



# Infosys Ltd. (INFY)

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## Key Metrics

|                             |      |                                            |                        |                                  |                       |
|-----------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Current Price:</b>       | \$12 | <b>5 Year CAGR Estimate:</b>               | 12.6%                  | <b>Market Cap:</b>               | \$50B                 |
| <b>Fair Value Price:</b>    | \$15 | <b>5 Year Growth Estimate:</b>             | 5.0%                   | <b>Ex-Dividend Date:</b>         | 09/28/26 <sup>1</sup> |
| <b>% Fair Value:</b>        | 82%  | <b>5 Year Valuation Multiple Estimate:</b> | 4.0%                   | <b>Dividend Payment Date:</b>    | 10/21/26 <sup>2</sup> |
| <b>Dividend Yield:</b>      | 4.3% | <b>5 Year Price Target</b>                 | \$19                   | <b>Years Of Dividend Growth:</b> | 11                    |
| <b>Dividend Risk Score:</b> | D    | <b>Sector:</b>                             | Information Technology | <b>Rating:</b>                   | Hold                  |

## Overview & Current Events

Infosys Ltd. Is a global information technology corporation that provides services to its customers through a number of subsidiaries, including Progeon, Infosys Technologies, Infosys Consulting, and others. The company's business solutions include consulting, software development, engineering, systems integration, and it also offers banking software services. The company is headquartered in Bangalore, India. United States investors can buy a stake in Infosys through American Depository Receipts that trade on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker INFY.

Infosys reported its first quarter fiscal 2027 earnings results on July 23<sup>rd</sup> (the company's fiscal year ends in March). The company announced that it generated revenues of \$5.08 billion during the quarter, which was 3% higher compared to the previous year's quarter. Infosys' revenues were higher than what the analyst community forecasted, and the growth rate was in line with the previous quarter, when Infosys had reported a revenue increase of 3% as well. Infosys saw its gross margin expand slightly over the last year.

Infosys generated earnings-per-share of \$0.20 during the first quarter, which was in line with the consensus estimate. Management also updated its guidance for the current year, fiscal 2027. The company is forecasting revenue growth of 1.5%-3.0% at constant currency rates this year. Infosys' minor revenue increase that is expected for the current year will result in slightly higher earnings-per-share, according to the current consensus estimate.

## Growth on a Per-Share Basis

| Year                      | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021   | 2022   | 2023   | 2024   | 2025   | 2026   | 2027          | 2032          |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>EPS</b>                | \$0.47 | \$0.55 | \$0.51 | \$0.55 | \$0.61 | \$0.70 | \$0.71 | \$0.76 | \$0.76 | \$0.78 | <b>\$0.81</b> | <b>\$1.03</b> |
| <b>DPS</b>                | \$0.19 | \$0.22 | \$0.23 | \$0.26 | \$0.29 | \$0.40 | \$0.43 | \$0.43 | \$0.51 | \$0.52 | <b>\$0.52</b> | <b>\$0.70</b> |
| <b>Shares<sup>3</sup></b> | 4580   | 4340   | 4350   | 4250   | 4250   | 4250   | 4190   | 4140   | 4130   | 4110   | <b>4100</b>   | <b>4000</b>   |

Infosys has managed to generate a solid rate of growth over the last decade. The company has compounded its adjusted earnings-per-share at 6% per year since 2016. Its profits rose relatively consistently, with year-over-year increases in most years. Infosys also remained profitable during the Great Recession and the COVID pandemic, which indicates that Infosys' recession resilience is strong.

Infosys' profit growth was primarily based on rising revenues in the past, and this will likely remain the case going forward. Due to growing demand for the services Infosys offers to its customers, and due to incentives for outsourcing for Infosys' customers, it is very likely that Infosys will be able to grow its top line during the coming years, too. Infosys has been buying back its shares at a reasonable pace over the last decade, and we believe that buybacks will be a growth driver of the company's earnings-per-share in the future, too. Due to the combination of some business growth and rising margins, combined with the positive impact of share repurchases, earnings-per-share should rise meaningfully in the long run. We estimate that Infosys will be able to generate earnings-per-share of \$0.81 during fiscal 2027, and that its growth during the coming years will be roughly in line with its historic growth rate.

<sup>1</sup> Estimated date

<sup>2</sup> Estimated date

<sup>3</sup> In Millions

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## Valuation Analysis

| Year      | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | Now         | 2032        |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|-------------|
| Avg. P/E  | 17.3 | 14.3 | 21.0 | 18.7 | 31.1 | 35.4 | 23.9 | 23.4 | 23.9 | 17.3 | <b>14.8</b> | <b>18.0</b> |
| Avg. Yld. | 2.3% | 2.7% | 2.2% | 2.5% | 1.5% | 1.6% | 2.5% | 2.8% | 2.7% | 3.9% | <b>4.3%</b> | <b>3.7%</b> |

Infosys trades at close to 15 times this year's expected earnings right now. This is less than our fair value earnings multiple of 18, and less than the average valuation Infosys has traded at over the last decade. We believe that shares are currently undervalued and that multiple expansion will be a tailwind going forward.

## Safety, Quality, Competitive Advantage, & Recession Resiliency

| Year   | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027       | 2032       |
|--------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|------------|
| Payout | 40%  | 40%  | 45%  | 47%  | 48%  | 57%  | 61%  | 57%  | 67%  | 67%  | <b>64%</b> | <b>67%</b> |

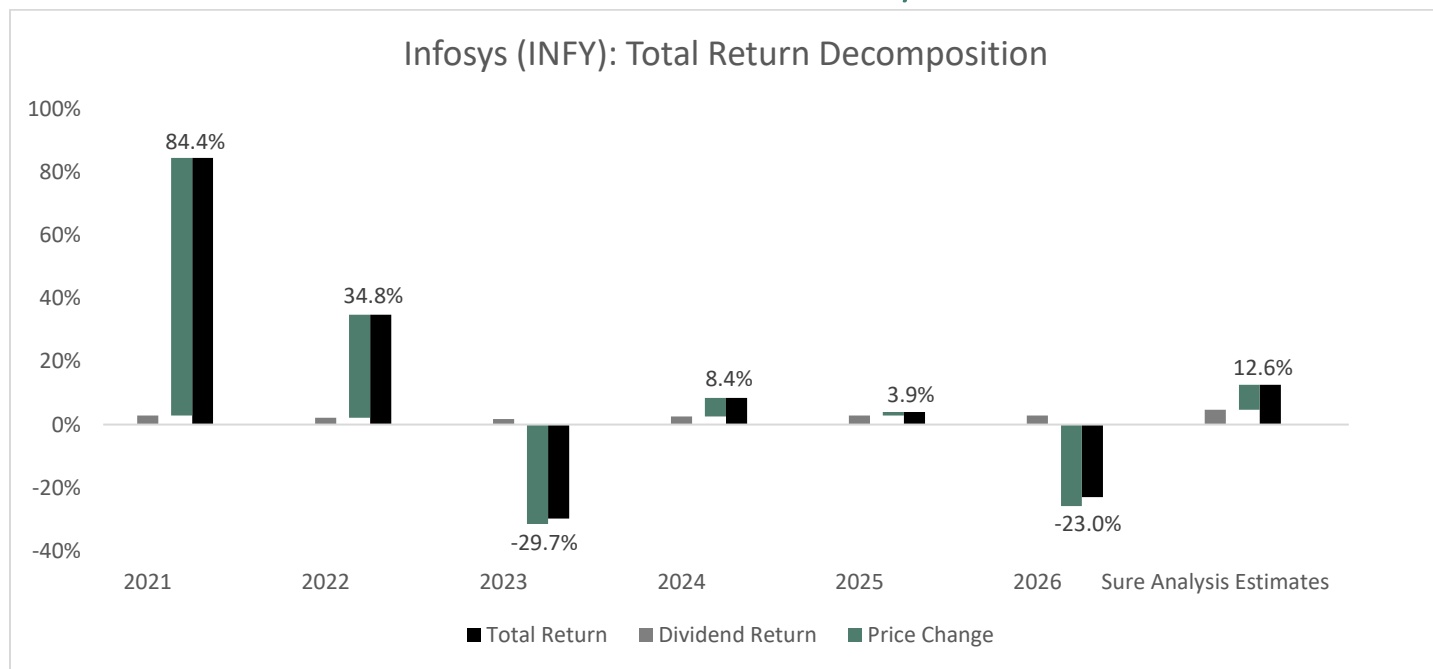
Infosys has raised its dividend payout ratio relatively consistently over the last decade. This is not surprising, as the dividend growth rate was substantially higher than the earnings-per-share growth rate over those ten years. Infosys' dividend payout ratio of around 70% is not dangerously high, but far from low. The dividend cut risk is not negligible.

Infosys competes with a range of peers, but due to the fact that the overall market for the services that Infosys offers continues to grow, competition is not a major problem. Infosys and its peers can all grow profitably without acting overly aggressively towards each other. Infosys remained profitable during the last financial crisis, and it is quite likely that Infosys will remain profitable during future recessions as well. Infosys thus does not look like a fundamentally risky stock, as both competitive threats as well as vulnerability to recessions are relatively negligible.

## Final Thoughts & Recommendation

Infosys has experienced sizeable growth in the past, primarily thanks to ongoing increases in the company's top line. Thanks to a solid outlook for the whole industry, it is likely that Infosys will also be able to grow its revenues and profits meaningfully going forward, too. Infosys' dividend yield is higher than that of the broad market, but the dividend doesn't look overly safe, which is why we rate Infosys a hold for now.

## Total Return Breakdown by Year



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## Income Statement Metrics

| Year             | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021   | 2022   | 2023   | 2024   | 2025   | 2026   |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Revenue          | 10,208 | 10,939 | 11,799 | 12,780 | 13,561 | 16,311 | 18,212 | 18,562 | 19,277 | 20,158 |
| Gross Profit     | 3,762  | 3,938  | 4,112  | 4,228  | 4,733  | 5,315  | 5,503  | 5,587  | 5,872  | 6,079  |
| Gross Margin     | 36.9%  | 36.0%  | 34.9%  | 33.1%  | 34.9%  | 32.6%  | 30.2%  | 30.1%  | 30.5%  | 30.2%  |
| SG&A Exp.        | 1,242  | 1,279  | 1,416  | 1,504  | 1,408  | 1,560  | 1,490  | 1,578  | 1,801  | 1,826  |
| D&A Exp.         | 254    | 289    | 287    | 407    | 441    | 466    | 524    | 565    | 569    | 562    |
| Operating Profit | 2,520  | 2,659  | 2,696  | 2,724  | 3,325  | 3,755  | 3,860  | 3,849  | 4,071  | 4,0989 |
| Operating Margin | 24.7%  | 24.3%  | 22.8%  | 21.3%  | 24.5%  | 23.0%  | 21.2%  | 20.7%  | 21.1%  | 20.3%  |
| Net Profit       | 2,140  | 2,486  | 2,199  | 2,331  | 2,613  | 2,963  | 2,981  | 3,167  | 3,158  | 3,313  |
| Net Margin       | 21.0%  | 22.7%  | 18.6%  | 18.2%  | 19.3%  | 18.2%  | 16.4%  | 17.1%  | 16.4%  | 16.4%  |
| Free Cash Flow   | 1,688  | 1,947  | 1,913  | 2,146  | 2,973  | 3,055  | 2,534  | 2,882  | 4,088  | 3,733  |
| Income Tax       | 834    | 657    | 803    | 757    | 973    | 1,068  | 1,142  | 1,177  | 1,285  | 1,190  |

## Balance Sheet Metrics

| Year                 | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021   | 2022   | 2023   | 2024   | 2025   | 2026   |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Assets         | 12,854 | 12,255 | 12,252 | 12,260 | 14,825 | 15,555 | 15,312 | 16,523 | 17,419 | 16,446 |
| Cash & Equivalents   | 3,489  | 3,041  | 2,829  | 2,465  | 3,380  | 2,305  | 1,481  | 1,773  | 2,861  | 2,341  |
| Accounts Receivable  | 1,900  | 2,016  | 2,144  | 2,443  | 2,639  | 2,995  | 3,094  | 3,620  | 3,645  | 3,715  |
| Goodwill & Int.      | 683    | 377    | 612    | 950    | 1,115  | 1,042  | 1,095  | 1,042  | 1,505  | 1,576  |
| Total Liabilities    | 2,217  | 2,295  | 2,852  | 3,559  | 4,323  | 5,561  | 6,088  | 5,918  | 6,164  | 6,606  |
| Accounts Payable     | 91     | 127    | 255    | 387    | 364    | 547    | 470    | 474    | 487    | 500    |
| Long-Term Debt       | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      |
| Shareholder's Equity | 10,637 | 9,960  | 9,391  | 8,646  | 10,442 | 9,941  | 9,172  | 10,559 | 11,205 | 9,786  |
| LTD/E Ratio          | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      | -      |

## Profitability & Per Share Metrics

| Year             | 2017  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020  | 2021  | 2022  | 2023  | 2024  | 2025  | 2026  |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Return on Assets | 17.7% | 19.8% | 17.9% | 19.0% | 19.3% | 19.5% | 19.3% | 19.9% | 18.6% | 19.6% |
| Return on Equity | 21.4% | 24.1% | 22.7% | 25.8% | 27.2% | 28.9% | 31.0% | 31.9% | 28.9% | 31.6% |
| ROIC             | 21.4% | 24.1% | 22.7% | 25.8% | 27.2% | 28.9% | 31.0% | 31.9% | 28.9% | 29.1% |
| Shares Out.      | 4580  | 4340  | 4350  | 4250  | 4250  | 4250  | 4190  | 4140  | 4140  | 4120  |
| Revenue/Share    | 2.23  | 2.42  | 2.71  | 3.00  | 3.19  | 3.87  | 4.35  | 4.48  | 4.64  | 4.89  |
| FCF/Share        | 0.37  | 0.43  | 0.44  | 0.50  | 0.70  | 0.72  | 0.61  | 0.70  | 0.98  | 0.91  |

Note: All figures in millions of U.S. Dollars unless per share or indicated otherwise.

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