ModernGraham Valuation

Company Name:

Company Ticker URI Date of Analysis United Rentals, Inc.





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

Defensive Investor; must pass 6 out of the following 7 tests.

1.	Adequate Size of the Enterprise	Market Cap > \$2Bil	\$12,265,222,524	Pass
2.	Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 2	0.97	Fail
3.	Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 10 years prior		Fail
4.	Dividend Record	Dividend Payments for 10 years prior		Fail
5.	Earnings Growth	Increase of 33% in EPS in past 10 years using 3 year averages at beginning and end	-44475.00%	Fail
6.	Moderate PEmg Ratio	PEmg < 20	13.33	Pass
7.	Moderate Price to Assets	PB Ratio < 2.5 OR PB*PEmg < 50	4.11	Fail
Enterprising Investor; mus	st pass 4 out of the following 5 tests, or be s	uitable for the Defensive Investor.		

1.	Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 1.5	0.97	Fail
2.	Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Debt to NCA < 1.1	-164.94	Fail
3.	Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 5 years prior		Pass
4.	Dividend Record	Currently Pays Dividend		Fail
5.	Earnings Growth	EPSmg greater than 5 years ago		Pass

Score

Suitability

Defensive	No
Enterprising	No

Stage 2: Determination of Intrinsic Value

	EPSmg		\$11.08
	MG Growth Estimate		15.00%
	MG Value		\$426.48
	MG Value based on 3% Growth		\$160.62
	MG Value based on 0% Growth		\$94.16
	Market Implied Growth Rate		2.41%
MG Opinion			
	Current Price		\$147.62
	% of Intrinsic Value		34.61%
	Opinion	Undervalued	
	MG Grade	C-	

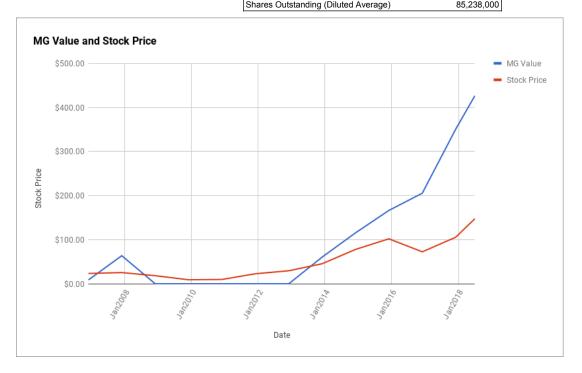
Stage 3: Information for Further Research

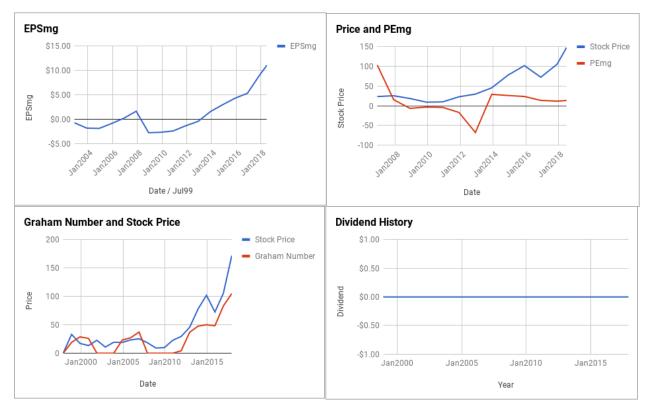
Net Current Asset Value (NCAV)	-\$117.79
Graham Number	\$104.98
PEmg	13.33
Current Ratio	0.97
PB Ratio	4.11
Current Dividend	\$0.00
Dividend Yield	0.00%
Number of Consecutive Years of Dividend	
Growth	0

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EPS History		EPSmg History	
Next Fiscal Year			
Estimate	\$13.32	Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$11.08
Dec2017	\$15.73	Dec2017	\$9.11
Dec2016	\$6.45	Dec2016	\$5.34
Dec2015	\$6.07	Dec2015	\$4.32
Dec2014	\$5.15	Dec2014	\$3.00
Dec2013	\$3.64	Dec2013	\$1.57
Dec2012	\$0.79	Dec2012	-\$0.43
Dec2011	\$1.38	Dec2011	-\$1.33
Dec2010	-\$0.44	Dec2010	-\$2.37
Dec2009	-\$1.02	Dec2009	-\$2.66
Dec2008	-\$12.62	Dec2008	-\$2.75
Dec2007	\$3.25	Dec2007	\$1.66
Dec2006	\$2.06	Dec2006	\$0.23
Dec2005	\$1.80	Dec2005	-\$0.86
Dec2004	-\$0.88	Dec2004	-\$1.86
Dec2003	-\$3.29	Dec2003	-\$1.81
Dec2002	-\$4.88	Dec2002	-\$0.72
Dec2001	\$1.18	Balance Sheet Information	3/1/2018
Dec2000	\$1.89	Total Current Assets	\$1,590,000,000
Dec1999	\$1.53	Total Current Liabilities	\$1,641,000,000
Dec1998	\$0.18	Long-Term Debt	\$8,412,000,000
		Total Assets	\$14,688,000,000
		Intangible Assets	\$4,940,000,000
		Total Liabilities	\$11,630,000,000
		Shares Outstanding (Diluted Average)	85.238.000





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