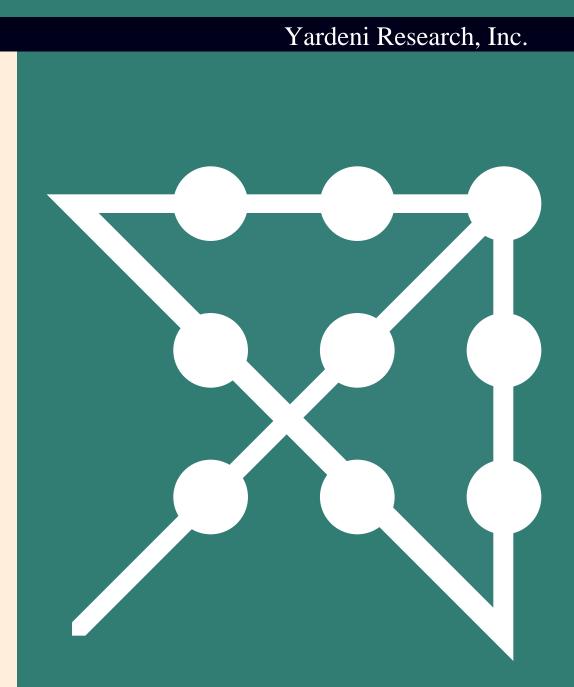
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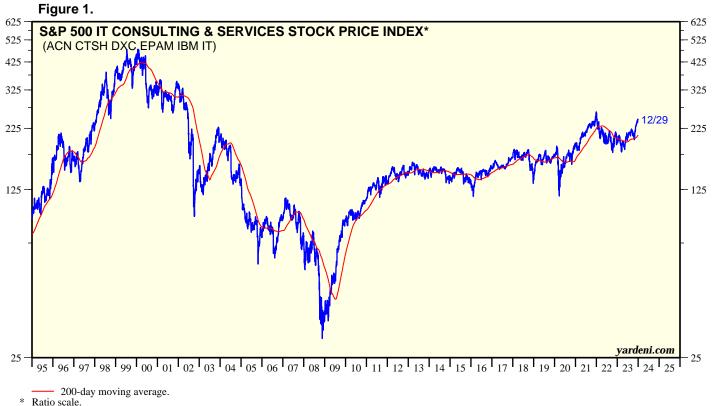
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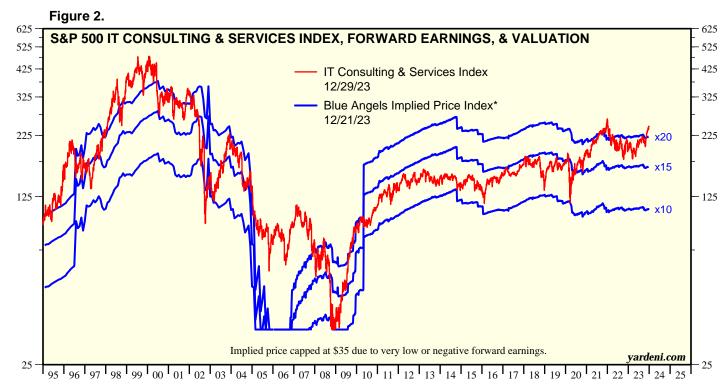
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### **Stock Price Index**



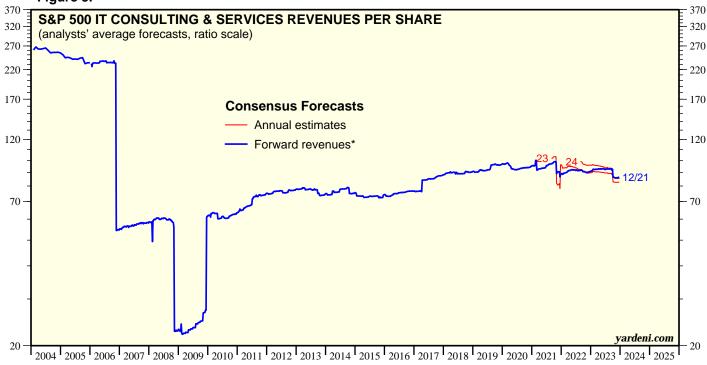
Source: Standard & Poor's and Haver Analytics.



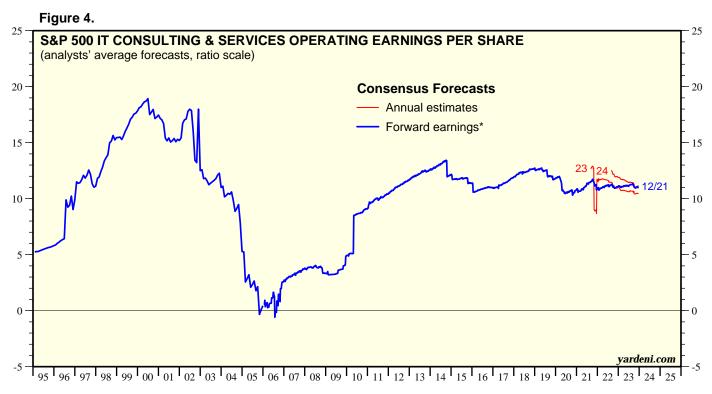
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## Forward Revenues & Earnings with Annual Squiggles



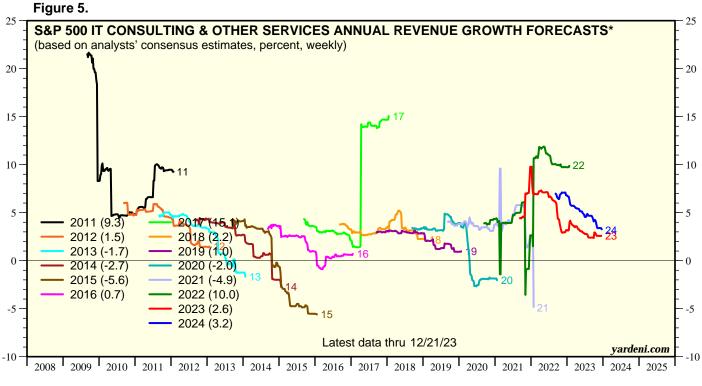


\* Time-weighted average of consensus estimates for current year and next year. Monthly through December 2005, then weekly. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

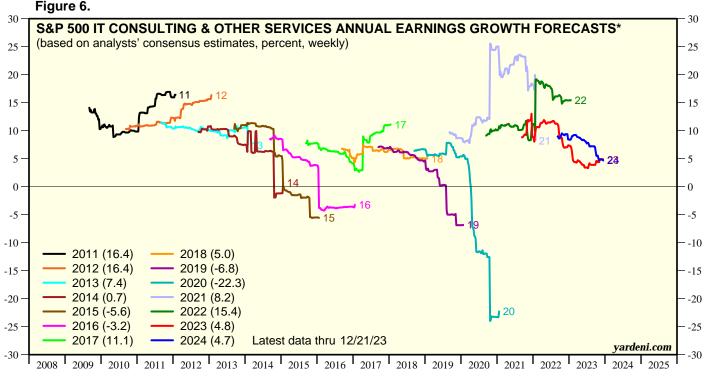


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## **Annual Growth Squiggles**

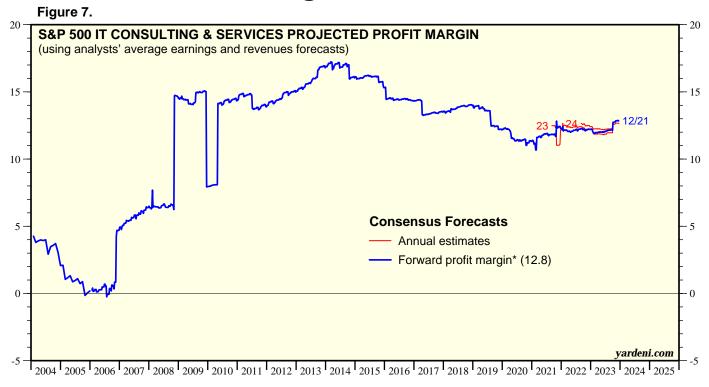


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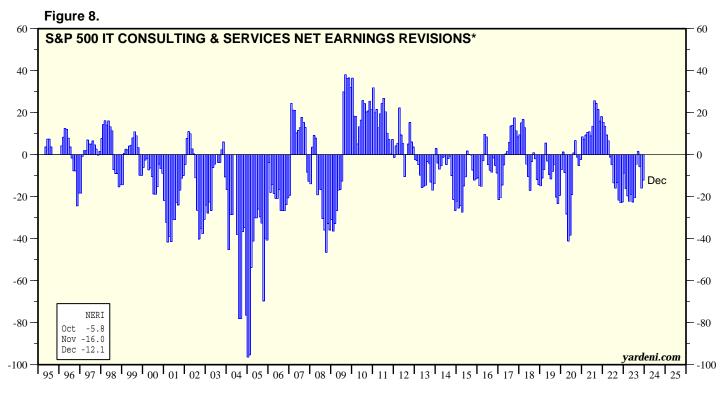


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## **Margins & NERI**



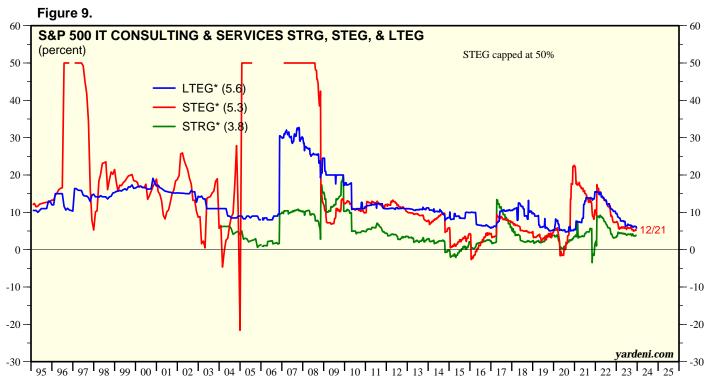
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\* Three-month moving average of the number of forward earnings estimates up less number of estimates down, expressed as a percentage of the total number of forward earnings estimates. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

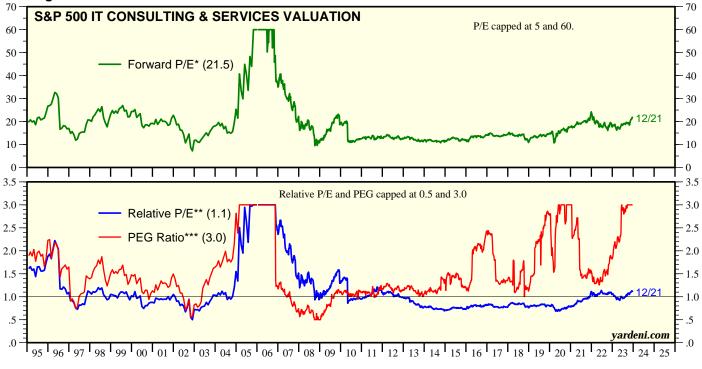
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#### **Forward Growth & Valuation**



\* STEG is year-ahead forward consensus expected short-term earnings growth. STRG is year-ahead forward consensus expected short-term revenue growth. LTEG is five-year consensus expected long-term earnings growth. Monthly data through 2005, weekly thereafter. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

#### Figure 10.



Price divided by 12-month forward consensus expected operating earnings per share. Sector or industry forward P/E relative to S&P 500 forward P/E.

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Sector or industry forward P/E relative to sector or industry consensus 5-year LTEG forecast. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv. \*\*\*

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