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Morgan Lewis Ranks with Top Firms in 2009 Year-End M&A League Tables

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- Ranked sixth, U.S. announced deals up to \$50 million (based on deal count with 50) and ranked seventh, U.S. announced deals up to \$250 million (based on deal count with 61), *Bloomberg*, 2009
- Ranked 10th, deals with undisclosed and disclosed values up to and including \$100 million (based on number of transactions with 41), *Buyouts*, 2009
- Ranked 14th, U.S. target mid-market deals for values up to \$500 million (based on number of deals with 53) and ranked 12th, French involvement mid-market deals for values up to \$500 million (based on rank value at \$695M), *Thomson Reuters*, 2009
- Ranked 14th, legal advisors to U.S. (Northeast), mergers & acquisitions based on number of transactions (with 30 deals), *Mergermarket*, 2009

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