## **RELATIVE VALUE**

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### **Relative Value**

- Define Relative Value (RV) & Proj Relative Value
- Review how above are calculated
- Importance of Relative Value & Proj Relative Value

#### **RELATIVE VALUE**

 $\underline{RELATIVE\ VALUE\ }(RV) =$ Measure of risk

# **Relative Value**

<u>Relative Value</u> = Signature PE compared with the current PE Signature PE = Average PE

# Signature PE

The "normal" relationship between the company's earnings & it's stock price Signature PE = Average PE

# **Relative Value**

<u>Relative Value</u> = Current PE divided by Signature PE

### **Relative Value**

Relative Value = 85%-110% (In General about 100%)

#### **Relative Value**

- Low RV = ?people know something you don't ?
- RV = below 85%: move to another company

#### Relative Value

- Relative Value (RV) more than 110% = *may* be overvalued
- Others agree that it is high quality

#### Projected Relative Value

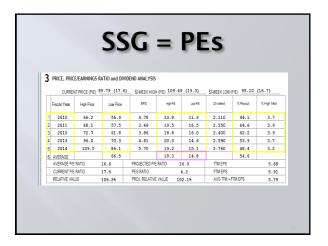
Proj RV = next 12 mo. earnings / by the signature PE (Toolkit does this calculation for us)

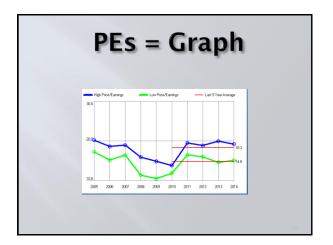
#### Projected Relative Value

- Proj RV lower numbers than the RV (future PE using a higher earnings)
- Usually don't buy stock with Proj RV above 100% or below 80%

# RV & Proj RV

- RV & Proj RV = evaluate these with care as number of things affect the average PE:
  - Interest rates, inflation
  - Competition, trends in the industry
- MUST NOT fail to evaluate the actual PEs that make up the measure of RV!!





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# **Relative Value**

Mr. Buffet was quoted as once saying, "Buy into a business that's doing so well an idiot could run it, because sooner or later, one will."



