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SECTORS

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~\$1.05 billion acquisition of AVX Industrials Corporation **DEAL TYPE**

DEAL LOCATIONS



DEAL TEAM



Bill Kohr US CEO



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DC Advisory acts as the exclusive financial advisor to Kyocera Corporation (Kyocera) on the acquisition of AVX Corporation (AVX) for approximately \$1.05 bn. The offer price of \$21.75 per share represented a 44.6% premium over AVX's closing price on November 26 2019 (the last trading day prior to the announcement of Kyocera's initial proposal). The transaction was completed via a public market tender offer and subsequent short form merger, which was completed on March 30 2020.

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The acquisition reflects Kyocera's global expansion strategy and will enable Kyocera to strengthen its technical development and relationship with AVX.

Based in Kyoto, Japan, Kyocera is a leading Japanese conglomerate operating across a wide range of sectors, including industrials, automotive, semiconductor, electronics, communications. life science and environment.

Based in Fountain Inn, South Carolina, AVX is a leading worldwide manufacturer, supplier, and reseller of a broad line of electronic components, interconnect, sensing and control devices, and related products. Prior to Kyocera's acquisition of AVX, Kyocera had held a ~72% stake in AVX since 1995.



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