

# Bunzl Plc (BNZL:LN)



**London**  
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Industrials/Diversified Industrials

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## Business Description and Key Statistics

Bunzl plc is an international distribution and services company. Its segments include North America, Continental Europe, UK & Ireland and Rest of the World. It provides a one-stop-shop, on-time and in-full specialist distribution service across 31 countries, supplying a range of internationally and sourced non-food products to a variety of market sectors, including grocery, cleaning and hygiene, foodservice, retail, safety, healthcare and others. It offers non-food consumables, including food packaging, disposable tableware, guest amenities, catering equipment, agricultural supplies, cleaning and hygiene products and safety items, to hotels, restaurants, contract caterers, food processors, commercial growers and the leisure sector. It offers goods-not-for-resale, including food packaging, films, labels, cleaning and hygiene supplies and personal protection equipment to grocery stores and convenience stores. It also acts as cleaning and hygiene distributor in the Canadian province.

**Website:** <https://www.bunzl.com/>

**ICB Industry:** Industrials

**ICB Subsector:** Diversified Industrials

**Address:** York House, 45 Seymour Street  
LONDON W1H 7JT  
GBR

**Employees:** 24,528

	Current	YTY % Chg
<b>Revenue LFY (M)</b>	15,019	2.7
<b>EPS Diluted LFY</b>	1.99	16.2
<b>Market Value (M)</b>	10,066	
<b>Shares Outstanding LFY (000)</b>	338,021	
<b>Book Value Per Share</b>	11.17	
<b>EBITDA Margin %</b>	8.30	
<b>Net Margin %</b>	4.5	
<b>Long-Term Debt / Capital %</b>	39.4	
<b>Dividends and Yield TTM</b>	0.68 - 2.14%	
<b>Payout Ratio TTM %</b>	31.8	
<b>60-Day Average Volume (000)</b>	803	
<b>52-Week High &amp; Low</b>	3,306.00 - 2,687.00	
<b>Price / 52-Week High &amp; Low</b>	0.90 - 1.11	

## Price, Moving Averages & Volume



Bunzl Plc is currently trading at 2,978.00 which is 3.5% below its 50 day moving average price of 3,087.60 and 0.4% below its 200 day moving average price of 2,989.24.

BNZL:LN is currently 9.9% below its 52-week high price of 3,306.00 and is 10.8% above its 52-week low price of 2,687.00. Over the past 52-weeks, BNZL:LN is down 5.3% while on a calendar year-to-date basis it is down 6.7%.

The Relative Strength Index (RSI) indicator for BNZL:LN is currently 43.84. An RSI value of 70 and above is considered overbought and 30 and below oversold.

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## Price Performance, Technical Indicators & Risk Metrics

Price Performance	% Change	Difference vs FTSE 350	Technical Indicators	
1-Day %	0.34	0.04	50-Day Average Price	3087.60
1-Week %	0.34	1.89	Price / 50-Day Average	0.96
4-Week %	-1.10	-2.39	200-Day Average Price	2989.24
52-Week %	-5.25	-4.62	Price / 200-Day Average	1.00
Quarter-to-Date %	-2.30	-0.79	RSI - Relative Strength Index	43.84
Year-to-Date %	-6.65	-7.67	Risk Metrics	
Last Month %	-3.33	-7.58	Price Volatility	48.74
Last Quarter %	-4.45	-7.02	Sharpe Ratio	0.07
Last Calendar Year %	15.62	11.74	Sortino Ratio	0.13

## 5-Year Price Performance vs. FTSE 350

Bunzl Plc  
FTSE 350 Index

Current: 1.27 CAGR: 4.8%  
Current: 1.04 CAGR: 0.8%



Over the past five years, Bunzl Plc's stock price is up 26.6% which is 22.4% above the FTSE 350 Index performance of 4.2% over the same period. Bunzl Plc's cumulative annualized growth rate (CAGR) over the five year period has been 4.8% while that of the FTSE 350 Index has been 0.8%.

Over the past year, Bunzl Plc's stock price performance of -5.2% has underperformed that of the FTSE 350 Index by 4.6%. On a year-to-date basis, Bunzl Plc's stock price performance of -6.6% has underperformed the FTSE 350 Index by 7.7%.

Over the past week, Bunzl Plc's stock price performance of 0.3% has outperformed that of the FTSE 350 Index by 1.9%.

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## Growth and Profitability Metrics

Historical Growth	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year	Profitability	Current	5-Year Average	10-Year Average
Revenues %	4.3	5.0	4.5	Gross Margin %	27.0	25.5	24.6
Revenues Per Share %	4.1	4.7	4.2	EBITDA Margin %	8.3	7.7	7.1
EBITDA %	5.8	10.9	6.3	Pre-Tax Margin %	5.9	5.3	5.1
EPS Diluted %	5.7	9.4	7.0	Net Margin %	4.5	4.1	3.8
Free Cash Flow %	1.0	13.2	7.3	Return on Equity %	19.6	21.3	22.4
Cash from Operations %	2.1	13.4	7.4	Return on Capital %	11.5	11.3	11.4
Book Value %	12.8	11.7	9.1	Return on Assets %	6.3	6.2	6.3

### Revenue (M)

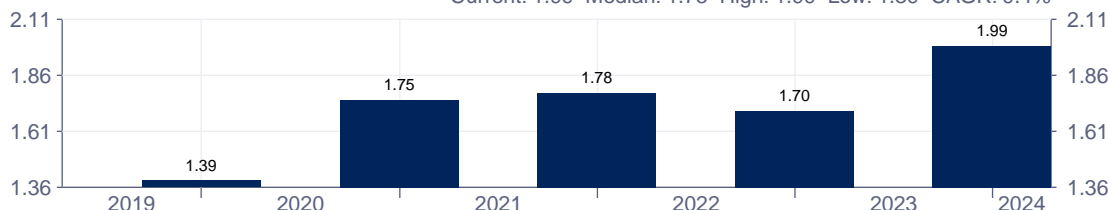
Current: 15018.89 Median: 13916.77 High: 15018.89 Low: 12368.13 CAGR: 5.0%



Bunzl Plc's cumulative annualized revenue growth rate over the charted period is 5.0%. This compares to cumulative annualized growth of 4.3% over the past 3 years.

### EPS Diluted

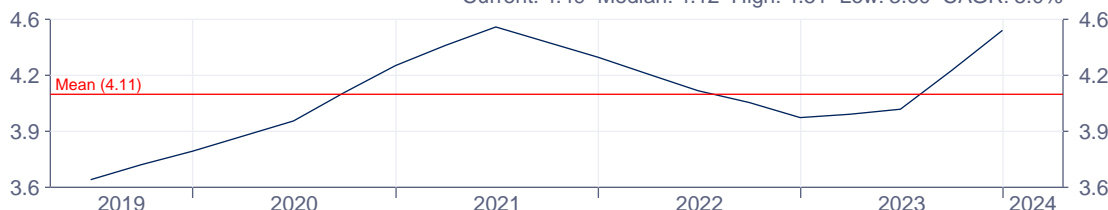
Current: 1.99 Median: 1.75 High: 1.99 Low: 1.39 CAGR: 9.4%



Bunzl Plc's cumulative annualized EPS growth rate over the charted period is 9.4%. This compares to cumulative annualized growth of 5.7% over the past 3 years.

### Net Profit Margin %

Current: 4.49 Median: 4.12 High: 4.51 Low: 3.60 CAGR: 5.0%



Bunzl Plc's net profit margin of 4.5% is 0.4% above the period's mean net margin of 4.1%. During the charted period, the observed net profit margin high and low were 4.5% and 3.6% respectively.

### Return on Equity %

Current: 19.60 Median: 21.20 High: 24.60 Low: 19.10 CAGR: -1.0%



Bunzl Plc's return on equity of 19.6% is 1.7% below the period's mean return on equity of 21.3%. During the charted period, the observed ROE high and low were 24.6% and 19.1% respectively.

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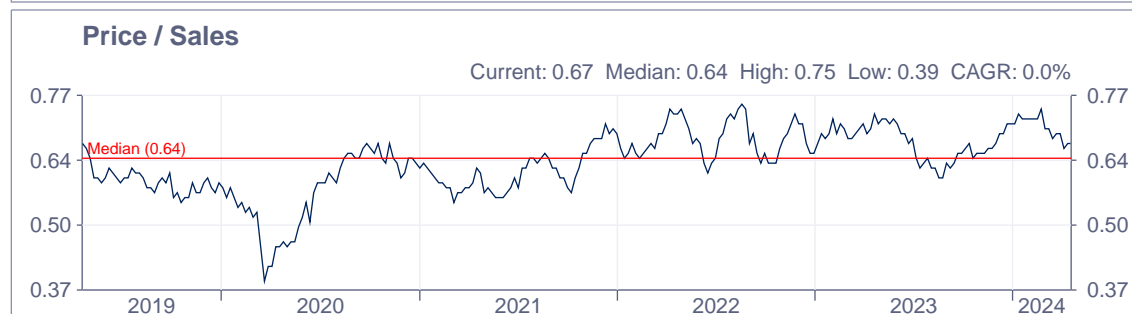
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## Valuation Metrics

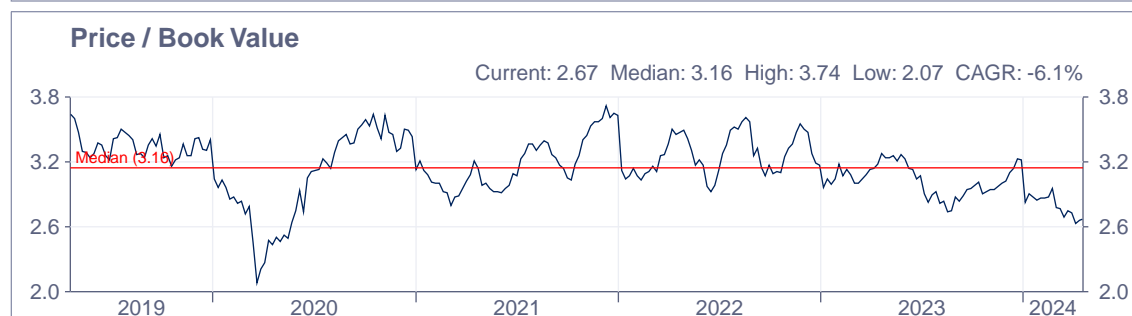
	Current	5-Year Median	10-Year Median		Current	5-Year Median	10-Year Median
Price / EPS TTM	14.9	15.6	16.7	Earnings Yield %	6.71	6.42	5.99
Price / Sales	0.7	0.6	0.6	Free Cash Flow Yield %	5.36	5.64	4.65
Price / Operating Cash Flow	11.3	11.7	13.1	Dividend Yield %	2.14	2.12	1.96
Price / Book Value	2.7	3.2	3.5	Enterprise Value / EBITDA	8.9	9.7	10.8



Bunzl Plc is trading at 14.90 times its EPS generated during the latest fiscal year. This multiple is below the historically observed median of 15.57, while high and low observations have been 18.47 and 10.44.



Bunzl Plc is trading at a Price to Sales ratio of 0.67 based on sales generated during the latest fiscal year. This ratio is above the historically observed median ratio of 0.64, while high and low observations have been 0.75 and 0.39.



Bunzl Plc is trading at a Price to Book ratio of 2.67 based on book value at the latest fiscal year end. This ratio is below the historically observed median of 3.16, while high and low observations have been 3.74 and 2.07.



Bunzl Plc has a Free Cash Flow Yield of 5.36% based on free cash flow generated during the latest fiscal year. This value is below the historically observed median yield of 5.64%, while high and low observations have been 9.13 and 4.21.

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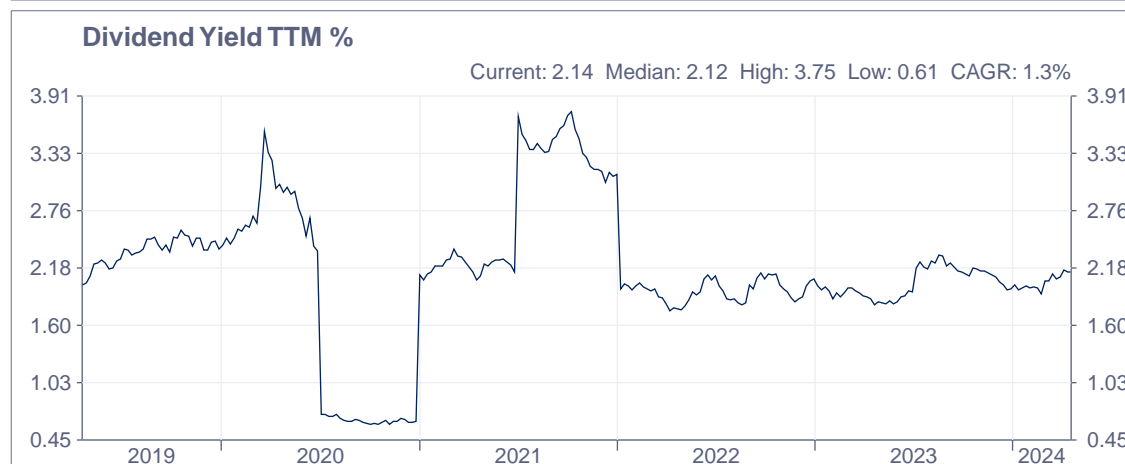
## Dividends Data

Dividends Per Share TTM		0.68	Payout Ratio TTM %		31.83%	Dividend Yield TTM %		2.14%
Rate	Ex Date	Record Date	Payment Date	Currency	Note			
0.501	16-05-2024	17-05-2024	02-07-2024	GBP				
0.182	16-11-2023	17-11-2023	03-01-2024	GBP				
0.454	18-05-2023	19-05-2023	04-07-2023	GBP				
0.173	17-11-2022	18-11-2022	04-01-2023	GBP				
0.408	19-05-2022	20-05-2022	04-07-2022	GBP				
0.162	18-11-2021	19-11-2021	05-01-2022	GBP				
0.383	20-05-2021	21-05-2021	01-07-2021	GBP				
0.158	03-12-2020	04-12-2020	07-01-2021	GBP				
0.358	15-10-2020	16-10-2020	16-11-2020	GBP				
0.155	14-11-2019	15-11-2019	02-01-2020	GBP				
0.350	23-05-2019	24-05-2019	01-07-2019	GBP				
0.152	15-11-2018	16-11-2018	02-01-2019	GBP				

## Dividend Growth and Yield



Bunzl Plc's trailing 12-month dividend per share is 0.64 and its dividend has grown at a cumulative annualized rate of 5.6% over the charted period. This compares to dividend growth of 8.90% over the past year and cumulative annualized growth of -8.80% over the past 3 years.



Bunzl Plc's current dividend yield is 2.14% based on trailing 12 month dividends. The current yield is above the historically observed median of 2.12% and, over the charted time period, the observed high yield has been 3.75% and the observed low yield has been 0.61%.

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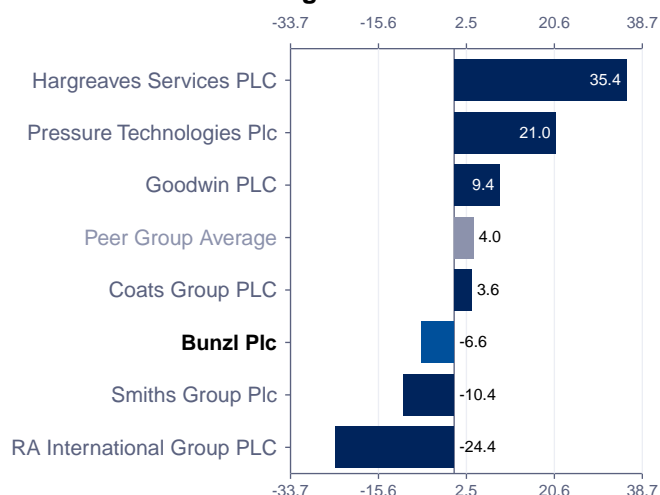
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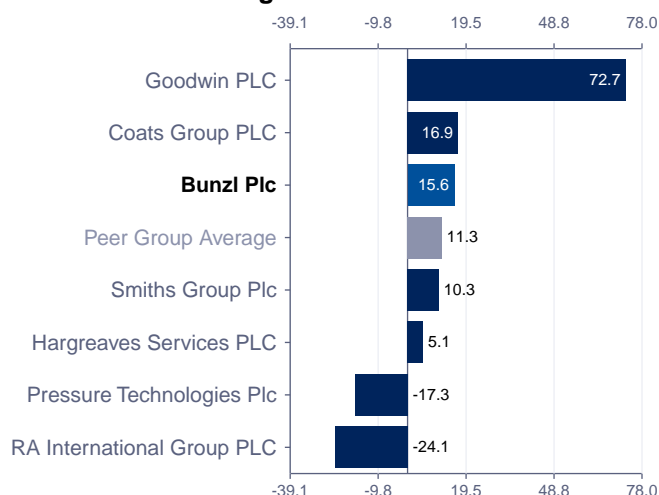
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## ICB Subsector Peer Comparisons

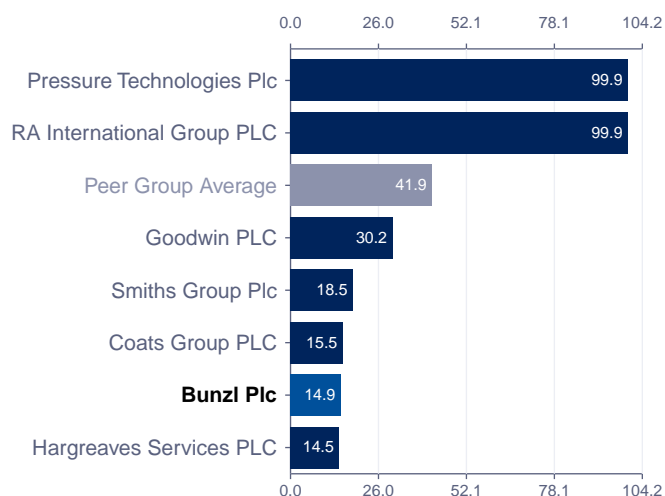
### Price Change Year to Date %



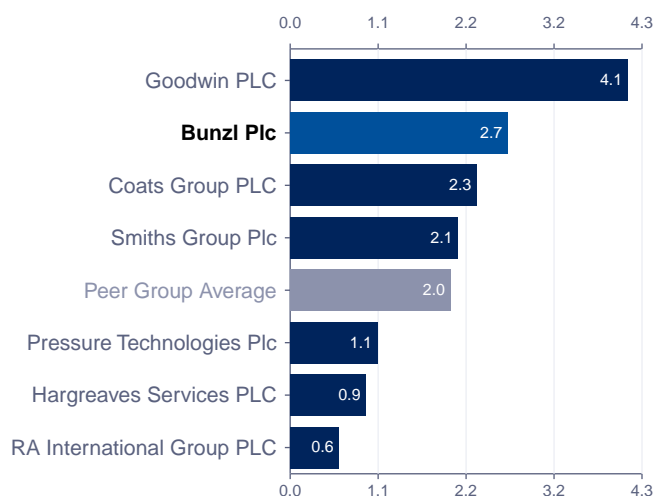
### Price Change Last Calendar Year %



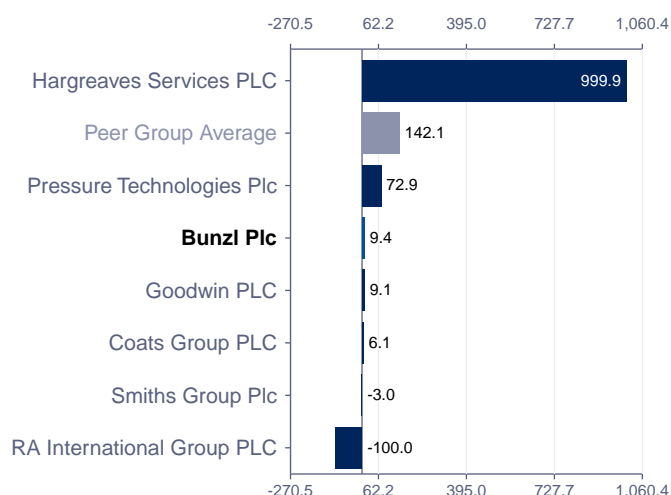
### Price / EPS TTM



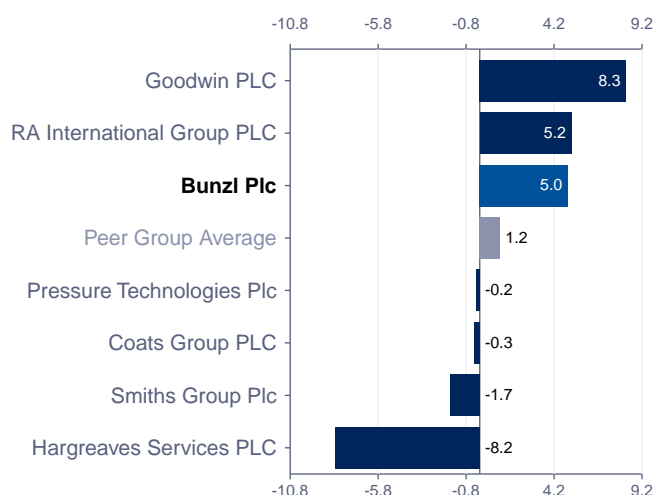
### Price / Book Value



### EPS 5-Year Growth Rate %



### Revenue 5-Year Growth Rate %



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## Abbreviations:

<b>CAGR</b>	- Cumulative annual growth rate.
<b>EBIT</b>	- Earnings before interest and taxes.
<b>EBITDA</b>	- Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation & amortization.
<b>LFY</b>	- Last fiscal year
<b>M</b>	- Million
<b>LON</b>	- London Stock Exchange

## Definitions:

**Market Value** - Weekly Price times latest Shares Outstanding times any applicable ADR factor.

**Revenue** - Sum of the last four quarters of Revenues.

**Revenue Per Share** - Sum of the last four quarters of Total Revenue divided by Weighted Average Shares Outstanding.

**Operating EPS LFY** - EPS excluding non-recurring, non-operating items, fiscal year aligned TTM value.

**60-Day Average Volume (000)** - The average of the last 60 daily volume values in thousands of shares.

**Price 52-Week High** - The high closing price from the last 52 weeks of daily closing prices.

**Price 52-Week Low** - The low closing price from the last 52 weeks of daily closing prices.

**Price / 52-Week High** - Latest price divided by the high price from the past 52 weeks of daily closing prices.

**Price / 52-Week Low** - Latest price divided by the low price from the past 52 weeks of daily closing prices.

**50-Day Average Price** - Mean of last 50 daily closing prices.

**200-Day Average Price** - Mean of last 200 daily closing prices.

**Price / 50-Day Average Price** - Latest closing price divided by mean of last 50 daily closing prices, as a percentage.

**Price / 200-Day Average Price** - Latest closing price divided by mean of last 200 daily closing prices, as a percentage.

**Relative Strength Index** - Relative Strength Index or RSI measures the magnitude of gains over a given time period against the magnitude of losses over that period. The equation is  $RSI = 100 - 100 / (1 + RS)$  where  $RS = (total\ gains / n) / (total\ losses / n)$  and  $n$  = number of RSI periods. In this item, 14 days is used and one year of daily prices are considered. A value of 30 or below may imply oversold and 70 or above may imply overbought.

**Price Volatility** - The standard deviation of the last 20 days of daily closing prices.

**Sharpe Ratio** - The 5 year average of the excess monthly return over the risk - free rate(1 - month T - bill) over the 5 year standard deviation of the same series.

**Sortino Ratio** - The same calculation as the Sharpe Ratio but with positive excess returns set to zero for the standard deviation denominator, so only negative volatility weighs in.

**Dividends Per Share TTM** - Sum of the last four quarters of Dividends Per Share.

**Payout Ratio** - Dividends Per Share TTM divided by Operating EPS TTM.

**Dividend Yield TTM %** - Sum of the last four quarter of Dividends Per Share divided by Weekly Price.

**EBITDA** - Sum of the last four quarters of EBITDA (Operating Income + Depreciation & Amortization).

**Free Cash Flow** - Sum of the last four quarters Net Cash from Operations minus Capital Expenditures (Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment), from the Cash Flow Statement.

**Book Value Per Share** - Total Common Equity last quarter divided by Shares Outstanding last quarter.

**Gross Margin %** - Sum of the last four quarters Gross Profit divided by the sum of the last four quarters Revenues.

**EBITDA Margin %** - Sum of the last four quarters EBITDA divided by the sum of the last four quarters Revenues.

**Pre-Tax Margin %** - Sum of the last four quarters of Earnings Before Taxes divided by sum of the last four quarters Revenues.

**Net Profit Margin %** - Sum of the last four quarters of Operating EPS divided by sum of the last four quarters Revenues Per Share.

**Return on Equity %** - Sum of the last four quarters of Operating EPS divided by the average of the last four quarters Book Value.

**Return on Capital %** - Sum of the last four quarters of Operating EPS divided by the average of the last four quarters Total Capital Per Share.

**Return on Assets %** - Sum of the last four quarters of Operating EPS divided by the average of the last four quarters Total Assets Per Share.

**Price / EPS TTM** - Weekly Price divided by the sum of the last four quarters of Operating EPS (capped at 99.9).

**Price / Sales** - Weekly Price divided by Revenues Per Share TTM.

**Price / Book Value** - Weekly Price divided by Book Value Per Share last quarter. Book Value Per Share is Total Common Equity last quarter divided by Shares Outstanding last quarter (capped at 49.9).

**Free Cash Flow Yield %** - Free Cash Flow Per Share TTM divided by Weekly Price.

**Enterprise Value** - Market Value plus Total Debt last year plus Preferred Equity last year minus Cash & Cash Equivalents last year.

**Enterprise Value / Sales** - Enterprise Value divided by the sum of the last four quarters of Revenue.

**Enterprise Value / EBITDA** - Enterprise Value divided by EBITDA TTM.

**Enterprise Value / EBIT** - Enterprise Value divided by trailing four quarters of Operating Income.

**Enterprise Value / Free Cash Flow** - Enterprise Value divided by the sum of the last four quarters of Free Cash Flow.

**Russell 1000 Index** - The largest 1,000 stocks by market cap, the index comprehensively covers the US large cap universe.

EPS 5-Year Growth Rate % is capped at 999.9%.

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