

European M&A Overview: League Tables of Legal Advisers



Legal Advisers to Italian M&A: Value

Ranking		Company Name	2010		2009		% Value Change
Y/E 2009	Y/E 2010		Value (US\$m)	Deal Count	Value (US\$m)	Deal Count	
10	1	Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners	24,301	23	4,780	408.4%	
8	2	Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	23,249	8	5,947	290.9%	
-	3=	Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld	21,993	1	-	-	
-	3=	Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom	21,993	1	-	-	
87	3=	Weil Gotshal & Manges	21,993	1	35	62,737.1%	
13	6	Legance Studio Legale Associato	14,130	10	3,997	253.5%	
93	7=	Studio Legale Grande Stevens	12,552	1	26	48,176.9%	
25	7=	Sullivan & Cromwell	12,552	1	2,000	527.6%	
3	9	Bonelli Erede Pappalardo	10,483	24	17,375	-39.7%	
2	10	Chiomenti Studio Legale	3,035	28	20,968	-85.5%	
7	11	Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	2,894	7	6,786	-57.4%	
15	12	Linklaters	2,649	15	3,245	-18.4%	
12	13	Allen & Overy	2,199	8	4,118	-46.6%	
6	14	Cuatrecasas, Goncalves Pereira	2,028	4	14,283	-85.8%	
1	15	Clifford Chance	1,911	9	23,252	-91.8%	

Legal Advisers to Italian M&A: Volume

Ranking		Company Name	2010		2009		Count Change
Y/E 2009	Y/E 2010		Value (US\$m)	Deal Count	Deal Count	Count Change	
1	1	Chiomenti Studio Legale	3,035	28	36	-8	
3	2	Bonelli Erede Pappalardo	10,483	24	24	0	
2	3	Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners	24,301	23	25	-2	
7	4	d'Urso Gatti e Bianchi - Studio Legale Associato	1,319	22	13	9	
12	5	Dewey & LeBoeuf	1,684	16	9	7	
10	6	Linklaters	2,649	15	11	4	
15	7	NCTM Studio Legale Associato	241	13	8	5	
6	8	Legance Studio Legale Associato	14,130	10	13	-3	
16	9	Latham & Watkins	1,168	10	6	4	
4	10	Clifford Chance	1,911	9	15	-6	
21	11	Studio Legale Lombardi Molinari e Associati	216	9	5	4	
23	12	Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati	148	9	5	4	
9	13	Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	23,249	8	11	-3	
5	14	Allen & Overy	2,199	8	15	-7	
8	15	Studio Pedersoli e Associati	1,485	8	12	-4	