



Press Release

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Another Strong Year in the UK Food and Beverage M&A Market, Despite a Slight Dip in Deal Value and Volume Compared to Last Year

Oghma Partners is pleased to share the release of its review of the latest Mergers and Acquisition activity within the UK Food and Beverage Industry.

Looking ahead, Oghma expects consolidation to continue across subsectors, alongside large corporates further diversifying their portfolios and expanding their geographic footprint. As interest rates gradually ease but inflationary pressures persist, M&A activity is likely to remain selective and strategically driven, with deal values and volumes broadly in line with 2025 levels.

A full copy of the report is available on request.

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