



Canadians: 4 Growth Stocks to Snatch Up Today

Description

Canadian investors have found themselves in a challenging environment since the end of April. Rising interest rates and fears of a looming recession have done little to improve investor outlook. Today, I want to look at four [growth stocks](#) to scoop up that could pay off big time in the months ahead. Let's jump in.

This growth stock has been throttled in 2022

Pollard Banknote ([TSX:PBL](#)) is a Winnipeg-based company that manufactures and sells a range of gaming products and services for the lottery and charitable gaming industries around the world. This growth stock hit an all-time high of \$60.14 in the late spring of 2021. However, its shares have plunged 61% in the year-over-year period as of early afternoon trading on June 9.

In Q1 2022, it reported sales of \$113 million — up 1.5% from the previous year. However, adjusted EBITDA fell to \$19.0 million compared to \$23.3 million in the first quarter of 2021. The company possesses a strong balance sheet and is on track for very solid earnings growth.

Here's why I'd look to snatch up this growth stock on the dip

ATS Automation ([TSX:ATA](#)) is a Cambridge-based company that provides automation solutions to a global client base. Canadian investors should be eager to get in on the explosion in automation. Shares of this growth stock have plunged 26% in 2022 at the time of this writing. The stock is still up 11% in the year-over-year period.

The company unveiled its fourth-quarter and full-year fiscal 2022 results on May 19. It delivered revenue growth of 50% to \$603 million. Meanwhile, adjusted basic earnings per share nearly doubled to \$0.64. Better yet, its Order Backlog jumped 24% to \$1.43 billion. ATS Automation is trading in favourable value territory compared to its industry peers.

Canadians may also want to seek out this discounted equity

TFI International ([TSX:TFII](#))([NYSE:TFII](#)) is a Montreal-based company that provides transportation and logistics services in North America. This growth stock has dropped 27% so far in 2022. That pushed its shares into negative territory in the year-over-year period.

In Q1 2022, the company delivered operating income growth of 116% to \$219 million. Meanwhile, adjusted net income surged 114% to \$157 million. Adjusted earnings per share came in at \$1.68 — up 118% from the first quarter of 2021.

Shares of this growth stock possess a favourable price-to-earnings (P/E) ratio of 10. It also offers a quarterly dividend of \$0.27, which represents a modest 1.3% yield.

One more Canadian growth stock to watch in this climate

Nuvei ([TSX:NVEI](#))([NASDAQ:NVEI](#)) is the fourth growth stock I'd look to snatch up in the first half of June. This Montreal-based company provides payment technology solutions to merchants and partners around the world. Its shares are down 23% in 2022.

The payment technology solutions market is geared up for big growth, as cash transactions progressively decline. Nuvei's first-quarter 2022 results saw total volume increase 42% to \$29.2 billion. Meanwhile, adjusted EBITDA increased 40% to \$91.6 million. This growth stock possesses a fantastic balance sheet and is well positioned for very strong earnings growth.

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