# **ModernGraham Valuation**

### **Company Name:**

Assurant, Inc.

Company Ticker AIZ

Date of Analysis 2/17/2016



## Stage 1: Is this company suitable for the Defensive Investor or the Enterprising Investor?

Defensive Investor; must pass all 6 of the following tests.

1. Adequate Size of the Enterprise	Market Cap > \$2Bil	\$4,571,593,388 Pass
2. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 10 years prior	Pass
3. Dividend Record	Dividend Payments for 10 years prior	Pass
	Increase of 33% in EPS in past 10 years using 3 year averages at	

4. Earnings Growth beginning and end 10.34% Fail

5. Moderate PEmg Ratio PEmg < 20 14.08 Pass

6. Moderate Price to Assets PB Ratio < 2.5 OR PB\*PEmg < 50 1.06 Pass

Enterprising Investor; must pass all 3 of the following tests, or be suitable for the Defensive Investor.

1. Earnings StabilityPositive EPS for 5 years priorPass2. Dividend RecordCurrently Pays DividendPass3. Earnings GrowthEPSmg greater than 5 years agoPass

Suitability

Defensive No Enterprising Yes

#### Stage 2: Determination of Intrinsic Value

EPSmg	4.92
MG Growth Estimate	1.06%
MG Value	\$52.27
MG Value based on 3% Growth	\$71.33
MG Value based on 0% Growth	\$41.81
Market Implied Growth Rate	2.79%

MG Opinion

Current Price \$69.25 % of Intrinsic Value 132.50%

Opinion Overvalued MG Grade B-

### Stage 3: Information for Further Research

Graham Number	\$93.05
PEmg	14.08
PB Ratio	1.06
Dividend Yield	1.98%
Number of Consecutive Years of Dividend Growth	13

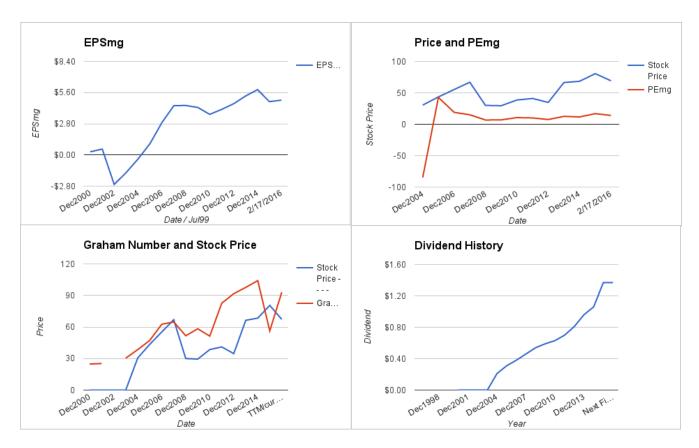
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EPS History		EPSmg History	
Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$5.60	Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$4.92
Dec2015	\$2.05	Dec2015	\$4.78
Dec2014	\$6.44	Dec2014	\$5.86
Dec2013	\$6.30	Dec2013	\$5.29
Dec2012	\$5.67	Dec2012	\$4.59
Dec2011	\$5.51	Dec2011	\$4.09
Dec2010	\$2.50	Dec2010	\$3.64
Dec2009	\$3.63	Dec2009	\$4.26
Dec2008	\$3.76	Dec2008	\$4.44
Dec2007	\$5.38	Dec2007	\$4.43
Dec2006	\$5.57	Dec2006	\$2.91
Dec2005	\$3.50	Dec2005	\$1.02
Dec2004	\$2.53	Dec2004	-\$0.36
Dec2003	\$1.70	Dec2003	-\$1.59
Dec2002	-\$9.17	Dec2002	-\$2.65
Dec2001	\$0.90	Dec2001	\$0.53
Dec2000	\$0.85	Dec2000	\$0.28
Dec1999	\$0.00	Balance Sheet Information	Dec2015
Dec1998	\$0.00	Long-Term Debt	\$1,171,382,000
Dec1997	\$0.00	Total Assets	\$30,075,948,000
Dec1996	\$0.00	Intangible Assets	\$833,512,000
		Total Liabilities	\$25,551,981,000
		Shares Outstanding (Diluted Average)	69,017,000





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