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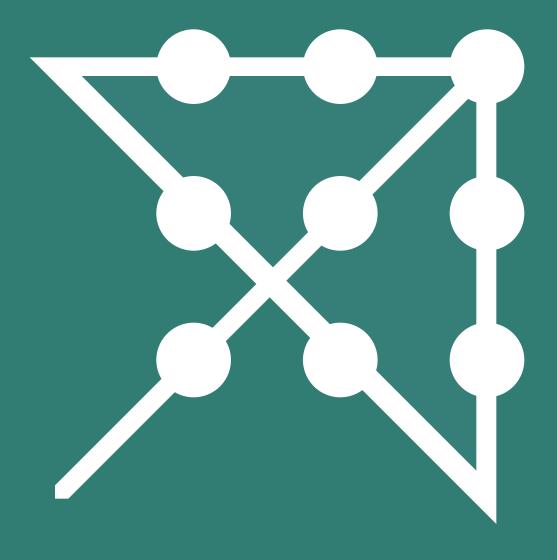
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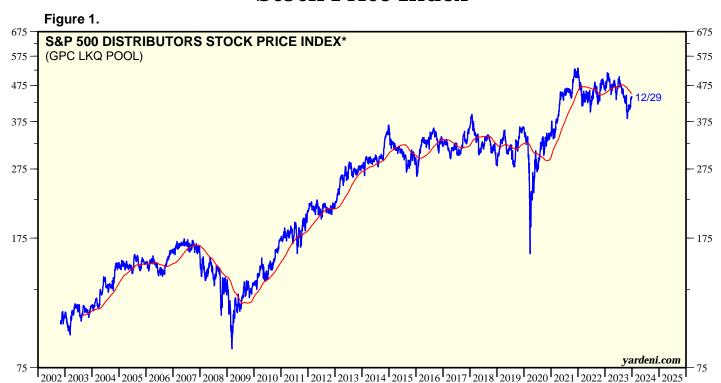


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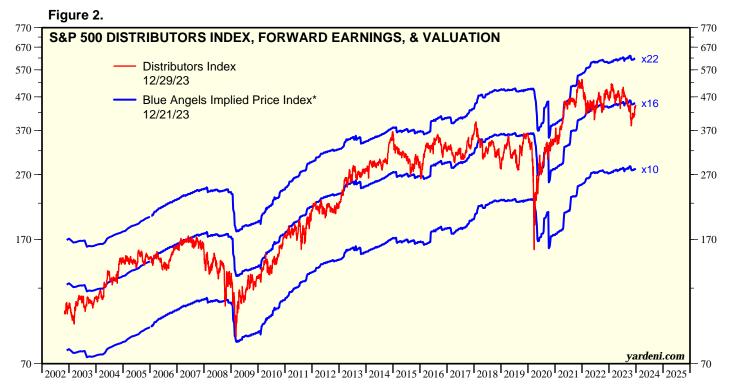
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Stock Price Index



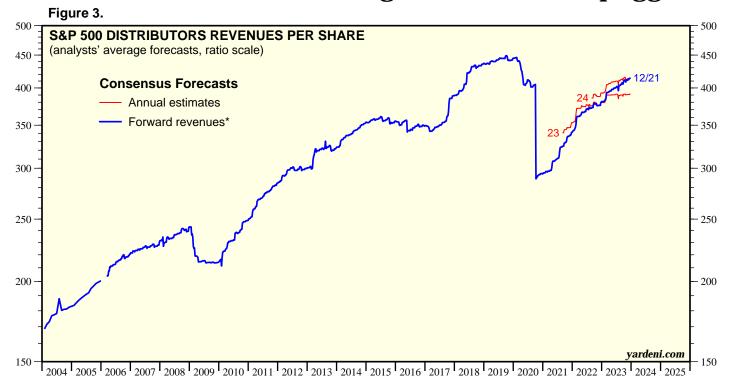
²⁰⁰⁻day moving average.

^{*} Ratio scale. Source: Standard & Poor's and Haver Analytics.

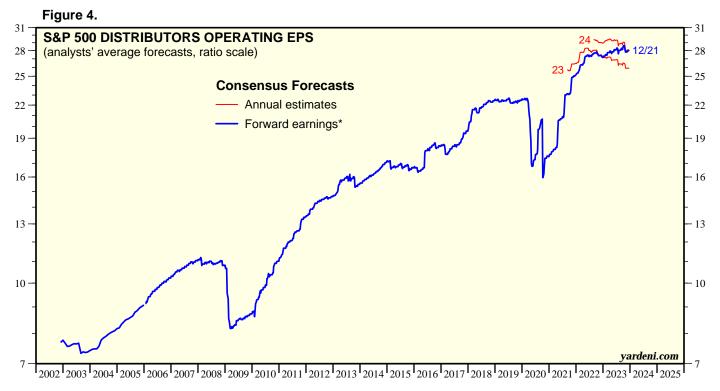


^{*} Implied price index calculated using forward earnings times forward P/Es. Source: Standard & Poor's Corporation and I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

Forward Revenues & Earnings with Annual Squiggles



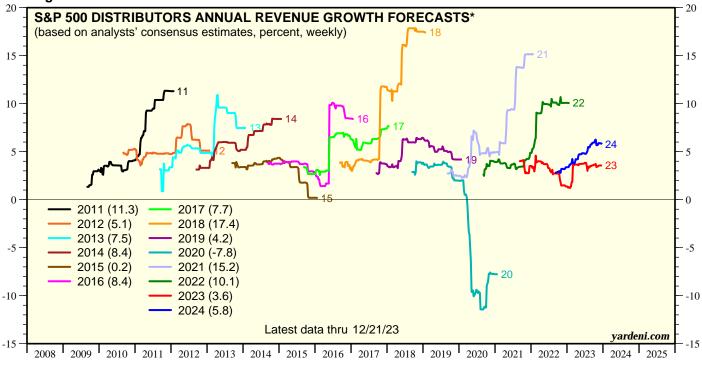
^{*} Time-weighted average of consensus estimates for current year and next year. Monthly through December 2005, then weekly. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.



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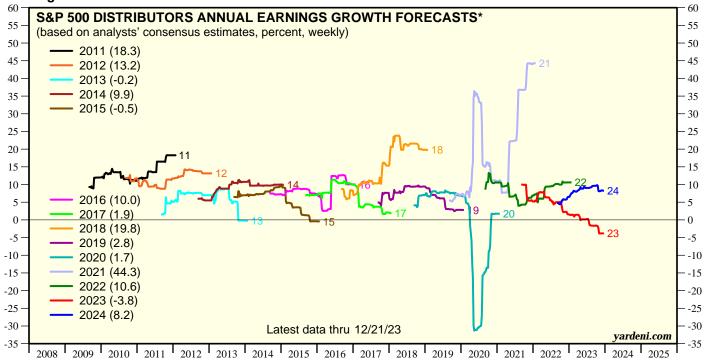
Annual Growth Squiggles





Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

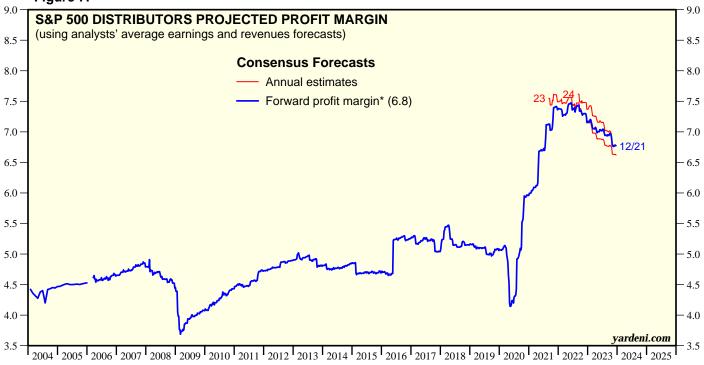
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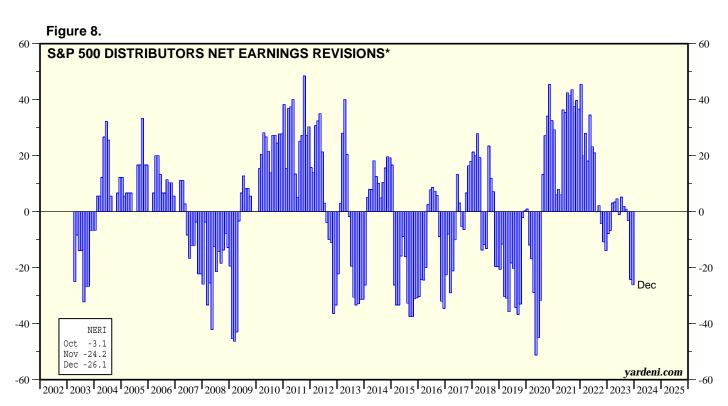
Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

Margins & NERI





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



^{*} 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.

Forward Growth & Valuation

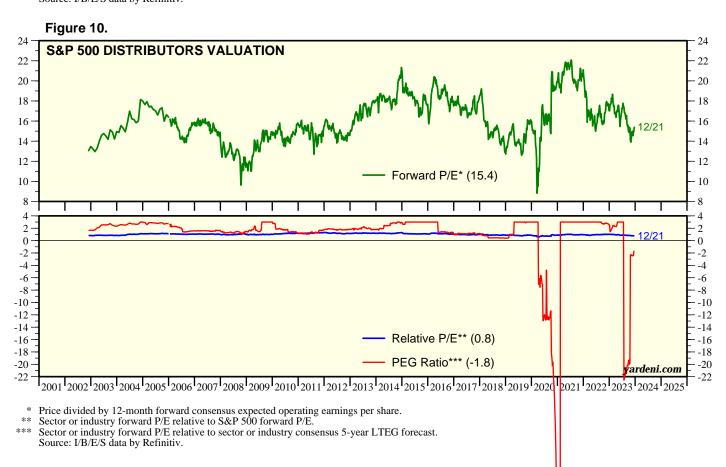


 $|_{2002}|_{2003}|_{2004}|_{2005}|_{2006}|_{2007}|_{2008}|_{2009}|_{2010}|_{2011}|_{2012}|_{2013}|_{2014}|_{2015}|_{2016}|_{2017}|_{2018}|_{2019}|_{2020}|_{2021}|_{2022}|_{2023}|_{2024}|_{2025}$

^{*} 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.



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