



JPM Stock Analysis with David Trainer

Below we provide a new video segment from the recent <u>Value Profit Blueprint webinar</u>. <u>This stock analysis is on JPMorgan Chase (JPM)</u>.

This segment includes:

- 1. A review of economic earnings.
- 2. Analysis of return on invested capital (ROIC).
- 3. What the free cash flow yield implies.
- 4. And why the <u>price-to-economic-book value ratio</u> implies the market expects a 30% profit decline, *which seems overly pessimistic*.
- 5. See a play-by-play analysis comparing an index fund to a mega bank stock.
- 6. What key metric for the bank stock signals the market has overly low expectations?
- 7. Think an overvalued stock means you should always sell right away? Think again...
- 8. The one red flag from our analysis that rarely bodes well for even high-flying stocks' future prospects.
- 9. What extraordinarily long period for a stock implies profit growth assumptions that raise eyebrows?

Watch the segment

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Key quotes from the paper:

- "[New Constructs'] *Total Adjustments* differs significantly from the items identified and excluded from Compustat's adjusted earnings measures. For example... 50% to 70% of the variation in *Total Adjustments* is not explained by *S&P Global's (SPGI) Adjustments* individually." pp. 14, 1st para.
- "A final source of differences [between New Constructs' and S&P Global's data] is due to data collection oversights...we identified cases where Compustat did not collect information relating to firms' income that is useful in assessing core earnings." pp. 16, 2nd para.

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Key quotes from the paper:

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