

US companies dominate 2019 mergers and acquisitions

As global cross-border mergers and acquisitions plummeted to their lowest level since 2013, US companies made big moves at home, accounting for 15 out of last year's biggest 20 deals. By the end of 2019, some of Europe's largest companies found opportunities to expand in the US market. Swiss drugmaker Novartis acquired the Medicines Company for \$9.7bn.