

# SAP, Nov. 21 2021

SAP SE, Software & Programming

Key Statistics (USD)			
Price	140.95		
Market Cap	173.48B		
Enterprise Value	184.44B		
PEG	2.26		
52 weeks high	151.48		
52 weeks low	115.70		
Beta (5Y-monthly)	0.96		
Dividend yield %	1.59%		
EPS (TTM)	5.50		
DPS	1.42		
One year stock performance	+19.65%		

Growth Rates	Company	Sector
Revenue (Q/Q last year	4.74%	12.80%
Net earnings (YTD/YTD last year)	54.92%	8.56%
Net earnings (Q/Q last year)	-9.64%	18.87%

Margins	Company	Sector
Gross Profit margin	72.08%	50.44%
EBITDA margin	24.74%	-
EBIT margin	26.41%	14.40%
Net earnings margin	19.32%	11.26%
Gross Profit margin	71.09%	50.38%
(5Y average)		
Net earnings margin	21.38%	15.64%
(5Y average)		

Key Ratios	Company	Sector
Current Ratio	1.17	1.80
Quick Ratio	-	0.78
Cash Ratio	0.41	-
Leverage Ratio	1.85	2.28
ROE	17.74%	14.29%
ROA	9.45%	7.99%
ROC	12.47%	8.64%
D/E	32.00%	45.00%

Valuation Metrics	Company	Sector (median)
P/E(TTM)	25.42	25.42
P/S (TTM)	5.58	7.05
P/B (TTM)	4.97	7.51

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### **Firm's Brief Description**

SAP SE (SAP) is a Germany-based company that offers enterprise application software. The Company operates through three segments: Applications, Technology & Services segment, which is engaged in the sale of software licenses, subscriptions to its cloud applications, and related services, primarily support services and various professional services, and support services, as well as implementation services of its software products and education services on the use of its products; the SAP Business Network segment, which includes its cloud-based collaborative business networks and services relating to the SAP Business Network, including cloud applications, professional services and education services, as well as the Company markets and sells the cloud offerings developed by SAP Ariba, SAP Fieldglass and Concur, and the Customer Experience segment, which comprises on-premise and cloudbased products that run front office functions across the customer experience.

#### **Sector Overview**

- EU digital rules must cover Software platforms.
- Revenue in the Software Market is projected to reach U.S.\$578.020 by the end of 2021.
- Revenue is expected to show an annual growth rate (CAGR 2021-2026) of 7.37%, resulting in a market volume of U.S.\$824.848 by 2026.

# **Fundamental Analysis**

SAP SE stock performance over the last year rose by near 20%. Taking account of this last year, the company underperformed its competitors in the growth rates, as revenue rate rose just 4.74% despite the fact that the sector rose 12.80%. Although, while corporation's net earnings quarter to quarter underperformed the sector too, its net earnings year by year was extremely over the sector average (54.92 to 8.56). Moreover, SAP surpassed its competitors in each and every margin. Furthermore, the company is more effectivegeneratingits profits as its ROE - Return on Equity- (17.74%) and ROA -Return on Assets- (9.45%) are higher in comparison with those of the sector, 14.29% and 7.99% respectively. In addition, an encouraging indicator is the low risk the company offers to the shareholders, something that is proven by debt to equity ratio (D/E) which is generally low and lower than the sector's too, 32% compared to 45%.

Last but not least, while the high Price to Book ratio (P/B) is worryingly high at 4.97 the fact that it is way lower than the sector median in combination with the corporation's low Price to Share ratio (P/S) at 5.58 in comparison of the sectors 7.05, makes the stock undervalued and SAP SE a solid investment.

Target Price (1 year forward): 157.75\$



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