

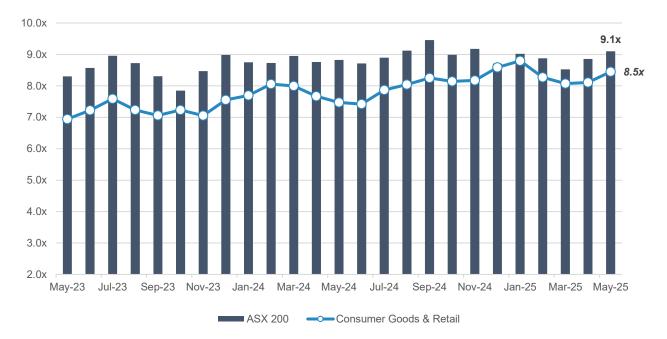
Australian Consumer Goods & Retail

INDUSTRY UPDATE – 25 June 2025

## VALUATION MULTIPLES

Forward EV / EBITDA Multiples (monthly to 31/05/2025) Source: FactSet Research Systems Inc.

Multiples in the Consumer Goods & Retail sector have increased over the period. At the end of May, the sector traded on a forward EV / EBITDA multiple of 8.5x, compared to the ASX200 on 9.1x.



Average Values and Trading Multiples (monthly to 31/05/2025) Source: FactSet Research Systems Inc.

Subsector	Enterprise Value (\$ m)	EV/EBITDA FY2025	EV/EBIT FY2025	Price / Earnings FY2025
Consumer	21,814	10.9x	14.4x	19.7x
Food & Agribusiness	23,768	8.7x	13.6x	17.5x
Leisure	42,931	10.0x	14.4x	25.8x
Online Commerce	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Personal and Household Goods	4,569	16.2x	21.6x	31.6x
Retail	235,097	8.2x	14.1x	19.7x
Consumer Goods & Retail	328,179	10.8x	15.6x	22.9x

Note: Multiples are based on the forward year of the reported period, which for the majority of companies in the sector is FY2025. Difference in forward EV/EBITDA multiples between Figure and Table are representative of the timing difference between month-end result and current day result.



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## **MERGER & ACQUISITION NEWS...**



Value: N/A

**Cargill**, a global food and agriculture company, has agreed to acquire 100% of **Teys Australia** and **Teys USA**, Australian beef producers. Completion is expected in the second half of 2025.



#### Value: N/A

Amart Furniture, backed by Quadrant Private Equity, has acquired Freedom Furniture. The combined business will operate 126 stores across Australia and New Zealand, with \$1bn in sales and 2,200 employees.



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# **RETAIL RUMOURS**

- CVC Capital Partners is reportedly considering a bid for the Asian operations of Arnott's Group. The unit includes the Prego and Kimball brands and generates around \$231m in annual turnover. The sale excludes Arnott's core Australian biscuits business.
- **TPG Capital** has reportedly appointed an advisor to oversee the sale of **Made Group**, a food and beverage company. TPG acquired a 60% stake in 2021 in a deal valuing the company between \$300m-\$350m.
- Toys'R'Us ANZ has entered administration after its recapitalisation plan failed and will explore restructuring or sale options.
- The Shoe Group is in exclusive talks to acquire women's footwear brand Wittner.
- Bega Cheese has advised the ACCC that it will lodge an application seeking informal merger clearance for its potential acquisition of Fonterra Oceania.
- Online furniture retailer Koala has paused its \$100m IPO plans due to uncertainty around new US tariffs on Chinese-made furniture. The Sydney-based company reported \$240m in annual revenue and \$7.7m in EBITDA.



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