

Largest corporate deals of all time

Vodafone is to sell its 45% stake in Verizon Wireless in the United States to Verizon Communications for \$130 billion (£84bn). The sale will be the third-largest merger and acquisition deal in history

Vodafone AirTouch acquires Mannesmann (1999)

\$202.8bn

AOL purchases Time Warner (2000)

\$181.6bn

Vodafone-Verizon deal (2013)

\$130bn

Shareholders acquire
Philip Morris Int. (2008)

\$107.6bn

RBS' takeover of
ABN-AMRO (2007)

\$98.5bn

Pfizer acquires
Pharmacia Corp. (2003)

\$89.2bn

Exxon buys Mobil (1998)

\$78.9bn

Glaxo Wellcome acquires
SmithKline Beecham

\$76bn
(1998)

Royal Dutch Petroleum
buys out Shell (2004)

\$74.6bn

AT&T acquires
BellSouth Corp. (2006)

\$72.7bn



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verizon