



# CONTROL PREMIUM & DISCOUNT FOR LACK OF MARKETABILITY STUDY

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# SUMMARY

	3rd Quarter of 2025	Trailing 12 months
Covered Period	1 Jul 2025 to 30 Sept 2025	1 Oct 2024 to 30 Sept 2025
<b>Published Notifiable Transactions Circulars on HKEXnews</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>325</b>
<b>Including Full Valuation Reports with the Adoption of Control Premium(s)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Including Full Valuation Reports with the Adoption of Discount(s) for Lack of Marketability</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>23</b>

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# 2025 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Key Findings

## Control Premium

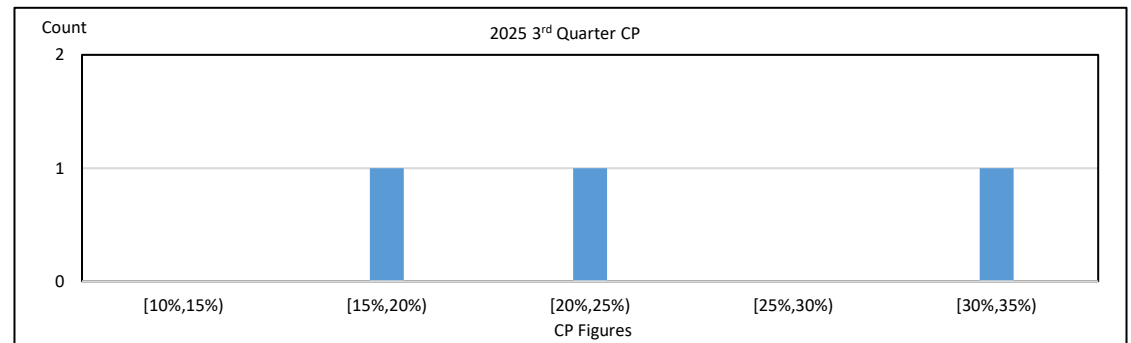
- 3 out of 76 circulars included valuation report with the adoption of control premium (“CP”).
- 66.7% of valuers quoted figures from the ‘Control Premium Study’ by FactSet Mergerstat, LLC.
- 33.3% of valuers quoted figures from other sources.

Table 1(a) Summary Statistics of CP adopted

CP Range	CP Average	CP Median	CP Upper Quartile	CP Lower Quartile
15.6%-30.6%	23.3%	23.7%	27.2%	19.7%

Table 1(b) Sources of CP

‘Control Premium Study’ published by FactSet Mergerstat, LLC	Others
2	1



## Discount for Lack of Marketability

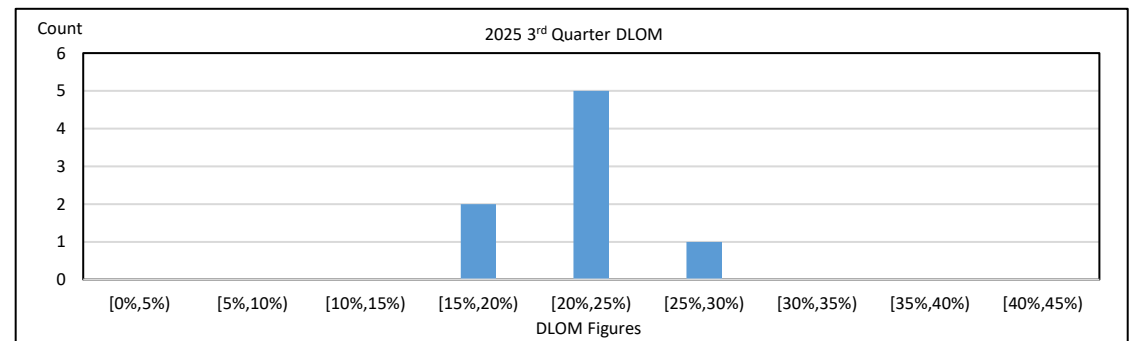
- 8 out of 76 circulars included valuation reports with the adoption of discounts for lack of marketability (“DLOM”).
- 62.5% of valuers quoted figures from the ‘Stout Restricted Stock Study Companion Guide’ by Stout Risius Ross, LLC.
- 37.5% of valuers quoted figures from other sources.

Table 2(a) Summary Statistics of DLOM adopted

DLOM Range	DLOM Average	DLOM Median	DLOM Upper Quartile	DLOM Lower Quartile
15.6%- 28.7%	20.8%	20.4%	21.5%	19.2%

Table 2(b) Sources of DLOM

‘Stout Restricted Stock Study Companion Guide’ by Stout Risius Ross, LLC	Others
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# 30 September 2025 Trailing 12 Months Key Findings

## Control Premium

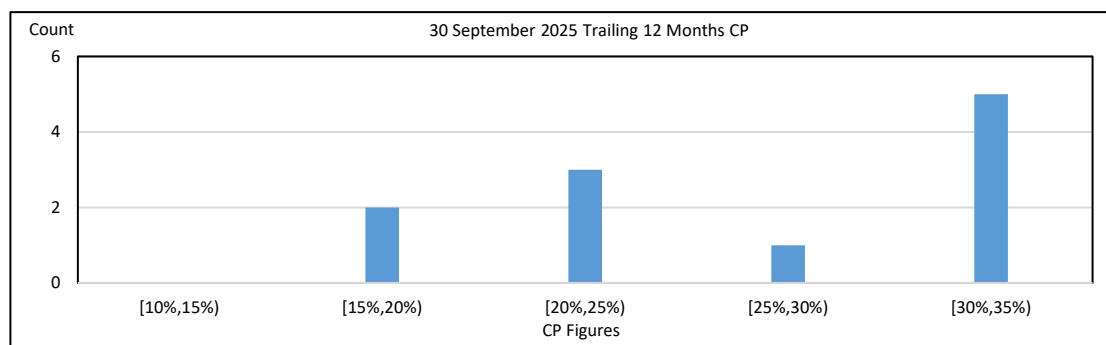
- 11 out of 325 circulars included valuation reports with the adoption of control premiums.
- 81.8% of valuers quoted figures from the 'Control Premium Study' by FactSet Mergerstat, LLC.
- 18.2% of valuers quoted figures from other sources.

Table 3(a) Summary Statistics of CP adopted

CP Range	CP Average	CP Median	CP Upper Quartile	CP Lower Quartile
15.6%- 36.0%	26.4%	26.8%	31.7%	22.2%

Table 3(b) Sources of CP

'Control Premium Study' published by FactSet Mergerstat, LLC	Others
9	2



## Discount for Lack of Marketability

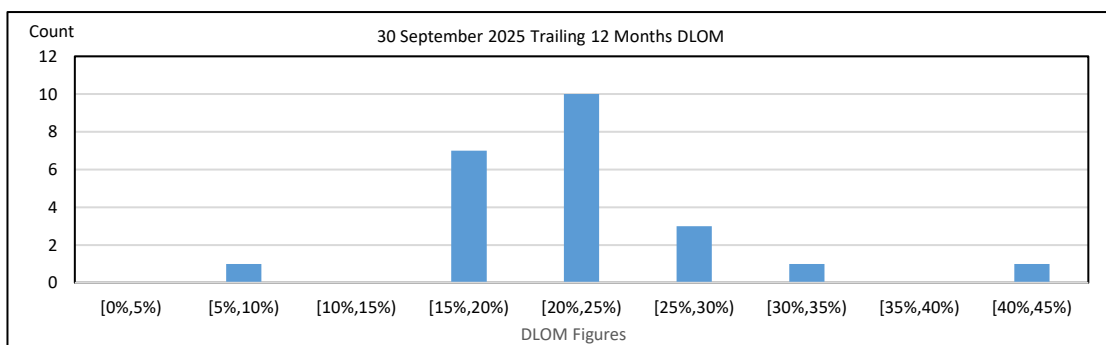
- 23 out of 325 circulars included valuation reports with the adoption of discounts for lack of marketability.
- 65.2% of valuers quoted figures from the 'Stout Restricted Stock Study Companion Guide' by Stout Risius Ross, LLC.
- 34.8% of valuers quoted figures from other sources.

Table 4(a) Summary Statistics of DLOM adopted

DLOM Range	DLOM Average	DLOM Median	DLOM Upper Quartile	DLOM Lower Quartile
5.0%- 42.9%	20.8%	20.4%	22.6%	16.1%

Table 4(b) Sources of DLOM

'Stout Restricted Stock Study Companion Guide' by Stout Risius Ross, LLC	Others
15	8



# FY 2025 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Research Summary

Publish Date	Stock Code	Listed Entity	Valuation Subject(s)	Location <sup>1</sup>	Transaction Type	Equity Stake (%)	Connected Transaction	CP	DLOM
14-Jul-2025	553	Nanjing Panda Electronics Company Limited	Ericsson Panda Communication Co., Ltd	China	Major Disposal	27.0%	No	N/A	28.7%
21-Aug-2025	387	Leeport (Holdings) Limited	Femto s.à.r.l.	Italy, Spain and France	Major Disposal	2.6%	No	N/A	20.4%
25-Aug-2025	1617	Nanfang Communication Holdings Limited	Source Photonics Holdings (Cayman) Limited	China	Very Substantial Disposal	4.0%	No	N/A	20.4%
19-Sep-2025	1315	Green Economy Development Limited	Prosper Ace Investments Limited	Hong Kong	Major Disposal	100.0%	Yes	30.6%	20.4%
25-Sep-2025	656	Fosun International Limited	Shanghai Yuyuan Jewelry Fashion Group Co., Ltd.	China	Major Disposal	100.0%	No	N/A	24.7%
25-Sep-2025	1620	Cinese International Group Holdings Limited	BVTEHC Inc. together with its subsidiary, Tour East Holidays (Canada) Inc.	Canada	Major Disposal	100.0%	No	23.7%	20.4%
29-Sep-2025	2195	Unity Enterprise Holdings Limited	Newco Construction Engineering Limited	Hong Kong	Major Acquisition	100.0%	No	15.6%	15.6%
30-Sep-2025	1396	Guangdong-Hong Kong Greater Bay Area Holdings Limited	Wisdom Knight Holdings Limited (BVI)	China	Major Acquisition	100.0%	No	N/A	15.6%

## Remarks:

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2. For each circular we studied, if there are more than one valuation subject involved:
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25-Nov-2024	9911	Newborn Town Inc.	NBT Social Networking Inc.	China	Major Acquisition	100.0%	Yes	N/A	20.5%
12-Dec-2024	2195	Unity Enterprise Holdings Limited	Suntec Construction & Engineering Limited	Hong Kong	Major Acquisition	100.0%	No	15.6%	15.7%
20-Jan-2025	2138	EC Healthcare	(1) New Medical Centre Holding Limited (2) Hong Kong Medical Advanced Imaging (TST) Limited	Hong Kong	(1) Very Substantial Disposal (2) Major Acquisition	(1)51.0% (2)40.0%	Yes	(1)36.0%	(1)(2)25.0%
24-Jan-2025	8146	Grace Wine Holdings Limited	(1) Epic Wealth Holdings Limited (2) Pacific Surplus Limited	China	Very substantial disposals	(1)30.0% (2)100.0%	Yes	N/A	15.7%
24-Jan-2025	451	GCL New Energy Holdings Limited	Harmonic Century Global Limited	China	Major Acquisition	100.0%	Yes	30.9%	N/A
05-Mar-2025	6909	BetterLife Holding Limited	Beijing Jiguang Xinghui Automobile Sales and Service Co., Ltd.	China	Very Substantial Acquisition	100.0%	No	22.5%	18.9%
14-Mar-2025	3860	EPS Creative Health Technology Group Limited	Biotube Co., Ltd.	Hong Kong	Major Disposal	51.0%	Yes	N/A	20.4%
16-Mar-2025	1611	Sinohope Technology Holdings Limited	Avenir Asset Holding Limited	Japan	Very Substantial Acquisition	100.0%	Yes	(1)13.6% (2)30.2%	42.9%
17-Mar-2025	2618	JD Logistics, Inc	Kuayue-Express Group Co., Ltd.	China	Major Acquisition	36.4%	Yes	N/A	5.0%
15-Apr-2025	353	Energy International Investments Holdings Limited	Shandong Shundong Port Services Company Limited	China	Major Acquisition	29.8%	Yes	N/A	16.4%
22-May-2025	1450	Be Friends Holding Limited	Century Sage Scientific International Limited	China	Major Disposal	100.0%	No	N/A	25.5%
30-May-2025	8115	Shanghai Qingpu Fire-Fighting Equipment Co., Ltd.	Qingda Oriental Fire-Fighting Technology Group Co., Ltd	China	Very Substantial Acquisition	100.0%	Yes	26.8%	30.0%

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25-Jun-2025	290 / 1140	GoFintech Quantum Innovation Limited / Wealthink AI-Innovation Capital Limited	CSOP Asset Management Company Limited	Hong Kong	Very Substantial Acquisition / Very Substantial Disposal	22.5%	Yes	N/A	20.4%
30-Jun-2025	8350	Well Link Securities Holdings Limited	Sea and Alpine Company Limited	Hong Kong and China	Major Acquisition	100.0%	Yes	34.6%	15.6%
30-Jun-2025	8292	Worldgate Global Logistics Ltd	V Sing Global Limited	Hong Kong	Major Acquisition	100.0%	No	32.6%	20.4%
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**Further Research and Analysis**

The above table represents an extract of our comprehensive research. Further research data and analysis are available upon request.

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