ModernGraham Valuation

Company Name:

Company Ticker AMAT Date of Analysis Applied Materials, 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	\$37,944,390,515 Pass	
2.	Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 2	2.64 Pass	
3.	Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 10 years prior	Pass	
4.	Dividend Record	Dividend Payments for 10 years prior	Pass	
5.	Earnings Growth	Increase of 33% in EPS in past 10 years using 3 year averages at beginning and end	306.70% Pass	
6.	Moderate PEmg Ratio	PEmg < 20	14.85 Pass	
7.	Moderate Price to Assets	PB Ratio < 2.5 OR PB*PEmg < 50	5.74 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	2.64 Pass
2. Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Debt to NCA < 1.1	0.79 Pass
3. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 5 years prior	Pass
4. Dividend Record	Currently Pays Dividend	Pass
5. Earnings Growth	EPSmg greater than 5 years ago	Pass
	Score	

Suitability

Defensive	Yes
Enterprising	Yes

Stage 2: Determination of Intrinsic Value

	EPSmg		\$2.68
	MG Growth Estimate		15.00%
	MG Value		\$103.13
	MG Value based on 3% Growth		\$38.84
	MG Value based on 0% Growth		\$22.77
	Market Implied Growth Rate		3.18%
MG Opinion			
	Current Price		\$39.78
	% of Intrinsic Value		38.57%
	Opinion	Undervalued	
	MG Grade	В	

Stage 3: Information for Further Research

Net Current Asset Value (NCAV)	-\$0.19
Graham Number	\$20.60
PEmg	14.85
Current Ratio	2.64
PB Ratio	5.74
Current Dividend	\$0.60
Dividend Yield	1.51%
Number of Consecutive Years of Dividend Growth	1

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EPS History		EPSmg History	
Next Fiscal Year			
Estimate	+=	Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$2.68
Oct2018	\$3.23	Oct2018	\$2.44
Oct2017	\$3.17	Oct2017	\$1.82
Oct2016	\$1.54	Oct2016	\$1.02
Oct2015	\$1.12	Oct2015	\$0.76
Oct2014	\$0.87	Oct2014	\$0.60
Oct2013	\$0.21	Oct2013	\$0.46
Oct2012	\$0.09	Oct2012	\$0.57
Oct2011	\$1.45	Oct2011	\$0.80
Oct2010	\$0.70	Oct2010	\$0.54
Oct2009	-\$0.23	Oct2009	\$0.53
Oct2008	\$0.70	Oct2008	\$0.90
Oct2007	\$1.20	Oct2007	\$0.90
Oct2006	\$0.97	Oct2006	\$0.67
Oct2005	\$0.73	Oct2005	\$0.47
Oct2004	\$0.78	Oct2004	\$0.39
Oct2003	-\$0.09	Oct2003	\$0.26
Oct2002	\$0.16	Balance Sheet Information	10/1/2018
Oct2001	\$0.30	Total Current Assets	\$10,747,000,000
Oct2000	\$1.20	Total Current Liabilities	\$4,068,000,000
Oct1999	\$0.46	Long-Term Debt	\$5,309,000,000
		Total Assets	\$17,773,000,000
		Intangible Assets	\$3,581,000,000
		Total Liabilities	\$10,934,000,000
		Shares Outstanding (Diluted Average)	987,000,000





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