

## 3 Growth and Income Stocks to Buy Right Now

### Description

As many investors know, finding a stock that can provide both growth and dividend income can be a very difficult task. In order to make things easier, I have compiled a list of three dividend-paying stocks that are trading at inexpensive valuations compared with their five-year averages, so let's take a closer look at each to determine which one would fit best in your portfolio.

#### 1. National Bank of Canada

**National Bank of Canada** ([TSX:NA](#)) is one of the largest financial institutions in Canada, with approximately \$207.2 billion in total assets. At today's levels, its stock trades at 10 times fiscal 2015's estimated earnings per share of \$4.67 and 9.5 times fiscal 2016's estimated earnings per share of \$4.92, both of which are inexpensive compared with its five-year average price-to-earnings multiple of 10.2. In addition, the company pays a quarterly dividend of \$0.52 per share, or \$2.08 per share annually, giving its stock a 4.4% yield.

#### 2. DH Corp.

**DH Corp.** (TSX:DH) is one of the leading providers of financial technology to the world's financial institutions. At current levels, its stock trades at 16.6 times fiscal 2015's estimated earnings per share of \$2.40 and 15.4 times fiscal 2016's estimated earnings per share of \$2.60, both of which are inexpensive compared with its five-year average price-to-earnings multiple of 18.6. Additionally, the company pays a quarterly dividend of \$0.32 per share, or \$1.28 per share annually, which gives its stock a 3.2% yield.

#### 3. Superior Plus Corp.

**Superior Plus Corp.** ([TSX:SPB](#)) owns a portfolio of diversified businesses consisting of propane distribution, specialty chemicals, construction products distribution, and fixed-price energy services. At today's levels, its stock trades at 23.3 times fiscal 2015's estimated earnings per share of \$0.54 and 10.6 times fiscal 2016's estimated earnings per share of \$1.18, both of which are inexpensive compared with its five-year average price-to-earnings multiple of 114.4. In addition, the company pays a monthly dividend of \$0.06 per share, or \$0.72 per share annually, giving its stock a 5.7% yield.

### Which stock should you buy today?

National Bank of Canada, DH Corp., and Superior Plus Corp. are three very inexpensive dividend-paying investment options in the market today. Foolish investors with cash on the sidelines should take a closer look and consider establishing positions in at least one of them.

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