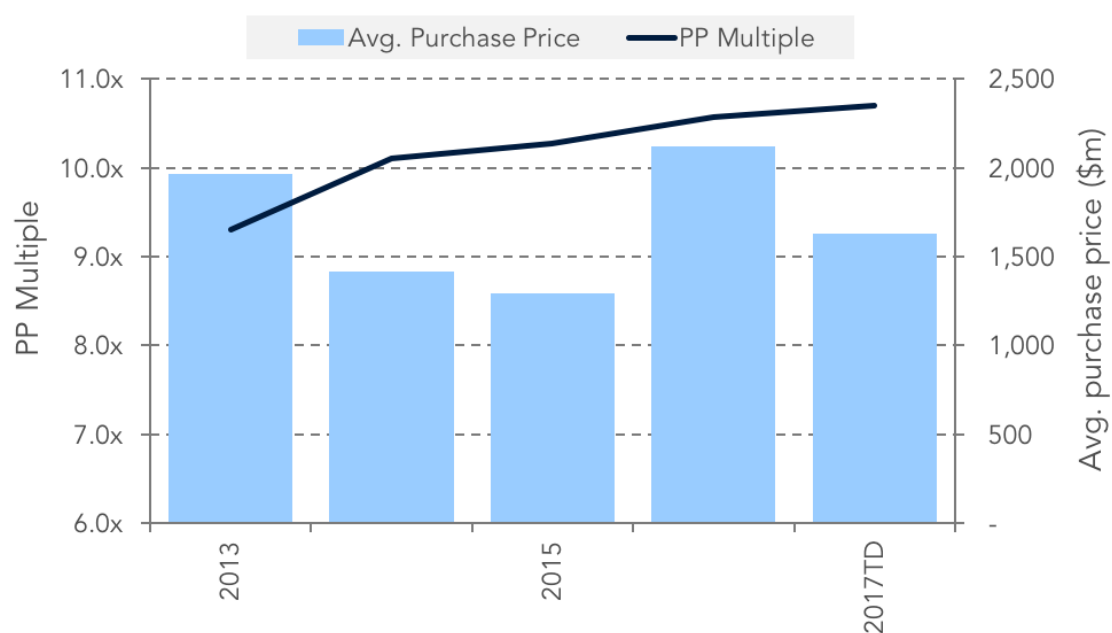


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The average buyout price in the overall market has shrunk by \$500 million so far this quarter, though it's up as a multiple of ebitda.

Average purchase price for overall market debt-financed LBOs



Sources: Thomson Reuters LPC