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Maizels, Westerberg & Co. at the forefront of Nordic M&A work

The Anglo-Scandinavian investment bank, Maizels, Westerberg & Co, (MW) specialising in cross-border and domestic corporate finance and restructuring transactions in Sweden and the other Nordic countries, has established itself at the forefront of Scandinavian Mergers & Acquisitions work. During 1998 MW completed over £1 billion in cross-border acquisitions and divestitures. Most recently, the firm advised Telia and Ericsson on the sale of AU-Systems, Bonnier on the acquisition of Marieberg, the Stock Exchange on the Merger with OM, the merger of BTL's land transportation business with Schenker of Germany and many other transactions covering a wide variety of industries.

Last year, IFR Securities Data listed MW in the no. 1 spot amongst all European and UK independent banks. The organisation, however, does not advertise and tends to keep a very low profile. The investment bank was formed in 1992 by the senior executives of Enskilda, and has built a reputation for its ability to sell businesses well and to acquire businesses in the Nordic area for UK clients. Recently MW advised ALVIS on their acquisition of Hägglunds Vehicle.

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