ModernGraham Valuation

Company Name:

Verisk Analytics, Inc.



Company Ticker VRSK

Date of Analysis 6/6/2018

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.

Adequate Size of the Enterprise	Market Cap > \$2Bil	\$17,916,797,057 Pass
2. Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 2	0.45 Fail
3. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 10 years prior	Pass
4. Dividend Record	Dividend Payments for 10 years prior	Fail
	Increase of 33% in EPS in past 10 years using 3 year averages at	
5. Earnings Growth	beginning and end	194.49% Pass
Moderate PEmg Ratio	PEmg < 20	31.78 Fail
7. Moderate Price to Assets	PB Ratio < 2.5 OR PB*PEmg < 50	8.47 Fail

Enterprising Investor; must pass 4 out of the following 5 tests, or be suitable for the Defensive Investor.

1. Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 1.5	0.45	Fail
2. Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Debt to NCA < 1.1	-2.39	Fail
3. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 5 years prior		Pass
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	\$3.44
MG Growth Estimate	10.61%
MG Value	\$102.35
MG Value based on 3% Growth	\$49.93
MG Value based on 0% Growth	\$29.27
Market Implied Growth Rate	11.64%

MG Opinion

Current Price \$109.42 % of Intrinsic Value 106.91%

Opinion **Fairly Valued** MG Grade

Stage 3: Information for Further Research

Net Current Asset Value (NCAV)	-\$19.85
Graham Number	\$32.22
PEmg	31.78
Current Ratio	0.45
PB Ratio	8.47
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	*****	Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$3.44
Dec2017	\$3.29	Dec2017	\$3.07
Dec2016	\$3.45	Dec2016	\$2.82
Dec2015	\$3.01	Dec2015	\$2.40
Dec2014	\$2.37	Dec2014	\$2.02
Dec2013	\$2.02	Dec2013	\$1.73
Dec2012	\$1.92	Dec2012	\$1.48
Dec2011	\$1.63	Dec2011	\$1.14
Dec2010	\$1.30	Dec2010	\$0.79
Dec2009	\$0.70	Dec2009	\$0.45
Dec2008	\$0.83	Dec2008	\$0.28
Dec2007	\$0.00	Dec2007	\$0.00
Dec2006	\$0.00	Dec2006	\$0.00
Dec2005	\$0.00	Dec2005	\$0.00
Dec2004	\$0.00	Dec2004	\$0.00
Dec2003	\$0.00	Dec2003	\$0.00
Dec2002	\$0.00	Dec2002	\$0.00
Dec2001	\$0.00	Balance Sheet Information	3/1/2018
Dec2000	\$0.00	Total Current Assets	\$708,600,000
Dec1999	\$0.00	Total Current Liabilities	\$1,558,100,000
Dec1998	\$0.00	Long-Term Debt	\$2,028,300,000
		Total Assets	\$6,246,900,000
		Intangible Assets	\$4,810,800,000
		Total Liabilities	\$4,062,600,000
		Shares Outstanding (Diluted Average)	168,993,000





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