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The Asian Financial Crisis Revisited

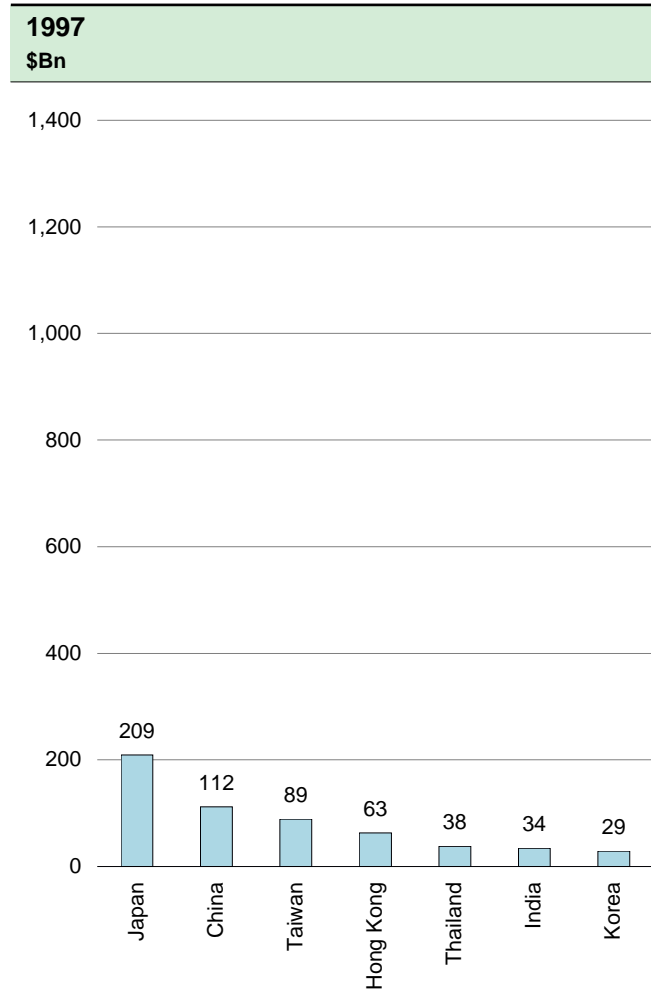
Challenges Over the Next Decade

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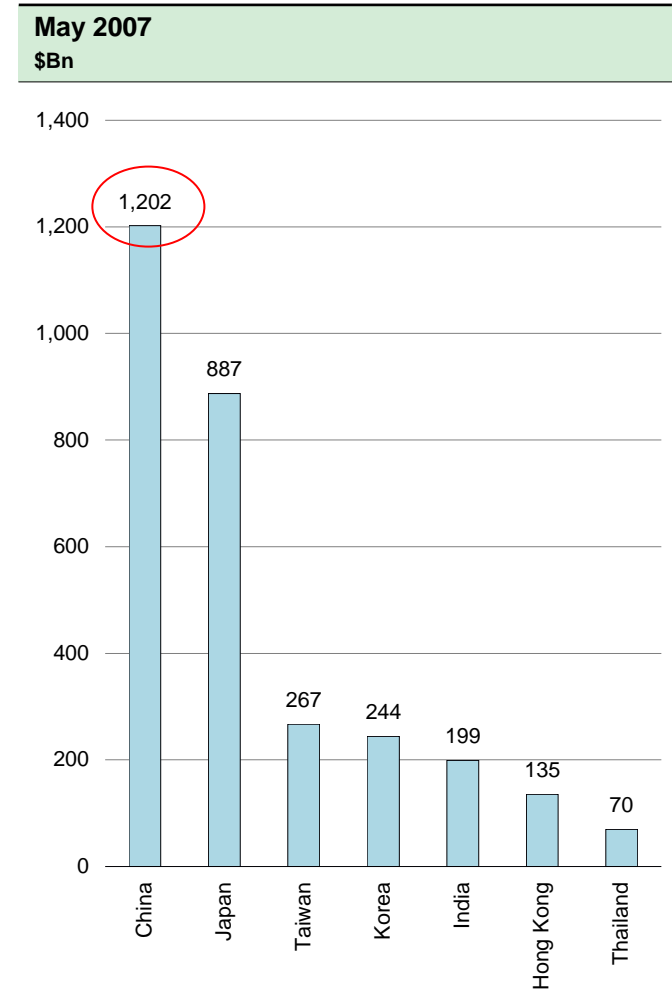
FX Reserves

10 years ago vs. Current

- Over the past decade, countries in the Asia-Pacific have accumulated large foreign exchange reserves
 - As China exceeds the \$1Tn mark, it has begun to diversify its foreign exchange reserves, as exemplified by its \$3Bn investment in private equity firm, The Blackstone Group



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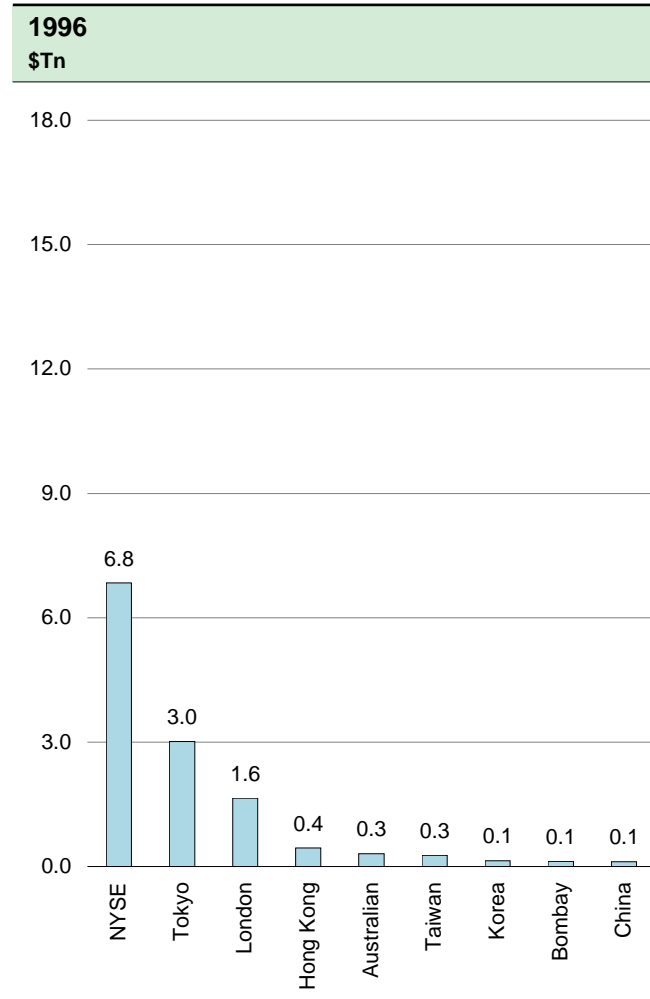


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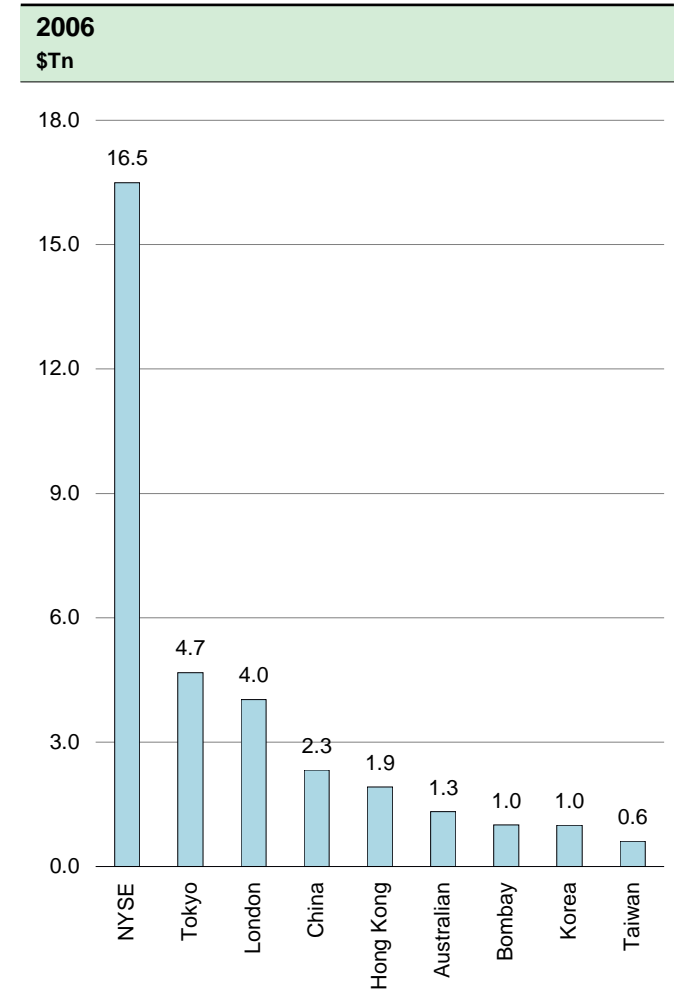
Market Caps of Exchanges

1996 vs. 2006

- Since 1996, the market value of all major stock exchanges around the world have grown significantly, reflecting increasing volume as well as rising trends in valuation
- Stock exchanges in Asia-Pacific countries have grown in tandem with their burgeoning economies and maturing financial markets
 - The Shenzhen and Shanghai exchanges in China have experienced the most dramatic growth, 36.8% combined CAGR over ten years



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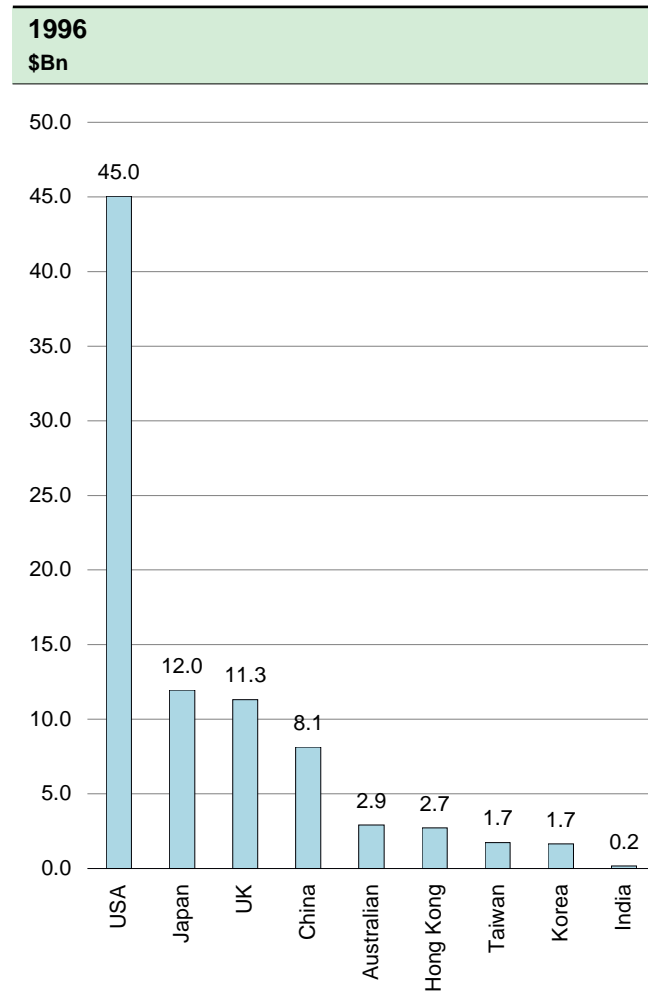


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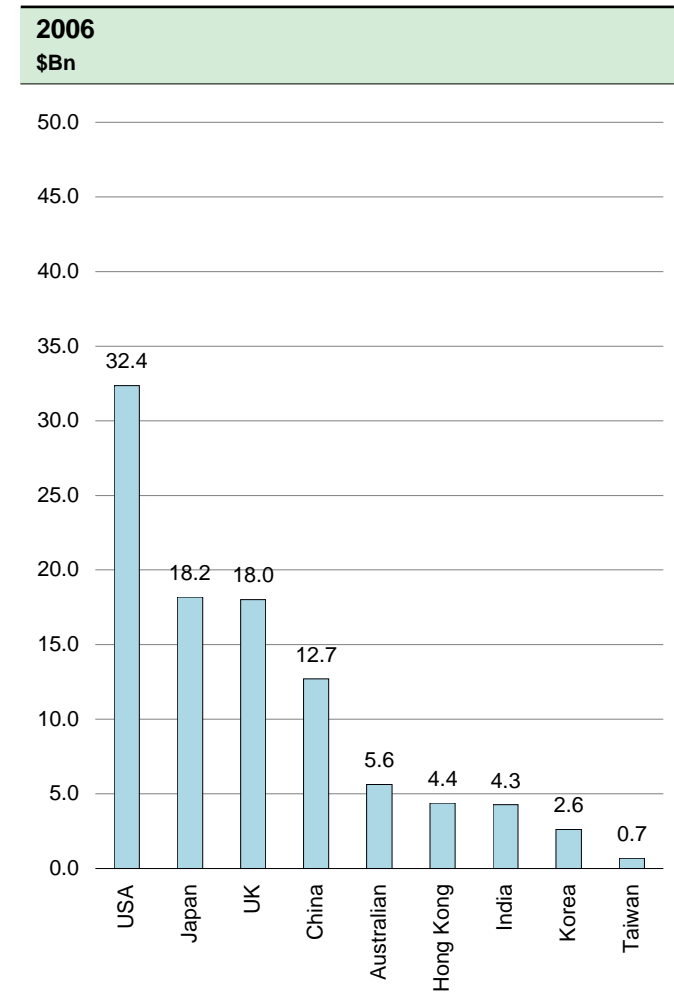
Market Value of IPOs

1996 vs. 2006

- The U.S. remains the leading market for IPOs, though other markets in the Asia-Pacific region have become more prominent, reflecting their maturing financial markets
 - China, as the fastest developing economy, has seen many of the largest IPOs in the Asia-Pacific region



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15 Largest Global Financial Service Firms

1996 vs. 2006

- In ten years span, the aggregate market value of the top 15 global financial services firms grew 8.9% CAGR
 - In contrast to 1996 when only 3 of the 15 top firms had market cap over \$100Bn, all of the top 15 firms are above the mark
- The composition of the top fifteen global financial services firms has changed, driven by
 - Rise of the financial conglomerates
 - Development of Chinese banks

Financial Sector 1996		
Rank	Company	Market Cap (\$US Bn)
1.	Sumitomo Mitsui Banking	248.1
2.	Banco Santander Chile	164.9
3.	Banco de A. Edwards	100.7
4.	Bank of Tokyo - Mitsubishi	86.3
5.	HSBC	57.0
6.	AIG	50.8
7.	CitiCorp	77.5
8.	Bank of America	63.9
9.	Fannie Mae	41.1
10.	Berkshire Hathaway	40.7
11.	JP Morgan Chase	39.2
12.	American Express	26.8
13.	Allstate	25.7
14.	WFC Holdings	24.9
15.	ING	24.4
Total		1,072.0

Source Capital IQ

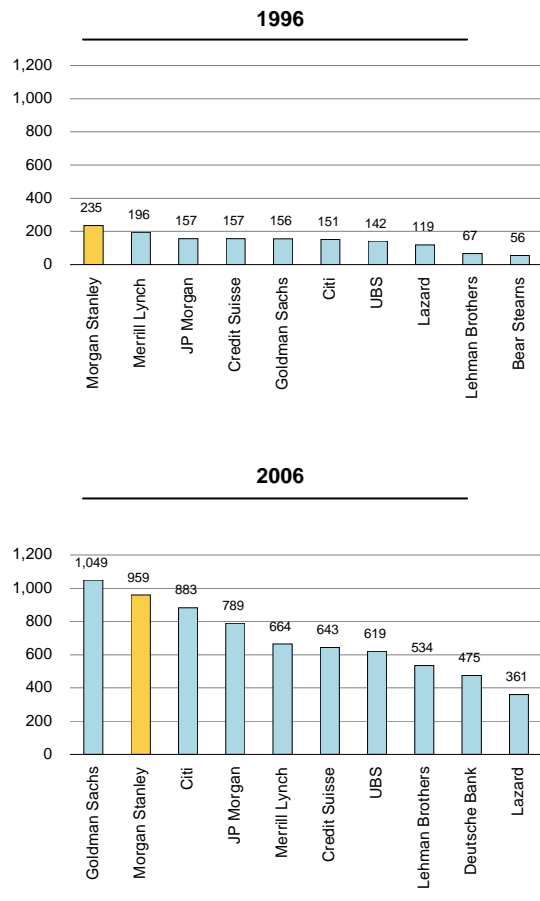
Financial Sector 2006		
Rank	Company	Market Cap (\$US Bn)
1.	Citigroup	273.7
2.	Industrial and Commercial Bank of China Ltd.	260.2
3.	Bank of America	239.8
4.	HSBC	209.4
5.	AIG	186.3
6.	Berkshire Hathaway	169.6
7.	JPMorgan Chase	167.6
8.	China Construction Bank	143.0
9.	Bank of China	139.4
10.	Mitsubishi UFJ Financial	124.8
11.	Royal Bank of Scotland	124.6
12.	Wells Fargo	120.0
13.	UBS AG	119.9
14.	Banco Santander Central Hispano SA	116.7
15.	Wachovia Corp.	114.5
Total		2,509.5

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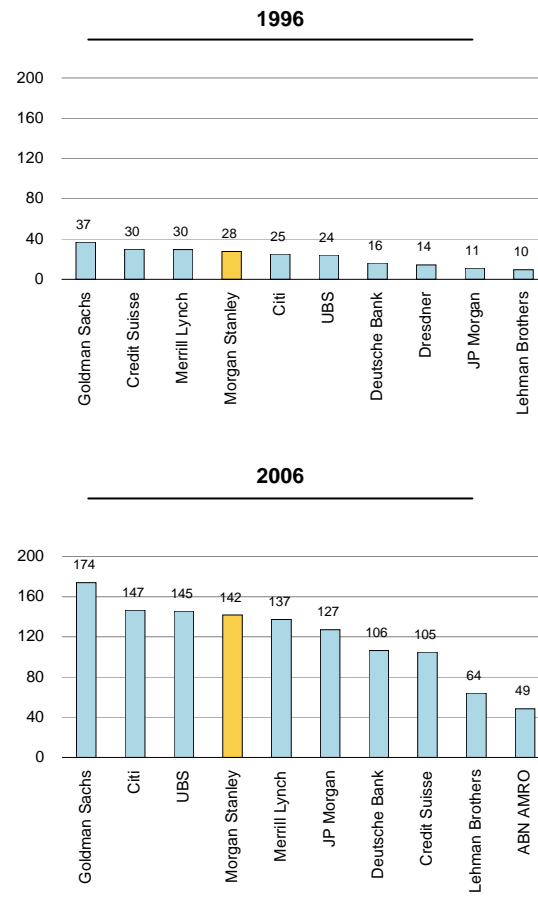
Global Debt, Equity and M&A League Tables

1996 versus 2006

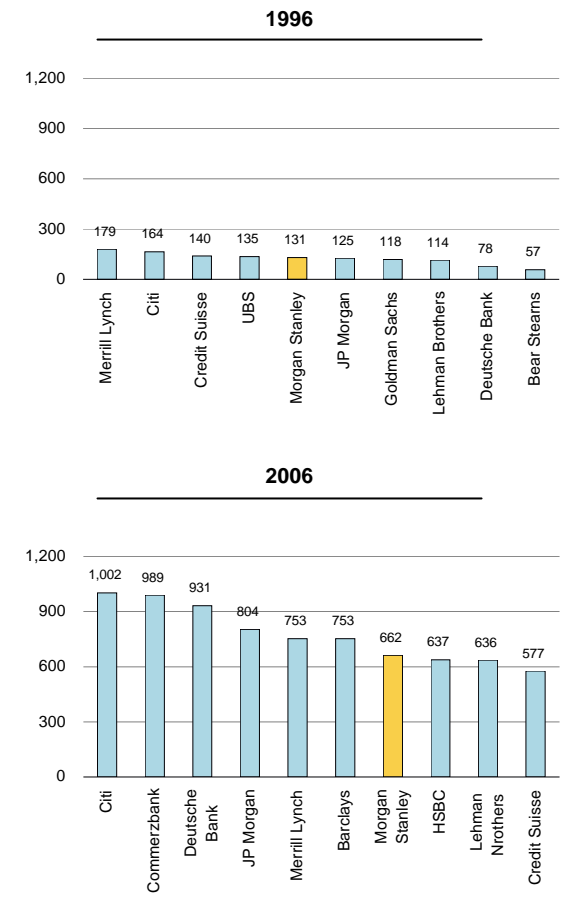
M&A (1)
\$Bn



Equity
\$Bn



Debt
\$Bn



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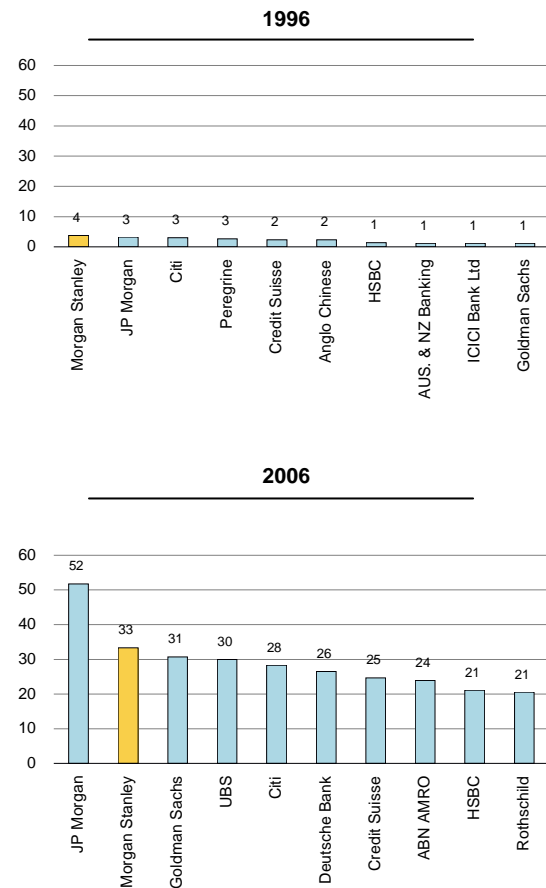
1. Deals greater than \$100MM; any party transactions in the region

Asia-Pacific Debt, Equity and M&A League Tables (1)

1996 versus 2006

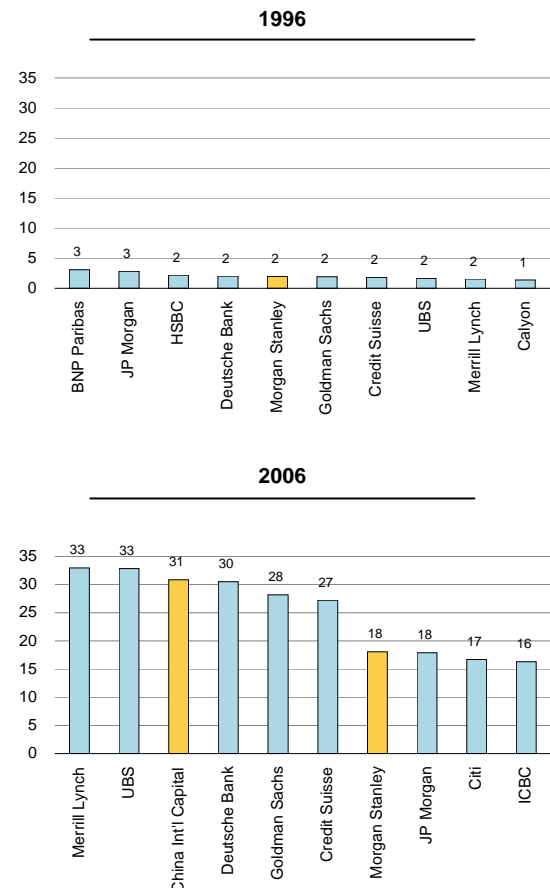
M&A (2)

\$Bn



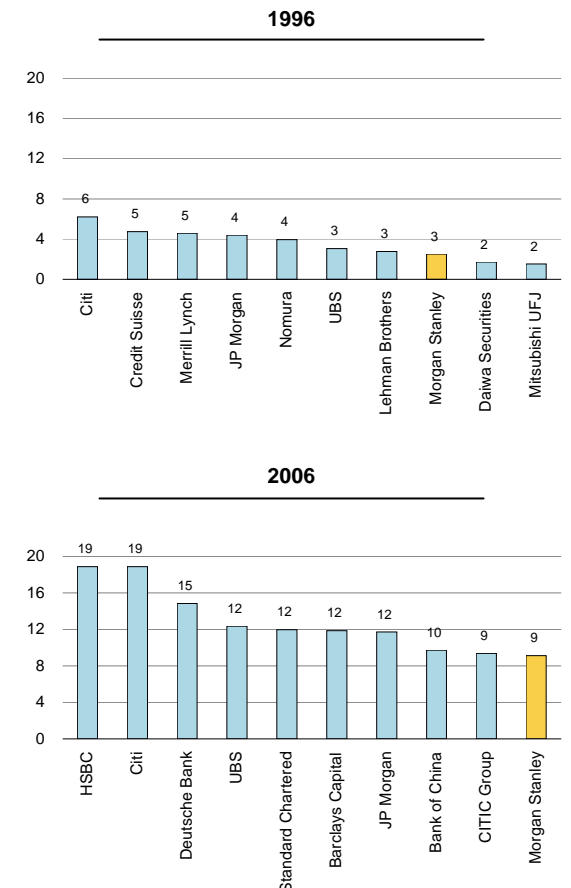
Equity

\$Bn



Debt

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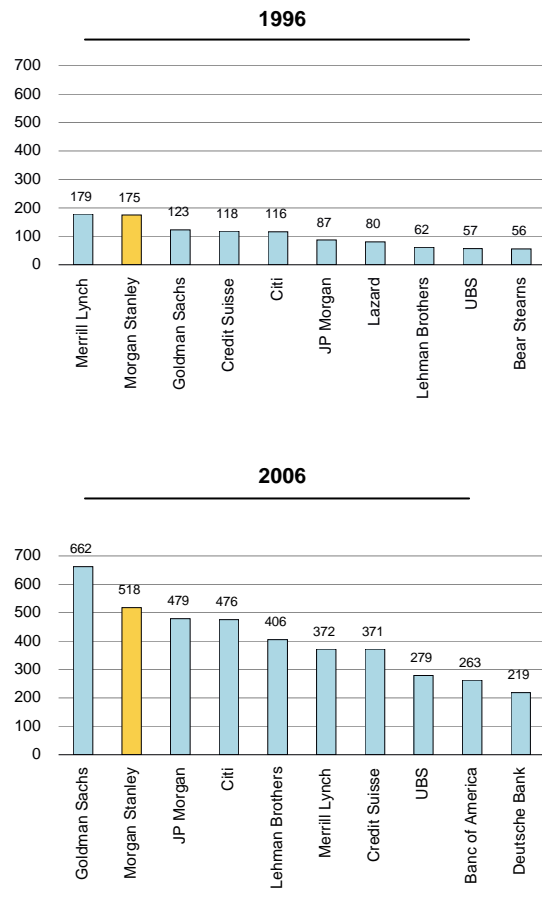
Notes

1. Excludes Japan and Australia
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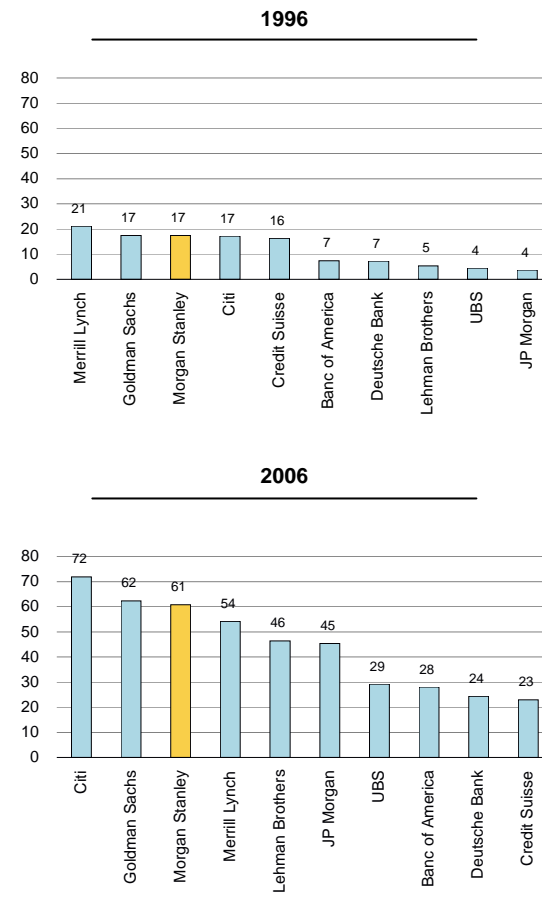
US Debt, Equity and M&A League Tables

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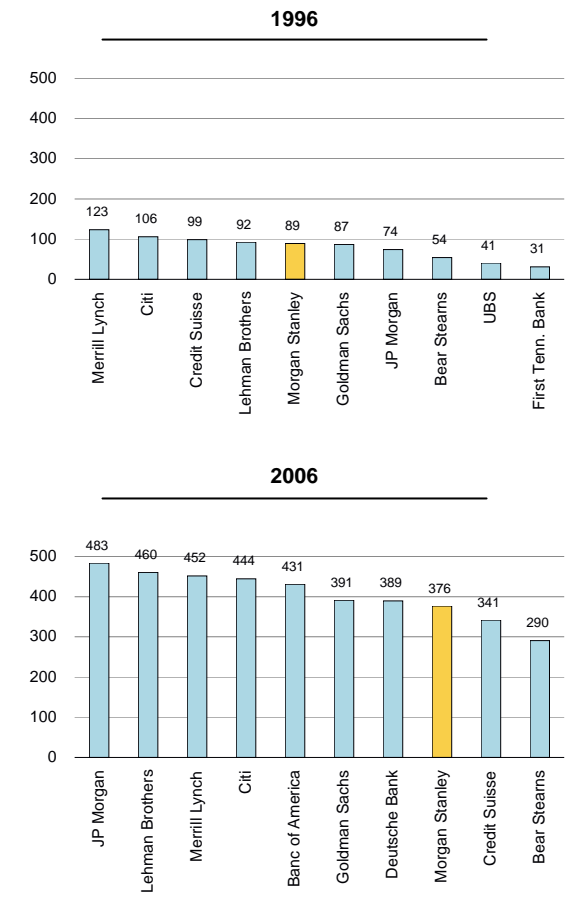
M&A (1) \$Bn



Equity \$Bn



Debt \$Bn



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