

FT Partners is Pleased to Announce its Role as Exclusive Strategic and Financial Advisor to



on its Series E financing led by



for a total amount of

\$105,000,000

at a valuation of

\$3,325,000,000

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Overview of Transaction

- On August 11, 2021, Upgrade announced it raised \$105 million in Series E financing led by Koch Disruptive Technologies (KDT), with participation from existing investors including BRV and Ventura Capital
 - The round values the Company at more than \$3.3 billion, which represents a 3x increase over the prior 2020 round
- Upgrade is a neobank that offers affordable and responsible credit to
 mainstream consumers through cards and personal loans, along with a rewards
 checking account that offers 2% cashback rewards to consumers on common
 everyday expenses and monthly subscriptions
- Upgrade has delivered over \$7 billion in affordable credit to consumers through cards and loans since inception in 2017, and is on track to deliver \$7 billion in 2021 alone
- In July, the Company launched the Upgrade Bitcoin Rewards Card, a credit card that pays rewards in bitcoin rather than cash, allowing consumers to enjoy the potential upside of bitcoin without putting their own money at risk

Significance of Transaction

• The investment will fuel the rapid growth of the Upgrade Card, an innovative credit card that brings the low cost of responsible credit of installment lending to millions of retail locations in the U.S.

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Upgrade
- FT Partners previously advised Upgrade on its <u>Series D financing</u> at a \$1 billion valuation in June 2020
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise with neobanks and Consumer FinTech, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth FinTech companies globally

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Overview of Transaction

- On June 17, 2020, Upgrade announced it has raised Series D financing led by Santander InnoVentures, with participation from existing investors including Union Square Ventures, Ribbit Capital, Vy Capital and Silicon Valley Bank and new investors Ventura Capital and Uncorrelated Ventures
 - The round values the Company at more than \$1 billion, which represents a 2x increase over the prior round valuation
- Upgrade is a neobank that offers affordable and responsible credit to mainstream consumers through cards and personal loans, along with free credit monitoring and education tools that help consumers better understand their finances
- Since Upgrade launched in 2017, more than 10 million consumers have applied for an Upgrade card or loan and the Company has delivered over \$3 billion in credit, growing at a triple digit annual rate
- Upgrade is cash flow positive with an annual revenue run rate of \$100 million
- Later this year, Upgrade plans to launch the Upgrade Account, an online checking account with generous debit rewards and an easier path to Upgrade's credit product

Significance of Transaction

- The investment will fuel the rapid growth of the Upgrade Card, an innovative credit card that brings the low cost of responsible credit of installment lending to millions of retail locations in the U.S.
- Upgrade will also use the investment for the upcoming launch of Upgrade Account, a mobile banking product offering exceptional value to mainstream consumers

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Upgrade
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise with neobanks and the direct-to-consumer sector, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth FinTech companies globally

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Transaction Commentary





Upgrade

"We are thrilled to partner with KDT. We have experienced unprecedented growth and profitability this year, and the additional capital will enable us to further establish Upgrade Card as a mainstream credit card and continue designing innovative products that benefit consumers."





"We are seeing rapid innovation in banking, and believe FinTech, and neobanks in particular, will profoundly transform the banking industry to the greater benefit of consumers. Upgrade has proven success in designing products that deliver more value and a better experience to consumers, and we believe they are uniquely suited to be a market leader."



Managing Director Koch Disruptive Technologies

Renaud Laplanche

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Upgrade Overview



Company Overview



CEO:

Headquarters: San Francisco, CA

Launched: 2017

- Upgrade built a neobank on a credit foundation (credit cards and loans), and later added mobile banking
- Credit products provide the main monetization strategy with a take rate of 7% per transaction (vs. 1.4% with debit products), driving both revenue and profitability
- Upgrade has delivered over \$7 billion in consumer credit which includes the Company's personal loan product and Upgrade Card, which brings installment lending to millions of points of sale
- Upgrade has over 750 employees and has raised approximately \$300 million in equity since inception

Selected Investors









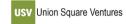














Products & Services Overview



The Only Mainstream Credit-Led Neobank of Scale in the U.S.

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Upgrade Overview (cont.)



Upgrade Card

- 1. Upgrade Card: A hybrid between traditional credit cards and BNPL that offers a significantly lower cost than traditional credit cards, more transparency, and a fixed period and cost to the consumer
- Credit lines from \$500 to \$25,000
- Affordable monthly payments with no annual fee
- · Use wherever Visa is accepted
- Lower cost than traditional credit cards
 rates start at 8.99% APR
- Monthly balances turn into installment plans paid over 12 to 36 months
- New Bitcoin Rewards Card allows users to earn unlimited 1.5% back in Bitcoin on all purchases



How It Works

Converts month-end balances into fixed-rate fully amortizing receivables for lower and predictable payments



Convenient

Use at retail locations or online and earn 1.5% cash back on payments



Lower Cost

No fees and set payoffs bring your balance down faster so you pay less interest



Pay down balances from each month at a fixed rate with equal monthly payments

Upgrade Account & Upgrade Loans

2. Upgrade Checking Account: Online checking account for mainstream consumers



- Easier path to Upgrade Loans and Card
- No ATM fees, no account fees, no transfer fees
- 2% cash back on everyday purchases,1% on everything else
- Up to 20% lower rate on Upgrade loans & Cards with Rewards Checking Account
- Higher limit on personal credit line
- Single card for credit and debit provides ease of use and unique revenue opportunity
- Full integration of products through neobank creates a one-stop shop for consumers

3 Upgrade Loans: Affordable and responsible credit for mainstream customers





Debt Consolidation



Home Improvement



Major Purchase



Refinance Credit Cards

- ✓ Low fixed
- Affordable monthly payments
- No prepayment fees

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Revolut

on its Series E financing led by

SoftBank TIGERGLOBAL

for a total amount of \$800,000,000

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FT Partners has an extensive history advising on multi-billion dollar transactions, as well as representing numerous FinTech "Unicorns" with \$1 billion+ valuations

Selected Billion Dollar+ Clients

Selected Transactions with Multi-Billion Dollar Valuations



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(NASDAQ: FTOCU)

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\$3,796,000,000

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\$ 3,500,000,000







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\$1,206,400,000

CompoSecure.



Significant Experience Advising Large Financing Rounds and "Unicorns"



FT Partners has a history of advising on some of the largest financing transactions in the FinTech space

| Company | Amount Raised | Selected Prominent Investors in FT Partners Led Rounds |
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^{*} Total includes multiple financing rounds

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Proven Track Record of Success Across the BankTech Sector











































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FT Partners Advises Revolut on its \$800 million Series E Financing



Overview of Transaction

- On July 15, 2021, Revolut announced that it has raised \$800 million in financing from Softbank and Tiger Global, valuing the business at ~\$33 billion
- SoftBank and Tiger Global join existing investors including Balderton Capital, DST, Ribbit Capital, TCV and TSG Consumer Partners
- Revolut is building the world's first truly global financial superapp to help people get more from their money
 - In 2015, Revolut launched in the UK offering money transfer and exchange; Today, more than 16 million customers around the world use dozens of Revolut's innovative products to make more than 150 million transactions a month

Significance of Transaction

- The investment will enable the Company to further its growth plans, in particular
 its ongoing product innovation aimed at meeting customers' everyday financial
 needs and aspirations, from quick and easy global transfers, to managing
 everything from savings to insurance to democratizing wealth and trading
- It will also support the expansion of Revolut's offering to US customers and its entry to India and other international markets
- Revolut is now the most valuable financial superapp and the 4th most valuable private FinTech company globally

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Revolut
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' deep expertise in the Consumer FinTech and Banking Tech space, as well as our successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth, unicorn FinTech companies globally

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FT Partners Advises MoneyLion on its Merger with Fusion Acquisition Corp.



Overview of Transaction

- On February 12, 2021, MoneyLion Inc. ("MoneyLion") and Fusion Acquisition Corp. (NYSE: FUSE) ("Fusion") announced that they have entered into a definitive agreement which would result in MoneyLion becoming a publicly listed company via a merger
- Upon closing of the transaction, Fusion will be renamed MoneyLion Inc., and is expected to remain listed on the New York Stock Exchange
 - The combined Company will have an estimated post-transaction enterprise value of \$2.4 billion with an estimated equity value of \$2.9 billion from the contribution of up to \$526 million in cash proceeds from the transaction, net of debt paydown and expenses
 - Proceeds will consist of up to \$350 million of cash held in Fusion's trust account and an additional \$250 million fully committed private investment at \$10.00 per share led by funds and accounts managed by BlackRock, certain funds managed by affiliates of Apollo Global Management, Inc., and leading global technology and growth equity investors
- MoneyLion is a mobile banking and financial membership platform that empowers people to take control of their finances
 - Since its launch in 2013, MoneyLion has engaged with 7.5 million hard-working Americans and has earned its members' trust by building a full-service digital platform to deliver mobile banking, lending, and investment solutions

Significance of Transaction

- MoneyLion shareholders will hold approximately 76% of the equity of the combined Company by rolling their existing holdings in MoneyLion
- The net proceeds raised from the transaction will be used to support MoneyLion's working capital and scale its proven platform and suite of products

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as financial advisor to MoneyLion
 - FT Partners previously advised MoneyLion on its on its \$100 million Series C financing in 2019 and its \$82 million Series B financing in 2018
- This transaction builds on FT Partners' expertise in navigating the unique process in selling companies to SPACs, and follows highly successful sales of FT Partners' clients Payoneer, Porch, Open Lending, CardConnect and REPAY

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MoneyLion

on its merger with



Acquisition Corp.

(NYSE: FUSE)

post-transaction equity value

\$2,900,000,000



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FT Partners Advises OakNorth on its Secondary Sale

Overview of Transaction

- In September and October 2020, existing shareholder Indiabulls Housing Finance Limited ("Indiabulls") sold down a stake in OakNorth for more than \$270 million
 - Indiabulls, an Indian mortgage lender which acquired a 40% stake in OakNorth in 2015 and partially exited it in 2018, has now sold a large portion of its remaining stake
- With offices around the world, OakNorth is the next-generation artificial
 intelligence software business that combines a deep understanding of credit,
 dynamic data sets, cloud-computing and state of the art machine learning, to
 enable the commercial bank of the future
- OakNorth's Credit Intelligence Suite was first proven within OakNorth Bank, a
 UK bank launched in September 2015, which has lent over \$5bn to British
 businesses, achieving performance metrics which place it amongst the top 1%
 of banks globally an RORE of 22.3%, an efficiency ratio of 29.8%, an NPS of
 82, and no credit losses to date
- The OakNorth Credit Intelligence Suite helps banks better understand their loan books and borrowers, and effectively stress test their portfolios. The result is more effective, better equipped Relationship, Risk and Transaction Managers, superior credit outcomes, improved efficiency, reduced risk, enhanced regulatory compliance and greater customer delight

Significance of Transaction

 The transaction further validates the OakNorth proposition and the growth potential of its technology in helping to close the estimated \$1.3 - \$1.5trn midmarket business funding gap

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to OakNorth and to Indiabulls
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise in the Banking Tech space, and its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for all stakeholders

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on the sale of a minority stake for

\$270,000,000+



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The Largest Series A Financing for a Neobank in Southeast Asia



Overview of Transaction

- On August 6, 2021, BigPay announced that it raised up to \$100 million in Series A financing led by SK Group to further its mission to become the leading neobank in Southeast Asia
- Founded in 2017, BigPay is present in both Malaysia and Singapore; Its
 current offering includes a prepaid debit card which can be used to spend
 anywhere Visa or Mastercard is accepted, local and international money
 transfers, micro-insurance, bill payments and a budgeting tool
- BigPay is in the midst of launching fully digital personal loans, transactional lending, wealth and saving products, along with an offering for mSMEs and freelancers
- The announcement comes a few weeks after BigPay announced its application for a digital banking license where it reiterated the commitment to build a connected financial future for Malaysian consumers and entrepreneurs

Significance of Transaction

- The funding will fuel BigPay's ambition to expand its financial product offerings to provide fair financial services to communities across Southeast Asia
- The transaction represents the largest Series A fundraise ever for a neobank in Southeast Asia

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to BigPay
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' deep Digital Banking domain expertise and successful track record of generating favorable outcomes for leading companies globally

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on its Series A financing led by



for a total amount up to

\$100,000,000



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FT Partners Advises Tide on its \$100+ million Series C Financing



Overview of Transaction

- On July 12, 2021, Tide announced a \$100+ million Series C financing round
- The oversubscribed round is led by funds advised by Apax Digital (growth equity team of Apax Partners) as well as participation from existing investors Anthemis, Augmentum, Jigsaw, Local Globe / Latitude, SBI, and SpeedInvest
- Tide is the emerging leader in SME challenger banking in the UK, serving around 6% of UK businesses
 - Since launching in 2017, Tide has experienced rapid and sustained growth
 - The business more than doubled its user base in the UK in 2020
 - Now Tide holds over 350,000 members, over 400,000 business accounts and a proposition ranging from business banking to payments and accounting software
- Tide, in partnership with ClearBank, has also been awarded a total of nearly \$120 million in grants from the RBS Alternative Remedies Package

Significance of Transaction

- The new funding puts Tide in a position to continue to develop its business financial platform, expand its market share, as well as expand globally
- Earlier this year, Tide announced that it was expanding into India, with a full launch of the platform planned for 2022

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as the exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Tide on this transaction
- The Tide transaction underscores FT Partners' deep Payments and Banking expertise, and successful track record of executing deals in Europe

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for a total amount of

\$100,000,000+



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FT Partners Advises Deserve on its \$50 million Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On June 24, 2021, Deserve announced it has raised \$50 million in financing led by Mission Holdings, Mastercard (NYSE: MA), and Ally Ventures, with participation from Goldman Sachs, Sallie Mae, and other existing investors
- Deserve is powering the future of FinTech through digital-first, mobilecentric, highly configurable API and SDK based credit card solutions
 - Deserve partners with financial institutions, FinTechs, modern consumer brands, universities and associations to develop, deploy, and power white label and co-branded credit card programs
- Deserve's modern platform also provides partners the capability to offer an embedded and seamless credit card experience to customers and members

Significance of Transaction

- Deserve is the first credit card-as-a-service platform to leverage
 Mastercard's Digital First Program for instant issuance/provisioning for credit
- With the new funding, Deserve will be able to accelerate its mission to modernize the credit card stack, and enable the industry to launch and scale credit card programs quickly via modern APIs

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Deserve
- FT Partners previously advised Deserve on its \$50 million financing led by Goldman Sachs in 2019 and its \$17 million financing led by Sallie Mae in 2018
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' deep Banking Tech domain expertise and its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high growth FinTech companies globally

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on its financing led by







with participation from

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for total consideration of

\$50,000,000





FT Partners' Recent Awards and Recognition



Bloomberg

Bloomberg

- o FT Partners' Steve McLaughlin was featured on Bloomberg / Bloomberg TV
- o View the full article and watch the live TV interview



M&A Advisor Awards

- Technology Deal of the Year (2019)
- o Cross Border Deal of the Year and Corporate / Strategic Deal of the Year (2018)
- Investment Banker of the Year (2017) Steve McLaughlin, CEO & Managing Partner of FT Partners
- o Investment Banking Firm of the Year (2016) FT Partners



LendIt FinTech Industry Awards 2018:

o FT Partners wins Top Investment Bank in FinTech







The FinTech Finance 40:

Steve McLaughlin ranked #1 in 2017 and 2018





The Information's "Silicon Valley's Most Popular Dealmakers"

- Ranked as the #2 top Technology Investment Banker by The Information subscribers (2016)
- o Only FinTech focused investment banking firm and banker on the list

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