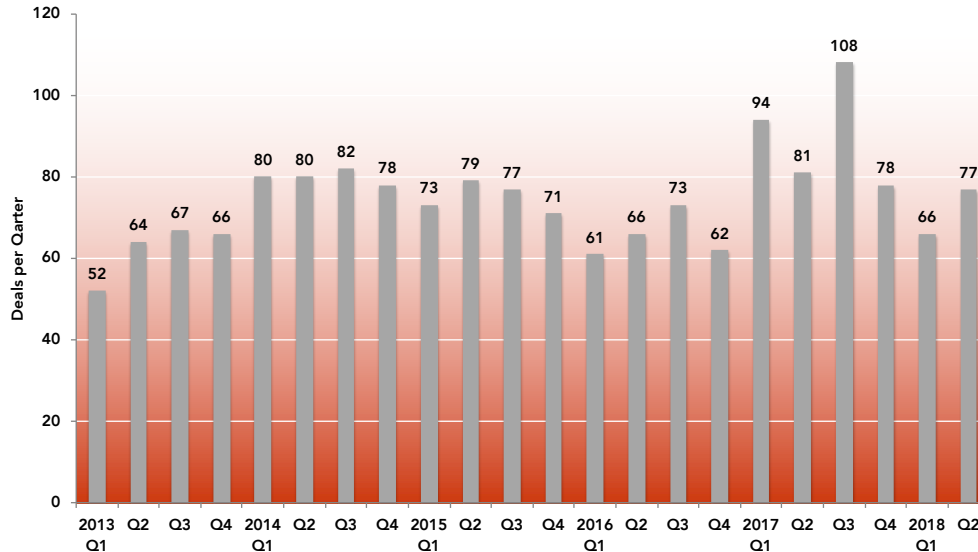
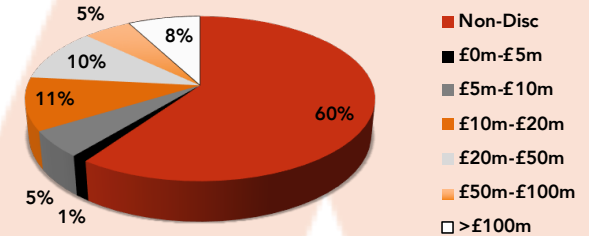


Number of Disposals of UK/Irish Tech Companies - Qtrly Analysis



Disposals of UK/Irish Tech Cos - Deal Size Analysis



➤ In Q2 2018, **£7.73bn** (£4.5bn) was spent acquiring **77** (81) technology businesses in the UK and Ireland

➤ The 3 biggest transactions were

The sale of a majority stake in Eircom to Iliad/NJJ for **£2.7bn**
GTT Com's acquisition of Interoute Coms for **£1.7bn**
Advent's acquisition of Laird for **£1.2bn**

➤ **53%** of **ALL DEALS** were done by UK based acquirors, **34%** by North Americans, **10%** by Europeans, and the remaining **3%** by other countries.

➤ **Unusually, 23%** of **SMALL DEALS (<£20m)** were done by UK based acquirors, **46%** by North Americans, **23%** by Europeans, and the remaining **8%** by other countries.

➤ **5** (10) companies achieved a valuation of greater than £100m

➤ **42%** of transactions had a (disclosed) value of less than £20m

➤ Only **18** (20) deals involved a PE buyer

Disposals of UK/Irish Tech Cos - Buyers Analysis

