

# Middle Market Deal Terms at a Glance – Nov 2018

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| Deal Component                                                                                                           | November 2018                                                                                                                                                                                                   | November 2017                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Cash Flow Senior Debt<br>(x EBITDA)                                                                                      | Micro Cap 1.75x - 2.50x<br>Small Cap 2.75x - 3.75x<br>Midcap 3.25x-4.75x                                                                                                                                        | Micro Cap 1.75x-3.00x<br>Small Cap 2.75x-4.00x<br>Midcap 3.25x-4.75x                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Total Debt Limit<br>(x EBITDA)                                                                                           | Micro Cap 3.25x-4.00x<br>Small Cap 4.00x-5.25x<br>Midcap 4.50x-6.00x                                                                                                                                            | Micro Cap 3.25x-4.50x<br>Small Cap 3.50x-5.00x<br>Midcap 4.50x-6.00x                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Senior Cash Flow Pricing                                                                                                 | Bank: L+2.50%-5.00%<br>Non-Bank: <\$7.5MM EBITDA L+4.00%-6.50%<br>Non-Bank: >\$15.0MM EBITDA L+4.00%-6.00%<br>(2.00% floor)                                                                                     | Bank: L+3.00%-5.00%<br>Non-Bank: <\$10.0MM EBITDA L+5.50%-8.00%<br>Non-Bank: >\$15.0MM EBITDA L+4.50%-6.00%                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Second Lien Pricing (Avg)                                                                                                | Micro Cap L+7.00%-10.00% floating<br>(2.00% floor)<br>Small Cap L+6.00%-8.50% floating<br>(2.00% floor)<br>Midcap L+5.00%-7.00% floating<br>(2.00% floor)<br>Fixed rate options range from 7.0%-11.0%.          | Micro Cap L+7.00%-12.00% floating<br>(0.50%-1.00% fl)<br>Small Cap L+6.50%-8.50% floating<br>(0.50%-1.00% fl)<br>Midcap L+6.00%-7.50% floating<br>(0.50%-1.00% fl)<br>Fixed rate options range from 7.0%-11.0%.                                                                |
| Subordinated Debt Pricing                                                                                                | Micro Cap 11.00%-14.00%<br>Small Cap 10.00%-12.00%<br>Midcap 8.50%-11.00%<br>Warrants limited to distressed and special situations;<br>Second lien may buy down to ~9.0%.                                       | Micro Cap 12.00%-14.00%<br>Small Cap 10.00%-13.00%<br>Midcap 10.00%-12.00%<br>Warrants limited to distressed and special situations;<br>Second lien may buy down to ~9.0%.                                                                                                     |
| Unitranche Pricing                                                                                                       | Micro Cap L+7.00%-10.00%<br>Small Cap L+6.00%-8.50%<br>Midcap L+5.50%-7.50%<br>Fixed rate options range from 7.0%-11.0%.<br>ABL revolver can be arranged outside of the Unitranche to arbitrage all-in pricing. | Micro Cap L+7.00%-12.00%<br>(0.50%-1.00% fl)<br>Small Cap L+6.50%-8.50%<br>(0.50%-1.00% fl)<br>Midcap L+6.00%-7.50%<br>(0.50%-1.00%-1.50% fl)<br>Fixed rate options range from 7.0%-11.0%. ABL revolver can be arranged outside of the Unitranche to arbitrage all-in pricing. |
| *Micro Cap= <\$7.5mm EBITDA / *Small Cap= >\$10mm EBITDA / *Midcap= >\$20mm EBITDA / *Changes from last month are in red |                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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