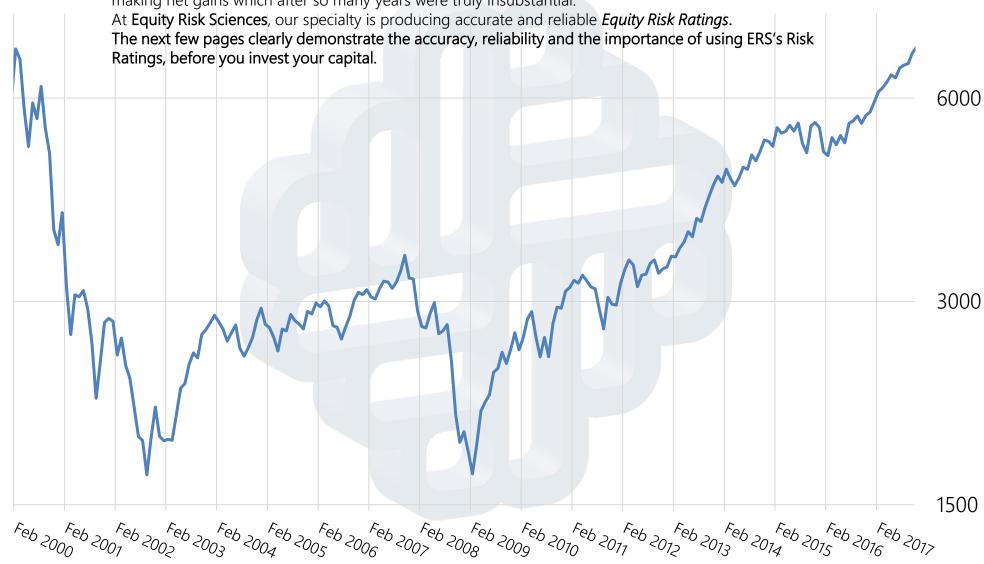


12/31/1999 RISK ANALYSIS EXAMPLE

December 11, 2019

NASDAQ COMPOSITE, ADJUSTED FOR INFLATION, ROSE 0% FROM FEB. 2000 THROUGH NOV 2017

Investing for the Long Term" is not just "risky", it is **dangerous**, because there are many periods when investors lost substantial percentages of their investments and took many years to recover from their losses, making net gains which after so many years were truly insubstantial.





FROM 1994 TO 1999, THE NASDAQ MARKET SOARED 159%. BELOW IS THE PERFORMANCE OF THE 20 LARGEST COMPANIES FROM 1999 TO 2019. OUR GOAL IS TO SHOW YOU ERS'S RISK RATINGS PROVIDE INVESTORS GREAT PROTECTION AND GREAT PROFITS TOO.

Below, You'll See The Maximum Potential Losses (Column 3) And The Net Gains These 20 Stocks Provided Over The Past 19+ Years (Column 5)

	ERS's	Risk Ro	atings	1	2	3
Company	PRI	FRI	ERI	Price 12/31/99	Lowest Price After 1999	Potential Loss
GE	100	71	86	\$51.58	\$6.66	-87%
Oracle	100	24	72	\$28.02	\$7.32	-74%
Intel	100	13	64	\$41.16	\$12.08	-71%
Qualcomm	100	13	51	\$88.06	\$11.88	-87%
Amgen	100	3	55	\$60.06	\$31.07	-48%
Sprint	99	72	87	\$67.31	\$1.37	-98%
Microsoft	99	8	34	\$58.38	\$15.15	-74%
Texas Instr.	99	18	67	\$48.44	\$13.23	-73%
P&G	99	76	87	\$54.51	\$26.20	-52%
Cisco	99	15	35	\$53.56	\$8.60	-84%
Home Depot	98	4	50	\$68.56	\$18.00	-74%
Bristol-Myers	97	24	70	\$64.19	\$17.26	-73%
J&J	97	28	71	\$46.56	\$33.50	-28%
UPS	93	23	55	\$69.00	\$38.30	-44%
AT&T	92	60	73	\$48.75	\$19.34	-60%
IBM	91	43	73	\$108.00	\$55.07	-49%
Merck	86	35	62	\$67.06	\$20.99	-69%
Verizon	84	49	62	\$61.56	\$23.45	-62%
Pfizer	80	9	42	\$32.44	\$11.66	-64%
Coca-Cola	77	54	65	\$29.13	\$18.54	-36%
Average						-65%



20 of ERS's Safest Co's – Performance

	ERS's Risk Ratings			1	2	3	4	5
Company	PRI	FRI	ERI	Price 12/31/99	Price @ PRI 60	Gain @ PRI 60	High Price	Gain @ High Price
Diebold Nixdorf	10	18	14	\$23.50	\$40.08	71%	\$57.58	145%
Apt. Inv & Mgmt	17	7	6	\$41.05	\$51.03	24%	\$66.36	62%
Equity Residential	8	9	7	\$21.34	\$26.62	25%	\$86.85	307%
Mack-Cali Realty	1	12	9	\$8.44	\$33.60	298%	\$56.28	567%
Dycom Industries	9	10	10	\$19.58	\$14.77	-25%	\$122.80	527%
Robert Half Int'l	13	8	10	\$14.28	\$24.75	73%	\$79.64	458%
Tailored Brands	10	12	11	\$19.58	\$20.33	4%	\$65.81	236%
Harte-Hanks	31	4	12	\$145.00	\$184.20	27%	\$309.80	114%
ACI Worldwide	12	12	12	\$9.33	\$4.36	-53%	\$35.52	281%
Bio-Rad Labs	11	16	14	\$23.13	\$26.25	14%	\$342.68	1,382%
The Cooper Co's	29	10	14	\$15.06	\$23.77	58%	\$341.49	2,167%
Fossil Group	27	10	17	\$10.28	\$24.20	135%	\$138.30	1,246%
CoStar Group	33	8	17	\$35.88	\$49.88	39%	\$408.67	3,702%
Ethan Allen	32	10	20	\$32.06	\$37.38	17%	\$46.08	44%
Dollar Tree	34	12	20	\$10.76	\$14.29	33%	\$115.99	978%
Lancaster Colony	19	22	20	\$33.13	\$46.74	41%	\$187.15	465%
Analogic	30	14	20	\$33.00	\$38.38	16%	\$98.93	200%
Papa John's Int'l	1	14	9	\$6.52	\$5.89	-10%	\$89.55	1,274%
AutoNation	1	13	10	\$9.25	\$12.12	31%	\$66.20	616%
Pier 1 Imports	6	14	10	\$127.50	\$418.60	228%	\$523.80	311%
Average Profit				Avg Time: 2.1 Yrs		53%		754%

