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Share of the week from The Share Centre

Nick Raynor, investment research analyst at The Share Centre, picks one of the World's leading communications companies Spirent Communications as his Share of the Week.

Here's why:

“Spirent Communications provides electronic solutions for the technology industry, including the telecommunications and medical sectors. The company's lab test solutions evaluate the performance of the latest technologies and as new communication services and applications are introduced, Spirent Communications provides tools for service management and field tests, improving troubleshooting and quality.

“Going forward the company is well placed to benefit from further advances in the technological field. Investors will also be pleased to see demand for Spirent Communications' services as other companies rely on its expertise to help design, develop and deliver world-class networks, devices and services. Spirent Communications also enables enterprises, institutions and government agencies to secure and manage their networks. If it can maintain its constant growth rates of 14% we expect much improvement on the share price in the near future.

“However, recent movements in the markets have seen companies like Spirent Communications, with steady growth figures and look to have plenty of potential, being over looked. There is a lack of volatility in some second line companies and in a trading market this doesn't attract traders. Consequently, we have seen a gradual fall in the company's share price.

“We feel the share price is currently undervalued and those investors with an appetite for medium risk and looking for a pure growth play may wish to take a closer look at Spirent Communications.”

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