Cyclical Stocks









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Not all Stocks are growth stocks

Some are

- Cyclical Stocks
- Income Stocks

Looking at Cyclical Stocks

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B. LOW PRICE - NEXT 5 YEARS
                                                                                  GROWTH STOCK
    (a) Avg. Low P/E: --- X Estimate Low Earnings/Share 2.49 = Forecasted Low Price: 0.0
    (b) Avg. Low Price of Last 5 Years: 32.9
                                                                          CYCLICAL STOCK
    (c) Recent Market Low Price: 38.4
             2019 Low Stock Price: 40.2
                                            52 Week Low Stock Price: 64.3
                                                                          CYCLICAL STOCK
             2020 Low Stock Price: 38.4
    (d) Price Dividend Will Support:
                              Indicated Dividend
                                                             0.84
                                                                          = 40.1
                                                                                   INCOME STOCK
                                                             2 1%
                                   High Yield
    Selected Forecasted Low Price:
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Cyclical Stocks

- Cyclical companies follow the economy.
 - Fundamentals grow when economy is improving
 - Fundamentals decline when the economy declines

Cyclical Stocks

Two types of Cyclical Stocks

- Durable Goods track the economy and interest rates
- Basic Materials track the price of the commodity they sell
 - Price follows supply and demand
- Found in certain industries

Cyclical Industries

- Financial Sector
 - Property & Casualty Insurance
 - REITS
- Industrial Sector
 - Construction
 - Farm Machinery
 - Heavy Trucks

Cyclical Industries

- Basic Materials Sector
 - Aluminum
 - Chemicals
 - Iron & Steel
 - Paper & Forest products
- Technology Sector
 - Semiconductors

Cyclical Industries

- Consumer Cyclical Sector
 - Automotive (including parts & tires)
 - Airlines
 - Home Construction & Furnishings
 - Leisure Goods & Services
 - Casinos, Restaurants, Toys, etc.
 - Clothing & Footwear
 - Retail
 - Media (Advertising, Entertainment, etc).

Cyclical List from www.marketwatch.com

DJ Consumer, Cyclical Index (US) (CYC).

Consumer Services

Food & Drug Retailers

Drug Retailers

Food Retailers & Wholesalers

General Retailers

Apparel Retailers

<u>Broadline Retailers</u>

Home Improvement Retailers

Specialized Consumer Services

Specialty Retailers

<u>Media</u>

Broadcasting & Entertainment

<u>Media Agencies</u>

Publishing

Travel & Leisure

<u>Airlines</u>

Gambling

Hotels

Recreational Services

Restaurants & bars

Travel & Tourism

Includes Five Industries

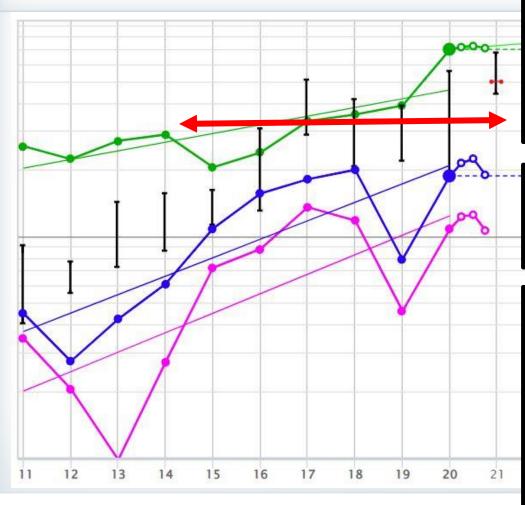
Cyclical Stocks

- Beginning investors should avoid investing in cyclical companies.
 - Require more knowledge about investing
 - Have to be somewhat contrarian
 - Be aware of where the economy and the company are in their cycle.

Cyclicals Require More Work

- Always ask yourself -- is this an economic downturn or a problem with the company?
 - More knowledgeable about investing
 - Includes things like the financial statements
 - More knowledgeable about the company and the industry
 - Industry problems or opportunities

SSG For A Cyclical



SSG does not look like a growth company.

Don't expect "railroad tracks"

In well managed companies, price does not plunge when fundamentals drop.

SSG For A Cyclical

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	5 Yr Avg
s	9.8%	6.6%	2.6%	6.8%	25.4%	26.5%	29.5%	24.0%	8.5%	11.2%	19.9%
	8.3%	5.0%	7.7%	9.9%	29.3%	32.7%	24.5%	23.8%	8.6%	17.5%	21.4%
	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	39.8%	34.8%	14.9%

- The management numbers in Section 2 will go down with the fundamentals.
- This is not a sign of bad management.

Be Contrarian

- In order to get the greatest price appreciation, invest in cyclical stocks when the economy is near the bottom of a cycle.
- Buy when the fundamentals are down and just beginning to improve.
 - Gives you the greatest price appreciation
 - Often means you are buying when the P/E is high.

SSG for Cyclical



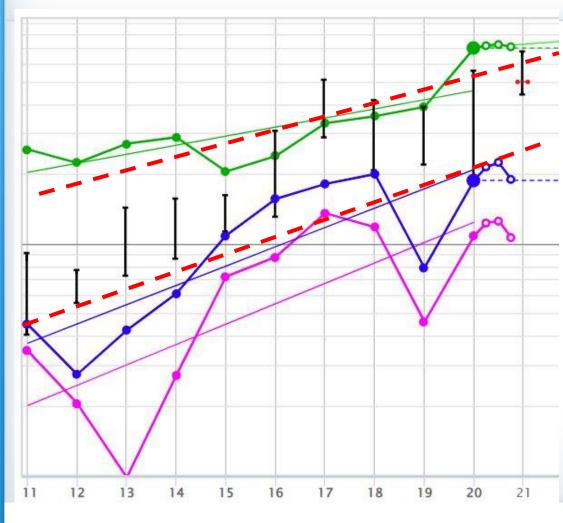
Invest when the fundamentals are starting to recover.

Often that is when P/Es are the highest.

Projecting Growth

- Projecting the future sales and earnings growth on cyclicals is much more difficult.
- Historical growth rates may only be of limited value.
- Knowledge of company and industry are crucial.

Textbook Example



Definite peaks and valleys.

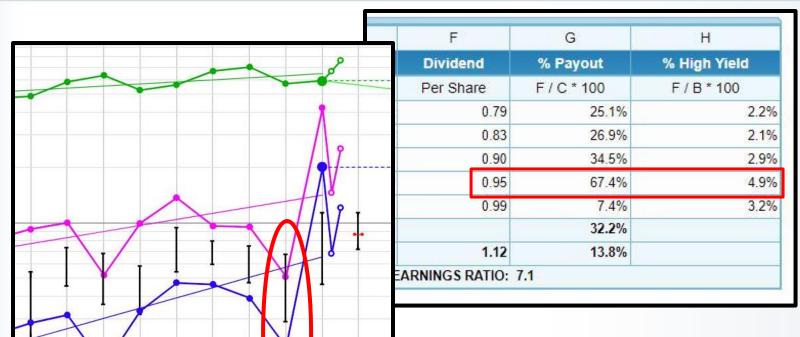
Use the Peak to Peak Method for Projections.

Probably nearing a new peak.

Projecting Growth



Cyclicals That Pay Dividends



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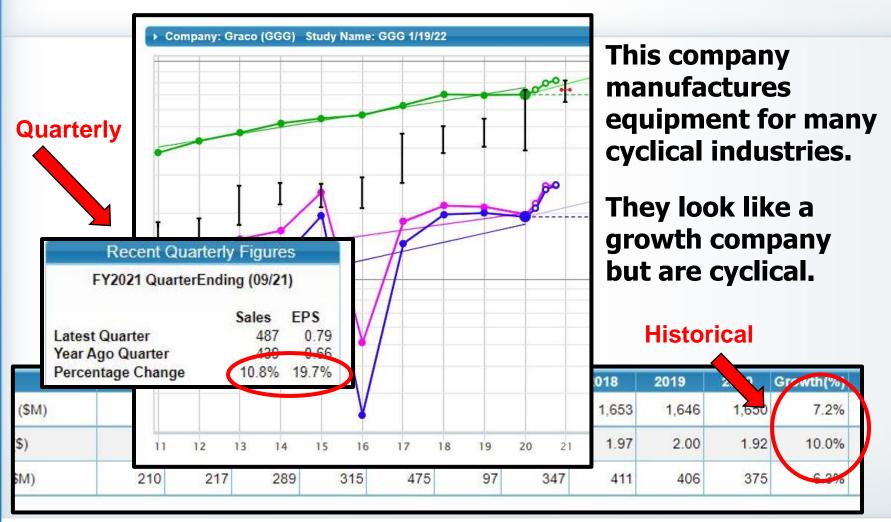
Cyclicals will pay dividends even when earnings drop.

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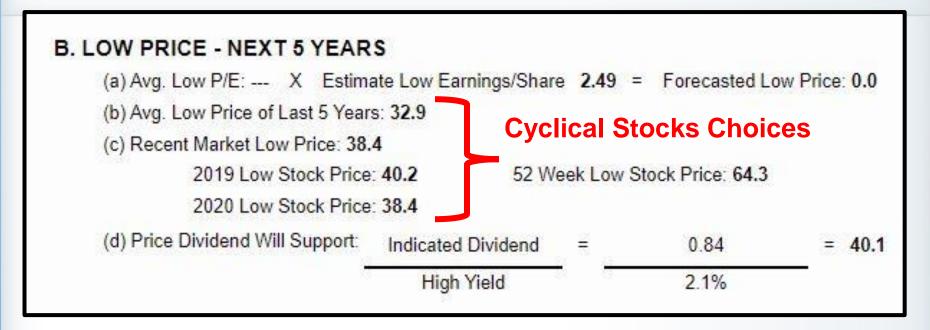
Growth Cyclicals

- Some cyclical stocks will behave like growth companies.
 - Look like a growth company
 - Analyze them like a growth company.
- Beginner investors who want to invest in a cyclical should select a growth cyclical.

Graco Inc.



Selecting a Low Price



- For a growth cyclical select Average Low Price: 4Bb.
- For a cyclical stock select Recent Mkt Low Price: 4Bc.
 - May want to look at low prices for last ten years.

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