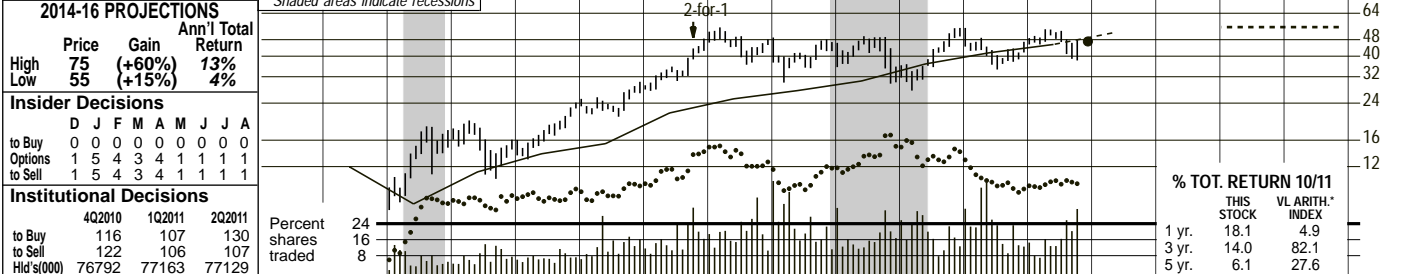


GLOBAL PAYMENTS NYSE-GPN

RECENT PRICE **47.06** P/E RATIO **15.2** (Trailing: 16.3; Median: 22.0) RELATIVE P/E RATIO **1.03** DIV'D YLD **0.2%** **VALUE LINE**

TIMELINESS 2 Raised 10/14/11	High: 18.7	19.8	24.1	30.3	48.5	54.8	49.1	49.9	54.5	54.5	53.7	Target Price Range
SAFETY 2 Raised 2/20/09	Low: 7.5	10.5	13.0	20.7	27.4	36.5	30.0	29.7	27.5	34.6	38.3	2014 2015 2016
TECHNICAL 3 Lowered 6/3/11	LEGENDS — 12.0 x "Cash Flow" p sh Relative Price Strength 2-for-1 split 10/05 Options: Yes Shaded areas indicate recessions											128
BETA .85 (1.00 = Market)												96



1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	© VALUE LINE PUB. LLC	14-16
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--	--	--	--	--	--	3.72	4.03	4.93	5.90	7.40	9.65	11.84	14.15	13.02	10.81	14.75	17.50	Book Value per sh	21.55
--	--	--	--	--	--	72.95	73.57	74.26	76.14	78.20	79.81	80.88	79.64	80.45	79.65	80.33	78.50	Common Shs Outst'g ^D	85.00
--	--	--	--	--	--	21.8	30.9	20.5	26.3	22.4	27.6	23.1	21.1	17.4	17.9	15.9		Avg Ann'l P/E Ratio	15.0
--	--	--	--	--	--	1.12	1.69	1.17	1.39	1.19	1.49	1.23	1.27	1.16	1.13	.97		Relative P/E Ratio	1.00
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CAPITAL STRUCTURE as of 8/31/11	353.2	462.8	516.1	629.3	784.3	908.1	1061.5	1274.2	1601.5	1642.5	1859.8	2160	Revenues per sh ^A	3000
Total Debt \$690.8 mill. Due in 5 Yrs \$250.0 mill.	22.6%	24.2%	24.5%	25.1%	26.7%	26.8%	24.6%	23.3%	23.4%	23.9%	22.3%	23.5%	Operating Margin	26.0%
LT Debt \$285.8 mill. LT Interest \$15.0 mill. (20% of Capital)	21.8	29.6	32.1	35.5	45.3	40.5	40.4	44.0	66.3	68.7	82.2	97.0	Depreciation (\$mill)	135
Leases, Uncapitalized: Annual rentals \$7.8 mill.	26.9	39.8	53.3	62.4	95.3	126.8	145.1	158.7	180.8	207.2	222.9	245	Net Profit (\$mill)	365
No Defined Benefit Pension Plan	38.1%	38.2%	37.4%	37.4%	34.7%	33.5%	32.4%	34.6%	33.2%	28.2%	28.7%	33.0%	Income Tax Rate	35.0%
Pfd Stock None	7.6%	8.6%	10.3%	9.9%	12.2%	14.0%	13.7%	12.5%	11.3%	12.6%	12.0%	11.3%	Net Profit Margin	12.2%
Common Stock 78,315,770 shs. as of 9/30/11	4.0	d17.5	65.3	d82.9	7.2	198.7	301.5	399.6	259.0	295.8	403.6	450	Working Cap'l (\$mill)	500
MARKET CAP: \$3.7 billion (Mid Cap)	2.0	4.7	3.3	12.9	.7	--	--	--	167.6	273.0	268.2	300	Long-Term Debt (\$mill)	370
CURRENT POSITION	271.0	296.3	366.4	449.4	578.4	770.2	957.8	1126.8	1047.0	861.3	1184.5	1375	Shr. Equity (\$mill)	1830
2010	9.9%	13.4%	15.0%	13.6%	16.5%	16.5%	15.1%	14.1%	15.2%	18.9%	16.0%	15.0%	Return on Total Cap'l	17.0%
2011	9.9%	13.4%	14.5%	13.9%	16.5%	16.5%	15.1%	14.1%	17.3%	24.1%	18.8%	18.0%	Return on Shr. Equity	20.0%
8/31/11	9.4%	11.5%	12.9%	12.6%	15.4%	15.6%	14.5%	13.5%	16.7%	23.3%	18.3%	17.5%	Retained to Com Eq	19.5%
	5%	15%	11%	10%	7%	5%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	All Div'ds to Net Prof	3%

Cash Assets	769.9	1354.3	724.0
Receivables	146.2	447.8	467.1
Inventory (Avg Cst)	9.7	7.6	10.5
Other	42.5	38.3	36.0
Current Assets	968.3	1848.0	1237.6
Accts Payable	173.6	241.6	218.0
Debt Due	227.4	356.5	405.0
Other	271.5	846.3	179.4
Current Liab.	672.5	1444.4	802.4

ANNUAL RATES of change (per sh)	Past 10 Yrs	Past 5 Yrs	Est'd '09-'11 to '14-'16
Revenues	14.0%	16.5%	9.0%
"Cash Flow"	15.5%	15.0%	9.5%
Earnings	16.5%	16.0%	9.5%
Dividends	15.0%	--	7.0%
Book Value	15.5%	11.0%	9.0%

Fiscal Year Ends	Aug.31	Nov.30	Feb.28	May 31	Full Fiscal Year
2008	311.0	308.8	310.6	343.8	1274.2
2009	405.8	401.1	392.6	402.0	1601.5
2010	409.9	409.0	398.5	425.1	1642.5
2011	440.1	443.5	456.4	519.8	1859.8
2012	542.8	542	532.2	543	2160

Fiscal Year Ends	Aug.31	Nov.30	Feb.28	May 31	Full Fiscal Year
2008	.54	.48	.44	.50	1.96
2009	.71	.60	.45	.46	2.23
2010	.68	.71	.58	.56	2.52
2011	.67	.70	.63	.76	2.77
2012	.79	.80	.75	.81	3.15

Cal-endar	Mar.31	Jun.30	Sep.30	Dec.31	Full Year
2007	.02	.02	.02	.02	.08
2008	.02	.02	.02	.02	.08
2009	.02	.02	.02	.02	.08
2010	.02	.02	.02	.02	.08
2011	.02	.02	.02	.02	.08

(A) Fiscal year ends May 31st. (B) Diluted earnings. Excludes nonrecurring gain (losses): 2001, (\$0.06); 2002, (\$0.21); 2005, (\$0.03); 2006, (\$0.02); 2007, (\$0.03); 2008, \$0.05; 2009, (\$1.77); 2011, (\$0.16). Excludes losses from discontinued operations: 2010, \$0.04; 2011, \$0.01. Quarters may not equal total due to rounding. Next earnings report due late Dec. (C) Dividends historically paid in Feb., May, Aug., and Nov. (D) In millions, adjusted for stock split.

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Global Payments got off to an excellent start in fiscal 2012, which ends on May 31st of next year. That was attributable partly to good performances across all of the company's regions, including the United States (accounting for the lion's share of total sales, at 55%) and the Asia-Pacific area. Moreover, there were growing benefits from the joint venture that was established in Spain last December. Generally favorable foreign currency translations also aided Global Payments, to a certain degree.

We expect the good times to continue over the remaining three quarters. As a result, the company's bottom line stands to advance about 14%, to \$3.15 a share, for the full fiscal year. Further expansion of operating margins ought to enable share net to rise at a similar rate, to \$3.55, in fiscal 2013.

The company holds an "A" rating for Financial Strength. At the end of the first quarter, cash amounted to \$724 million. Too, both long- and short-term debt was manageable. Lastly, borrowings available under its credit facilities totaled \$803.5 million. Consequently, future ac-

quisitions are a solid possibility, though many uncertainties prevent us from including them in our figures.

Three- to five-year prospects look healthy. Global Payments maintains a leading position in the U.S., which comprises a meaningful portion of the world's credit and debit card volumes. Another strength is the overseas operations. We especially see opportunities in the developing nations, including China and India. Indeed, those countries are experiencing a rise in income levels, which augurs well for demand for the company's electronic transaction processing services. In all, share net could grow between 10% and 15% annually over the 2014-2016 span.

The equity is a favorable selection for Timeliness. That's based, in part, on Global's solid recent earnings momentum. Other positives include the 2 (Above Average) rank for Safety and lower-than-market Beta coefficient.

But long-term capital appreciation potential is subpar. Even so, additional business combinations may prompt us to raise the 3- to 5-year Target Price Range.

Frederick L. Harris, III November 18, 2011

Company's Financial Strength	A
Stock's Price Stability	85
Price Growth Persistence	80
Earnings Predictability	95

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