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Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

The Company utilized non-GAAP calculations of presented net revenues, compensation and benefits, non-compensation operating expenses, income from continuing operations before income taxes, provision for income taxes, net income from continuing operations, net income, compensation and non-compensation operating expense ratios, pre-tax margin and diluted earnings per share as an additional measure to aid in understanding and analyzing the Company's financial results for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2014. Specifically, the Company believes that the non-GAAP measures provide useful information by excluding certain items that may not be indicative of the Company's core operating results and business outlook. The Company believes that these non-GAAP measures will allow for a better evaluation of the operating performance of the business and facilitate a meaningful comparison of the Company's results in the current period to those in prior periods and future periods. Reference to these non-GAAP measures should not be considered as a substitute for results that are presented in a manner consistent with GAAP. These non-GAAP measures are provided to enhance investors' overall understanding of the Company's financial performance.

Stifel Overview

Stifel – Premier Investment Bank and Full-Service Investment Firm STIFEL

| Stifel at a Glance Core Net Revenue - \$2,213 million | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Global Wealth Management (GWM) Net Revenue - \$1,233 million | Institutional Group (IG) Net Revenue - \$994 million | | | | | | |
| Private Client Stifel Bank & Trust Margin and Securities-based Lending Asset Management | Equity & Fixed Income Capital Raising M&A Advisory / Restructuring Institutional Equity and Fixed Income Brokerage Independent Research | | | | | | |

- Low leverage (3.1x) ^{(1) (2)}, \$2.3 billion stockholders' equity ⁽²⁾ and \$3.7 billion market capitalization ⁽³⁾
- 34% Insider ownership aligns employees' interests with other shareholders ⁽⁴⁾
- Over 6,200 associates⁽²⁾
- Balanced business mix (55% GWM / 45% IG) (2014 net revenues)
- Over 2,100 financial advisors⁽²⁾ with \$187 billion in combined client assets⁽²⁾ national presence
- Largest U.S. equity research platforms with over 1,400 stocks under coverage⁽²⁾
- Broad investment banking and institutional sales and trading capabilities domestic and international

⁽¹⁾ Assets / equity (as adjusted).

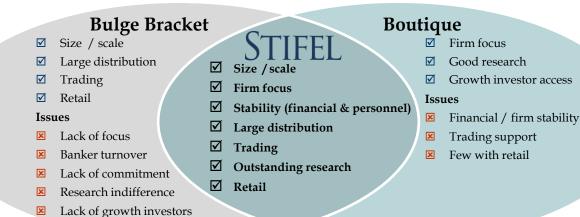
⁽²⁾ As of 12/31/2014.

⁽³⁾ As of 3/6/2015.

⁽⁴⁾ Insider ownership percentage includes all fully diluted shares, units outstanding and options outstanding, as of 12/31/2014.

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Stifel's Differentiated Value Proposition: Growth, Scale and Stability



Institutional

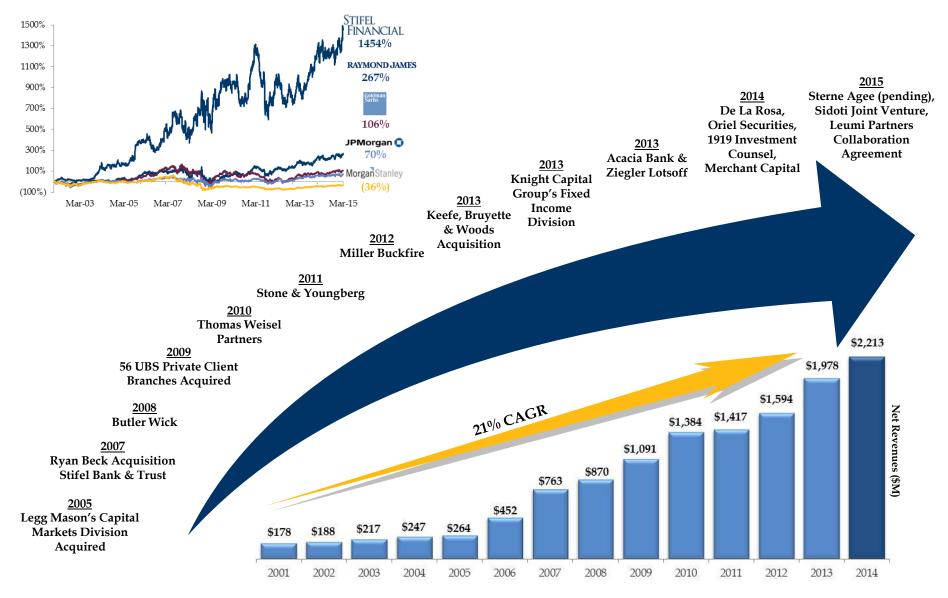
- *LARGEST* provider of U.S. equity research
- <u>2nd LARGEST</u> Equity trading platform in the U.S. outside of the Bulge Bracket firms⁽¹⁾
- <u>FULL SERVICE</u> investment banking with expertise across products and industry sectors
- <u>ACCESS TO</u> top ten private client platform
- (1) Based on 2014 U.S. trading volume per Bloomberg.
- (2) Source: SIFMA and publicly available information for U.S. brokerage networks. Includes investment banks only. Represents Wealth Management Americas segment only.

Wealth Management

| Retail Brokerage by Number of Advisors ⁽²⁾ | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| Rank | Firm | Advisors | | | | |
| 1 | Morgan Stanley Wealth Management | 16,162 | | | | |
| 2 | Bank of America Merrill Lynch | 15,900 | | | | |
| 3 | Wells Fargo Securities | 15,163 | | | | |
| 4 | Raymond James | 6,265 | | | | |
| 5 | UBS | 4,286 | | | | |
| 6 | Stifel + Sterne Agee | 2,833 | | | | |
| | Stifel | 2,103 | | | | |
| 7 | RBC Capital Markets | 1,900 | | | | |
| 8 | Oppenheimer & Co Inc | 1,390 | | | | |
| 9 | JPM organ | 800 | | | | |
| 10 | Deutsche Bank | 772 | | | | |
| 11 | Sterne Agee & Leach Inc | 730 | | | | |
| 12 | Janney Montgomery Scott | 725 | | | | |
| 13 | Robert W Baird & Co | 709 | | | | |
| 14 | Stephens Inc. | 526 | | | | |
| 15 | Southwest Securities Inc | 464 | | | | |

Significant Growth





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Building Scale

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Each merger has been accretive to Stifel and retention remains high

| MERCHANT CAPITAL | Public Finance December 2014 | Miller Buckfire | Restructuring advisoryDecember 2012 |
|---|--|---|--|
| 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 1 | Customized investment advisory and trust services November 2014 | Privat | Income IB, Sales and Trading te Client less & efficient integration per 2011 |
| | UK-based full service investment bank July 2014 | Invest Thomas Weisel Partners Resea | th Focused tment Banking rch, Sales and Trading eved cost efficiencies 010 |
| DE LA ROSA | California-based investment bank and bond underwriter April 2014 | 56 UBS Branches [®] Rever | tations |
| Ziegler Lotsoff | Asset Management Over \$4 billion in assets November 2013 | BW investments-trust-insurance - Public Seam | te Client c Finance less & efficient integration nber 2008 |
| | Clean portfolio of 1-4 family residential mortgages October 2013 | FIRST SERVICE BANK • Finance | holding company cial holding company an assets from ~ \$100M to \$5.0B 2007 |
| Knight Fixed Income | Fixed Income Sales and Trading – U.S. & Europe Fixed Income Research July 2013 | Privat Privat Capita Achie | te Client al Markets e ved cost savings objectives ary 2007 |
| <u><u>KBW</u></u> | FIG Investment Banking FIG Sales and Trading / Research Exceeded expectations February 2013 | LEGG CAPITAL MASON MARKETS • Signif Capita • Achie | ficant enhancement to our al Markets business ved cost savings objectives nber 2005 |

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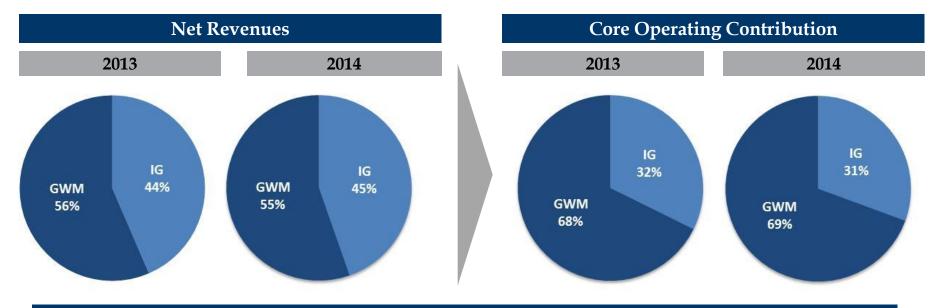
MILLER BUCKFIRE

- Closed December 31, 2014
- Closed November 7, 2014
- Added approximately \$9 billion in client assets
- Closed July 31, 2014 / Full-service broker-dealer based in London
- Integration and conversion efforts scheduled for Q1 2015
- Ranked #1 in municipal negotiated issues in 2014¹
- Ranked #1 in 2014 municipal negotiated:
 - ■K-12
 - ■TIF
 - Assessment District Financing
 - Multifamily Housing Financing
- Stifel/KBW ranked #1 M&A advisor in the mid-market in 2014²
- Ranked #1 in bank M&A in 2014³
- Ranked #1 in bank & thrift IPOs in 2014⁴
- Ranked #2 in bankruptcy cases for the fourth quarter of 2014⁵

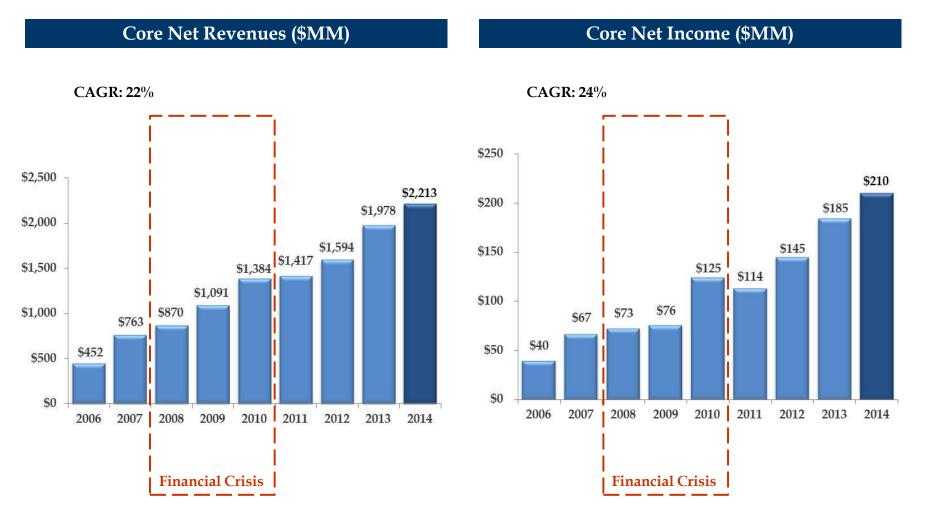
Sources: ¹Ranking according to Thomson Reuters SDC. Includes acquired firms. ²Ranking according to Thomson Reuters. ³Ranking according to SNL Financial based on deal value. ⁴Ranking according to SNL Financial based on deal credit. ⁵Ranking according to The Deal.

Well-diversified, low risk business model with balanced retail and institutional exposure

- Unburdened by capital constraints
- Low leverage business model and conservative risk management
- Limited balance sheet risk
- Stable wealth management business is augmented by profitable and growing institutional business
- Drive revenue synergies by leveraging the wealth management and institutional business



Balanced business model facilitates growth in all market environments



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Segment Overview – Global Wealth Management

Global Wealth Management

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Provides Securities Brokerage Services and Stifel Bank Products

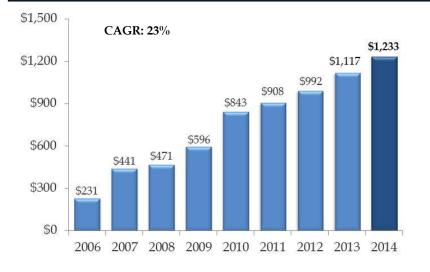
Overview

- Grown from 600+ financial advisors in 2005 to over 2,100⁽¹⁾ financial advisors currently
- Proven organic growth and acquirer of private client business
- Individual investors are generally mid- to long-term buyers
- Goal of providing price stability and support to the institutional order book
- Strategy of recruiting experienced advisors with established client relationships
- Expanding U.S. footprint

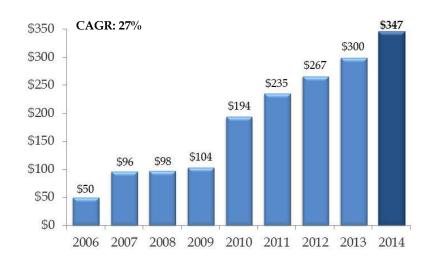
National Presence



Net Revenues (\$MM)

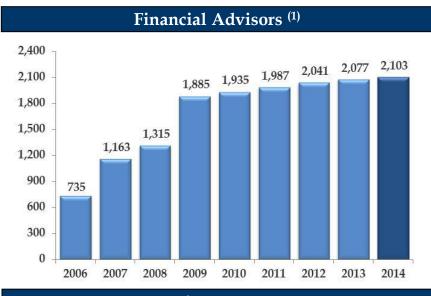




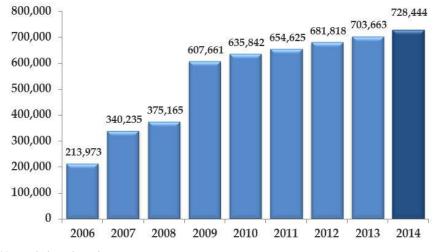


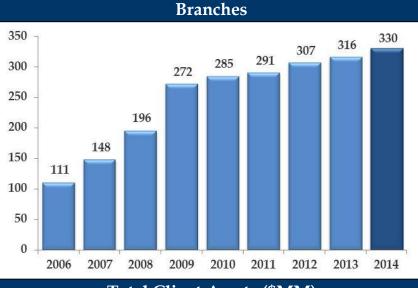
Global Wealth Management

Key Operating Metrics

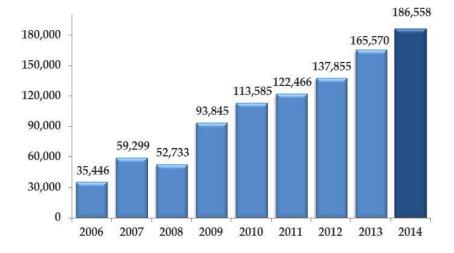


Accounts





Total Client Assets (\$MM)



Stifel Bank and Trust

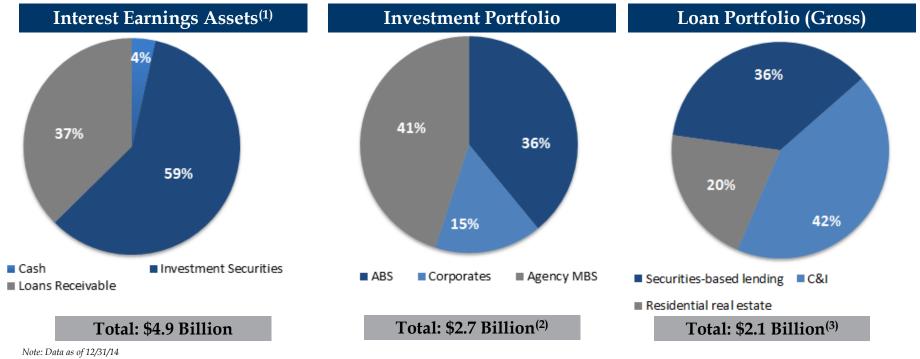
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Overview

- Acquired FirstService Bank, a St. Louis-based, Missouri-chartered commercial bank, in April 2007
- Stifel Financial became a bank holding company and financial services holding company
- Balance sheet growth with low-risk assets
- Funded by Stifel Nicolaus client deposits
- Maintain high levels of liquidity

Strength of Brokerage Position

- Offers banking products (securities based loans and mortgage loans) within the GWM client base, including establishing trust services
 - Built-in source of business
 - High net worth clients
- Highly efficient due to lack of "brick and mortar" deposit focused facilities



(1) Average interest earning assets as of 12/31/14.

(2) Non-agency MBS, Commercial MBS, and Munis make up less than 10% of Investment Portfolio.

(3) Commercial Real Estate and Home Equity Lines of Credit make up less than 1% of the loan portfolio.

Growing Asset Management Capabilities

| Total Assets: \$20.1 Billion ¹ | | |
|---|---------------------|--|
| | Assets ¹ | Location |
| 1999 INVESTMENT COUNSEL | \$10.0 Billion | Baltimore, New York, Cincinnati, Philadelphia |
| Ziegler | \$6.0 Billion | Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Louis |
| EQUITY COMPASS STRAIEGIES | \$2.0 Billion | Baltimore, MD |
| Capital Management LLC | \$1.0 Billion | Portland, OR |
| WASHINGTON CROSSING ADVISORS | \$755 Million | Florham Park, NJ |
| THOMAS WEISEL CAPITAL MANAGEMENT | \$305 Million | San Francisco, CA |

¹Asset as of December 31, 2014. Includes assets under advisement and assets under management. Excludes private equity funds. Missouri Valley Partners merged with Ziegler Capital Management, LLC on 10/31/2014

Segment Overview – Institutional Group

Institutional Group

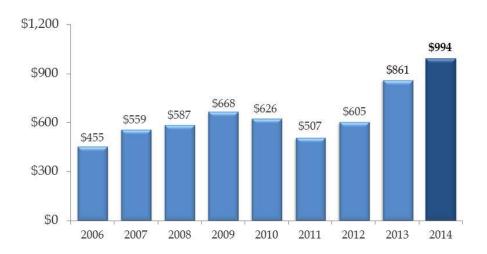
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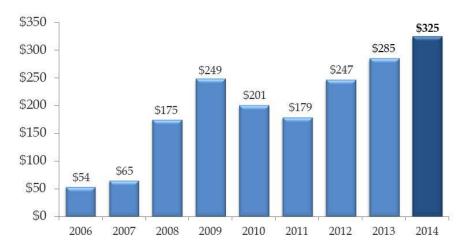
- Provides securities brokerage, trading, research, underwriting and corporate advisory services
- Largest provider of U.S. Equity Research
- 2nd largest Equity trading platform in the U.S. outside of the Bulge Bracket⁽¹⁾
- Full-service Investment Bank
- Comprehensive Fixed Income platform



Net Revenues (\$MM)⁽²⁾⁽³⁾



Fixed Income Brokerage + Investment Banking



Based on 2014 U.S. trading volume per Bloomberg. (2) Includes Thomas Weisel historical investment banking revenues for years 2006 through September 30, 2010.
 (3) 2012 includes realized and unrealized gains on the Company's investment in Knight Capital Group, Inc. of \$39.0 million.

Institutional Group - Research

Largest U.S. Equity Research Platform

U.S. Equity Research Coverage ⁽¹⁾

| | Comp | anies Under Co | overage |
|----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Firm | Overall | Mid Cap ⁽²⁾ | Small Cap ⁽²⁾ |
| Stifel/KBW | 1426 | 521 | 448 |
| BofA Merrill Lynch | 1169 | 450 | 140 |
| Wells Fargo Securities | 1095 | 413 | 182 |
| JPMorgan | 1070 | 396 | 127 |
| Goldman Sachs | 1021 | 356 | 75 |
| Credit Suisse | 969 | 303 | 155 |
| Barclays | 967 | 309 | 113 |
| Raymond James | 955 | 368 | 250 |
| Morgan Stanley | 953 | 312 | 91 |
| RBC Capital Markets | 934 | 329 | 133 |
| Jefferies & Co. | 924 | 319 | 177 |
| Deutsche Bank Securities | 893 | 287 | 123 |
| Citi | 860 | 283 | 107 |
| UBS | 780 | 221 | 83 |
| Robert W. Baird & Co | 667 | 244 | 137 |
| Cowen And Company | 639 | 202 | 168 |
| BMO Capital Markets | 630 | 195 | 104 |
| William Blair & Company | 588 | 208 | 156 |
| Keybanc Capital Markets | 565 | 268 | N/A |
| Evercore | 559 | N/A | N/A |
| Morningstar, Inc. | 545 | N/A | N/A |
| Piper Jaffray | 540 | 180 | 175 |
| Sterne, Agee & Leach | 530 | 203 | 120 |
| Suntrust Robinson Humphrey | 524 | 213 | 112 |
| Macquarie Group | 509 | 182 | 77 |
| | Stifel/KBWBofA Merrill LynchWells Fargo SecuritiesJPMorganGoldman SachsCredit SuisseBarclaysRaymond JamesMorgan StanleyRBC Capital MarketsJefferies & Co.Deutsche Bank SecuritiesCitiUBSRobert W. Baird & CoCowen And CompanyBMO Capital MarketsWilliam Blair & CompanyKeybanc Capital MarketsEvercoreMorningstar, Inc.Piper JaffraySterne, Agee & LeachSuntrust Robinson Humphrey | FirmOverallStifel/KBW1426BofA Merrill Lynch1169Wells Fargo Securities1095JPMorgan1070Goldman Sachs1021Credit Suisse969Barclays967Raymond James955Morgan Stanley953RBC Capital Markets934Jefferies & Co.924Deutsche Bank Securities893Citi860UBS780Robert W. Baird & Co667Cowen And Company639BMO Capital Markets630William Blair & Company588Keybanc Capital Markets565Evercore559Morningstar, Inc.545Piper Jaffray540Sterne, Agee & Leach530Suntrust Robinson Humphrey524 | Stifel/KBW 1426 521 BofA Merrill Lynch 1169 450 Wells Fargo Securities 1095 413 JPMorgan 1070 396 Goldman Sachs 1021 356 Credit Suisse 969 303 Barclays 967 309 Raymond James 955 368 Morgan Stanley 953 312 RBC Capital Markets 934 329 Jefferies & Co. 924 319 Deutsche Bank Securities 893 287 Citi 860 283 UBS 780 221 Robert W. Baird & Co 667 244 Cowen And Company 639 202 BMO Capital Markets 630 195 William Blair & Company 588 208 Keybanc Capital Markets 565 268 Evercore 559 N/A Morningstar, Inc. 545 N/A Piper Jaffray 540 |

⁽¹⁾ Source: StarMine rankings as of 3/3/15. Does not include Closed End Funds.

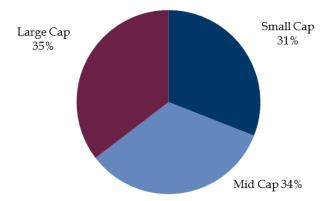
(2) Small Cap includes market caps less than \$1 billion; Mid Cap includes market caps less than \$5 billion.

Note: Bold font indicates middle-market firms.

(3) Research coverage distribution as of 1/27/15.

Stifel Research Highlights

- Largest provider of U.S. Equity Research
- Largest provider of U.S. Small Cap Research
- 116 analysts globally across 12 sectors
- Largest provider of Financial Services coverage
- Ranked #5 in the FT/Starmine 2014 Survey



Coverage Balanced Across All Market Caps (3)

Institutional Group - Equity Sales and Trading

Powerful Platform Spanning North America and Europe

Institutional Equity Sales

- 103 person sales force, commission based
- Experts in small and mid cap growth and value
- Team based sales model with 2-4 sales people per account
- Team leaders have an average of 15 years experience
- Offices in all major institutional markets in North America & Europe
- Accounts range from large mutual funds to small industry focused investors
- Managed over 712 non-deal roadshow days in 2014
- Extensive experience with traditional and overnight corporate finance transactions

Equity Trading

- 92 sales traders located in
 - Baltimore, New York, Boston, Dallas, San Francisco, and London
- 28 position traders covering each major industry
- 8 specialized traders focused on: Option Trading, Convertible and ETF Trading
- Profitable model with advantages of scale

Extensive Distribution Network

- Relationships with over 3,500 institutional accounts globally
- Active daily market maker in over 3,700 stocks
- Traded over 11.76 billion shares in 2014
- Complete coverage of North America and Europe for North American listed equities
- Major liquidity provider to largest equity money management complexes
- Multi-execution venues: high-touch, algorithms, program trading, and direct market access
- Dedicated convertible sales, trading, and research desk

Institutional Group - Fixed Income

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Strong Fixed Income Brokerage Capabilities

Overview

Comprehensive platform

90 traders with annual client trade volume approaching \$400 billion

- 28-person Fixed Income Research and Strategy Group
- 7 person US Corporate Debt Capital Markets Group
- Widespread distribution
 - More than 200 Institutional sales professionals covering over 6,500 accounts
 - 40 institutional fixed income offices nationwide
 - European offices in London and Zurich
 - Customer-driven
 - Focus on long-only money managers and income funds versus hedge funds
 - Consistency of execution
 - Identification of relative value through asset class/security selection

Platform & Products

- US Government and Agency Securities
- Investment Grade Credit
- Mortgage-Backed Securities (MBS)
- Reverse MBS
- Whole Loans
- Government-Guaranteed Loans
- Asset-Backed Securities (ABS)
- Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities (CMBS)
- Certificates of Deposit

Client Distribution ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

- Municipal Sales and Trading and Public Finance
- UK Sales and Trading (former Knight Capital team)
- High Yield and Distressed Credit
- Loan Trading Group
- Aircraft Finance & Credit Solutions
- Hybrid Securities
- Emerging Markets
- Structured Products

(1) Client Distribution is as of 11/30/2014.

(2) Other category includes: Credit Union, Corporation, Hedge Fund, Pension Fund, Trust Company, Foundation, Endowment, University & Non-Profit...

Overview

- Stifel has ranked in the top ten nationally for senior managed negotiated underwritings for the past three years, and Stifel has ranked number one nationally for senior managed K-12 negotiated underwritings since 2011.
- Stifel's Public Finance Group ranked #1 in municipal negotiated issues in 2014
- Total of 21 Public Finance offices
- 105 Public Finance professionals
- Specialty sectors:
 - Education
 - Local Government/Municipal
 - Healthcare
 - Public-Private Partnerships/Development
 - Housing

Public Finance Underwritings

| Negotiated | | 2014 | | 2013 | 2012 | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|--|--|
| _ | Number | Par Amount | Number | Number Par Amount | | Par Amount | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Senior Manager/Private Placement | 630 | \$11,859,513,756 | 598 | \$9,928,173,963 | 559 | \$9,989,033,787 | | |
| Co-Manager | 174 | \$34,775,092,051 | 151 | \$41,793,904,000 | 162 | \$53,169,398,000 | | |
| Total | 804 | \$46,634,605,807 | 749 | \$51,722,077,963 | 721 | \$63,158,431,787 | | |
| Competitive | | 2014 | | 2013 | | 2012 | | |
| | | | Number Par Amount | | | - | | |
| | Number | Par Amount | Number | Par Amount | Number | Par Amount | | |
| | Number | Par Amount | Number | Par Amount | Number | Par Amount | | |
| Senior Manager | Number 65 | Par Amount \$3,357,904,999 | | Par Amount \$587,723,000 | | Par Amount \$803,240,000 | | |
| Senior Manager Co-Manager | | | 73 | | 114 | | | |

National K-12 2014 Negotiated Deal Rankings

| | | Par Amount | Mkt. | # of |
|------|----------------------------------|------------|-------|--------|
| Rank | Book Runner | (US\$ mil) | Share | Issues |
| 1 | Stifel Nicolaus & Co Inc | 4,704.3 | 11.4 | 295 |
| | | , | 10.6 | 295 |
| | J P Morgan Securities LLC | 4,365.9 | | _0 |
| 3 | RBC Capital Markets | 4,289.9 | 10.4 | 241 |
| 4 | Piper Jaffray & Co | 3,366.0 | 8.2 | 149 |
| 5 | Raymond James | 2,537.2 | 6.2 | 123 |
| 6 | Bank of America Merrill Lynch | 2,484.8 | 6.0 | 20 |
| 7 | Robert W Baird & Co Inc | 1,737.3 | 4.2 | 159 |
| 8 | Citi | 1,490.1 | 3.6 | 28 |
| 9 | BOSC Inc | 1,325.8 | 3.2 | 61 |
| 10 | D A Davidson & Co | 1,290.7 | 3.1 | 130 |
| 11 | George K Baum & Company Inc | 1,213.7 | 3.0 | 103 |
| 12 | Fifth Third Securities Inc | 1,149.0 | 2.8 | 74 |
| 13 | Morgan Stanley | 1,136.5 | 2.8 | 22 |
| 14 | Wells Fargo & Co | 973.2 | 2.4 | 18 |
| 15 | PNC Financial Services Group Inc | 660.6 | 1.6 | 38 |
| 16 | FirstSouthwest | 606.4 | 1.5 | 33 |
| 17 | Roosevelt & Cross Inc | 539.8 | 1.3 | 77 |
| 18 | Southwest Securities | 455.1 | 1.1 | 25 |
| 19 | City Securities Corporation | 426.3 | 1.0 | 33 |
| 20 | Janney Montgomery Scott LLC | 382.1 | .9 | 46 |
| | | | | |

Source: Thomson Reuters: SDC (True Economics to Book) Ranked by number of transactions.

Investment Banking

Accomplished U.S. Equity Underwriting Franchise – All Equity Transactions

All Managed Equity Deals Since 2010

| in bill | ions) | # of | \$ |
|---------|-------------------------------|-------|---------|
| lank | Firm | Deals | Volume |
| 1 | Bank of America Merrill Lynch | 1,175 | \$661.7 |
| 2 | JPMorgan | 1,148 | \$661.8 |
| 3 | Citi | 1,063 | \$657.5 |
| 4 | Morgan Stanley | 1,041 | \$640.8 |
| 5 | Barclays | 959 | \$546.7 |
| 6 | Wells Fargo Securities | 931 | \$497.1 |
| 7 | Credit Suisse | 921 | \$543.3 |
| 8 | Deutsche Bank | 898 | \$535.1 |
| 9 | Stifel/KBW | 878 | \$320.9 |
| 10 | Goldman Sachs | 844 | \$565.4 |
| 11 | RBC Capital Markets | 833 | \$398.8 |
| 12 | UBS | 689 | \$384.5 |
| 13 | Raymond James | 604 | \$306.2 |
| 14 | Jefferies LLC | 469 | \$110.2 |
| 15 | Robert W Baird & Co | 468 | \$132.7 |
| 16 | Piper Jaffray & Co | 459 | \$192.2 |
| 17 | JMP Securities LLC | 409 | \$76.8 |
| 18 | Oppenheimer & Co Inc | 402 | \$102.3 |
| 19 | Cowen & Co LLC | 366 | \$73.7 |
| 20 | KeyBanc Capital Markets | 364 | \$161.5 |
| 21 | William Blair & Co LLC | 345 | \$91.4 |
| 22 | BMO Capital Markets | 308 | \$115.4 |
| 23 | Canaccord Genuity Corp | 290 | \$34.8 |
| 24 | Janney Montgomery Scott | 253 | \$43.0 |
| 25 | Ladenburg Thalmann & Co Inc | 245 | \$36.0 |
| | | | |

Bookrun Equity Deals Since 2010

| (\$ in bill | ions) | # of | \$ |
|-------------|-------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Rank | Firm | Deals | Volume |
| 1 | Bank of America Merrill Lynch | 1,083 | \$126.2 |
| 2 | JPMorgan | 1,028 | \$132.1 |
| 3 | Morgan Stanley | 964 | \$140.2 |
| 4 | Citi | 937 | \$126.9 |
| 5 | Barclays | 810 | \$110.5 |
| 6 | Goldman Sachs | 767 | \$123.4 |
| 7 | Credit Suisse | 756 | \$94.3 |
| 8 | Deutsche Bank | 717 | \$80.2 |
| 9 | Wells Fargo Securities | 654 | \$51.1 |
| 10 | UBS | 489 | \$47.7 |
| 11 | Jefferies LLC | 377 | \$20.8 |
| 12 | RBC Capital Markets | 375 | \$27.6 |
| 13 | Stifel/KBW | 292 | \$14.9 |
| 14 | Raymond James | 185 | \$9.1 |
| 15 | Piper Jaffray & Co | 170 | \$7.1 |
| 16 | Cowen & Co LLC | 153 | \$5.1 |
| 17 | Roth Capital Partners | 115 | \$2.2 |
| 18 | Robert W Baird & Co | 114 | \$4.7 |
| 19 | Leerink Partners LLC | 111 | \$4.8 |
| 20 | BMO Capital Markets | 92 | \$5.7 |
| 21 | Aegis Capital Corp | 85 | \$1.2 |
| 22 | KeyBanc Capital Markets | 73 | \$4.6 |
| 23 | Sandler O'Neill & Partners | 70 | \$5.7 |
| 24 | William Blair & Co LLC | 69 | \$2.7 |
| 25 | Lazard Capital Markets | 64 | \$1.8 |

Source: Dealogic. Rank eligible SEC registered IPOs and Follow-On offerings since 2010. Includes demutualizations. As of 2/28/15. Overlapping deals between Stifel and its acquired firms have been removed. Note: \$ Volume represents full credit to underwriter for All Managed Equity Deals and apportioned credit to bookrunner for Bookrun Equity Deals. Bold font indicates middle-market firms.

Financial Overview

Stifel Financial Results

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Three months ended December 31, 2014

| | Three Months Ended December 31, 2014 | | | | | | | Three Months Ended | | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----|-------------------------|----|---------|----|-------------------------|----------|-------------|---------|----------|--|
| (\$ in thousands, except per share amounts) | | Non-GAAP | | Non-Core ⁽¹⁾ | | GAAP | | .2/31/13 ⁽²⁾ | % Change | 9/30/14 (2) | | % Change | |
| Total revenues | \$ | 590,675 | \$ | (39) | \$ | 590,636 | \$ | 576,236 | 2.5% | \$ | 536,241 | 10.2% | |
| Interest expense | | 12,560 | | - | | 12,560 | | 11,555 | 8.7% | | 11,516 | 9.1% | |
| Net revenues | | 578,115 | | (39) | | 578,076 | | 564,681 | 2.4% | | 524,725 | 10.2% | |
| Compensation and benefits | | 355,584 | | 14,870 | | 370,454 | | 347,263 | 2.4% | | 324,193 | 9.7% | |
| Non-comp operating expenses | | 132,792 | | 5,452 | | 138,244 | | 126,990 | 4.6% | | 122,501 | 8.4% | |
| Total non-interest expenses | | 488,376 | | 20,322 | | 508,698 | | 474,253 | 3.0% | | 446,694 | 9.3% | |
| Income from continuing operations before income taxes | | 89,739 | | (20,361) | | 69,378 | | 90,428 | (0.8%) | | 78,031 | 15.0% | |
| Provision for income taxes | | 31,299 | | (7,409) | | 23,890 | | 30,609 | 2.3% | | 29,333 | 6.7% | |
| Net income from continuing operations | \$ | 58,440 | \$ | (12,952) | \$ | 45,488 | \$ | 59,819 | (2.3%) | \$ | 48,698 | 20.0% | |
| Discontinued operations: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Loss from discontinued operations, net of tax | | - | | (306) | | (306) | | - | | | - | | |
| Net income | \$ | 58,440 | \$ | (13,258) | \$ | 45,182 | \$ | 59,819 | (2.3%) | \$ | 48,698 | 20.0% | |
| Earnings per diluted common share: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Income from continuing operations | \$ | 0.75 | \$ | (0.16) | \$ | 0.59 | \$ | 0.79 | (5.1%) | \$ | 0.64 | 17.2% | |
| Loss from discontinued operations | | - | | (0.01) | | (0.01) | | - | | | - | | |
| Earnings per diluted common share | \$ | 0.75 | \$ | (0.17) | \$ | 0.58 | \$ | 0.79 | (5.1%) | \$ | 0.64 | 17.2% | |
| Weighted average number of shares outstanding: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Diluted | | 77,540 | | | | | | 75,495 | 2.7% | | 76,681 | 1.1% | |
| Ratios to net revenues : | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Compensation and benefits | | 61.5% | | | | 64.1% | | 61.5% | | | 61.8% | | |
| Non-comp operating expenses | | 23.0% | | | | 23.9% | | 22.5% | | | 23.3% | | |
| Income from continuing operations before income taxes | 5 | 15.5% | | | | 12.0% | | 16.0% | | | 14.9% | | |

(1) Non-core adjustments consist of merger-related revenues and expenses associated with our acquisitions and discontinued operations of SN Canada.

(2) Results for the three months ended December 31, 2013 and September 30, 2014 are Core (non-GAAP).

Stifel Financial Results

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Year ended December 31, 2014

| | | Year E | nded | Year Ended | | | | | | |
|---|----|-----------|------|-------------------------|---------|-----------|----|------------------------|----------|--|
| (\$ in thousands, except per share amounts) | | Non-GAAP | | Non-Core ⁽¹⁾ | | GAAP | | 2/31/13 ⁽²⁾ | % Change | |
| Total revenues | \$ | 2,254,747 | \$ | (5,063) | \$ | 2,249,684 | \$ | 2,024,538 | 11.4% | |
| Interest expense | | 41,977 | | (717) | | 41,260 | | 46,198 | (9.1%) | |
| Net revenues | | 2,212,770 | | (4,346) | | 2,208,424 | | 1,978,340 | 11.8% | |
| Compensation and benefits | | 1,378,018 | | 25,914 | | 1,403,932 | | 1,236,991 | 11.4% | |
| Non-comp operating expenses | | 497,480 | | 16,218 | 513,698 | | | 446,265 | 11.5% | |
| Total non-interest expenses | | 1,875,498 | | 42,132 | | 1,917,630 | | 1,683,256 | 11.4% | |
| Income from continuing operations before income taxes | | 337,272 | | (46,478) | | 290,794 | | 295,084 | 14.3% | |
| Provision for income taxes | | 126,840 | | (15,176) | | 111,664 | | 110,426 | 14.9% | |
| Net income from continuing operations | \$ | 210,432 | \$ | (31,302) | \$ | 179,130 | \$ | 184,658 | 14.0% | |
| Discontinued operations: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Loss from discontinued operations, net | | - | | (3,063) | | (3,063) | | - | | |
| Net income | \$ | 210,432 | \$ | (34,365) | \$ | 176,067 | \$ | 184,658 | 14.0% | |
| Earnings per diluted common share: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Income from continuing operations | \$ | 2.76 | \$ | (0.41) | \$ | 2.35 | \$ | 2.51 | 10.0% | |
| Loss from discontinued operations, net | | - | | (0.04) | | (0.04) | | - | | |
| Earnings per diluted common share | \$ | 2.76 | \$ | (0.45) | \$ | 2.31 | \$ | 2.51 | 10.0% | |
| Weighted average number of shares outstanding: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Diluted | | 76,376 | | | | | | 73,504 | 3.9% | |
| <u>Ratios to net revenues</u> : | | | | | | | | | | |
| Compensation and benefits | | 62.3% | | | | 63.6% | | 62.5% | | |
| Non-comp operating expenses | | 22.5% | | | | 23.3% | | 22.6% | | |
| Income from continuing operations before income taxes | | 15.2% | | | | 13.2% | | 14.9% | | |

(1) Non-core adjustments consist of merger-related revenues and expenses associated with our acquisitions and discontinued operations of SN Canada.

(2) Results for the year ended December 31, 2013 are Core (non-GAAP).



| | | Thre | Year Ended | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|--------------|--------------|---------|--|
| | | | % | % | | | | % | |
| (\$ in thousands) | 12/31/14 | 12/31/13 | Change | 9/30/14 | Change | 12/31/14 | 12/31/13 | Change | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Commissions | \$ 174,990 | \$ 163,715 | 6.9% | \$ 162,814 | 7.5% | \$ 674,418 | \$ 640,287 | 5.3% | |
| Principal transactions | 94,109 | 105,393 | (10.7%) | 94,915 | (0.8%) | 409,823 | 408,954 | 0.2% | |
| Brokerage revenues | 269,099 | 269,108 | (0.0%) | 257,729 | 4.4% | 1,084,241 | 1,049,241 | 3.3% | |
| Capital raising | 71,178 | 73,537 | (3.2%) | 72,478 | (1.8%) | 305,198 | 256,307 | 19.1% | |
| Advisory | 103,423 | 87,481 | 18.2% | 50,939 | 103.0% | 273,491 | 201,429 | 35.8% | |
| Investment banking | 174,601 | 161,018 | 8.4% | 123,417 | 41.5% | 578,689 | 457,736 | 26.4% | |
| Asset mgt and service fees | 105,962 | 83,928 | 26.3% | 96,638 | 9.6% | 386,001 | 305,639 | 26.3% | |
| Other | (3,960) | 19,391 | (120.4%) | 4,803 | (182.4%) | 14,785 | 64,659 | (77.1%) | |
| Total operating revenues | 545,702 | 533,445 | 2.3% | 482,587 | 13.1% | 2,063,716 | 1,877,275 | 9.9% | |
| Interest revenue | 44,934 | 40,711 | 10.4% | 52,096 | (13.7%) | 185,969 | 142,539 | 30.5% | |
| Total revenues | 590,636 | 574,156 | 2.9% | 534,683 | 10.5% | 2,249,685 | 2,019,814 | 11.4% | |
| Interest expense | 12,560 | 11,630 | 8.0% | 11,228 | 11.9% | 41,261 | 46,368 | (11.0%) | |
| Net revenues | \$ 578,076 | \$ 562,526 | 2.8% | \$ 523,455 | 10.4% | \$ 2,208,424 | \$ 1,973,446 | 11.9% | |



| | Three Months Ended | | | | | Year Ended | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|------------|------------|----------|--|--|
| (\$ in thousands) | 12/31/14 | 12/31/13 | % Change | 9/30/14 | % Change | 12/31/14 | 12/31/13 | % Change | | |
| Global Wealth Management | \$ 160,022 | \$ 159,114 | 0.6% | \$ 157,595 | 1.5% | \$ 638,206 | \$ 632,804 | 0.9% | | |
| Institutional Group | | | | | / | | | | | |
| Equity brokerage | 67,273 | 59,259 | 13.5% | 57,371 | 17.3% | 249,845 | 228,755 | 9.2% | | |
| Fixed income brokerage | 41,804 | 50,735 | (17.6%) | 42,763 | (2.2%) | 196,191 | 187,683 | 4.5% | | |
| Total Institutional Group | 109,077 | 109,994 | (0.8%) | 100,134 | 8.9% | 446,036 | 416,438 | 7.1% | | |
| Total brokerage revenues | 269,099 | 269,108 | 0.0% | 257,729 | 4.4% | 1,084,242 | 1,049,242 | 3.3% | | |
| Investment Banking: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Capital raising | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity | 49,866 | 57,335 | (13.0%) | 56,413 | (11.6%) | 232,454 | 183,307 | 26.8% | | |
| Fixed income | 21,311 | 16,122 | 32.2% | 16,066 | 32.6% | 72,744 | 72,706 | 0.1% | | |
| Total capital raising | 71,177 | 73,457 | (3.1%) | 72,479 | (1.8%) | 305,198 | 256,013 | 19.2% | | |
| Advisory fees | 103,424 | 87,561 | 18.1% | 50,938 | 103.0% | 273,491 | 201,723 | 35.6% | | |
| Total Investment banking | \$ 174,601 | \$ 161,018 | 8.4% | \$ 123,417 | 41.5% | \$ 578,689 | \$ 457,736 | 26.4% | | |

Core Non-Interest Expenses

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Three months ended December 31, 2014

| | Three Months Ended | | | | | | | % of Net revenues | | | |
|---|--------------------|------------------|----|----------|---------|--------------|------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------|---------|
| (\$ in thousands) | 1 | 1 2/31/14 | | 12/31/13 | % Chang | e | 9/30/14 | % Change | 12/31/14 (1 | 12/31/13 | 9/30/14 |
| Net revenues | \$ | 578,115 | \$ | 564,681 | 2.4 | % \$ | \$ 524,725 | 10.2% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Compensation and benefits | | 332,364 | | 324,569 | 2.4 | % | 297,340 | 11.8% | 57.5% | 57.5% | 56.7% |
| Transition pay ⁽²⁾ | | 23,220 | | 22,694 | 2.3 | % | 26,853 | (13.5%) | 4.0% | 4.0% | 5.1% |
| Total compensation and benefits | | 355,584 | | 347,263 | 2.4 | % | 324,193 | 9.7% | 61.5% | 61.5% | 61.8% |
| Occupancy and equipment rental | | 42,550 | | 40,892 | 4.1 | % | 40,421 | 5.3% | 7.4% | 7.2% | 7.7% |
| Communication and office supplies | | 28,449 | | 24,974 | 13.9 | % | 27,448 | 3.6% | 4.9% | 4.4% | 5.2% |
| Commissions and floor brokerage | | 8,308 | | 8,213 | 1.2 | % | 9,971 | (16.7%) | 1.4% | 1.5% | 1.9% |
| Other operating expenses | | 53,485 | | 52,911 | 1.1 | % | 44,661 | 19.8% | 9.3% | 9.4% | 8.5% |
| Total non-comp operating expenses | | 132,792 | | 126,990 | 4.6 | % | 122,501 | 8.4% | 23.0% | 22.5% | 23.3% |
| Total non-interest expense | | 488,376 | | 474,253 | 3.0 | % | 446,694 | 9.3% | 84.5% | 84.0% | 85.1% |
| Income from continuing operations before income taxes | | 89,739 | | 90,428 | (0.8% | 6) | 78,031 | 15.0% | 15.5% | 16.0% | 14.9% |
| Provision for income taxes | | 31,299 | | 30,609 | 2.3 | % | 29,333 | 6.7% | 5.4% | 5.4% | 5.6% |
| Non-GAAP net income from continuing operations | \$ | 58,440 | \$ | 59,819 | (2.3% | 6 <u>)</u> (| \$ 48,698 | 20.0% | 10.1% | 10.6% | 9.3% |
| Non-core expenses (after-tax) | | (12,952) | | (7,693) | | | (8,605) | | | | |
| GAAP net income from continuing operations | \$ | 45,488 | \$ | 52,126 | | Ş | \$ 40,093 | | | | |

(1) Excludes non-core adjustments consisting of merger-related revenues and expenses associated with our acquisitions and discontinued operations of SN Canada.

(2) Transition pay includes amortization of retention awards, signing bonuses, and upfront notes.

Core Non-Interest Expenses



Year ended December 31, 2014

| | | Year Ended | | % of Net r | evenues |
|---|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| (\$ in thousands) Net revenues | <u>12/31/14</u> \$ 2,212,770 | ¹⁾ <u>12/31/13</u> \$ 1,978,340 | <u>% Change</u> 11.8% | 12/31/14 ⁽¹⁾ | <u>12/31/13</u> 100.0% |
| Net revenues | \$ 2,212,770 | \$ 1,978,340 | 11.8% | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Compensation and benefits | 1,279,119 | 1,150,883 | 11.1% | 57.8% | 58.2% |
| Transition pay ⁽²⁾ | 98,899 | 86,108 | 14.9% | 4.5% | 4.3% |
| Total compensation and benefits | 1,378,018 | 1,236,991 | 11.4% | 62.3% | 62.5% |
| Occupancy and equipment rental | 163,033 | 149,488 | 9.1% | 7.4% | 7.6% |
| Communication and office supplies | 106,389 | 95,539 | 11.4% | 4.8% | 4.8% |
| Commissions and floor brokerage | 36,556 | 35,812 | 2.1% | 1.7% | 1.8% |
| Other operating expenses | 191,502 | 165,426 | 15.8% | 8.6% | 8.4% |
| Total non-comp operating expenses | 497,480 | 446,265 | 11.5% | 22.5% | 22.6% |
| Total non-interest expense | 1,875,498 | 1,683,256 | 11.4% | 84.8% | 85.1% |
| Income from continuing operations before income taxes | 337,272 | 295,084 | 14.3% | 15.2% | 14.9% |
| Provision for income taxes | 126,840 | 110,426 | 14.9% | 5.7% | 5.6% |
| Non-GAAP net income from continuing operations | \$ 210,432 | \$ 184,658 | 14.0% | 9.5% | 9.3% |
| Non-core expenses (after-tax) | (31,302) | (11,751) | | | |
| GAAP net income from continuing operations | \$ 179,130 | \$ 172,907 | | | |

(1) Excludes non-core adjustments consisting of merger-related revenues and expenses associated with our acquisitions and discontinued operations of SN Canada.

(2) Transition pay includes amortization of retention awards, signing bonuses, and upfront notes.

Segment Comparison - Core



Three and nine months ended December 31, 2014

| | | Three | e Months Ende | ed | | _ | Year Ended | |
|---|------------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| | | | | | % | | | % |
| (\$ in thousands) | 12/31/14 | 12/31/13 | % Change | 9/30/14 | Change | 12/31/14 | 12/31/13 | Change |
| Net revenues: | | | | | | | | |
| Global Wealth Management | \$ 310,980 | \$ 292,836 | 6.2% | \$ 317,241 | (2.0%) | \$1,232,651 | \$1,117,179 | 10.3% |
| Institutional Group | 272,732 | 267,282 | 2.0% | 215,160 | 26.8% | 993,581 | 861,158 | 15.4% |
| Other | (5,597) | 4,563 | nm | (7,676) | nm | (13,462) | 3 | nm |
| | \$ 578,115 | \$ 564,681 | 2.4% | \$ 524,725 | 10.2% | \$2,212,770 | \$1,978,340 | 11.8% |
| Operating contribution: | | | | | | | | |
| Global Wealth Management | \$ 84,178 | \$ 79,022 | 6.5% | \$ 94,026 | (10.5%) | \$ 346,978 | \$ 299,572 | 15.8% |
| Institutional Group | 35,093 | 48,590 | (27.8%) | 29,500 | 19.0% | 152,905 | 142,889 | 7.0% |
| Other | (29,532) | (37,184) | (20.6%) | (45,495) | (35.1%) | (162,611) | (147,377) | 10.3% |
| | \$ 89,739 | \$ 90,428 | (0.8%) | \$ 78,031 | 15.0% | \$ 337,272 | \$ 295,084 | 14.3% |
| As a percentage of net revenues: ^{(a} Operating contribution | () | | | | | | | |
| Global Wealth Management | 27.1 | 27.0 | | 29.6 | | 28.1 | 26.8 | |
| Institutional Group | 12.9 | 18.2 | | 13.7 | | 15.4 | 16.6 | |
| | 15.5 | 16.0 | | 14.9 | | 15.2 | 14.9 | |

Stifel Bank & Trust



An Operating Unit of GWM

| | | As of 12/31/14 | | | As of 12/31/13 | | | As of 9/30/14 | | | |
|---|----|----------------|-----------|----|----------------|-----------|----------|---------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| | A | ctual (\$) | Yield (%) | A | ctual (\$) | Yield (%) | % Change | A | ctual (\$) | Yield (%) | % Change |
| Assets | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash | | 119,501 | 0.31 | | 318,920 | 0.25 | (62.5%) | | 142,444 | 0.39 | (16.1%) |
| Investment securities ⁽¹⁾ | : | 2,684,947 | 2.61 | | 3,062,602 | 2.19 | (12.3%) | | 2,720,860 | 2.39 | (1.3%) |
| Bank loans ⁽²⁾ | | 2,298,929 | 5.18 | | 1,530,389 | 3.31 | 50.2% | | 1,988,076 | 4.82 | 15.6% |
| Total interest earning assets | | 5,103,377 | 2.92 | | 4,911,911 | 2.42 | 3.9% | | 4,851,380 | 3.24 | 5.2% |
| Other assets (non-interest earning) | | 134,593 | | | 126,803 | | | | 125,814 | | 7.0% |
| Total assets | | 5,237,970 | | | 5,038,714 | | 4.0% | | 4,977,194 | | 5.2% |
| Liabilities | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Deposits | | 4,790,084 | 0.08 | | 4,666,789 | 0.66 | 2.6% | | 4,552,524 | 0.15 | 5.2% |
| Other liabilities (non-interest bearing) | | 41,867 | | | 53,340 | | (21.5%) | | 35,348 | | 18.4% |
| Total liabilites | | 4,831,951 | | | 4,720,129 | | 2.4% | | 4,587,872 | | 5.3% |
| Net interest margin | | | 2.75 | | | 2.14 | | | | 3.10 | |
| Allowance for loan losses | \$ | 20,731 | | \$ | 12,668 | | 63.6% | \$ | 18,996 | | 9.1% |
| Allowance as a percentage of loans | | 0.94 % | | | 0.89 % | 0 | | | 1.01 % | | |
| Non-performing assets as a percentage of total assets | | 0.11 % | | | 0.03 % | 0 | | | 0.07 % | | |

Note: Actual amounts presented above are as of period-end and yields are based off of quarter-to-date averages.

(1) Investment securities includes available-for-sale and held-to-maturity securities.

(2) Includes loans held for sale.

Capital Structure



As of December 31, 2014

| (\$ in thousands) | |
|---|--------------|
| Total Assets | 9,518,151 |
| Stockholders' Equity | 2,322,038 |
| | |
| 6.70% senior notes, due 2022 | \$ 175,000 |
| 5.375% senior notes, due 2022 | 150,000 |
| 4.250% senior notes, due 2024 | 300,000 |
| Debentures to Stifel Financial Capital Trusts II, III, & IV | 82,500 |
| Total Capitalization | \$ 3,029,538 |
| Ratios: | |
| Debt to Equity ⁽¹⁾ | 30.5% |
| Pro Forma Debt to Equity ⁽²⁾ | 22.9% |
| Tier 1 Leverage Ratio | 16.5% |
| Tier 1 Risk Based Capital Ratio | 25.0% |

(1) Debt to equity ratio includes the debentures to Stifel Financial Capital Trusts (\$82.5m) and Senior Notes (\$625.0m) divided by stockholders' equity.

(2) Pro forma debt to equity ratio excludes the 6.70% senior notes, due 2022, that were redeemed by the Company on January 15, 2015.

Other Financial Data

| | As o | | | | | As of | |
|------------------------------------|------|-------------|----|-------------|----------|-------------------|----------|
| | | 12/31/14 | | 12/31/13 | % Change | 9/30/14 | % Change |
| Total assets (000s): | | | | | | | |
| Stifel Nicolaus & Stifel Financial | \$ | 4,296,803 | \$ | 3,986,927 | 7.8% | \$ 4,365,545 | (1.6%) |
| Stifel Bank | | 5,221,348 | | 5,021,943 | 4.0% | 4,960,572 | 5.3% |
| Total assets | | 9,518,151 | \$ | 9,008,870 | 5.7% | \$ 9,326,117 | 2.1% |
| Total shareholders' equity (000s): | | | | | | | |
| Stifel Nicolaus & Stifel Financial | \$ | 1,916,019 | \$ | 1,740,264 | 10.1% | \$ 1,849,227 | 3.6% |
| Stifel Bank | | 406,019 | | 318,585 | 27.4% | 389,322 | 4.3% |
| Total shareholders' equity | | 2,322,038 | \$ | 2,058,849 | 12.8% | \$ 2,238,549 | 3.7% |
| Leverage ratio: | | | | | | | |
| Stifel Nicolaus & Stifel Financial | | 1.6 | | 1.9 | (11.8%) | 1.7 | (4.1%) |
| Stifel Bank | | 12.9 | | 15.8 | (18.4%) | 12.7 | 0.9% |
| Total leverage ratio | | 3.1 | | 3.7 | (14.0%) | 3.2 | (0.8%) |
| Book value per share | \$ | 35.00 | \$ | 32.30 | 8.4% | \$ 33.92 | 3.2% |
| Financial advisors (1) | | 2,103 | | 2,077 | 1.3% | 2,096 | 0.3% |
| Full-time associates | | 6,223 | | 5,862 | 6.2% | 6,083 | 2.3% |
| Locations | | 367 | | 357 | 2.8% | 360 | 1.9% |
| Total client assets (000s) | \$ | 186,558,000 | \$ | 165,570,000 | 12.7% | \$ 172,742,000 | 8.0% |

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Sterne Agee Merger

This transaction brings together two companies with a shared goal of building the preeminent wealth management and investment banking firm

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Leverages both the Wealth Management and Institutional Platforms

Significantly Increases Financial Advisors and Independent Representatives Nationwide in a Challenging Recruiting Environment

Highly Complementary Fixed Income Platforms

Accretive to Stifel

| Gl | obal Wealth | Managem | Ι | nstitutional | Strategic I | Evaluation | |
|--|--|---|--|--------------|--|---|---|
| Private Client | Independent Advisors | Trust | Clearing | | Fixed Income | FBC Mortgage | ECM |
| Over 130 financial advisors in 23 branches with \$10B in AUM and \$1.4B in managed fee based accounts | Over 600 independent reps in 40 states with \$10B in AUM | Private trust company offering the full range of trust services | Top 10 clearing firm in the U.S. with over \$27B in assets under custody | | Over 200 professionals with minimal overlap between the platforms | Agreement with founders to sell the business back to them | Committed to finding the right partner or spinning off as a separate stand-alone entity |
| \$85M Revenue | \$90M Revenue | \$6M Revenue | \$5M Revenue | • | \$130M Revenue | \$65M Revenue | \$115 Revenue |

Acquired business lines bring \$300 - \$325 million in annual gross revenues with an expected aftertax contribution of approximately \$28 - \$38 million after cost savings are fully phased-in

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| Purchase Price: | \$150 million , based upon a premium to tangible book at closing |
|----------------------|--|
| | At closing, a minimum of 1.42 million shares of Stifel common stock valued at \$51.55, and up to a maximum of 1.62 million shares |
| Consideration Mix: | Approximately \$77 million, based on the minimum number of shares issued, or \$66 million, based on the maximum number of shares issued, to be paid in cash (subject to adjustments at closing based on shareholder elections) |
| Retention: | Expected retention payments of \$58 million, comprised of cash & RSUs |
| Expected EPS Impact: | •Approximately 6% - 8% accretive to core EPS, with full implementation of cost savings |
| Required Approvals: | Subject to customary regulatory approvals and Sterne Agee shareholder approval |
| Anticipated Closing: | 2nd Quarter of 2015 |

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| | Attractive Returns Based on C | onserv | vative Modeling | |
|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| | Uses of Capital (Initial Estimate) | | Sources of Capital (Initial Estimate | e) |
| | Economic Investment | | <u>Equity</u> | |
| | Purchase Price | \$150 | Equity Issued (assume 1.42M shares) | \$73 |
| Stifel's | Plus: Income Statement Expenses (after-tax) | 25 | Retention (stock portion after tax) | <u>18</u> \$91 |
| Investment | Retention Restructuring and One-Time Expenses | 35 15 | Equity Investment | 291 |
| (\$M) | Duplicative Corporate Overhead | 13 32 | | |
| | Income Statement Expenses | 81 | Debt on Balance Sheet | |
| | Less: Estimated Tangible Book Value @ Close | (40) | Debt | \$100 |
| | Total Uses (Economic Investment) | \$191 | Total Sources | \$191 |
| Conservatively Modeled | Potential gross revenue range for Expected after-tax net income con including full realization of cost se Expenses of \$136 million pre-tax, restructuring and duplicative corport | tributio avings a or \$81 n | on of between \$28 and \$38 million, and net of the cost of financing nillion after-tax, comprised of rete | , ention, |
| Attractive Returns | Return on Economic Investment of Return on Equity Investment of 3 Approximately 6% - 8% accretive | 0% - 409 | % | savings |

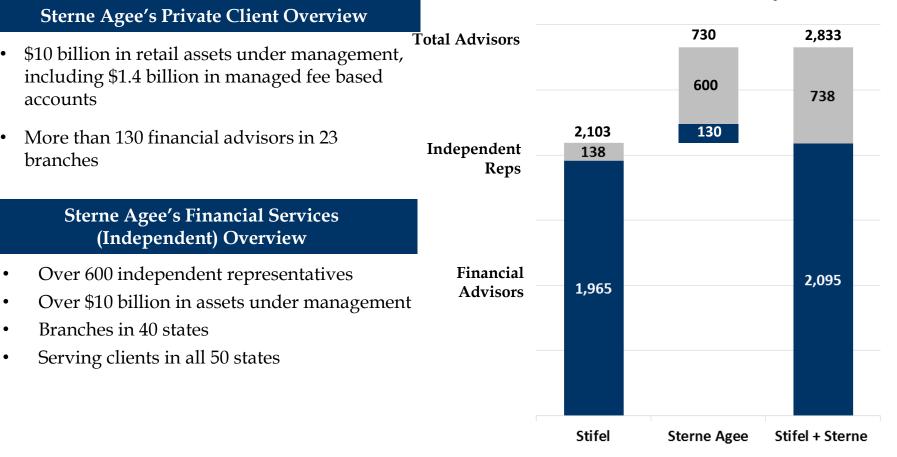
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Increases Advisor Count by 35%

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Retail Brokerage By Number of Advisors/Reps¹

| Rank | Firm | Advisors |
|------|----------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | Morgan Stanley Wealth Management | 16,162 |
| 2 | Bank of America Merrill Lynch | 15,900 |
| 3 | Wells Fargo Securities | 15,163 |
| 4 | Raymond James | 6,265 |
| 5 | UBS | 4,286 |
| 6 | Stifel + Sterne Agee | 2,833 |
| | Stifel | 2,103 |
| 7 | RBC Capital Markets | 1,900 |
| 8 | Oppenheimer & Co Inc | 1,390 |
| 9 | JPM organ | 800 |
| 10 | Deutsche Bank | 772 |
| 11 | Sterne Agee & Leach Inc | 730 |
| 12 | Janney Montgomery Scott | 725 |
| 13 | Robert W Baird & Co | 709 |
| 14 | Stephens Inc. | 526 |
| 15 | Southwest Securities Inc | 464 |
| 16 | Canaccord Genuity Corp | 425 |
| 17 | Wedbush Securities Inc | 400 |
| 18 | DA Davidson & Co | 320 |
| 19 | Barclays Capital | 250 |
| 20 | Lazard Capital Markets | 235 |

Pro Forma Franchise

- Over \$200 billion in total client assets
- More than 2,800 financial advisors (including independent professionals)

Pro Forma Office Locations



Trust Company Overview

Offers a full range of trust services:

- Investment Management
- Estate Administration
- Personal and Charitable Trusts
- Retirement Plan Services

A Focus on:

- Protecting and preserving client assets
- Meeting current and future income needs
- Providing for the distribution of wealth to future generations

Clearing Overview

- 9th Largest Clearing Firm in the Country¹
- Over 85 broker/dealers clear through Sterne Agee
- Over \$27 billion in assets under custody
- 54,000+ customer accounts
- 51,000+ trades per month



| Rank | Firm | # of clients |
|------|---|--------------|
| 1 | Pershing LLC | 811 |
| 2 | National Financial Services LLC | 253 |
| 3 | Merrill Lynch Professional Clearing Corp. & Broadcort | 201 |
| 4 | RBC Correspondent Services | 180 |
| 5 | Southwest Securities Inc. | 145 |
| 6 | Wedbush Securities Inc. | 120 |
| 7 | COR Clearing LLC | 105 |
| 8 | Goldman Sachs Execution and Clearing LP | 91 |
| 9 | Sterne Agee Clearing Inc. | 87 |
| 10 | FirstSouthwest | 84 |
| 11 | Apex Clearing Corp. | 80 |
| 12 | First Clearing LLC | 80 |
| 13 | Raymond James & Associates Inc. | 37 |
| 14 | LPL Financial LLC | 6 |

- Sterne Agee's fixed income capabilities will add over 200 individuals to Stifel's platform.
- Limited overlap across accounts due to Sterne Agee's "Tier 1" account focus.

Sterne Agee's Fixed Income Overview

Offices throughout the U.S. providing : Sales, Trading, Strategies, Analytics, and Research

Sterne Agee furnishes investment products that address the unique needs of its clients in two broad fixed income categories:

 <u>Rate Products</u> Agencies

Mortgage Backed Securities Municipals

<u>Credit Products</u>

Structured Products Investment Grade Corporates High Yield Securities Convertibles

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- Over 700 professionals
- Pro forma revenues expected to exceed \$450 million annually
- Full suite of products and services
- Widespread distribution capabilities
- Offices in the U.S., London and Zurich

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Non-Core Deal Costs



| | Three months ended | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| | Actual | | | | Estimate | | | | | |
| (\$ in thousands) | 3/31/14 | 6/30/14 | 9/30/14 | 12/31/14 | 3/31/15 | 6/30/15 | 9/30/15 | 12/31/15 | 3/31/16 | 6/30/16 |
| Existing acquisitions | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stock-based compensation: | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1919 Investment Counsel | \$ - | \$- | \$- | \$ 11,170 | \$- | \$- | \$- | \$- | \$- | \$- |
| Oriel Securities Holding Limited | - | - | 6,771 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Duplicative operating expenses: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Acacia Federal Savings Bank | 1,723 | 2,762 | 1,227 | 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| De La Rosa & Co., Inc. | 130 | 733 | 132 | 459 | 120 | 120 | 120 | - | - | - |
| Keefe, Bruyette & Woods, Inc. | 445 | 432 | 23 | 108 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Knight Fixed Income | 2,407 | 94 | 9 | 2,684 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 2,600 | - |
| 1919 Investment Counsel | - | 328 | 373 | 958 | 300 | 300 | 200 | 200 | - | - |
| Miller Buckfire & Co., LLC | 1,172 | 1,233 | 1,182 | 1,441 | 1,400 | 1,400 | - | - | - | - |
| Oriel Securities Holding Limited | - | 557 | 589 | 1,116 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 500 | - | - | - |
| Ziegler Capital Management | 4 | 11 | 229 | 39 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Intangible amortization | 563 | 1,257 | 1,730 | 2,377 | 1,600 | 1,600 | 2,200 | 2,200 | 2,200 | 2,200 |
| Sterne Agee | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stock-based compensation | - | - | - | - | - | 30,500 | - | - | - | - |
| Duplicative operating expenses | - | - | | - | - | 32,200 | 18,700 | 15,200 | 11,700 | 8,200 |
| Sterne Agee costs (pre-tax) | - | - | - | - | - | 62,700 | 18,700 | 15,200 | 11,700 | 8,200 |
| Total Deal Costs (pre-tax) | 6,444 | 7,407 | 12,265 | 20,361 | 7,020 | 69,720 | 24,320 | 20,200 | 16,500 | 10,400 |
| Total Deal Costs (after-tax) (1) | \$ 4,055 | \$ 5,689 | \$ 8,605 | \$ 12,952 | \$ 4,212 | \$ 41,832 | \$ 14,592 | \$ 12,120 | \$ 9,900 | \$ 6,240 |