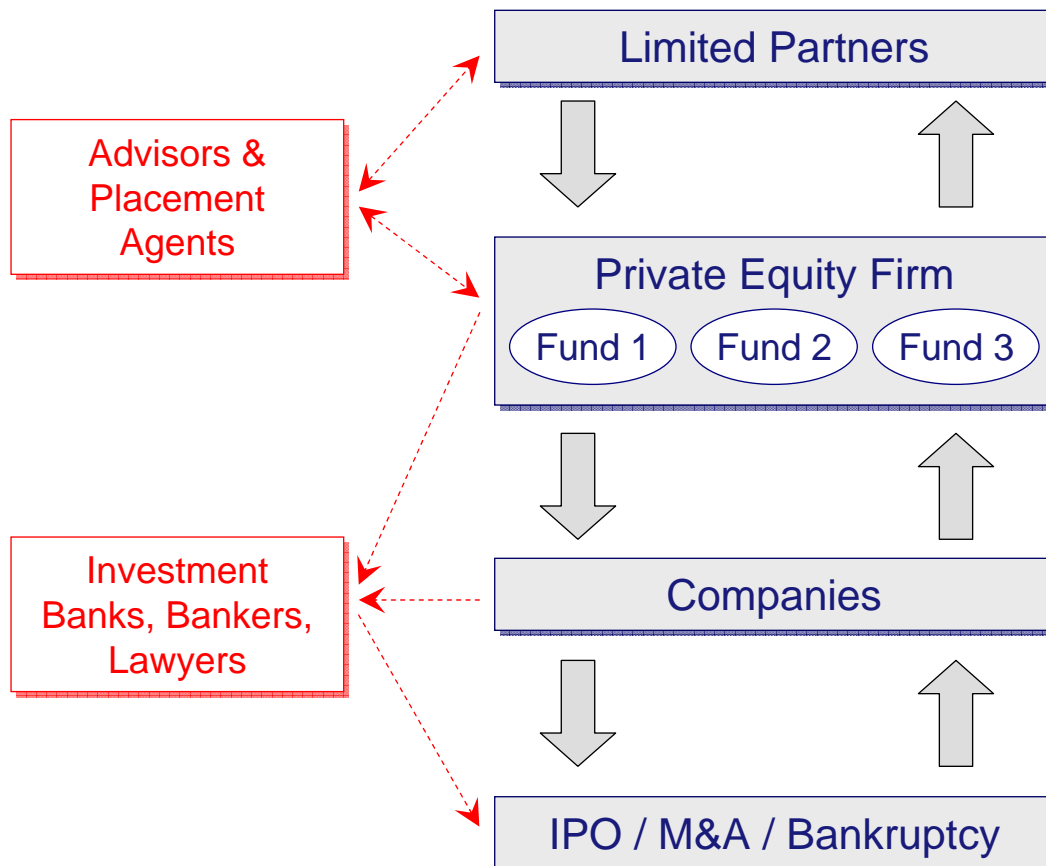


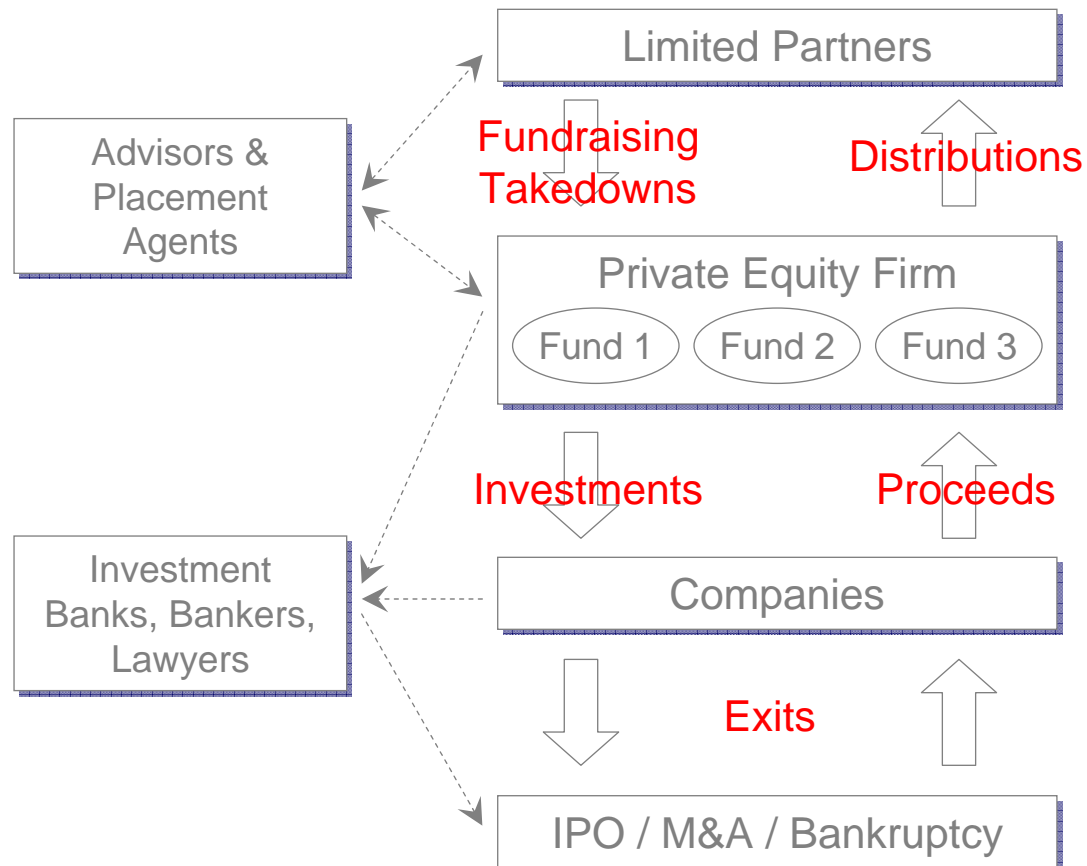
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Private Equity Flow of Funds



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Database offerings are comprehensive

	Database		Update Frequency
	VentureXpert™	VCR Reporter™	
Investments	120,000 deals	16,000 deals	Daily
Portfolio Companies	59,000	10,000	
Private Equity Firms	12,000	1,400	
Private Equity Funds	15,000		
Limited Partners	2,200		
Executives	195,000	16,000	
Fund Commitments	Over 9,400 funds		
Fund Performance	1800 US funds / 1000 European funds		Quarterly in the US Semi-annually in Europe

Private Equity Data Collection at TF

- Quarterly Surveys in Partnership with associations and other third parties
- Quarterly Financial Statement Analysis of GPs and their Investors
- Daily Research through public sources and government filings

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Data gathering in action:

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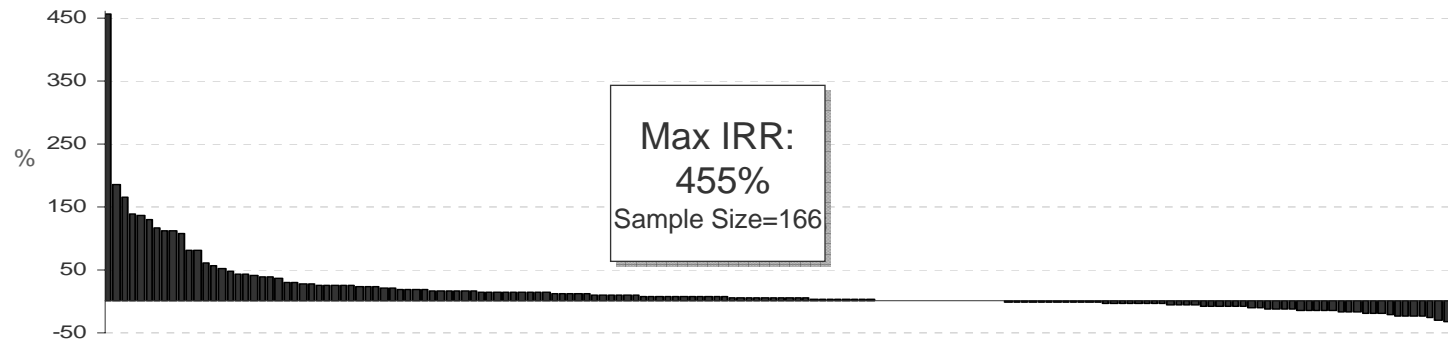
44 million hits on Google

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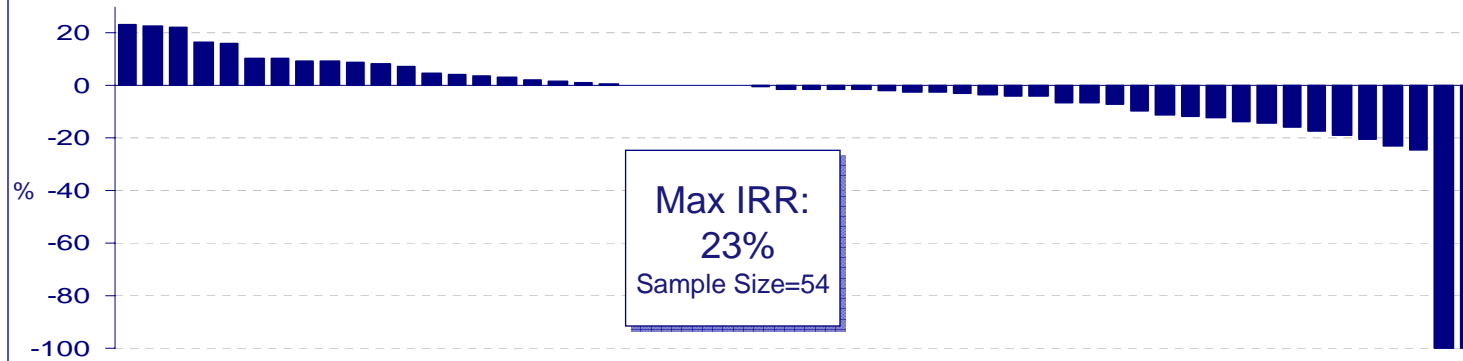
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US Cumulative returns distribution



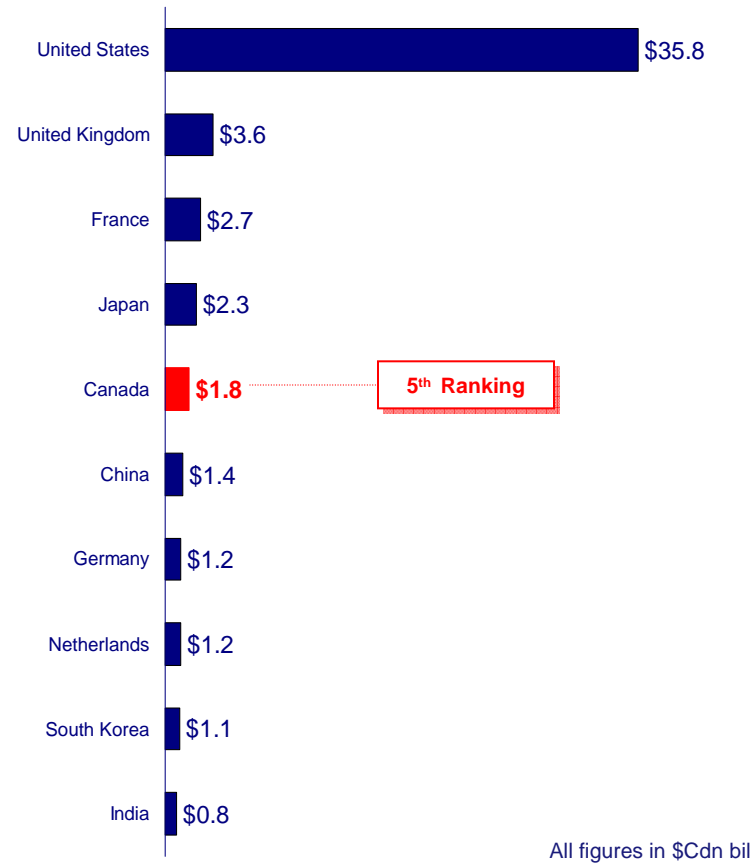
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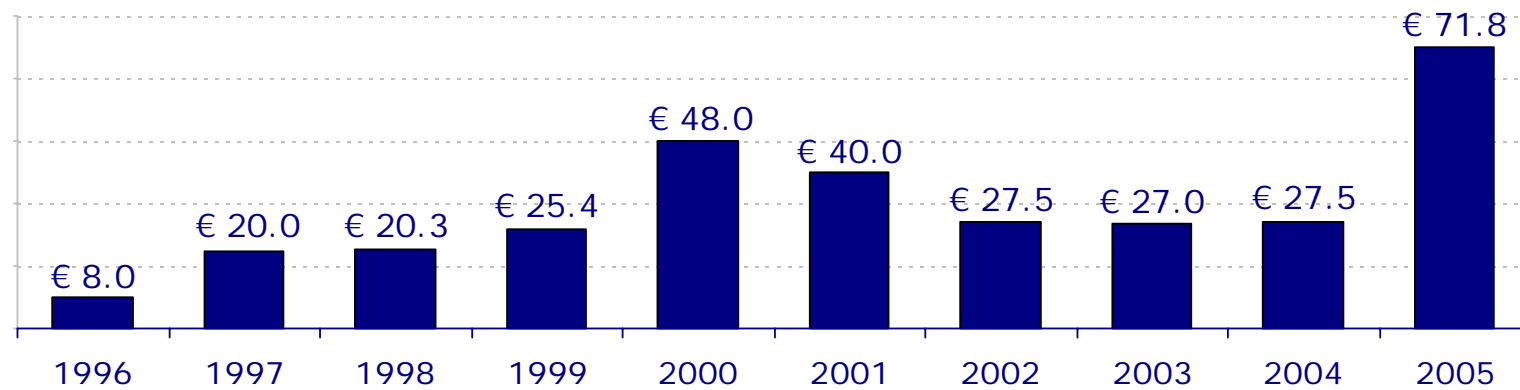
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European Private Equity Funds Raised (€ bil)

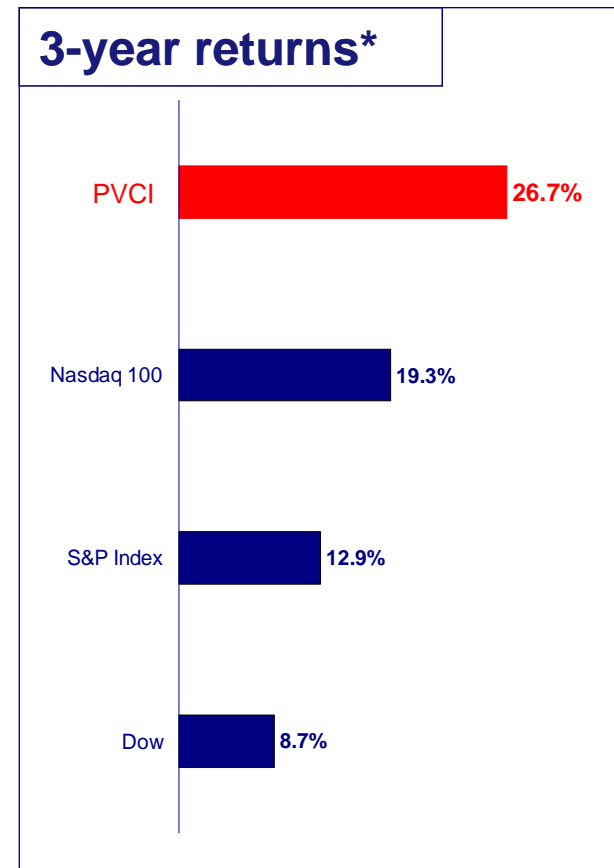
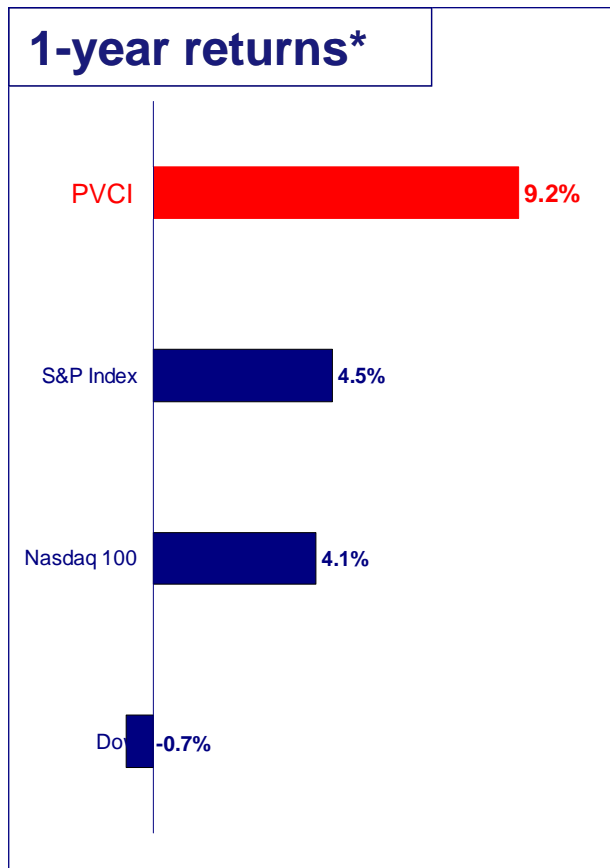


North American Private Equity Funds Raised (USD bil)



Question:

Do VC-backed companies that have gone public fare better compared to other public companies?



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