



SCHWAB EQUITY RATING

A Strongly Outperform Percentile Ranking: 3

Data as of 07/21/2017

Last weeks rating:

A Strongly Outperform
Percentile Ranking: 3

Data as of 07/14/2017

A 1-5	Strongly Outperform	BUY
B 6-30	Outperform	BUY
C 31-70	Marketperform	HOLD
D 71-95	Underperform	SELL
F 96-100	Strongly Underperform	SELL

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Earnings Trend Surprise

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▲ IMPROVED VS. PREVIOUS WEEK
▼ DECLINED VS. PREVIOUS WEEK

Low

A FUNDAMENTAL GRADE	THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	IMPORTANCE
Cash Flow Strength	Positive	Positive	Medium
Capital Intensity	Neutral	Neutral	Medium
Efficient Management of Working Capital	Positive	Positive	Low
Business Geographic Diversification	Positive	Positive	Low
B VALUATION GRADE			
Price Driven Valuation	Positive	Positive	High
Valuation Sentiment	Neutral	Neutral	Medium
C MOMENTUM GRADE			
Recent Price Performance vs. the Market	Neutral	Neutral	Medium
Recent Brokerage Analyst Sentiment Change	Negative	Negative	Low

Positive



BUSINESS SUMMARY

Source: Reuter

Ford Motor Company is a global automotive and mobility company. The Company's business includes designing, manufacturing, marketing, and servicing a full line of Ford cars, trucks, and sport utility vehicles (SUVs), as well as Lincoln luxury vehicles...

For more details, see page 2.

OVERVIEWSource: Reuters

Price as of 7/25/17 \$11.27

Market Capitalization 44.9 Billion

Asset Class Large Cap

Beta 1.15

SECTOR/INDUSTRY

Source: S&P Capital IC

Sector Consumer Discretionary
Industry Automobiles
Sub-Industry Automobile Manufacturers

Schwab Sector Viewpoint Marketperform

METRICS

ource: Reuters

Source. Reuters		
VALUE METRICS	F	S&P 500
P/E last 4Q	12.1	23.4
P/E forecast EPS	7.4	
P/Free Cash Flow last 4Q	4.4	22.1
P/Sales last 4Q	.29	2.09
Price/Book	1.5	7.7
Dividend Yield(%)	5.3	1.9
GROWTH METRICS (%)		
1 year sales growth	1	4.4
3 year sales growth	1.1	9.1
1 year EPS growth	-60.6	12.2
3 year EPS growth	-26.8	21.7
1-year forecast EPS growth	-13.7	19.3
Long term growth rate 3-5 year	ars-11.4	
1 year dividend growth	.0	4.0
3 year dividend growth	14.5	17.0
MOMENTUM METRICS (%)		
4 week stock price change	1.7	2.4
26 week stock price change	-10.6	8.6
FINANCIAL METRICS (%)		
Gross margin	9.9	42.6
Net margin	2.4	8.9
Return on assets	1.6	3.9
Return on equity	12.4	13.5
Return on invested capital	2.5	11.2
Long-term debt/capital	.83	.45



Strongly Outperform NYSF Data as of 07/21/2017



Next earnings announcement is expected in the week of 7/26



ANNUAL EARNINGS FOREC	AST			Source: Reuters
12/31/2017	MEAN FORECAST \$1.52	CONSENSUS CHANGE IN LAST 30 DAYS \$-0.02	FORECAST RANGE \$1.30-\$1.70	NUMBER OF FORECASTS 24
12/31/2018	\$1.59	\$-0.01	\$0.95-\$1.95	23
Next 5 Yr. Growth Rate	-11.4%	0.5%	-15.7%7.1%	2



Dividends are paid on a Quarterly basis.

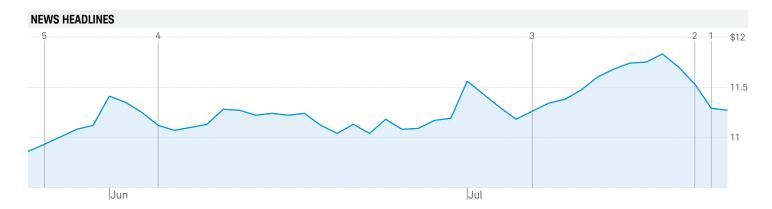
SCHWAB	SECTOR STOCK LIST			Price as of: 7/25/2017
TICKER	COMPANY	PRICE	SCHWAB EQUITY RATING	GICS INDUSTRY
CPS	Cooper-Standard Holdings Inc	\$101.99	Α	Auto Components
LRN	K12 Inc	18.08	Α	Diversified Consumer Services
TMHC	Taylor Morrison Home Corp	23.52	Α	Household Durables
TRNC	tronc Inc	12.79	Α	Media
VC	Visteon Corp	109.59	Α	Auto Components



BUSINESS DESCRIPTION

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107/24/17 Ford has appointed Amko Leenarts as its design director for the European division. In his new role, Leenarts will run a team of more than 275 employees out of studios in Germany and the UK at the company. Leenarts has replaced Joel Piaskowski. Prior to this appointment, Leenarts worked for the company as its global director, interior design Ford/Lincoln.

2 07/21/17 Ford Motor Company has announced the appointment of Bertrand Lessard as managing director, Ford Philippines, effective Aug. 1. He will report directly to Mark Kaufman, president, Ford ASEAN. Mr. Lessard will replace Lance Mosley, who is repatriating to the US after six years in the Asia Pacific region. In his new role, Mr. Lessard will be responsible for continuing to drive Ford's momentum in the Philippines, which included the company's all-time best quarterly sales performance reported earlier this month. Mr. Lessard was appointed interim managing director at Ford France in March 2016 and helped Ford maintain its firm position as the number two imported brand in the market, as well as oversaw the launch of the Mustang, which has become the country's best-selling sports car. Prior to this, Mr. Lessard served as general sales director, Ford France, where he oversaw an initiative to improve relations with the nationwide dealer network though enhanced process efficiencies and communications.

3 07/07/17 Mark Ovenden, Ford Sollers CEO and President, has been appointed Ford Motor Company Vice President of Marketing, Sales and Servicing for the Asia-Pacific Region.

4 06/06/17 Ford has appointed Marcy Klevorn as its executive vice president and president of Mobility. Prior to this appointment, Klevorn worked for Ford Motor Co as its vice president: information technology/chief information officer. He has also worked with Premier Automotive Group Inc, Ford of Europe GmbH and Ford Credit de Mexico.

5 05/26/17 Ford Motor Company announced executive appointments, completing its senior leadership team under new President and CEO Jim Hackett, Appointments support revamped organizational structure, including Global Markets, Global Operations and Mobility. Raj Nair to lead Ford North America; Steven Armstrong will lead Ford of Europe, Middle East & Africa; Peter Fleet to lead Ford Asia Pacific. Dave Schoch retiring after 40-year career at Ford. Hau Thai-Tang to lead Global Product Development and Purchasing. Sherif Marakby rejoins Ford as vice president, autonomous vehicles and electrification. Ken Washington named vice president, Research and Advanced Engineering, and chief technology officer. Neil Schloss is appointed vice president and chief financial officer, Mobility. Kenneth R. Kent is named vice president and treasurer. Bradley Gayton is appointed group vice president, chief administrative officer and general counsel. Jeff Lemmer is elected chief operating officer, Information Technology June 1. In this role, Lemmer, 51, is responsible for automotive-related application development and running the day-to-day operations, including networks, data centers and employee collaboration tools. He also is elected a corporate officer. Lemmer previously was Director, IT Operations. Bradley Gaytonis appointed group vice president, chief administrative officer and general counsel, effective June 1. He will continue to report to Jim Hackett. Gayton leads the company's litigation, tax, corporate and intellectual property efforts, including the General Auditor's Office. In this expanded role, he is responsible for Ford Land and Corporate Services, which includes the company's security, and global travel and events operations. He previously served as group vice president and general counsel. Ken Washingtonis appointed vice president, Research and Advanced Engineering, and chief technology officer, effective June 1, reporting to Jim Hackett. Washington, 56, previously served as vice president of Research and Advanced Engineering, leading Ford's worldwide research organizations, and overseeing the development and implementation of the company's technology strategy. He will add chief technical officer responsibilities in this expanded role. Kenneth R. Kentis appointed vice president and treasurer, succeeding Neil Schloss. With his new appointment, effective Aug. 1, he also is elected a corporate officer. Responsible for the company's overall treasury operations, Kent, 54, reports to Bob Shanks, executive vice president and chief financial officer. He previously served as controller, The Americas.



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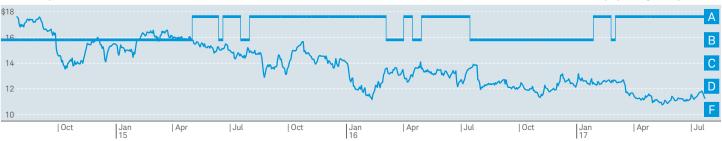
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Sc	hwa	ab	Equity	Ratings	Distrib	oution

Schwab	Percentile	Distribution	12 Month	General
Equity Rating	Ranking Distribution	of Rating Within Sector	Return Outlook	Buy/Hold/Sell Guidance*
Α	1 - 5	Top 5%	Strongly Outperform	Buy
В	6 - 30	Next 25%	Outperform	Buy
С	31 - 70	Next 40%	Marketperform	Hold
D	71 - 95	Next 25%	Underperform	Sell
F	96 - 100	Bottom 5%	Strongly Underperform	Sell

^{*}The general buy/hold/sell guidance is relative to other rated equities only. Before considering whether to take any action, an investor should consider whether equities generally are performing well in comparison to other asset classes and whether other equities in the same sector or category with the same or better rating may be more appropriate.

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NA NC	Not Available Not Covered	A Schwab Equity Rating is not available on this stock due to insufficient information about this stock. This stock is not currently in the Schwab Equity Ratings universe or is prohibited from coverage for regulatory or other reasons.

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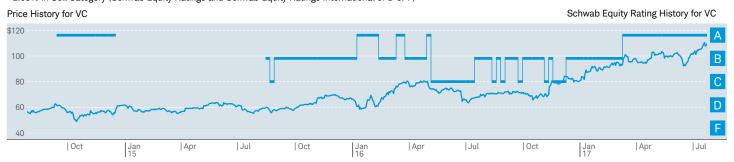
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