

communications, industrial automation, military, and other electronic equipment. Main products: microprocessors (notably, the Pentium series), microcontrollers, and memory chips. Also sells computer modules and boards, and network products. Foreign busimon shares; BlackRock, 5.9; The Vanguard Group, 5% (4/14 proxy). Chair.: Andy Bryant. Pres.: Renee James. CEO: Brian Krzanich. Incorp.: DE. Add.: 2200 Mission College Blvd., Santa Clara, CA 95054. Tele.: 408-765-8080. Internet: www.intc.com.

Current Liab. **ANNUAL RATES** Past Est'd '11-'13 Past 5 Yrs. 10.5% of change (per sh) 10 Yrs. to '17-'19 4.0% 6.5% 7.0% Sales "Cash Flow" 10.0% 10.0% 13.0% 14.0% 16.5% Earnings Dividends Book Value 26.5% 6.5% 5.5% 6.5%

31358

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Current Assets

Accts Payable Debt Due

Cal- endar	QU/ Mar.31	ARTERLY : Jun.30	sALES (\$ r Sep.30		Full Year
2011	12847	13032	14233	13887	53999
2012	12906	13501	13457	13477	53341
2013	12580	12811	13483	13834	52708
2014	12764	13831	14410	14415	55420
2015	13650	14150	14650	14350	56800
Cal-	EARNINGS PER SHARE A				Full
endar	Mar.31	Jun.30	Sep.30	Dec.31	Year
2011	.56	.54	.65	.64	2.39
2012	.53	.54	.58	.48	2.13
2013	.41	.39	.58	.51	1.89
2014	.38	.55	.65	.62	2.20
2015	.49	.52	.67	.62	2.30
Cal-	QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS PAID B =				Full
endar	Mar.31	Jun.30	Sep.30	Dec.31	Year
2010	.158	.158	.158	.158	.63
2011	.181	.181	.21	.21	.78
2012	.21	.21	.225	.225	.87
2013	.225	.225	.225	.225	.90
2014	225	225	225		

Intel stock has been on a roll of late, climbing nearly 15% since our July review. We attribute the stock's solid performance to better-than-expected secondquarter results and a rosy outlook moving ahead.

Management provided good news during its June-quarter conference call. Earnings per share were \$0.55, which was sharply above our \$0.44 expectation and the prior-year result of \$0.39. The company prospered from its strategy to broaden the reach of its silicon content from data centers to PCs to the Internet of Things. It appears on track to reach its objective of 40 million tablets sold, while the ramp of its Baytrail SoC (system on a chip) is another reason for optimism. Overall, positive momentum in the PC Client Group and Data Center division helped to offset a decrease in the Communications segment. Going forward, we are increasingly optimistic regarding our view for 2014 and 2015. We now look for revenues of \$55.42 billion and \$56.8 billion for the next two years, respectively. (This is a notable increase from our \$54.12 billion and \$55.15 billion estimates at the time of our July

review.) Furthermore, we look for margins to increase moderately for both this year and 2015, which has prompted us to raise our share-net estimates to \$2.20 and \$2.30, respectively, a \$0.20 increase for each year compared to our view three months ago.

Building momentum in the lucrative mobile space is vital to long-term profit growth. Management remains committed to boosting its presence in the mobile market through partnerships and other collaborating means. We view this as a key earnings driver over the longer term, as the personal computer market, though currently rebounding from its recent nadir, will likely remain a mature market

going forward.

These timely shares are worthy of consideration for conservative investors seeking a technology presence. Despite the aforementioned price increase, INTC stock still has worthwhile long-term risk-adjusted total return potential. The solid dividend yield, which is not commonplace in the semiconductor industry, adds to its appeal.

Alan G. House

October 3, 2014

(A) Dil. egs. Excl. nonrecurr. gains (losses): '98, (3¢); '99, (11¢); '00, (2¢); '01, (34¢); '02, (5¢); '03, (1¢); '10, (4¢). Next egs. report mid-

reinvestment plan available. (C) In millions, adjusted for stock splits.

(B) Dividends historically paid in early March, June, September, and December. ■ Dividend acquisition-related intangibles.

Company's Financial Strength Stock's Price Stability A++ 80 Price Growth Persistence **Earnings Predictability** 45

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