences that are now a prerequisite for discerning millennial consumers. Artificial intelligence and virtual reality, once solely futuristic cinema fodder, are increasingly used to enhance both customer acquisition and customer conversion. It is truly a "brave new world" out there!

While e-commerce (led by Amazon) and an increasingly acquisitive, innovative Walmart continue to gain share on traditional brick-and-mortar retail, hints of optimism have emerged within the sector. Several retailers recently announced new store openings for the remainder of the year, while many increased earnings targets. With an eye toward sustainable expansion, companies are adopting smaller store formats that blend the benefits of a physical retail presence with enhanced digital capabilities, particularly by optimizing inventory levels. Increased vacancies largely due to the continued decline of traditional retail concepts, will also create momentum for further specialty retail expansion.

On a macro level, volatility seems to be the new normal. Concerns over rising interest rates, inflation and the impact of ongoing U.S. trade-related negotiations could certainly impact performance. Owners and executives must maintain a keen eye on these factors and potential effects on their brands and companies. Thus, the need for adaptation whether expanding consumer engagement, augmenting sales channels or modifying sourcing relationships has become a significant long-term trend in the sector.

Our Quarterly Apparel Report aims to identify trends and provide insights across the apparel sector, including in-depth analysis of the global industry, focusing on key themes, issues and opportunities. We hope you continue to find this report and its future editions to be a useful source of information.

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## First Quarter in Review

Summary
A strong holiday season and bullish outlook for 2018 led to solid performance by publicly traded apparel company equities at the outset of this year. Unfortunately, this enthusiasm was short-lived, as the stock market's reaction to rising interest rates and proposed U.S. tariffs induced uncertainty within the sector, resulting in volatility and depressing valuations. By the end of Q1, market valuations had largely pulled back, curtailing gains from the end of 2017.

However, these public companies delivered some of the best corporate earnings results since 2011. On average, apparel companies experienced year-over-year (YoY) sales growth of 10\% compared with Q1 2017, with more than half of those companies beating their earnings estimates. ${ }^{3}$ The impact of the U.S. tax cut legislation enacted at the end of 2017 can be credited for some of this strong performance, as well as the resiliency in consumer spending backed by a strong job market. Unemployment continues to hover around 4\%, the lowest seen in this millennium. ${ }^{3}$ Moreover, disposable personal income rose by nearly $2 \%$ over the first quarter of last year. ${ }^{3}$

These strong fundamentals translated into solid growth across the sector: clothing and retail stores experienced $6.1 \%$ growth over last year, and online and other non-store sales increased 7.6\% YoY. ${ }^{4}$

M\&A activity in the sector remains healthy, with apparel, footwear and accessories companies consummating over $\$ 600$ million of transaction value in the first quarter of 2018. ${ }^{3}$ Demand for Western apparel brands by Asian conglomerates was a key driver of this activity (see selected deals on page 8). Valuation multiples continued to rise, as branded apparel and fashion exhibited opportunities for margin enhancement. With record amounts of cash on corporate and private equity balance sheets - $\$ 1.7$ trillion and $\$ 848$ billion, ${ }^{3}$ respectively, M\&A activity will likely remain bullish for the balance of the year.

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Over 50\% of apparel, footwear and accessories companies beat Q1 2018 earnings estimates ${ }^{3}$
U.S. retail sales of clothing and accessories grew by $6.1 \%$ over last year ${ }^{4}$

Transaction value for Apparel M\&A in Q1 2018 exceeded $\$ 600$ million, nearly double the amount for the same period last year ${ }^{3}$

Valuations increased as EBITDA multiples for branded apparel and fashion grew by 1.4 x YoY for the 12 months ending April 30, $2018^{3}$

## Trends and Insights

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Here and Now: Authenticity Through Interaction

To appeal to the next generation of consumers, brands are using interactive engagement to cultivate authenticity. Millennials in particular, require frequent contact to stay engaged and maintain brand relevancy - a mere $7 \%$ consider themselves brand loyalists. ${ }^{5}$ However, allegiance rises $7 \%$ when millennials receive personalized messages. ${ }^{5}$ Content and interaction are driving customer acquisition, forcing brands to become inclusive, immersive and collaborative.

Engaging the Next Generation of Customers


Heritage is no longer enough for brands seeking to maintain consumer interest, luxury brands in particular are taking action to win back mindshare. Gucci's aggressive pursuit of millennials through collaborations with Instagram poets and pop-up events has increased its appeal to customers under the age of 35 , which contributed $85 \%$ of 2017E sales growth. ${ }^{6}$

Authenticity is critical: $86 \%$ of shoppers cite authenticity as a deciding factor in choosing which brands to support, and $90 \%$ of millennials feel brand authenticity is a key factor when making a purchase ${ }^{7}$

More than 64\% of social media users seek out user-generated content before making big purchase decisions ${ }^{8}$ and encounter 11.4 pieces of content prior to buying ${ }^{9}$


Brands' social media interactions will only increase in significance: Gen $Z$ will account for $40 \%$ of all shoppers by $2020,{ }^{10}$ and $80 \%$ of them look to social media when making purchase decisions ${ }^{11}$

(2)Evolving Retail: A Renaissance at Stores

Brick-and-mortar retailers are adapting to maintain relevance. Re-engineered stores blend physical and digital experiences, managing customer interaction across channels and selling through inventory at a faster pace. In-store employees are donning hybrid roles, and product displays are becoming more interactive.


Retailers, including Ted Baker and Men's Warehouse, recently equipped store staff with devices to message and video chat with customers, offering personalized service while enhancing labor efficiency


At Nordstrom's newly-opened men's store, convenience is king: in-store pickup is available 24/7, and customers complete returns by simply scanning and placing items into designated bins


Zara is bringing instore displays to life, using holographic models on its augmented reality app to demonstrate designs that interest the shopper

Stores remain relevant: $75 \%-80 \%$ of purchases are still made through physical retail stores, ${ }^{12}$ and online sales often rise by $20 \%$ in markets where a retailer opens a physical store ${ }^{13}$

Personalization is key to the in-store customer experience, with $72 \%$ of retailers citing it as their top priority for improving stores ${ }^{14}$

Retailers are leaning on stores to facilitate the flow of inventory across multiple channels: online purchases account for $30 \%$ of returns and exchanges, compared to just 8\% for physical stores ${ }_{5}^{15}$

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## Trends and Insights

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Success at Our Fingertips: Digging Deep into Data

Apparel brands are increasingly using data analytics, cross mapping browsing habits, purchase history, social mentions and spending trends to identify profitable customers and improve the speed and accuracy of recommendations offered to shoppers.
For some, leveraging data simply means having the appropriate technology in place. Gap recently attained up to eight times return on ad spend with its proprietary e-commerce platform, using data from over 2 billion visits per year. ${ }^{16}$ Others have purchased troves of data, as seen by PVH's acquisition of True\&Co, a startup providing bra sizing recommendations with over 130 million data points from 5 million consumers.

Benefits of Using Unified Customer Data
(\% of respondents)


Source: CDP Institute


Data from previous purchases will be used for suggestive selling by $83 \%$ of retailers over the next 3 years ${ }^{17}$

A majority of retailers (62\%) cite data-driven customer identification as their top customer engagement priority ${ }^{17}$

Companies that employ behavioral insights from customer data outperform peers by $85 \%$ in sales growth and more than $25 \%$ in gross margin ${ }^{18}$

(4)Rise of the Robot: Consumer Engagement and Al

Artificial intelligence (AI) is dramatically improving marketing efficacy. Brands are implementing specialized software to help steer the customer's journey with individualized, emotionally engaging experiences for each shopper.

For example, Levi Strauss is providing jeans recommendations using an AIpowered chatbot, while its virtual stylists curate recommendations by asking shoppers about preferred fits and body types on Facebook Messenger.

The upside isn't restricted to the top line. Using AI, women's lingerie brand Cosabella increased its return on ad spend for social media and search by $50 \%$ while reducing the total amount spent on ads by $12 \%$. ${ }^{19}$

Major Retail Brands' Expected Benefits from Al
(\% of respondents)


Source: "Building Lasting Consumer Relationships in Retail." Persado.
Automated sales rep software is producing average engagement rates of 35\% and yielding typical email response rates of $30 \%{ }^{20}$

Saies teams believe there will be a 139\% growth in AI to automatically recommend products to customers based on their preferences and needs ${ }^{21}$

Al in marketing is being used by $69 \%$ of top brands, including Nike, Nordstrom, Tommy Hilfiger and Dior²2

## Recent Apparel M\&A Transaction Activity



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## Transaction Spotlight: Abundant Activity from Asia

## Asian conglomerates seek to invest in Western fashion companies, highlighting Asian demand for Western brands

| La Chapelle | NAF NAF |
| :---: | :---: |
| April 2018 | Implied EV $: € 52$ mil |

China's La Chapelle bought ready-to-wear brand Naf Naf from French clothing retailer Vivarte

- First international acquisition for La Chapelle, which plans to open 500 Naf Naf stores in China over the next 5 years
- La Chapelle received financial backing from a Chinese investment consortium, including Star Platinum Capital and East Links International


Chinese Fosun International acquired Jeanne Lanvin S.A., France's last surviving couture house

- Fosun acquired a 60\% stake in Jeanne Lanvin for 150 mil euros, furthering its mandate to invest globally in fashion and retail
- Fosun beat out Mayhoola for Investments, a fund backed by the Qatari royal family, in a fierce bidding war


Chinese Fosun International purchased Wolford AG, a leading global hosiery and lingerie company

- Wolford's founding family sold a controlling stake (50.9\%) to Fosun for 33 mil euros
- Fosun prevailed amidst more than 50 prospective investors, mainly from Asia and North America, that showed interest in acquiring a stake in Wolford


China's Shandong Ruyi acquired a majority stake in Bally International, a Swiss luxury shoe brand

- JAB Holding Company sold a majority stake in Bally to Shandong Ruyi, which vied with Asia's Fosun and Fujian Septwolves for the deal
- Shandong Ruyi intends to accelerate Bally's growth in Asian luxury markets, which account for approximately half of the brand's revenue


Japanese conglomerate Mitsui \& Co. invested in Indochino, a Canadian menswear brand

- Mitsui's investment and strategic collaboration will help Indochino accelerate its North American expansion plans, global operations and supply chain
- Mitsui represents the second Asian investor in Indochino, alongside China's Dayang Group


TSI Holdings, a Japanese apparel group, acquired the American streetwear brand HUF Worldwide

- TSI purchased a 90\% stake for \$63 mil from Altamont Capital Partners
- The transaction is expected to help TSI grow its overseas business by utilizing HUF's brand


## Eye on Retail

- Retail sales at clothing and accessories stores exhibited positive improvements during Q1 2018, increasing 6.1\% YoY, reflecting healthy spending despite market volatility, unseasonable weather and uncertain economic policies ${ }^{4}$
- Same-store sales growth turned positive in Q1, increasing 2.7\% YoY in March alone ${ }^{23}$
- Online and other non-store sales increased 7.6\% YoY ${ }^{4}$
- Following 7,000 closures in 2017,24 the U.S. retail industry continues to rationalize its store base and shift online, with major retailers planning to close an additional 3,600 stores in $2018{ }^{25}$
- With approximately 90 million square feet slated for closure,,26 planned openings by Ross ( 100 stores), Gap ( 90 stores) and UNTUCKit (50 stores) will benefit from mounting pressure on landlords to ease rents ${ }^{25}$
- Trade concerns and rising interest rates curtailed retail stock performance in the wake of holiday season gains
- Mass/Club and Off-Price benefited from value-conscious consumers, while declining mall foot traffic resulted in subdued performance at Department Stores and Specialty Retail
- Several apparel, footwear and accessories retailers have already filed for bankruptcy in 2018
- With over $\$ 1$ billion of debt, women's footwear retailer Nine West filed for bankruptcy protection to help facilitate a sale process ${ }^{27}$
- Department chain Bon-Ton will wind-down its store base after two liquidation firms won an auction for the company's assets ${ }^{27}$
- Claire's is planning to close 92 stores in conjunction with its bankruptcy filing in March ${ }^{27}$
- Shoe seller The Walking Company (208 stores) filed for bankruptcy as a final attempt to transform it into a more vertically integrated, omni-channel retailer ${ }^{27}$


## Indexed Stock Price Performance



Source: S\&P Global Market Intelligence

## Year-Over-Year Same-Store Sales Growth, Clothing and Accessories Retailers



Source: Bloomberg Intelligence and First Data

## Elephants in the Room: Walmart and Amazon

## Walmart and Amazon continue to gain market share

- Trailing only Walmart, Amazon now accounts for 7.9\% of apparel retail, having surpassed Target, Kohl's, T.J. Maxx and Macy's by significant margins ${ }^{28}$
- One in nine shoppers has purchased Amazon's private-label shoes or clothes, ${ }^{29}$ and nearly two-thirds of Amazon's more than 100 million Prime members ${ }^{31}$ purchased apparel on the site last year ${ }^{30}$
- Amazon directly manages 14\% of its website's fashion listings, achieving gross margins of up to $40 \%$ over the last 10 years ${ }^{30}$
- Walmart is aggressively pursuing more affluent and fashion-conscious shoppers, launching four exclusive apparel brands for men, women, children and plus-size customers in February $2018^{29}$
- Brands will feature on-trend fashion, have dedicated pages on Walmart.com and sell at a \$5 to \$30 price point
- Walmart is revamping its shopping experience with open floor plans, stylish displays and remodeled fitting rooms, seeking to capture market share vacated by recent apparel store closures
- The acquisitions of Bonobos and ModCloth, plus various startups, along with its Lord \& Taylor partnership, will continue to bring a sense of fashion to the company
- Walmart continues to invest in its e-commerce platform to challenge Amazon globally
- Walmart acquired 77\% of Flipkart, India's largest e-commerce company, for $\$ 16$ billion, the largest acquisition in firm history ${ }^{3}$
- Walmart is revamping its website and implementing best practices gained from its $\$ 1.5$ billion acquisition of Jet.com ${ }^{32}$
- Walmart's initiatives have produced strong results, achieving over $20 \%$ online sales growth in every quarter since Q3 $2016^{30}$


Source: CNBC and Company data

## Walmart's Apparel Mix Becoming More Fashionable



- $10 \%$ on-trend, with fashion-sense brands like Bonobos, ModCloth and Lord \& Taylor updating designs every 3 months
- $40 \%$ comprising fashion basics designed to last 6-9 months
- 50\% allocated to core basics, such as tank tops, designed to last all year


## Operational Benchmarking

Growth is expected to continue, albeit at a lesser pace, through the remainder of 2018, while margins suffer further erosion


## Valuation Benchmarking

Overall, valuation multiples continue to improve year-over-year for branded apparel

|  |  |  | Enterprise Value/ |  | 1-Year Change in Enterprise Value/ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1-Year Stock Performance | Revenue | EBITDA |  | Revenue | EBITDA |
|  | Active | - $63.6 \%$ | 2.53x | 16.0x |  | - 0.79x | 5.9x |
|  | Contemporary | - $91.1 \%$ | - 0.69x | 10.4x |  | - $0.33 x$ | 2.7x |
|  | Basic | (0.7\%) | 1.39x | 10.5x | (0.09x) | I | (0.2x) |
|  | Diversified | - $63.0 \%$ | 1.59x | 12.3x |  | - 0.46x | - 2.9x |
|  | Accessories | - $36.3 \%$ | 1.86x | 11.2x |  | 0.08x | 2.0x |
|  | Footwear | - $48.4 \%$ | - 1.60x | 13.7x |  | 0.31x | \| 0.8 x |
|  | Luxury | - 33.0\% | 2.89x | 13.5x |  | 1 $0.23 x$ | \| 0.4x |
|  | Total | - $47.8 \%$ | 1.79x | 12.5x |  | - 0.30 x | - 2.1 x |
|  | Contemporary | - $69.7 \%$ | 1.47x | $6.7 x$ |  | 0.65x | 2.5x |
|  | Women's | \| 9.9\% | - 0.58x | 6.3x | (0.14x) | . | 0.3x |
|  | Men's | - $97.5 \%$ | 0.60x | 7.8x |  | 0.08x | - 1.2 x |
|  | Kids/Tween | - $27.7 \%$ | 1.37x | 10.4x |  | 1 0.21x | - 2.1x |
|  | Footwear | - $50.6 \%$ | 0.60x | 7.4x |  | \| 0.12x | - 1.9x |
|  | Department Stores | \| $16.8 \%$ | - 0.47x | 6.8x |  | 0.06x | -1.5x |
|  | Off-Price | - $48.6 \%$ | - 1.38 x | 13.1x |  | \| 0.17x | -1.2x |
|  | Sporting Goods | (10.3\%)\| | - 0.37 x | 6.4x | (0.07x) |  | -1.2x |
|  | Mass/Club | \| 10.4\% | 0.56x | 9.0x |  | 0.01x | 0.2x |
|  | Total | - $35.7 \%$ | - 0.82x | 8.2x |  | \| 0.12x | - 1.3 x |
|  | Online Retail | - 33.5 | 2.50x | 11.6x | (0.05x) |  | (1.9x) |

## Public Company Trends - Apparel Brands

Enterprise Value as a Multiple of EBITDA ${ }^{(1)}$


## Public Company Trends - Retailers

Enterprise Value as a Multiple of EBITDA ${ }^{(1)}$


## fiin Public Company Valuations - Apparel Brands

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | Stock <br> Price 31-May-18 | 1-Year Stock Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market <br> Value | Enterprise Value | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM EBITDA Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Active Apparel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NIKE, Inc. | \$71.80 | 37.3\% | 97.7\% | \$115,724 | \$114,459 | $3.24 x$ | $3.06 x$ | NM | NM | 14.5\% |
| Lululemon Athletica Inc. | 105.05 | 117.6\% | 97.6\% | 14,253 | 13,287 | 4.78x | 4.37x | NM | 18.5x | 23.4\% |
| Moncler S.p.A. | 45.79 | 82.4\% | 98.3\% | 11,703 | 11,352 | NM | NM | NM | NM | 32.2\% |
| Under Armour, Inc. | 20.90 | 9.1\% | 89.1\% | 8,849 | 9,486 | 1.88x | 1.83x | NM | NM | 6.8\% |
| Columbia Sportswear Company | 87.11 | 62.3\% | 97.2\% | 6,098 | 5,325 | 2.10x | 2.00x | 15.9x | 14.4x | 13.3\% |
| Canada Goose Holdings Inc. | 42.12 | 124.4\% | 99.7\% | 4,566 | 4,620 | NM | NM | NM | NM | 26.3\% |
| Lands' End, Inc. | 19.75 | 12.2\% | 82.5\% | 635 | 930 | 0.66x | 0.66x | 16.1x | 13.5x | 4.1\% |
| Median |  | 62.3\% | 97.6\% | \$8,849 | \$9,486 | 2.10x | 2.00x | 16.0x | 14.4x | 14.5\% |
| Mean |  | 63.6\% | 94.6\% | \$23,118 | \$22,780 | 2.53x | 2.38x | 16.0x | 15.5x | 17.2\% |
| Contemporary Apparel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| G-III Apparel Group, Ltd. | \$41.90 | 114.1\% | 96.6\% | \$2,059 | \$2,404 | 0.86x | 0.81x | 12.0x | 10.7x | 7.1\% |
| Guess?, Inc. | 19.60 | 72.4\% | 75.0\% | 1,587 | 1,416 | 0.58x | 0.55x | 8.7 x | 8.0x | 6.7\% |
| Vince Holding Corp. | 11.22 | 86.8\% | 99.3\% | 130 | 174 | 0.64x | NM | NM | NM | (0.8\%) |
| Median |  | 86.8\% | 96.6\% | \$1,587 | \$1,416 | 0.64x | 0.68x | 10.4x | 9.4 x | 6.7\% |
| Mean |  | 91.1\% | 90.3\% | \$1,259 | \$1,332 | 0.69x | 0.68x | 10.4x | 9.4 x | 4.3\% |
| Basic Apparel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hanesbrands Inc. | \$18.23 | (9.0\%) | 70.9\% | \$6,570 | \$10,722 | $1.63 x$ | 1.58x | 10.2x | 9.8x | 16.0\% |
| Gildan Activewear Inc. | 28.93 | (2.6\%) | 89.0\% | 6,190 | 6,878 | 2.52x | 2.42x | 12.1x | 11.3x | 20.7\% |
| Delta Galil Industries Ltd. | 32.35 | 9.1\% | 93.3\% | 823 | 1,009 | $0.73 x$ | NM | 8.8x | NM | 8.2\% |
| Delta Apparel, Inc. | 18.84 | (0.2\%) | 80.3\% | 134 | 257 | 0.67x | 0.64x | 10.7x | $8.3 x$ | 6.2\% |
| Median |  | (1.4\%) | 84.6\% | \$3,507 | \$3,944 | 1.18x | 1.58x | 10.5x | 9.8x | 12.1\% |
| Mean |  | (0.7\%) | 83.4\% | \$3,429 | \$4,717 | 1.39x | 1.55x | 10.5x | 9.8 x | 12.8\% |
| Diversified Apparel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| V.F. Corporation | \$81.16 | 55.0\% | 96.2\% | \$32,014 | \$35,077 | $2.84 x$ | 2.62x | 18.6x | 17.0x | 15.3\% |
| PVH Corp. | 160.00 | 51.2\% | 97.7\% | 12,329 | 15,164 | $1.64 x$ | 1.58x | 12.8x | 11.7x | 12.8\% |
| Ralph Lauren Corporation | 134.58 | 102.9\% | 96.9\% | 10,976 | 9,836 | 1.59x | 1.60x | 10.3x | 10.1x | 15.5\% |
| Oxford Industries, Inc. | 82.52 | 56.1\% | 97.9\% | 1,398 | 1,437 | 1.32x | 1.27x | 10.9x | 9.9x | 12.1\% |
| Perry Ellis International, Inc. | 27.50 | 49.9\% | 96.4\% | 421 | 510 | 0.57x | 0.59x | 8.9x | $8.6 x$ | 6.4\% |
| Median |  | 55.0\% | 96.9\% | \$10,976 | \$9,836 | 1.59x | 1.58x | 10.9x | 10.1x | 12.8\% |
| Mean |  | 63.0\% | 97.0\% | \$11,427 | \$12,405 | 1.59x | 1.53x | 12.3x | 11.5x | 12.4\% |

Source: S\&P Global Market Intelligence as of May 31, 2018.
Represents most actively traded public Apparel and Fashion companies

## Public Company Valuations - Footwear Brands

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | Stock <br> Price 31-May-18 | 1-Year Stock <br> Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market Value | Enterprise Value | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM <br> EBITDA <br> Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Footwear |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NIKE, Inc. | \$71.80 | 37.3\% | 97.7\% | \$115,724 | \$114,459 | $3.24 x$ | 3.06 x | NM | NM | 14.5\% |
| adidas AG | 226.77 | 15.5\% | 90.3\% | 46,054 | 45,171 | 1.72x | $1.73 x$ | 14.3x | 13.7x | 12.0\% |
| PUMA SE | 593.45 | 48.3\% | 99.0\% | 8,870 | 8,585 | $1.64 x$ | 1.64x | 19.4x | 17.9x | 8.4\% |
| Skechers U.S.A., Inc. | 29.06 | 13.9\% | 67.5\% | 4,649 | 4,170 | 0.96x | 0.88x | 8.2x | 7.5x | 11.7\% |
| Wolverine World Wide, Inc. | 33.53 | 30.1\% | 98.8\% | 3,177 | 3,598 | 1.57x | 1.58x | 16.9x | 11.7x | 9.3\% |
| Steven Madden, Ltd. | 52.85 | 35.3\% | 97.9\% | 3,090 | 2,916 | 1.86x | 1.77 x | 16.2x | 13.6x | 11.5\% |
| Deckers Outdoor Corporation | 113.16 | 63.1\% | 99.7\% | 3,445 | 3,048 | 1.60x | 1.58x | 11.1x | 10.8x | 14.5\% |
| Caleres, Inc. | 35.46 | 30.9\% | 95.7\% | 1,532 | 1,634 | 0.59x | 0.58x | 8.1 x | 7.6x | 7.2\% |
| Crocs, Inc. | 17.84 | 161.2\% | 98.0\% | 1,218 | 1,300 | $1.25 x$ | $1.24 x$ | 15.6x | 14.9x | 8.0\% |
| Median |  | 35.3\% | 97.9\% | \$3,445 | \$3,598 | 1.60x | 1.58x | 15.0x | 12.6x | 11.5\% |
| Mean |  | 48.4\% | 93.8\% | \$20,862 | \$20,542 | 1.60x | 1.56x | 13.7x | 12.2x | 10.8\% |

## - Public Company Valuations - Accessory Brands

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Stock } \\ \text { Price } \\ \text { 31-May-18 } \end{gathered}$ | 1-Year Stock Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market Value | $\begin{gathered} \text { Enterprise } \\ \text { Value } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM <br> EBITDA <br> Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Accessories |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Luxottica Group S.p.A. | \$62.12 | 0.7\% | 95.8\% | \$29,749 | \$30,571 | 2.78x | 2.93x | 12.8x | 13.5x | 21.7\% |
| The Swatch Group AG | 485.56 | 29.4\% | 96.4\% | 24,637 | 23,121 | 2.83x | 2.65x | 15.7x | 12.5x | 18.1\% |
| Tapestry, Inc. | 43.72 | (2.5\%) | 78.8\% | 12,583 | 13,145 | 2.38x | 2.20x | 11.2 x | 9.9x | 21.2\% |
| Pandora A/S | 78.51 | (16.5\%) | 66.3\% | 8,514 | 9,353 | 2.49x | 2.49x | 6.8 x | 7.1x | 36.5\% |
| Michael Kors Holdings Limited | 57.39 | 73.0\% | 82.0\% | 8,591 | 9,306 | 1.97x | 1.83x | 8.5 x | 8.4 x | 23.2\% |
| Fossil Group, Inc. | 21.88 | 103.2\% | 98.6\% | 1,077 | 1,315 | 0.47x | 0.50x | 10.9x | $6.9 x$ | 4.4\% |
| Movado Group, Inc. | 49.10 | 137.5\% | 98.5\% | 1,134 | 957 | 1.61x | 1.55x | 12.8x | 11.8x | 12.5\% |
| Safilo Group S.p.A. | 5.11 | (34.1\%) | 62.7\% | 320 | 473 | 0.38x | 0.39x | NM | 7.3x | (1.1\%) |
| Median |  | 15.1\% | 88.9\% | \$8,552 | \$9,330 | 2.17x | 2.02x | 11.2x | 9.1x | 19.7\% |
| Mean |  | 36.3\% | 84.9\% | \$10,826 | \$11,030 | 1.86x | 1.82x | 11.2x | 9.7 x | 17.1\% |

## ^Public Company Valuations - Luxury Brands

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | Stock <br> Price 31-May-18 | 1-Year Stock <br> Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market <br> Value | Enterprise Value | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM EBITDA <br> Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Luxury |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LVMH Moët Hennessy Louis Vuitton S.E. | \$346.33 | 33.2\% | 94.7\% | \$174,123 | \$184,308 | 3.60x | 3.43 x | $15.5 x$ | 13.8x | 23.3\% |
| Christian Dior SE | 424.62 | 45.5\% | 96.6\% | 76,337 | 102,106 | 1.95x | NM | $8.5 x$ | NM | 22.9\% |
| Kering SA | 570.95 | 81.3\% | 99.2\% | 72,099 | 76,436 | 4.11x | NM | 18.3x | 16.5x | 22.5\% |
| Hermès International S.A. | 709.81 | 39.6\% | 99.1\% | 74,167 | 70,819 | NM | NM | NM | NM | 39.0\% |
| Compagnie Financière Richemont SA | 91.73 | 14.2\% | 91.2\% | 51,791 | 45,667 | 3.38x | 2.96x | 15.5x | 13.3x | 21.7\% |
| Tiffany \& Co. | 130.78 | 53.6\% | 99.1\% | 16,248 | 16,031 | $3.73 x$ | $3.54 x$ | 15.1x | 14.9 x | 24.6\% |
| Burberry Group plc | 27.50 | 16.7\% | 99.4\% | 11,347 | 10,168 | $2.65 x$ | 2.84 x | 12.5x | 13.2x | 21.1\% |
| Hugo Boss AG | 89.75 | 18.6\% | 95.4\% | 6,194 | 6,241 | 1.85x | 1.92x | 10.9x | 10.7 x | 17.1\% |
| TOD'S S.p.A. | 65.29 | (5.5\%) | 86.5\% | 2,161 | 2,166 | 1.87x | 1.94x | $11.6 x$ | 11.7 x | 16.1\% |
| Median |  | 33.2\% | 96.6\% | \$51,791 | \$45,667 | 3.01x | 2.90x | 13.8x | 13.3x | 22.5\% |
| Mean |  | 33.0\% | 95.7\% | \$53,830 | \$57,105 | 2.89x | 2.77x | 13.5x | 13.4x | 23.1\% |

## Pe Public Company Valuations - Retailers

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | Stock <br> Price 31-May-18 | 1-Year Stock <br> Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market Value | Enterprise Value | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM <br> EBITDA <br> Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Contemporary Retail |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The Gap, Inc. | \$27.98 | 28.5\% | 78.4\% | \$10,828 | \$10,703 | 0.66x | 0.65x | 5.4 x | $5.5 x$ | 12.2\% |
| Lululemon Athletica Inc. | 105.05 | 117.6\% | 97.6\% | 14,253 | 13,287 | 4.78 x | 4.37x | NM | 18.5x | 23.4\% |
| Urban Outfitters, Inc. | 41.54 | 120.1\% | 95.3\% | 4,514 | 4,034 | 1.09x | 1.03x | $9.4 x$ | $8.3 x$ | 11.6\% |
| Guess?, Inc. | 19.60 | 72.4\% | 75.0\% | 1,587 | 1,416 | 0.58x | 0.55x | $8.7 x$ | $8.0 x$ | 6.7\% |
| Express, Inc. | 8.51 | 9.7\% | 75.0\% | 641 | 457 | 0.21x | 0.21x | 3.1x | $3.4 x$ | 6.8\% |
| Median |  | 72.4\% | 78.4\% | \$4,514 | \$4,034 | 0.66x | 0.65x | 7.1x | 8.0x | 11.6\% |
| Mean |  | 69.7\% | 84.3\% | \$6,365 | \$5,979 | 1.47x | 1.36x | $6.7 x$ | 8.8x | 12.1\% |


| Women's Retail |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| L Brands, Inc. | \$33.91 | (30.4\%) | 53.7\% | \$9,454 | \$13,718 | 1.07x | 1.05x | 6.1 x | $6.8 x$ | 17.5\% |
| Ascena Retail Group, Inc. | 3.26 | 84.2\% | 91.8\% | 625 | 1,733 | 0.27x | 0.28x | 3.3 x | $3.7 x$ | 8.0\% |
| Chico's FAS, Inc. | 8.46 | (7.1\%) | 77.6\% | 1,093 | 903 | 0.40x | 0.42x | 3.9 x | $4.3 x$ | 10.2\% |
| Aritzia Inc. | 10.63 | (9.8\%) | 88.2\% | 1,193 | 1,198 | 2.04x | 1.90x | 13.2x | 10.6x | 15.4\% |
| J.Jill, Inc. | 7.84 | (38.5\%) | 57.2\% | 343 | 556 | 0.78x | 0.78x | 5.3 x | 5.6x | 14.8\% |
| Vera Bradley, Inc. | 11.65 | 23.8\% | 90.8\% | 415 | 292 | 0.64x | 0.71x | 5.4 x | $7.6 x$ | 11.8\% |
| Francesca's Holdings Corporation | 5.91 | (53.3\%) | 45.6\% | 205 | 174 | 0.37x | 0.35x | 3.4 x | $3.6 x$ | 10.9\% |
| The Cato Corporation | 22.83 | 23.9\% | 97.9\% | 553 | 334 | 0.40x | 0.40x | 8.8 x | $8.3 x$ | 4.5\% |
| New York \& Company, Inc. | 4.16 | 181.1\% | 93.4\% | 267 | 189 | 0.20x | 0.20x | 5.1x | 5.3x | 4.0\% |
| Destination Maternity Corporation | 3.17 | (27.1\%) | 63.7\% | 48 | 83 | 0.20x | NM | 8.3 x | NM | 2.4\% |
| Christopher \& Banks Corporation | 0.84 | (37.4\%) | 54.1\% | 32 | 14 | 0.04x | 0.04x | NM | 4.6x | (3.3\%) |
| Median |  | (9.8\%) | 77.6\% | \$415 | \$334 | 0.40x | 0.41x | 5.3x | 5.4x | 10.2\% |
| Mean |  | 9.9\% | 74.0\% | \$1,293 | \$1,745 | 0.58x | 0.61x | 6.3 x | 6.0x | 8.8\% |

## I.: Public Company Valuations - Retailers (cont'd)

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | Stock <br> Price 31-May-18 | 1-Year Stock Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market <br> Value | Enterprise Value | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM EBITDA <br> Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Men's Retail |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tailored Brands, Inc. | \$32.81 | 224.2\% | 91.3\% | \$1,632 | \$2,925 | 0.89x | 0.89x | $8.2 x$ | 8.4 x | 10.8\% |
| Destination XL Group, Inc. | 1.70 | (29.2\%) | 61.8\% | 83 | 146 | 0.31x | 0.31x | $7.4 x$ | $6.3 x$ | 4.2\% |
| Median |  | 97.5\% | 76.6\% | \$857 | \$1,536 | 0.60x | 0.60x | 7.8x | 7.4x | 7.5\% |
| Mean |  | 97.5\% | 76.6\% | \$857 | \$1,536 | 0.60x | 0.60x | 7.8x | 7.4x | 7.5\% |


| Kids/Tween Retail |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Carter's, Inc. | \$109.01 | 34.8\% | 84.5\% | \$5,117 | \$5,554 | 1.62x | 1.59x | 11.2x | 11.0x | 14.5\% |
| The Children's Place, Inc. | 128.75 | 20.7\% | 79.6\% | 2,142 | 2,099 | 1.12x | 1.09x | $9.6 x$ | $8.7 x$ | 11.6\% |
| Median |  | 27.7\% | 82.1\% | \$3,630 | \$3,827 | 1.37x | 1.34x | 10.4x | 9.9x | 13.1\% |
| Mean |  | 27.7\% | 82.1\% | \$3,630 | \$3,827 | 1.37x | 1.34x | 10.4x | 9.9x | 13.1\% |


| Footwear Retailers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Foot Locker, Inc. | \$53.97 | (6.3\%) | 90.4\% | \$6,375 | \$5,471 | 0.70x | 0.70x | $5.9 x$ | 6.1 x | 11.9\% |
| Caleres, Inc. | 35.46 | 30.9\% | 95.7\% | 1,532 | 1,634 | 0.59x | 0.58x | $8.1 x$ | 7.6x | 7.2\% |
| DSW Inc. | 23.88 | 48.0\% | 90.3\% | 1,904 | 1,635 | 0.58x | 0.59x | $6.3 x$ | 6.2 x | 9.1\% |
| Genesco Inc. | 43.70 | 17.5\% | 95.2\% | 870 | 921 | 0.32x | 0.32x | 5.3x | 5.4x | 6.0\% |
| Boot Barn Holdings, Inc. | 23.68 | 204.0\% | 90.2\% | 651 | 858 | 1.27x | 1.16x | 13.1 x | 11.6x | 9.6\% |
| The Finish Line, Inc. | 13.61 | 0.5\% | 89.1\% | 561 | 468 | 0.25x | 0.26x | 5.8x | 4.8 x | 4.4\% |
| Shoe Carnival, Inc. | 32.21 | 59.6\% | 95.1\% | 518 | 483 | 0.47x | 0.47x | $7.2 x$ | 7.4 x | 6.6\% |
| Median |  | 30.9\% | 90.4\% | \$870 | \$921 | 0.58x | 0.58x | 6.3 x | 6.2 x | 7.2\% |
| Mean |  | 50.6\% | 92.3\% | \$1,773 | \$1,638 | 0.60x | 0.58x | 7.4x | 7.0x | 7.8\% |


| Sporting Goods Retailers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc. | \$36.60 | (8.9\%) | 87.4\% | \$3,752 | \$3,991 | 0.46x | 0.46x | 5.4x | 6.0x | 8.5\% |
| Hibbett Sports, Inc. | 26.45 | 14.0\% | 89.7\% | 502 | 387 | 0.40x | 0.40x | 5.1x | 5.7x | 7.9\% |
| Big 5 Sporting Goods Corporation | 8.20 | (35.9\%) | 56.4\% | 176 | 244 | 0.25x | 0.24x | 8.6x | 5.9x | 2.9\% |
| Median |  | (8.9\%) | 87.4\% | \$502 | \$387 | 0.40x | 0.40x | 5.4x | 5.9x | 7.9\% |
| Mean |  | (10.3\%) | 77.8\% | \$1,477 | \$1,541 | 0.37x | 0.37x | 6.4x | 5.9x | 6.4\% |

## F. Public Company Valuations - Retailers (cont'd)

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | Stock <br> Price 31-May-18 | 1-Year Stock <br> Performance | \% of 52-Wk High | Market <br> Value | Enterprise Value | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM EBITDA Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Department Stores |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Macy's, Inc. | \$34.91 | 57.9\% | 97.0\% | \$10,696 | \$15,027 | 0.60x | 0.60x | $5.8 x$ | $5.5 x$ | 10.4\% |
| Kohl's Corporation | 66.75 | 82.4\% | 96.1\% | 11,230 | 14,395 | 0.75x | 0.75x | 5.9x | $6.0 x$ | 12.7\% |
| Nordstrom, Inc. | 49.03 | 21.1\% | 90.8\% | 8,227 | 9,997 | 0.65x | 0.63x | $6.2 x$ | $6.2 x$ | 10.5\% |
| J. C. Penney Company, Inc. | 2.42 | (48.5\%) | 43.0\% | 761 | 4,981 | 0.40x | 0.40x | 5.0x | 5.6x | 8.0\% |
| Sears Holdings Corporation | 2.81 | (62.0\%) | 26.1\% | 304 | 5,644 | 0.37x | 0.45x | NM | NM | (7.5\%) |
| Hudson's Bay Company | 7.43 | (4.8\%) | 71.8\% | 1,359 | 4,016 | 0.35x | 0.36x | NM | 13.8x | 1.4\% |
| Dillard's, Inc. | 81.43 | 59.1\% | 92.0\% | 2,247 | 2,813 | 0.44x | 0.44x | 5.6x | 5.8x | 7.7\% |
| Stage Stores, Inc. | 2.59 | 28.7\% | 79.7\% | 72 | 309 | $0.19 x$ | NM | 12.1x | NM | 1.6\% |
| Median |  | 24.9\% | 85.2\% | \$1,803 | \$5,312 | 0.42x | 0.45x | 5.8x | 5.9x | 7.9\% |
| Mean |  | 16.8\% | 74.6\% | \$4,362 | \$7,148 | 0.47x | 0.52x | 6.8x | 7.2x | 5.6\% |


| Off-Price Retail |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The TJX Companies, Inc. | \$90.32 | 22.2\% | 99.4\% | \$56,624 | \$55,739 | 1.52x | 1.46x | 11.5x | 11.4x | 13.2\% |
| Ross Stores, Inc. | 78.88 | 24.7\% | 92.1\% | 29,867 | 28,961 | 2.01x | 1.95x | 12.0x | 12.2x | 16.7\% |
| Burlington Stores, Inc. | 146.25 | 49.5\% | 97.4\% | 9,916 | 10,968 | 1.75x | 1.65x | 15.7x | 13.9x | 11.2\% |
| Stein Mart, Inc. | 2.89 | 97.9\% | 71.5\% | 138 | 331 | 0.25x | NM | NM | NM | 0.4\% |
| Median |  | 37.1\% | 94.7\% | \$19,891 | \$19,965 | 1.63x | 1.65x | 12.0x | 12.2x | 12.2\% |
| Mean |  | 48.6\% | 90.1\% | \$24,136 | \$24,000 | 1.38x | 1.69x | 13.1x | 12.5x | 10.3\% |


| Mass/Club |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Walmart Inc. | \$82.54 | 7.5\% | 75.1\% | \$243,698 | \$284,928 | 0.56x | 0.55x | 8.7 x | 8.7 x | 6.5\% |
| Costco Wholesale Corporation | 198.24 | 11.2\% | 98.3\% | 86,992 | 86,744 | 0.62x | 0.61x | 14.6x | 14.3x | 4.3\% |
| Target Corporation | 72.89 | 37.3\% | 92.6\% | 38,860 | 51,357 | 0.71x | 0.70x | 7.6x | $7.9 x$ | 9.4\% |
| Big Lots, Inc. | 40.91 | (14.4\%) | 63.5\% | 1,726 | 1,874 | 0.36x | 0.36x | 5.1x | $4.7 x$ | 7.1\% |
| Median |  | 9.4\% | 83.8\% | \$62,926 | \$69,050 | 0.59x | 0.58x | 8.1 x | 8.3 x | 6.8\% |
| Mean |  | 10.4\% | 82.4\% | \$92,819 | \$106,226 | 0.56x | 0.56x | 9.0x | 8.9x | 6.8\% |

## 12. Public Company Valuations - Retailers (cont'd)

| (\$ in millions, except per share data) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Stock } \\ \text { Price } \\ \text { 31-May-18 } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 1-Year Stock Performance | $\%$ of 52-Wk High | Market Value | Enterprise | Enterprise Value as a Multiple of |  |  |  | LTM EBITDA <br> Margin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Revenue |  | EBITDA |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | LTM | 2018E | LTM | 2018E |  |
| Online Retail |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amazon.com, Inc. | \$1,629.62 | 63.8\% | 99.5\% | \$790,735 | \$810,259 | 4.19x | 3.41 x | NM | 27.2x | 8.9\% |
| Alibaba Group Holding Limited | 198.01 | 61.7\% | 96.0\% | 508,782 | 506,544 | NM | NM | NM | 25.4 x | 34.3\% |
| eBay Inc. | 37.72 | 10.0\% | 80.3\% | 37,493 | 41,943 | 4.26x | 3.82x | 14.0x | 11.2x | 30.4\% |
| Zalando SE | 53.11 | 7.2\% | 91.3\% | 13,111 | 11,950 | 2.06 x | 1.86x | NM | NM | 4.3\% |
| Rakuten, Inc. | 6.73 | (45.4\%) | 52.0\% | 9,065 | 13,098 | 1.43x | 1.32x | 9.1 x | 8.0x | 15.7\% |
| ASOS Plc | 88.00 | 3.2\% | 85.2\% | 7,330 | 7,280 | 2.43 x | 2.09x | NM | NM | 4.6\% |
| YOOX Net-A-Porter Group S.p.A. | 44.23 | 52.7\% | 99.8\% | 5,979 | 5,946 | 2.37 x | 2.12x | NM | 24.4x | 5.2\% |
| Wayfair Inc. | 92.35 | 46.7\% | 92.2\% | 8,225 | 8,063 | 1.56x | 1.23x | NM | NM | (4.2\%) |
| boohoo.com plc | 2.71 | (2.9\%) | 74.6\% | 3,115 | 2,950 | 3.69x | 2.87x | NM | NM | 8.8\% |
| Overstock.com, Inc. | 33.43 | 137.9\% | 37.2\% | 966 | 823 | 0.47x | 0.43x | NM | NM | (4.7\%) |
| Median |  | 28.3\% | 88.3\% | \$8,645 | \$10,007 | 2.37x | 2.09x | 11.6x | 24.4x | 7.0\% |
| Mean |  | 33.5\% | 80.8\% | \$138,480 | \$140,886 | 2.50x | 2.13x | 11.6x | 19.3x | 10.3\% |

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