

# CHICAGO STARTUP FUNDING

SEED & VENTURE CAPITAL DEALS

2023  
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# JANUARY

2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

7

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$8,375,390

**ACCLAIMANT**



**\$2.5M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**ELIXIR**



**\$2.1M** | SEED

**OARS + ALPS**



**\$1.8M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**STRIDE**



**\$750K** | SEED

**CRUCIAL DETAIL**



**\$650K** | SEED

**JUPITERDX**

JupiterDX

**\$500K** | PRE-SEED

**STUPENDOUS  
LETTUCE**



**\$100K** | SEED

# FEBRUARY

# 2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

9

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$93,894,996

**NANOGRAF CORP**



**\$65M** | SERIES B

**DIMENSION INX**



**\$12M** | SERIES A

**KOIOS MEDICAL**



**\$8M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**ATRAVERSE MEDICAL**



**\$3.2M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**MEMQ**



**\$2M** | SEED

**TUSK**



**\$1.6M** | PRE-SEED

**FUNNY WATER**



**\$1.2M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**OWND**



**\$750K** | PRE-SEED

**SANARAI**



**\$100K** | SEED

# MARCH


















2023  
2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

19

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$132,359,046

PATHOS		\$20M   SERIES UNKNOWN
FINTECH FRANCHISE NETWORK		\$18M   SERIES A
DRIFT NET SECURITIES		\$15.6M   SERIES UNKNOWN
KIN INSURANCE		\$15M   SERIES D
REDSHELF		\$15M   SERIES UNKNOWN
EASYMOVE		\$14.5M   SERIES A
TRALA		\$8M   SERIES A
LUDEX		\$8M   SEED
COHESION		\$6.3M   SERIES UNKNOWN
GIGASTAR		\$4.8M   SEED
RISEKIT		\$4.8M   SERIES UNKNOWN
OARS+ALPS		\$900K   SERIES UNKNOWN
AMOPPORTUNITIES		\$750K   SERIES UNKNOWN
ROQ INNOVATION		\$200K   PRE-SEED
ENDOSHUNT MEDICAL		\$175K   PRE-SEED
LIFEWEB 360		\$120K   SEED
FLAT		\$120K   PRE-SEED
SWERVNATION		\$100K   SEED
HEALWEB		\$30K   SEED



# APRIL

2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

12

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$186,808,478

**ALERA GROUP**



**\$100M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**MEZZION**



**\$40M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**VISIBLY**



**\$24.6M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**AQUA CULTURED FOODS**



**\$5.5M** | SEED

**BIXBY RESEARCH & ANALYSIS**



**\$5.5M** | SERIES A

**CARMACARE**



**\$4.1M** | SEED

**COAST COAST**

**COAST**

**\$2.1M** | SEED

**INNOVARE**



**\$2M** | SEED

**COINFLOW LABS**



**\$1.5M** | PRE-SEED

**VOLEXION**



**\$961K** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**MOSHUN**



**\$502K** | SEED

**ARYANEWS**



**\$100K** | PRE-SEED

# MAY





2023  
2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

**15**

TOTAL INVESTMENT

**\$133,043,188**

<b>HALLOW</b>		<b>\$50M</b>   SERIES C
<b>OBIE</b>		<b>\$25.5M</b>   SERIES B
<b>LOGIK.IO</b>		<b>\$16M</b>   SERIES A
<b>CLIMATE VAULT</b>		<b>\$7.3M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>STELLA</b>		<b>\$7M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>APP TOUR</b>		<b>\$7M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>ASHLING PARTNERS</b>		<b>\$5.3M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>SONARMD</b>		<b>\$4.3M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>BONFIRE WOMEN</b>		<b>\$3.1M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>TWINUP</b>		<b>\$3M</b>   SEED
<b>MYCOCYCLE</b>		<b>\$2.2M</b>   SEED
<b>K4 MOBILITY</b>		<b>\$2.1M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>BROOQLY</b>		<b>\$150K</b>   SEED
<b>UNPLEX</b>		<b>\$100K</b>   PRE-SEED
<b>VISUAL FEEDER</b>		<b>\$100K</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN

# JUNE

2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

18

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$260,849,997

<b>AUGMEDICS</b>	 Augmedics	<b>\$82.5M</b>   SERIES D
<b>FLY.IO</b>	 Fly.io	<b>\$70M</b>   SERIES C
<b>PARO</b>	 PARO	<b>\$25M</b>   SERIES C
<b>LEAP SERVICES</b>	 LEAP	<b>\$15M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>INCUBEX</b>	 INCUBEX	<b>\$10.2M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>COPILOT</b>	 CoPilot.	<b>\$9.9M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>SONGFINCH</b>	 songfinch	<b>\$9.5M</b>   SERIES A
<b>BLUEPRINT</b>	 blueprint	<b>\$9M</b>   SERIES A
<b>HYFÉ</b>	 Hyfé	<b>\$9M</b>   SEED
<b>TAPIOCADA0</b>	 Tapioca	<b>\$6M</b>   SEED
<b>BONSIDE</b>	 BONSIDE	<b>\$4.4M</b>   SEED
<b>BITEWELL</b>	 bitewell	<b>\$4M</b>   SEED
<b>CONNECTCAREHERO</b>	 Connect CareHero	<b>\$1.8M</b>   SEED
<b>EVERY BODY EAT</b>	 every body eat	<b>\$1.5M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>LISTENER BRANDS</b>	 LISTENER	<b>\$1M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>CAT PARADISE</b>	 CAT PARADISE	<b>\$1M</b>   SEED
<b>FLOW MEDICAL</b>	 FLOW MEDICAL	<b>\$1M</b>   SEED
<b>MPB ESSENTIAL TECHNOLOGY</b>	 MPB ESSENTIAL TECHNOLOGY	<b>\$80K</b>   SEED

# JULY

2023  
2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

11

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$40,974,988

**SITE TECHNOLOGIES**



\$10M | SERIES UNKNOWN

**AMBIENT**

ambient

\$6.5M | SEED

**MSPBOTS.AI**



\$5M | SEED

**SNAPSHEET**



\$5M | SERIES UNKNOWN

**HUBLY SURGICAL**



\$3M | SEED

**LION POSE**

LION POSE

\$3M | SEED

**OFFSITE**



\$3M | SEED

**ION PROTOCOL**



\$2M | SEED

**THE BETTERING COMPANY**



\$1.7M | SERIES UNKNOWN

**QUILLER**



\$1.2M | PRE-SEED

**WHEN INSURANCE**



\$600K | SEED

# AUGUST

2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

13

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$186,353,420

**MEDIAFLY**



**\$80M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**CHOWBUS**



**\$40M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**DENTOLOGIE**

**Dentologic**

**\$23.9M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**THE FIRM OF JOHN  
DICKINSON SCHNEIDER**



**\$16.3M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**GOODSPORT**



**\$5.9M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**CLEVER CARNIVORE**



**\$4.2M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**AZUL 3D**



**\$4M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**DRIP**



**\$3M** | SEED

**RENT BUTTER**

*RentButter*

**\$3M** | SEED

**IRONMILL**



**\$2.6M** | SEED

**AMOPPORTUNITIES**



**\$2M** | SERIES A

**IYA FOODS**



**\$1M** | SERIES UNKNOWN

**DIAMOND FULFILLMENT  
SOLUTIONS**



**\$400K** | SERIES UNKNOWN



# SEPTEMBER















2023  
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# OF DEALS CLOSED

23

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$325,334,868

PIXIS		\$85M   SERIES C
EVOZYNE		\$81M   SERIES B
KIN INSURANCE		\$33M   SERIES D
VIVANTE HEALTH		\$31M   SERIES B
SYNAPSE HEALTH		\$25M   SERIES UNKNOWN
ARTURO		\$13.7M   SERIES UNKNOWN
SITE TECHNOLOGIES		\$10M   SERIES A
TERAGONIA		\$10M   SEED
THE BETTERING COMPANY		\$6.7M   SEED
THIRD EYE HEALTH		\$6M   SERIES UNKNOWN
SAVVI AI		\$5.5M   SERIES UNKNOWN
DATA FORGE		\$4M   SEED
FOODREADY		\$3.9M   SEED
INFINIMOS		\$3M   SEED
SCIENCE ON CALL		\$2.6M   SEED

# OCTOBER

# 2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

19

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$156,823,466

FINGERPRINT



\$33M | SERIES C

MOZAIC



\$25.6M | SERIES UNKNOWN

AZUL 3D



\$15M | SERIES A

CLARIX IMAGING



\$10M | SERIES UNKNOWN

SWAG GOLF



\$10M | SERIES A

CULTIVATE POWER



\$10M | SERIES A

CUBE GROUP



\$9M | SEED

GOOSE



\$8.2M | SERIES UNKNOWN

AERA



\$8M | SERIES UNKNOWN

LEAP



\$7.3M | SERIES UNKNOWN

MYSELL



\$5.6M | SEED

PUBLIC REC



\$5M | SERIES UNKNOWN

RHODIAN GROUP



\$3.5M | SERIES UNKNOWN

CLOCKWORK AI



\$3M | SERIES UNKNOWN

FUNNY WATER



\$1.7M | SEED

HUMAN CORE

HUMANCORE

\$1.3M | SERIES UNKNOWN

SMART SCAN IMAGING TECHNOLOGY



\$400K | SEED

QUMIS



\$215K | PRE-SEED

FORESYTE



\$100K | SERIES UNKNOWN

# NOVEMBER


2023  
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2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

17

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$159,410,307

<b>INGENIOUS.BUILD</b>		<b>\$53M</b>   SERIES A
<b>ON TARGET LABORATORIES</b>		<b>\$30M</b>   SERIES C
<b>MOZAIC</b>		<b>\$20M</b>   SERIES A
<b>CFX LABS</b>		<b>\$9.5M</b>   SEED
<b>FIRST STOP HEALTH</b>		<b>\$9.1M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>FOODA</b>		<b>\$7.8M</b>   SERIES C
<b>INQUIRED</b>		<b>\$6.2M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>AHEAD</b>		<b>\$5.8M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>FRACTORY</b>		<b>\$4.8M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>EARLYBIRD</b>		<b>\$4.5M</b>   SEED
<b>RESPONSIV</b>		<b>\$3M</b>   SEED
<b>HONEYCOMB HOLDINGS</b>		<b>\$1.8M</b>   SEED
<b>AMERICAN MATTRESS</b>		<b>\$1.4M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>VARCODE</b>		<b>\$1.1M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>BLUE METEOR</b>		<b>\$1M</b>   SERIES UNKNOWN
<b>ATRAVERSE MEDICAL</b>		<b>\$400K</b>   SEED
<b>PROMOSHARE</b>		<b>\$120K</b>   PRE-SEED

# DECEMBER

2023  
2023  
2023  
2023

# OF DEALS CLOSED

11

TOTAL INVESTMENT

\$37,611,651

THE DESIRE COMPANY



\$8.4M | SERIES UNKNOWN

CLEVER CARNIVORE



\$7M | SEED

BIOMESENSE



\$6.2M | SERIES UNKNOWN

ALPHATHENA



\$3.9M | SEED

FYLLO



\$3.1M | SERIES UNKNOWN

GIGASTAR



\$3M | SEED

CLEAN CORE THORIUM ENERGY



\$2.6M | SERIES UNKNOWN

DEPIN DAO



\$2M | SEED

FYNITE CORP



\$800K | SEED

PERCENT PLEDGE



\$600K | SERIES UNKNOWN

YOU'RE A COOKIE



\$125K | SEED

# TOP INVESTMENTS

SEED & VENTURE CAPITAL

2023  
2023  
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2023  
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2023 TOTAL INVESTMENTS:  
**\$1,729,106,356**

PIXIS



85M | SERIES C

SEPTEMBER 2023

AUGMEDICS

Augmedics

82.5M | SERIES D

JUNE 2023

EVOZYNE



81M | SERIES B

SEPTEMBER 2023

FLY.IO



70M | SERIES C

JUNE 2023

NANOGRAF CORP



65M | SERIES B

FEBRUARY 2023

HALLOW



50M | SERIES C

MAY 2023

CHOWBUS



40M | VENTURE -  
SERIES UNKNOWN

AUGUST 2023

MEZZION



40M | VENTURE -  
SERIES UNKNOWN

APRIL 2023

INGENIOUS.BUILD



37M | SERIES A

NOVEMBER 2023

NOCD



34M | SERIES B

JANUARY 2023

FINGERPRINT



33M | SERIES C

OCTOBER 2023

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