## **Deals**Direct

#### A Monthly Listing of IT and Digital Marketing Firms for Sale

As we kick off 2025, there is a lot happening in the IT Services and Digital Marketing space setting the stage for accretive M&A opportunities.

Take a moment to read IT ExchangeNet's **2025 Middle Market M&A Outlook** that gives you a preview of the trends and potential opportunities shaping the next 12 months.

Business owners and Private Equity investors have three primary paths: **Buying**, **Building**, **or Selling**. If you're considering an acquisition, *DealsDirect* is your source for exploring strategic acquisition opportunities in the mid-market IT and Digital Marketing sectors. Our platform exclusively features a curated list of IT ExchangeNet clients actively seeking buyers.







Description (\$M)	2023	2024	2025E
Revenue	\$4.2	\$4.8	\$5.5
Adj EBITDA	\$1.5	\$2.1	\$3.1

#### **NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS:**

+2000

# OF EMPLOYEES: 12

**FOCUS:** The Company is a premier UCaaS solutions provider specializing in designing, implementing and maintaining converged collaboration solutions. The business has been transformed from a prem-based solutions to cloud-based-UCaaS solutions and has an expected organic growth of 20% in the next twelve months with significant vertical opportunity in the Utility/Energy sectors.



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#### **FINANCIALS**

Description (\$M)	2023	2024	2025E
Net Revenue	\$38.7	\$48.9	\$55.0
Gross Profit	\$3.9	\$5.2	\$5.9
Adj EBITDA	\$1.7	\$2.2	\$2.9

#### NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS:

30 +

# OF EMPLOYEES: 20

FOCUS: The Company is a well-established provider of enterprise technology products and solutions. It offers professional, managed and other value-added services to clients, throughout the US, including both various Government departments and agencies and commercial organizations.



# VERSUB5CRIBED FINANCIALS

Description (\$M)	2022	2023	2024E
Revenue	\$5.1	\$6.5	\$5.5
Adj EBITDA	\$436k	\$451k	\$520k

#### NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS:

25 +

#### # OF EMPLOYEES: 8

**FOCUS:** Founded 30+ years ago, the company has a strong reputation built on its track record of delivering high-quality solutions to a diverse client base. With a focus on cybersecurity, network and server management, and managed services the Company has positioned itself as a trusted partner for business seeking reliable IT support. Supported verticals include manufacturing, education, retail, legal, finance, and more.





**FINANCIALS** 

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#### NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS:

689+

# OF EMPLOYEES: 38

**FOCUS:** The Company is a well-established enterprise technology value-added reseller with over 40 year of experience. It specializes in providing solutions from industry-leading Original Equipment Manufacturers to clients across various government sectors, including Federal Agencies, SLED, and federally focused large system integrators.

Description (\$M)	2022	2023	2024E
Revenue	\$144.4	\$135.1	\$124
Adj EBITDA	\$1.6	\$2.4	\$2.0



#### FINANCIALS

Description (\$M)	2022	2023	2024E
Revenue	\$6.0	\$9.4	\$10.0
Adj EBITDA	\$0.6	\$1.5	\$2.9

#### NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS:

73+

#### # OF EMPLOYEES: 51

FOCUS: Founded over 15 years ago, this Company specializes in crafting strategic business solutions build on the Microsoft platform, including Copilot (AI). Core competencies include the implementation, integration, and optimization of Microsoft Dynamics 365 Customer Engagement applications. The Company excels in leveraging the Microsoft Power Platform to create tailored solutions.



#### FINANCIALS

Description (\$M)	2022	2023	2024E
Revenue	\$7.5	\$10.6	\$11.7
Adj EBITDA	\$(519k)	\$832k	\$1.1

#### NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS:

30 +

#### # OF EMPLOYEES: 54

FOCUS: Founded 30 years ago, this established digital marketing agency is a proven catalyst for digital transformation and growth. With a deeprooted foundation in technology, the Company offers a comprehensive suite of services encompassing research, design, marketing and technology. The Company has cultivated strong long-term partnerships across diverse industries. The Company is poised for growth with the right strategic investment partner.



### ENTERING THE MARKET

EX-846

MSP Managed Service Provider

2025E REVENUE: \$6M

**FOCUS: Salesforce Managed Services** 

**Expert Partner** 

EX-848

MSP Managed Service Provider

**2024E REVENUE: \$9M** 

FOCUS: MSP and Staff Augmentation

## **Buyers**Direct

A monthly listing of global buyers seeking IT and Digital Marketing Firms

Welcome to the January 2025 issue of *BuyersDirect*, highlighting global buyers seeking IT Services and Digital Marketing firms.

With more than 70,000 *DealsDirect* subscribers, many of whom are owner/operators contemplating the sale of their business. Let us know if want to learn more about a Buyer or (as a buyer) if you'd like to be highlighted in a future issue.



We sell IT Services and Digital Marketing firms.

#### BX-100

TYPE: Strategic

#### **SEEKING:**

- Enterprise IT Solutions and VAR
- Cybersecurity Managed & Professional Services
- Cloud Infrastructure based Managed and Professional services
- Al Professional Services
- North America HQ with Global footprint
- Presence in FED and SLED business

**TRANSACTION SIZE: \$25M-\$200M** 

#### **COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Enterprise Technology Solutions and Services Provider
- Market Leader in Digital Workplace Services (DWS)
- Direct presence in North America, Europe, and India
- 2500 skilled professionals
- Strong network of strategic OEM partners
- Two acquisitions of IT Solutions companies in 2024

#### BX-101

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SFEKING:

- \$30M-\$90M VAR
- \$5M-\$30M MSP
- Based in Northeast or Midwest
- EBITDA (flexible)

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$5M-\$90M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Expertise in managed services within data center, managed public cloud, digital transformation
- Diversified client base across standard industry verticals with minority government accounts

#### BX-102

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- GovTech, SaaS, Systems Integrators, IT Consulting, Software Development Consulting
- US or Canada based
- EBITDA \$3M-\$15M
- Revenue \$20M-\$100M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$10M-\$100M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Systems Integrator Focus on Oracle, Salesforce, Microsoft Dynamics, and other Ecosystem Channel Partners
- Growth-oriented investor
- For add-on acquisitions, no size parameters

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#### BX-103

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- ERP enablement partners
- US based
- EBITDA \$3M-\$10M
- Revenue \$10M-\$75M, >25% Recurring

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$15M-\$75M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Private Equity investment group focused on partnering with founder-owned growth companies
- New \$435M committed capital investment fund

#### BX-104

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- MSP
- SMB Focus
- East Coast
- EBITDA \$600k-\$3M
- Revenue \$4M-\$20M, > 50% Recurring

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$25M-\$200M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- PE backed strategic acquirer
- Completed 3 add on investments to date

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#### BX-105

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- MSP, MSSP, ERP Support Partners, outsourced government contractors
- For ERP Partners, prioritizing Microsoft Dynamics, Sage Intacct, Acumatica, NetSuite, SAP ecosystems
- EBITDA \$500k+

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$3M+COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Committed to providing a permanent home for businesses
- Partnered with 85 businesses
- Provides flexibility for founders

#### BX-106

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- IT consulting, Data migration
- Oracle focus MSP
- Broader tech enabled B2B services
- EBITDA \$2M+ of adj
- 65% Recurring Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$10M-\$60M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- 98 Portfolio Companies
- Ability to invest control or non-control capital
- Middle-market focus
- Founded 1987

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#### BX-107

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- MSP, Software Development
- Consulting, Cybersecurity
- US & Canada
- EBITDA \$2M+
- Revenue \$10M+

### TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Completed 14 transactions in cybersecurity, supply chain, managed services, software development, and systems integration
- Empowering founders to realize their vision for companies with more than just capital
- Founded in 2013

#### BX-108

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- MSP, focus on small-medium sized businesses
- 25-1000 User environments
- Microsoft technology focus
- US Based
- EBITDA \$500k+ with 15% min margin
- Minimum 60% Recurring Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$3M-\$30M

- Founder led and backed
- Allows equity rollover
- 10 Worldwide offices
- Founded in the 1990s

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#### BX-109

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- MSP, MSSP
- Consulting, Cybersecurity
- US based
- EBITDA: Up to \$5MRevenue: \$250k-\$25M

**TRANSACTION SIZE: \$250k-\$15M** 

#### **COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Completed 12 add-on acquisitions since 2014
- Diversified also with Managed Print Services, Document Automation Software
- SMB/Mid-Market focus
- Founded in 1989

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#### BX-110

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- MSSP, Infrastructure services, Cloud managed services
- Microsoft Azure, AWS cloud migration
- App development & Implementation
- US based
- EBITDA: \$500k-\$10M
- Revenue: \$5M-\$25M

TRANSACTION SIZE: \$2M-\$80M

#### **COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:**

- 6 Acquisitions since 2020
- Leading solutions and service provider in storage, networking, security and cloud
- Customers across SMB, Mid-Market, SLED, Enterprise and Federal

#### BX-111

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- MSP, MSSP, IT services serving SMB, midmarket and SLED organizations
- Microsoft Azure and AWS cloud expertise
- US based
- EBITDA: Variable

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$3M-\$50M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- \$50M committed fund exclusively raise for IT and CS services
- Equity rollover available, potential for CEOs to stay on
- Three portfolio companies since 2022 inception

#### BX-112

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- MSP, MSSP, ERP Providers, IT Services, Business Process Outsourcing
- Metro Areas of TX, NC, SC, GA, CA & AZ
- EBITDA: \$0.5M-\$2M
- Revenue: \$1M-\$10M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$2M-\$10M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Founded, Built, Exited out of 100M business
- Financially strong and fully self-funded
- 100% time and attention to grow the business

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#### BX-113

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer (PE Backed) SEEKING:

- MSPs, MSSPs, DaaS, focused on healthcare, legal, and financial end markets, Private, public, hybrid, and on-prem cloud solutions
- EBITDA: \$3M-\$15M for platforms, \$500k+ for add-ons
- Revenue: \$25M-\$100M for add-ons, \$1-\$100M for platforms
- Recurring revenue business model, 75%+

### TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Completed nearly 60 platform investments and over 130 add-ons.
- Focus on founder owned and operated businesses

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#### BX-114

### TYPE: Private Equity Firm SEEKING:

- Interested in IT-enabled companies serving the healthcare and business services sectors.
- EBITDA: \$1M-\$20; less than \$3M for add ons
- Revenue: \$10-\$250M+ TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:
- Focus on backing stable, mid-sized, healthcare and business services companies
- Provides a broad network of relationships to help accelerate growth

#### BX-115

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- MSPs and MSSPs with a SMB customer base
- EBITDA: \$1M-\$4M
- Revenue: \$4-\$25M
- High degree of recurring revenue
- US or Canada bases; within a growing market

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$5M-\$40M

- Eight add-on transactions completed over the last three years
- SMB/ Mid-Market focused
- Preference for management to continue leading their business and roll equity alongside us

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#### BX-116

### TYPE: **Search Fund** SEEKING:

- MSPs, MSSPs, IT Services, ERP Support Partners
- Microsoft Dynamics, NetSuite, Saas, Tech Enable Services
- US Based
- EBITDA: \$2M-\$10M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offer business owners a flexible succession alternative
- Approach centered around partnering with a single business

#### BX-117

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer SEEKING:

- Owners tired of the back office, but want to grow
- Culture focused leaders who care about their teams.
- Eastern Half of US
- EBITDA: Less than \$1M
- Revenue: Less than \$5M

#### **TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable**

#### **COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Midwest System Integrator and MSP with deep Microsoft connections
- 25%+ organic growth yearly
- Multiple time Best Places to Work Award Winner

**BX-118** 

### TYPE: **Private Equity** SEFKING:

- MSP
- MSSP
- Cloud, Compliance

TRANSACTION SIZE: \$10M-\$100M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Technology services focused investor
- 25+ platform investments in founder led bootstrapped businesses
- North American based with most owners rolling equity into the deal

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#### BX-119

### TYPE: Search Fund SEEKING:

- MSP / MSSP / Cybersecurity
- Midwest, South, East Coast
- Steady Historical Growth
- Net Profit Margin above 15%
- EBITDA: \$2M-\$7M
- Revenue: \$5M-\$50M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Principal is experienced IT Professional
- Long-Term hold mindset

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#### BX-120

### TYPE: Strategic Buyer backed by PE SEEKING:

- Cloud hosting and managed IT infrastructure services
- MSP expertise in infrastructure services, managed cloud, laaS, data center, backup, disaster recovery, etc.
- Microsoft Azure, GCP, or AWS cloud expertise
- EBITDA: \$500k-\$10M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$3M+COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- 5 Acquisitions since 2021
- Customers across Enterprise, Mid-Market, and SMB
- Backed by committed capital investment fund

#### BX-121

### TYPE: Private Equity SEEKING:

- MSPs, MSSPs, Security, Cloud Managed and Professional Services
- EBITDA: \$300k \$10M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$50M and Under COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- 60 Acquisitions; including 21
   IT Service companies over the span of 15 years
- Lower middle market focus
- Assist owners, entrepreneurs and management in growing the business.

#### BX-122

### TYPE: **Private Equity** SEEKING:

- · Software and Business Services
- EBITDA: \$1M-\$8M
- Revenue: \$5M-\$75M
- Preference for US Headquarters but will do international deals

### TRANSACTION SIZE: Variable COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Lower middle market growth buyout firm through two distinct funds.
- Data-driven Industry First Approach

#### BX-123

### TYPE: Strategic SEEKING:

- MSPs, MSSP
- \$1.5M revenue
- \$300k EBITDA

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$1-3M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Founded 2004
- Founder CEO
- 30+ Portfolio Companies

#### BX-124

### TYPE: Strategic SFFKING:

- Azure
- Google & AWS Solution Providers
- Staffing Companies
- \$1-10M revenue
- \$1-3M EBITDA

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$5M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Design, develop and deliver smarter solutions on AWS
- Serverless Applications, Contact Center Solutions
- Enabling DevOps, accelerating cloud migration initiatives, and building Smart SaaS solutions

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#### BX-125

### TYPE: Family Office SEEKING:

- Managed Service Provider
- IT Services and Consulting
- Systems Integrators
- Database Management/Data
- \$1-6M EBITDA
- \$5-50M Revenue
- Dallas/Fort Worth or Chicago area

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$15M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- MSP
- IT Services
- Systems Integrators
- National Presence

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#### **BX-126**

### TYPE: Strategic SFFKING:

- Infrastructure Services, MSP/MSSP
- Application Security Testing Services
- IT Risk Management
- \$5-50M revenue
- \$1-6M EBITDA

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$15M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Southeastern VAR, MSP/MSSP
- Focused on mid-market and above
- Culture focused
- Software defined & Cybersecurity evangelists
- Differentiated by robust services practice and engineering focus

#### BX-127

### TYPE: Strategic SEEKING:

- Azure, AWS, AI/ML
- Cloud Migration
- Legacy Migration
- ERP-SAP, Oracle
- \$1-6M EBITDA
- \$1-20M Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$1M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- IT Services and Staffing Company
- Cloud Migration, Legacy Migrating
- RPA, Automation & Talent Sourcing
- Staffing for various specialized skills sets

#### BX-128

### TYPE: **Private Equity** SEEKING:

- MSP, MSSP, IT Staffing
- Network & Infrastructure, DevOps
- Zero Trust, SatComs, Tech R&D Labs
- Identity & Access Management, Security Ops & Incident Report
- \$3-20M EBITDA
- \$20-250M Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$30M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Private Equity firm with focus in Cyber security and defense
- Target companies who provide services to Life science and Government
- Flexible if the company only provides B2B

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#### BX-129

### TYPE: Other SEEKING:

- MSP, Azure, IBM
- Security
- Project Management
- \$1-3M EBITDA \$1-5M Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$500k COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

 MSP with East Coast Footprint searching for small MSPs and startups. Other interest include small AI and program management contracts

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#### BX-130

### TYPE: Search Fund SEEKING:

- IT Services(MSP, cybersecurity) with revenue \$5-\$50M
- Software with revenue \$3-\$30M
- US or Canada based

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$5-100M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Come with operation capacity. Allows a faster/smoother transition for owners.
- Success track of record scaling portfolio companies by 60%+
- Founded and led by an experienced entrepreneur with a PhD in engineering and an MBA.
- Backed by 16 well revered investors with committed capital

#### BX-131

### TYPE: Private Equity SEEKING:

- MSSP, Vertical Market MSP
- Platform: \$7-25M in Revenue
- Platform: \$2-5M in EBITDA
- Add-on: \$2.5-10M in Revenue
- Add-on: \$0.5-2M in EBITDA
- US or Canada based

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$5-20M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Technology-focused private equity firm with committed capital
- Founding partners are former operators and software entrepreneurs

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#### BX-132

### TYPE: Search Fund SEEKING:

- MSP, MSSP, Cybersecurity
- \$1-10M in EBITDA
- \$5-50M in revenue
- Mid-Atlantic, Northeast, Midwest, Mountain

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$50M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Operationally-involved model that can support the business and facilitate owner transitions
- Experienced Co-Founders with 20+ years of experience in finance, strategy, and operations
- Backing by experienced investors with committed capital (100+ transactions and \$1B+ in AUM)

#### BX-133

### TYPE: Private Equity SEEKING:

- MSSP, VARs, recurring software revenue
- Managed hosting providers
- \$1-10M in EBITDA
- \$1-100M in Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$100M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

 Independent sponsor with significant experience in the IT services space

#### BX-134

### TYPE: Strategic SEEKING:

- Mid-Market and/or Enterprise focus
- ML Ops, AWS, ICM, AI, Data, DevOps
- \$1-6M in EBITDA
- \$1-10M in Revenue
- US based

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$15M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning cloud consulting and enablement provider that helps the Fortune 500 accelerate digital transformation
- IT, cloud, and DevOps experts help organizations leverage the cloud for transformative growth

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#### BX-136

### TYPE: Angel Investor SEEKING:

- MSP, AWS
- \$1-3M in EBITDA
- \$1-20M Revenue

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$10M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Partner with small and mid-sized companies on a long-term journey to help them become market leaders
- Assist business owners looking to exit their ventures by acquiring their companies, allowing them to benefit from our growth and success

#### BX-137

### TYPE: Strategic SEEKING:

- Azure, MSP
- Software Development, Data Analytics
- \$1-3M in EBITDA
- \$1-20M

### TRANSACTION SIZE: \$7.5M COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Ohio based
- Software development and Data Analytics company with strong offshore team

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### About Us

Headquartered in Cleveland, Ohio, IT ExchangeNet has more than 26 years of experience facilitating M&A transactions in the IT Services sector. We own a buyer database of more than 85,000 global mid-market IT decision makers.

Since 1998, our firm has fostered strong and steady relationships with private equity firms and strategic buyers who seek to expand their business platforms and geographic footprint through M&A.

#### **AREAS OF EXPERTISE INCLUDE:**

- Managed Security Services Providers (MSSPs)
- Managed Services Providers (MSPs)
- Cloud Services Providers
- IT Services Providers
- VARs
- Digital/Database Marketing Firms

We keep it simple: Learn the intimate details about our clients, and then identify the best possible buyers to make the acquisition based on aligned businesses philosophies, cultural fit, and total transaction value.

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