

Course Outline

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6. Selected Topics

Intangible Assets

Activa

I. Oprichtingskosten

Vaste activa

II. Immateriële vaste activa

III. Materiële vaste activa

IV. Financiële vaste activa

Vlottende activa

V. Vorderingen op meer dan één jaar

VI. Voorraden en bestellingen in uitvoering

VII. Vorderingen op ten hoogste één jaar

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IX. Liquide middelen

X. Overlopende rekeningen

Totaal der activa

Belgium Standard format

Passiva

Eigen vermogen

I. Inbreng

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II. Reserves

IV. Overgedragen resultaat

V. Kapitaalsubsidies

VI. Voorschot aan vennoten op verdeling netto-actief

Voorzieningen en uitgestelde belastingen

VII A. Voorzieningen voor risico's en kosten

VII B. Uitgestelde belastingen

Schulden

VIII. Schulden > 1 jaar

IX. Schulden ≤ 1 jaar

X. Overlopende rekeningen

Totaal der passiva

(Art. 2, 2013/34/EC)

Whether particular assets are to be shown as fixed assets or current assets shall depend upon the **purpose** for which they are intended. Fixed assets shall comprise those assets which are intended **for use on a continuing basis** for the purposes of the undertaking's activities. (⇔ duration of assets held by the company)

6. Selected Topics

Intangible Assets – As part of long-lived assets

Tangible assets - physical items that *can be seen and touched*, such as land, buildings, equipment, and natural resources. Also known as fixed assets or plant assets



Intangible assets – identifiable non-monetary, assets *without physical* substance that will provide economic benefits, controlled and held by the entity for use in the business activity

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Belgian GAAP

(art. 3:82 Royal Decree 29/04/2019 & CBN-advises 2012/13 and 2016/16)

4 categories of intangible assets

- Development
- Concessions, patents, licenses, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights
- Goodwill
- Payments on account

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Costs of Development

Costs of Development – costs related to the concrete implementation of projects or studies for the production of new or substantially improved materials, equipment, products, processes, systems or services through the use of discoveries or knowledge before starting a production that can be commercialized

- **Until 2016:** The Belgian accounting laws did not make the distinction between costs for research and costs for development.
- **As of 1 January 2016** (RD 18/12/2015): Research costs cannot be included under 'Assets' anymore and shall be recognised as an expense during the period when incurred. (cfr. IFRS).
 - as it is difficult for management to value the benefits results of its internal research in a reliable (honestly and objectively) way;
 - as at some stages of research and development it is not yet certain that some benefits will be gained.

*Examples of activities in the **research phase**: activities aimed at obtaining new knowledge; the search for alternatives for materials, devices, products, processes, systems or services; hoping to acquire insight and new scientific or technical knowledge*

*Examples of activities in the **development phase**: the design, construction and testing of prototypes and models, prior to the production or the use;*

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Costs of Development

- If an enterprise **cannot distinguish** the research phase from the development phase → **expenditure** on that project is **treated** as if it were incurred in the **research phase**
- An intangible asset arising from development can be recognized if amongst other conditions the company can demonstrate:
 - the **technical feasibility** of completing the intangible asset
 - the **intention to complete** the intangible asset and use or sell it
 - the probable **future economic benefits**
 - the availability of **adequate technical and financial resources** to complete, use and sell the intangible asset
- *Transitional provision: For costs of research made before 1 January 2016 the old regime still applicable. Activated research costs that have not been completely written off may continue to be considered as an asset.*

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Concessions, patents, licenses, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights



Patent - a grant by the federal government to an **inventor**, bestowing the exclusive rights to the patented process, design, or invention for a certain period

Example: Drug patent



United States Patent [19] Des. 268,584
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[57] CLAIM
The ornamental design for a personal computer, substantially as shown.
DESCRIPTION
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the personal computer showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.



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Concessions, patents, licenses, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights

Franchises or licenses - privileges granted by the exclusive owner of a patent, copyright, trademark, to sell a product or service in accordance with specified conditions

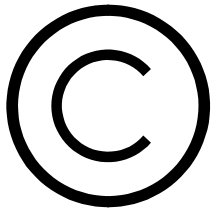
An example is a local McDonald's franchise. The franchisee pays for the right to use the name and acquire branded products, such as cups and bags, and to share in advertising and special promotions. In return, the franchisee must meet the standards set forth by McDonald's.



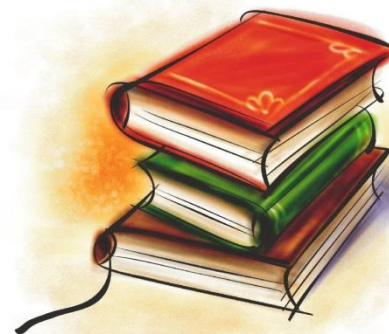
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Concessions, patents, licenses, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights

Copyright - exclusive rights granted by a government to reproduce and sell a book, musical composition, film, or similar creative items



When someone creates a product that is viewed as original and that required significant mental activity to create, this product becomes intellectual property that must be protected from unauthorized duplication. Examples of unique creations include computer software, art, poetry, graphic designs, musical lyrics and compositions, novels, film, original architectural designs, website content, etc. One safeguard that can be used to protect an original creation is copyright.



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Concessions, patents, licenses, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights

Trademarks - distinctive identifications of a manufactured product or of a service taking the form of a *name, a sign, a slogan, a logo, or an emblem*

A trademark is a recognizable insignia, phrase, word, or symbol that denotes a specific product and legally differentiates it from all other products of its kind. A trademark exclusively identifies a product as belonging to a specific company and recognizes the company's ownership of the brand.

- Useful life may be set by contract
- Amortize cost over useful life
 - o May have indefinite life and not be amortized



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill

Goodwill - the **excess of the cost** of purchasing another company over the sum of the fair market value of its identifiable individual assets less the liabilities, **due to a.o. synergies expected, comparative advantage in the market, economies of scale, increased reputation (brandname), large customer database ...**

Example: FedEx acquires Europa Company for \$10 million. Europa has assets with a market value of \$9 million and \$2 million in liabilities, therefore, net assets equals \$7 million. FedEx paid \$3 million for goodwill as follows:

| | |
|---|----------------------------|
| Purchase price paid for Europa Company | \$10 million |
| Sum of the market values of Europa Company's assets | \$9 million |
| Less: Market values of Europa Company's liabilities..... | <u>(2 million)</u> |
| Market value of Europa Company's net assets..... | <u>7 million</u> |
| Excess is called <i>goodwill</i> | <u><u>\$ 3 million</u></u> |

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Goodwill

Example of goodwill in consolidated accounts: A company P purchases 100% of the voting rights of company S for an amount of 200.

| Balance sheet Parent | | | |
|-------------------------|-----|-------------|-----|
| Investment in S | 200 | SHE | 300 |
| Other assets | 400 | Liabilities | 300 |

| Balance sheet Subsidiary | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------------|----|
| Assets | 100 | SHE | 60 |
| | | Liabilities | 40 |

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill

Balance sheet
Parent

| | | | |
|----------------------------|-----|----------------|-----|
| Investment in S | 200 | SHE | 300 |
| Other assets | 400 | Liabilities | 300 |

Balance sheet
Subsidiary

| | | | |
|--------|-----|----------------|----|
| Assets | 100 | SHE | 60 |
| | | Liabilities | 40 |

Consolidated Balance sheet
Parent + Subsidiary

| | | | |
|-------------------|------------|------------------|-----|
| Assets of S | 100 | SHE of P | 300 |
| Other assets of P | 400 | Liabilities of S | 40 |
| Goodwill | 140 | Liabilities of P | 300 |

Net equity of S:

= assets – liabilities = 60

Purchase price paid by P: 200

→ **Goodwill of 140**

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets¹¹

Goodwill



Valuation Assumptions and Purchase Price Allocation:

We utilized estimated fair values at the 2015 Merger Date to allocate the total consideration exchanged to the net tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed. This allocation was final as of July 3, 2016.

The final purchase price allocation to assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the transaction was (in millions):

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| Cash | \$ | 314 |
| Other current assets | | 3,423 |
| Property, plant and equipment | | 4,179 |
| Identifiable intangible assets | | 47,771 |
| Other non-current assets | | 214 |
| Trade and other payables | | (3,026) |
| Long-term debt | | (9,286) |
| Net postemployment benefits and other non-current liabilities | | (4,739) |
| Deferred income tax liabilities | | (16,675) |
| Net assets acquired | | 22,175 |
| Goodwill on acquisition | | 30,462 |
| Total consideration | | 52,637 |
| Fair value of shares exchanged and equity awards | | 42,855 |
| Total cash consideration paid to Kraft shareholders | | 9,782 |
| Cash and cash equivalents of Kraft at the 2015 Merger Date | | 314 |
| Acquisition of business, net of cash on hand | \$ | 9,468 |

The 2015 Merger resulted in \$30.5 billion of non tax deductible goodwill relating principally to synergies expected to be achieved from the combined operations and planned growth in new markets. Goodwill has been allocated to our segments as shown in Note 7, *Goodwill and Intangible Assets*.

The purchase price allocation to identifiable intangible assets acquired was:

| | Fair Value (in millions of dollars) | Weighted Average Life (in years) |
|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| Indefinite-lived trademarks | \$ 43,104 | |
| Definite-lived trademarks | 1,690 | 24 |
| Customer-related assets | 2,977 | 29 |
| Total | \$ 47,771 | |

We valued trademarks using either the excess earnings method or relief from royalty method, which are both variations of the income approach. We used the excess earnings method for our most significant trademarks due to their impact on the cash flows of the business and used the relief from royalty method for the remaining trademarks and licenses. For customer relationships, we used the distributor method, a variation of the excess earnings method that uses distributor-based inputs for margins and contributory asset charges.

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Goodwill

Recognition and fair value adjustments of acquired assets and liabilities

The individual assets and liabilities of the acquiree have to be revised to their fair value at acquisition date

This exercise may imply (de-)recognition of new (old) assets and liabilities

Goodwill will be the difference between the revalued net assets and the investment by the parent

Fair value at acquisition date is considered to be the new historical cost from the point of view of the parent

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill – Example Facebook



FACEBOOK, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS *(In millions, except for number of shares and par value)*

| | December 31, | |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| | 2014 | 2013 |
| Assets | | |
| Current assets: | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 4,315 | \$ 3,323 |
| Marketable securities | 6,884 | 8,126 |
| Accounts receivable, net of allowances for doubtful accounts of \$39 and \$38 as of December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2013, respectively | 1,678 | 1,109 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets | 793 | 512 |
| Total current assets | 13,670 | 13,070 |
| Property and equipment, net | 3,967 | 2,882 |
| Intangible assets, net | 3,929 | 883 |
| Goodwill | 17,981 | 839 |
| Other assets | 637 | 221 |
| Total assets | \$ 40,184 | \$ 17,895 |

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Goodwill – Example Facebook



The following table summarizes the preliminary allocation of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their fair values on the assumed acquisition date and the related estimated useful lives of the amortizable intangible assets acquired (in millions, except for estimated useful life)

| | WhatsApp | | Oculus | | Other | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------|----------------------------|
| | (in millions) | Useful lives (in years) | (in millions) | Useful lives (in years) | (in millions) | Useful lives (in years) |
| Finite-lived intangible assets: | | | | | | |
| Acquired users | \$ 2,026 | 7 | \$ — | | \$ — | |
| Trade names | 448 | 5 | 113 | 7 | 26 | 5 |
| Acquired technology | 288 | 5 | 235 | 5 | 68 | 3 - 5 |
| Other | 21 | 2 | 19 | 2 | 61 | 5 |
| IPR&D | — | | 60 | | — | |
| (Liabilities assumed) assets acquired | (33) | | — | | 103 | |
| Deferred tax liabilities | (899) | | (107) | | (48) | |
| Net assets acquired | \$ 1,851 | | \$ 320 | | \$ 210 | |
| Goodwill | 15,342 | | 1,533 | | 275 | |
| Total fair value consideration | <u>\$ 17,193</u> | | <u>\$ 1,853</u> | | <u>\$ 485</u> | |

Goodwill generated from the WhatsApp acquisition is primarily attributable to expected synergies from future growth, from potential monetization opportunities, from strategic advantages provided in the mobile ecosystem, and from expansion of our mobile messaging offerings. Goodwill generated from all other business acquisitions completed during the year ended December 31, 2014 is primarily attributable to expected synergies from future growth, from potential monetization opportunities and, also for Oculus, as a potential to expand our platform. All goodwill generated during this period is not deductible for tax purposes.

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Goodwill – Example Facebook

Facebook's \$22bn WhatsApp buy: bubble or bargain?

- 400 million active users in December 2013.
 - For the year ending December 31, 2013, WhatsApp had **\$10.2 million in revenue** and a **net loss of \$138.146 million**.
- Less than 3 cent of revenue per user in 2013.
→ Facebook paid \$55 per user!



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Goodwill – Example Facebook

Reason 1: WhatsApp is growing fast

WhatsApp Extraordinary Growth in Users

First Four Years Growth after Launch

Monthly Active User Accounts of Selected Services that are 4+Years Old, in Millions



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill – Example Facebook

Reason 2: Data

Reason 3: Association with "private" communication

Reason 4: Innovative

Reason 5: Youth

Reason 6: Competitors

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill – Example Google - Youtube

Google bought YouTube in 2006 for \$1.65 billion of which it allocated over \$1.1B to goodwill.

| Monthly 2005 Actuals | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | Jan 05 | Feb 05 | Mar 05 | Apr 05 | May 05 | Jun 05 | Jul 05 | Aug 05 | Sep 05 | Oct 05 | Nov 05 | Dec 05 |
| Revenue | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Network Banner Ads | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$15,057 |
| Direct Sales | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Revenue | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$15,057 |
| Cost of Goods Sold | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Web Hosting | \$0 | \$178 | \$119 | \$308 | \$417 | \$1,133 | \$6,497 | \$5,897 | \$7,251 | \$16,852 | \$131,949 | \$212,747 |
| Data Center Rent | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Data Center Depreciation | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Datacenter Allocation | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Ad Serving Costs | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total COGS | \$0 | \$178 | \$119 | \$308 | \$417 | \$1,133 | \$6,497 | \$5,897 | \$7,251 | \$16,852 | \$131,949 | \$212,747 |
| Gross Profit | \$0 | (\$178) | (\$119) | (\$308) | (\$417) | (\$1,133) | (\$6,497) | (\$5,897) | (\$7,251) | (\$16,852) | (\$131,949) | (\$197,690) |

2013: Revenue
Youtube: \$3,5 billion
(6% of Google's total revenue)

2014: Revenue
Youtube: \$4 billion
(6% of Google's total revenue)



| Monthly 2006 Actuals | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | Jan 06 | Feb 06 | Mar 06 | Apr 06 | May 06 | Jun 06 | Jul 06 | Aug 06 |
| Revenue | | | | | | | | |
| Network Banner Ads | \$133,091 | \$131,468 | \$22,117 | \$179,311 | \$404,032 | \$627,146 | \$519,719 | \$829,050 |
| Direct Sales | - | - | - | 20,000 | 16,710 | 125,000 | 352,768 | 1,667,986 |
| Total Revenue | \$133,091 | \$131,468 | \$22,117 | \$199,311 | \$420,742 | \$752,146 | \$872,487 | \$2,497,036 |
| Cost of Goods Sold | | | | | | | | |
| Web Hosting | \$397,643 | \$525,138 | \$657,827 | \$713,494 | \$680,190 | \$980,342 | \$951,870 | \$1,176,391 |
| Data Center Rent | - | 70,397 | 38,081 | 52,773 | 106,738 | 111,022 | 168,082 | 214,198 |
| Data Center Depreciation | - | - | - | 41,802 | 59,368 | 59,368 | 108,357 | 130,725 |
| Datacenter Allocation | - | - | - | 10,000 | 22,499 | 22,499 | 22,499 | 31,873 |
| Ad Serving Costs | - | - | - | - | - | - | 63 | 368,302 |
| Total COGS | \$397,643 | \$595,535 | \$695,909 | \$818,069 | \$868,794 | \$1,173,232 | \$1,250,870 | \$1,921,489 |
| Gross Profit | (\$264,552) | (\$464,066) | (\$673,792) | (\$618,758) | (\$448,052) | (\$421,086) | (\$378,383) | \$575,547 |

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Goodwill – Example AB Inbev



AB InBev raises proposed offer for rival
SABMiller to £67bn → 106 billion dollar

AB InBev's rising offers

Based on SABMiller's
share price



- Share price on 14 September 2015: GBP 29.34
- Total Equity (31 March 2015): 24,35 billion dollar
- AB Inbev values SABMiller at: 106 billion dollar

SABMiller board backs AB InBev's revised
£79bn offer

AB InBev raises offer for SABMiller to £45 a share in cash → 103.5 billion dollar

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6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Payments on Account



6. Selected Topics - Intangible assets

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Classes of intangible assets: A grouping of assets of a similar nature and use in an entity's operations

Examples of separate classes may include:

- brand names;
- mastheads and publishing titles;
- computer software;
- licences and franchises;
- copyrights, patents and other industrial property rights, service and operating rights;
- recipes, formulae, models, designs and prototypes; and
- intangible assets under development.

→ The classes mentioned above are disaggregated (aggregated) into smaller (larger) classes if this results in more relevant information for the users of the financial statements.

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Recognition and valuation

1. Acquisition Value

- Acquisition Value
- Production/Manufacturing Cost
- Value of the in-kind contribution

2. Amortization & Impairment

3. Revaluation

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

➤ **Acquired externally:**

If intangible assets are ***purchased***, then **acquisition costs** are capitalized.

→ Value readably available via eg. Purchase contract, invoice

→ High level of ***reliability***

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

*Example 1: **Development** - Acquisition from third parties:*

Company Y develops a prototype for Company X. The price paid for the prototype by Company X is 50,000 €. Company X activates.

| Company X Balance Sheet 31 December 2015 | | Owner's Equity + Liabilities | |
|--|---------------|---|---------------|
| Assets | | | |
| Long lived assets | 50,000 | Owner's equity | |
| Research and development | 50,000 | Liabilities | 50,000 |
| Current Assets | | Long-term Debt | |
| | | Current Liabilities | |
| | | Accounts Payable | 50,000 |
| Total Assets | | Total Liabilities & Owner's Equity | |

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

Example 2: **Concessions, patents, licences, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights** - Acquisition from third parties:

A producer of beer purchases a license for the production of the brand product "Pajottie". The acquisition of this license is 10,000 euros. The producer activates the cost.

| Assets | | Producer of Beer Balance Sheet 31 December 2015 | Owner's Equity + Liabilities | |
|--|--|---|---|--|
| Long lived assets | | 10,000 | Owner's equity | |
| Concessions, patents, licences, know-how, trademarks, and similar rights | | 10,000 | Liabilities | |
| Current Assets | | | 10,000 | |
| Total Assets | | | Total Liabilities & Owner's Equity | |

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

Example 3: **Royalty fees:**

Company X acquires the license for the use of a production method. For this, the company pays an annual royalty of 15,000€

| Company X Balance Sheet 31 December 2015 | | Owner's Equity + Liabilities | Income Statement | |
|--|----------|---|------------------|--|
| Assets | | | | |
| Long lived assets | | Owner's equity | | |
| Current Assets | | <i>Capital</i> | | |
| Cash | (15,000) | <i>Retained Earnings</i> | | |
| | (15,000) | | | |
| | | Liabilities | | |
| Total Assets | | Total Liabilities & Owner's Equity | | |

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Sales | |
| Cost of Goods Sold | |
| Gross Margin | |
| Selling, General, Admin | (15,000) |
| Operating Profit | (15,000) |
| Interest Expense | |
| Income Tax Expense | |
| Net Income | (15,000) |

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Accounting treatment - Recognition

➤ **Acquired externally:**

If intangible assets are ***purchased***, then **acquisition costs** are capitalized.

Main question:

How to determine the value of an intangible asset?



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

Traditional Intangible Assets Valuation Techniques

- Cost approach
- Market approach
- Income approach



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Accounting treatment - Recognition

Traditional Intangible Assets Valuation Techniques

Cost approach

- **Replacement or reproduction focus:** calculates the estimated cost that would be required to create an equivalent or replacement intangible asset.
- **Not often used as:**
 - it does not consider future economic benefits arising from the asset, and
 - the value of the asset is likely to be different from the costs incurred when creating it
- **Useful for:**
 - assets which are usually accounted for by the costs of reproduction, such as software, and
 - in cases where there is no economic activity to review, such as early-stage technology that is not yet producing revenue

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Accounting treatment - Recognition

Traditional Intangible Assets Valuation Techniques

Market approach

- Intangible assets are **valued by utilizing actual transaction values** derived from the sale, license or transfer of **similar assets** in **similar markets**.
- When reliable transaction data are available, the Market Approach is considered the **most direct and systematic approach** for determining an accurate value for intangible assets
- **Often not possible to use the market-price-oriented approach** as:
 - there is **no observable active market** on which the intangible asset are traded.
 - due to the **unique features** exhibited by each asset.

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Accounting treatment - Recognition

Traditional Intangible Assets Valuation Techniques

Income approach

- uses estimates of **future estimated economic benefits** or cash flows and **discounts** them, for the associated time and **risks** involved, to a **present value**
- **Most widely used approach**, because the information necessary to determine value using this approach is usually relatively accurate, and often readily available
- A subtype of income-oriented approach is the **relief from royalty approach**:
the value of the intangible assets is calculated as the present value of the royalties that the company is relieved from paying as a result of ownership of the assets

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

➤ **Assets created by the company:**

If intangible assets are **internally generated**, in some cases **production costs** are capitalized, while in other cases the internally generated intangible shall **not** be recognized as an asset.

↓

For example: research costs
(since 2016 in BE GAAP)

↓

Acquisition cost of raw material
+ (in)direct production costs

- Provide future economic benefits and identifiable
- Not exceed a prudent estimate of the use or future benefits of the asset
- Entity should have control
- Investment character unambiguous

- *Estimation needed (eg. based upon future cash flows)*
- *Low level of reliability*

Examples:

- *Internally generated concessions, patents, licenses, know-how, ...*
- *Development*



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

➤ ***Assets created by the company: Example 1***

An pharmaceutical company develops a new drug with groundbreaking applications. In order to protect this invention, the company applies for a patent. The fees to register the patent (4,000 euros) are capitalized.

➤ ***Assets created by the company (Development): Example 2***

An entity is developing a new production process. During 20X5, expenditure incurred was 1,000 euros. As the entity is able to demonstrate that the production process met the criteria for recognition as an intangible asset, process is recognised as an intangible asset at a cost of 1,000 euros and not as an expense.

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

➤ **Assets created by the company:**

If intangible assets are ***internally generated***, in some cases **production costs** are capitalized, while in other cases the internally generated intangible shall **not** be recognized as an asset.

→ *Internally generated goodwill shall not be recognized as an asset (BE GAAP and IFRS)*

→ *IFRS: Internally generated brands, mastheads, publishing titles, customer lists and items similar in substance shall not be recognised as intangible assets*

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Accounting treatment - Recognition



➤ *Acquired externally versus Assets created by the company:*

Anheuser-Busch InBev

2017 Annual Report

Consolidated statement of financial position

| As at Million US dollar | Notes | 31 December 2017 | 31 December 2016 Adjusted ¹ | 31 December 2016 Reported ² |
|--|-------|---------------------|--|--|
| Assets | | | | |
| Non-current assets | | | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 13 | 27 184 | 26 219 | 27 522 |
| Goodwill | 14 | 140 940 | 135 864 | 136 533 |
| Intangible assets | 15 | 43 874 | 44 789 | 44 568 |
| Investments in associates and joint ventures | 16 | 5 263 | 4 324 | 4 324 |
| Investment securities | 17 | 100 | 82 | 82 |
| Deferred tax assets | 18 | 1 216 | 1 261 | 1 261 |
| Employee benefits | 25 | 22 | 10 | 10 |
| Income tax receivables | | 708 | 6 | 6 |
| Derivatives | 29H | 25 | 146 | 146 |
| Trade and other receivables | 20 | 834 | 868 | 868 |
| | | 222 166 | 213 569 | 215 320 |
| Current assets | | | | |
| Investment securities | 17 | 1 304 | 5 659 | 5 659 |
| Inventories | 19 | 4 119 | 3 889 | 3 913 |
| Income tax receivables | | 908 | 1 112 | 1 112 |
| Derivatives | 29H | 458 | 971 | 971 |
| Trade and other receivables | 20 | 6 566 | 6 352 | 6 391 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 21 | 10 472 | 8 579 | 8 579 |
| Assets classified as held for sale | 22 | 133 | 16 458 | 16 439 |
| | | 23 960 | 43 017 | 43 061 |
| Total assets | | 246 126 | 256 586 | 258 381 |

57,26%



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition



➤ *Acquired externally versus Assets created by the company:*

THE COCA-COLA COMPANY AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

| December 31, | 2017 | 2016 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| (In millions except par value) | | |
| ASSETS | | |
| CURRENT ASSETS | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 6,006 | \$ 8,555 |
| Short-term investments | 9,352 | 9,595 |
| TOTAL CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS | 15,358 | 18,150 |
| Marketable securities | 5,317 | 4,051 |
| Trade accounts receivable, less allowances of \$477 and \$466, respectively | 3,667 | 3,856 |
| Inventories | 2,655 | 2,675 |
| Prepaid expenses and other assets | 2,000 | 2,481 |
| Assets held for sale | 219 | 2,797 |
| Assets held for sale — discontinued operations | 7,329 | — |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS | 36,545 | 34,010 |
| EQUITY METHOD INVESTMENTS | 20,856 | 16,260 |
| OTHER INVESTMENTS | 1,096 | 989 |
| OTHER ASSETS | 4,560 | 4,248 |
| PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT — net | 8,203 | 10,635 |
| TRADEMARKS WITH INDEFINITE LIVES | 6,729 | 6,097 |
| BOTTLERS' FRANCHISE RIGHTS WITH INDEFINITE LIVES | 138 | 3,676 |
| GOODWILL | 9,401 | 10,629 |
| OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS | 368 | 726 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ 87,896 | \$ 87,270 |

10,69%



6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment - Recognition

➤ **Acquired externally:**

If intangible assets are ***purchased***, then **acquisition costs** are capitalized.

➤ **Assets created by the company:**

If intangible assets are ***internally generated***, then **production costs** are capitalized.

➤ **In-kind contribution**

If intangible assets are obtained through an ***in-kind contribution***, then the **contribution value** is capitalized.

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Recognition and valuation

1. Acquisition Value

2. Amortization & Impairment

(Afschrijving en Waardevermindering)

3. Revaluation

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment – Amortization/Impairment

➤ ***Intangibles with a finite life time:***

- Intangible assets should be amortised over their estimated useful economic lives (there is no generally applicable maximum useful life)
- In exceptional cases where the useful life of goodwill and development costs cannot be reliably estimated, such assets shall be written off within maximum 10 years. An explanation of the period over which goodwill is written off shall be provided within the notes to the financial statements. (BE GAAP)

➤ ***Intangibles with an infinite life time:***

- Are subject to exceptional amortisation when, due to changes in economic or technological circumstances, their carrying value permanently exceeds their recoverable amount.

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment – Subsequent measurement of goodwill

IFRS before 2004 + European Accounting Directive:

Amortize goodwill on a systematic basis over the best estimate of its useful life

Rebuttable assumption of a maximum of 20 years

→ Simple and transparent, but side-effect on P/L

IFRS 3 Business Combinations (from 2004):

Test goodwill for **impairment** annually (or more frequently if indications of impairment):

carrying value ↔ recoverable amount

carrying value > recoverable amount : impairment

carrying value < recoverable amount : /

The revised value is based on new forecasts of the expected cashflows.

The write-off appears as a loss on the income statement.

→ Complex and subjective

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment – Subsequent measurement of goodwill

Two major disadvantages:

- Measurement:

Value of assets (like factories or software) can be validated externally

Queasy circularity about goodwill: the more a company bid up the price of an acquisition, the bigger the asset it can book

Process of impairment is subjective: buyers fold their acquisitions into their existing businesses → hard to separate them to measure their performance



Internally generated goodwill might be treated as acquired goodwill and shown as an asset on the balance sheet

- Comparability:

A firm built through past acquisitions has a bloated asset base → ratio of debt to assets would look healthier or its shares would look artificially cheap compared with their book value

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Recognition and valuation

1. Acquisition Value

2. Amortization & Impairment

3. Revaluation

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment – Amortization/Impairment

- Belgian GAAP (and US GAAP) **do not permit revaluations** of intangible assets

- Only subsequent reversal of impairment write-downs is required when the write-down is no longer economically justified.

!!! Depreciation and impairment losses on goodwill cannot be reversed

!!! IFRS: Intangible assets may be carried at a **revalued amount** (based on fair value) less any subsequent amortisation and impairment losses only if fair value can be determined by reference to an active market. Such active markets are expected to be uncommon for intangible assets.

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Accounting treatment – Amortization/Impairment

Example

The recoverable amount of the know-how embodied in the process (including future cash outflows to complete the process before it is available for use) is estimated to be 500 euros.

At the end of 20X5, the production process is recognised as an intangible asset at a cost of 100 euros.

During 20X6, expenditure incurred is 2,000 euros.

At the end of 20X6, the recoverable amount of the know-how embodied in the process (including future cash outflows to complete the process before it is available for use) is estimated to be 1,900 euros.

At the end of 20X6, the cost of the production process is 2,100 euros (100 euros expenditure recognised at the end of 20X5 plus 2,000 euros expenditure recognised in 20X6).

The entity recognises an impairment loss of 200 euros to adjust the carrying amount of the process before impairment loss (2,100 euros) to its recoverable amount (1,900 euros).

This impairment loss will be reversed in a subsequent period if the requirements for the reversal of an impairment loss are met.

6. Selected Topics – Intangible Assets

Software

➤ Software acquired externally

1. For internal use

- Standard software
- Specific software

→ intangible asset
→ intangible asset

2. For commercialisation

→ stock

➤ Software internally created by the company

1. For internal use

→ intangible asset

2. For commercialisation

- Specific software
- Standard software

→ work in progress
→ intangible assets/stock



Course Outline

I. Financial Accounting

1. Role of Accounting
2. Legal Framework
3. Understanding Financial Statements
4. Accrual Accounting
5. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP)
6. Selected Topics
7. Financial Statement Analysis

II. Tax Basics

III. Management Accounting

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Objectives



Definition

Using financial statements to assess a company's performance

Focuses on *past* performance to predict *future* performance

Objective

Different users of the financial statements might be interested in *different information*.

→ They all however want to make good decisions.

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Objectives – different users

Creditors want to know about short-term liquidity and long-term solvency.

Short-term liquidity - an organization's ability to meet current payments as they become due (e.g. interest payable – A/P)

Long-term solvency - an organization's ability to generate enough cash to repay long-term debts as they mature (principal)



7. Financial Statement Analysis

Objectives – different users

***Equity investors* are more concerned with returns in the form of dividends and increased market price of the stock.**

These investors are naturally more interested in profitability.

Profits spur both dividends and increased stock prices (= market's assessment of the company future prospects).



7. Financial Statement Analysis

Horizontal Analysis

Horizontal analysis compares financial data ***over different time period*** (trend analysis)

Time index

Base year: index = 100

$$\text{Time index year } t = \frac{\text{Value year } t}{\text{Value base year}} * 100$$

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Horizontal Analysis

| Geherstructureerd schema | | | | |
|---|---------------|---------------|---|----------------------|
| Balans ABC per 31-12-20X1 en per 31-12-20X2 (in '000 €) | | | | |
| (in staffelvorm) | | | | |
| Activa | | Passiva | | |
| | 31-12-X1 | 31-12-X2 | 31-12-X1 | 31-12-X2 |
| (Uitgebreide) vastliggende Activa | 30,000 | 31,700 | Permanent vermogen | 56,151 56,367 |
| | | | <u>Eigen vermogen</u> | <u>32,151 34,367</u> |
| | | | I. Kapitaal | 23,000 23,000 |
| III. Materiële vaste activa | 30,000 | 31,700 | V. Overgedragen resultaat | 9,151 11,367 |
| | | | <u>Vreemd vermogen op lange termijn</u> | <u>24,000 22,000</u> |
| | | | VIII.A. Financiële schulden >1j | 24,000 22,000 |
| (Beperkt) vlottende Activa | 47,026 | 50,190 | Vreemd vermogen op korte termijn | 20,875 25,523 |
| <u>Realiseerbare activa</u> | <u>44,945</u> | <u>47,650</u> | IX.A. Vervallende schulden | 2,000 2,000 |
| VI.A Voorraden | 26,470 | 27,530 | IX.B. Financiële schulden <1j | 5,635 8,500 |
| VII.A. Handelsvorderingen | 16,850 | 18,320 | IX.C. Handelsschulden | 8,340 9,721 |
| VIII. Geldbeleggingen | 1,625 | 1,800 | IX.E. Belastingsschulden | 3,150 3,200 |
| <u>Liquide middelen</u> | <u>2,081</u> | <u>2,540</u> | IX.F. Overige schulden | 1,750 2,102 |
| IX. Liquide middelen | 2,081 | 2,540 | | |
| TOTAAL VAN DE ACTIVA | 77,026 | 81,890 | TOTAAL VAN DE PASSIVA | 77,026 81,890 |

| Horizontale analyse | | | | |
|---|-------------|---------------|---|--------------------|
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| | 31-12-X1 | 31-12-X2 | 31-12-X1 | 31-12-X2 |
| (Uitgebreide) vastliggende Activa | 100% | 105.7% | Permanent vermogen | 100% 100.4% |
| | | | <u>Eigen vermogen</u> | <u>100% 106.9%</u> |
| | | | I. Kapitaal | 100% 100.0% |
| III. Materiële vaste activa | 100% | 105.7% | V. Overgedragen resultaat | 100% 124.2% |
| | | | <u>Vreemd vermogen op lange termijn</u> | <u>100% 91.7%</u> |
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| (Beperkt) vlottende activa | 100% | 106.7% | Vreemd vermogen op korte termijn | 100% 122.3% |
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| VI.A Voorraden | 100% | 104.0% | IX.B. Financiële schulden <1j | 100% 150.8% |
| VII.A. Handelsvorderingen | 100% | 108.7% | IX.C. Handelsschulden | 100% 116.6% |
| VIII. Geldbeleggingen | 100% | 110.8% | IX.E. Belastingsschulden | 100% 101.6% |
| <u>Liquide middelen</u> | <u>100%</u> | <u>122.1%</u> | IX.F. Overige schulden | 100% 120.1% |
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- Normal / Representative
- "+ of -" values: 140/141
- Comparable?
 - Firm structure
 - Valuation Methods

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Vertical Analysis

- Vertical analysis determines the ***relative importance*** of a particular item in the balance sheet or the income statement
 - Items of the balance sheet are expressed as a percentage of total assets (100%).
 - Each amount in the income statement is restated as a percentage of sales (100%).

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Vertical Analysis

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| Verticale analyse Geherstructureerd schema balans ABC per 31-12-20X1 en per 31-12-20X2 (in '000 €) (in staffelvorm) | | | | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|---|--------------|--------------|
| Activa | | | Passiva | | |
| | 31-12-X1 | 31-12-X2 | | 31-12-X1 | 31-12-X2 |
| (Uitgebreide) vastliggende Activa | 38.9% | 38.7% | Permanent vermogen | 72.9% | 68.8% |
| | | | <u>Eigen vermogen</u> | <u>41.7%</u> | <u>42.0%</u> |
| | | | I. Kapitaal | 29.8% | 28.1% |
| III. Materiële vaste activa | 38.9% | 38.7% | V. Overgedragen resultaat | 11.9% | 13.9% |
| | | | <u>Vreemd vermogen op lange termijn</u> | <u>31.2%</u> | <u>26.8%</u> |
| | | | VIII.A. Financiële schulden >1j | 31.2% | 26.8% |
| (Beperkt) vlottende Activa | 61.1% | 61.3% | Vreemd vermogen op korte termijn | 27.1% | 31.2% |
| <u>Realiseerbare Activa</u> | <u>58.3%</u> | <u>58.2%</u> | IX.A. Vervallende schulden | 2.6% | 2.4% |
| VI.A. Voorraden | 34.4% | 33.6% | IX.B. Financiële schulden <1j | 7.3% | 10.4% |
| VII.A. Handelsvorderingen | 21.9% | 22.4% | IX.C. Handelsschulden | 10.8% | 11.9% |
| VIII. Geldbeleggingen | 2.1% | 2.2% | IX.E. Belastingsschulden | 4.1% | 3.9% |
| <u>Liquide middelen</u> | <u>2.7%</u> | <u>3.1%</u> | IX.F. Overige schulden | 2.3% | 2.6% |
| IX. Liquide middelen | 2.7% | 3.1% | | | |
| TOTAAL VAN DE ACTIVA | 100% | 100% | TOTAAL VAN DE PASSIVA | 100% | 100% |

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Vertical Analysis

Geherstructureerd Schema
Resultatenrekening ABC 20X2 (in '000 €)

| | | |
|--|---------|--------------|
| Omzet | 112.760 | |
| Kostprijs (CoS) | | 85.300 |
| Brutomarge (GM) | | 27.460 |
| Bezoldigingen | 14.040 | |
| Brutobedrijfsresultaat | | 13.420 |
| Afschrijvingen | 1.900 | |
| Uitzonderlijke resultaten | 0 | |
| Nettobedrijfsresultaat (EBIT) | | 11.520 |
| Financiële kosten | 3.160 | |
| Courant resultaat voor belastingen (EBT) | | 8.360 |
| Belastingen | 3.344 | |
| Courant resultaat na belastingen (EAT) | | 5.016 |
| Totale nettoresultaat (NI) | | 5.016 |

Verticale analyse
Geherstructureerd schema
resultatenrekening ABC

| | | |
|--|--------|-------------|
| Omzet | 100.0% | |
| Kostprijs van de verkopen (CoS) | 75.7% | |
| Brutomarge (GM) | | 24.3% |
| Bezoldigingen | 12.4% | |
| Brutobedrijfsresultaat | | 11.9% |
| Afschrijvingen | 1.7% | |
| Nettobedrijfsresultaat (EBIT) | | 10.2% |
| Financiële kosten | 2.8% | |
| Courante nettowinst voor belastingen (EBT) | | 7.4% |
| Belastingen | 3.0% | |
| Totale nettowinst (NI) | | 4.4% |

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Financial Ratios

- The cornerstone of financial statement analysis is the use of ratios. A financial ratio is calculated by dividing one number of the financial statements accounts (numerator) by another number of the financial statement accounts (denominator): it shows the relationship between two numbers
- Financial ratios are sometimes grouped into categories:
 - Short-term liquidity ratios (incl. efficiency ratios)
 - Long-term solvency ratios
 - Profitability ratios (margin and effectiveness ratios)

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Financial Ratios - Evaluating

Financial ratios are evaluated using three types of comparisons:

Time-series comparisons: comparisons of a company's financial ratios with its own historical ratios.

Benchmarks: general rules of thumb specifying appropriate levels for financial ratios.

Cross-sectional comparisons: comparisons of a company's financial ratios with the ratios of other companies or with industry averages.

7. Financial Statement Analysis

Financial Ratios – Gather information

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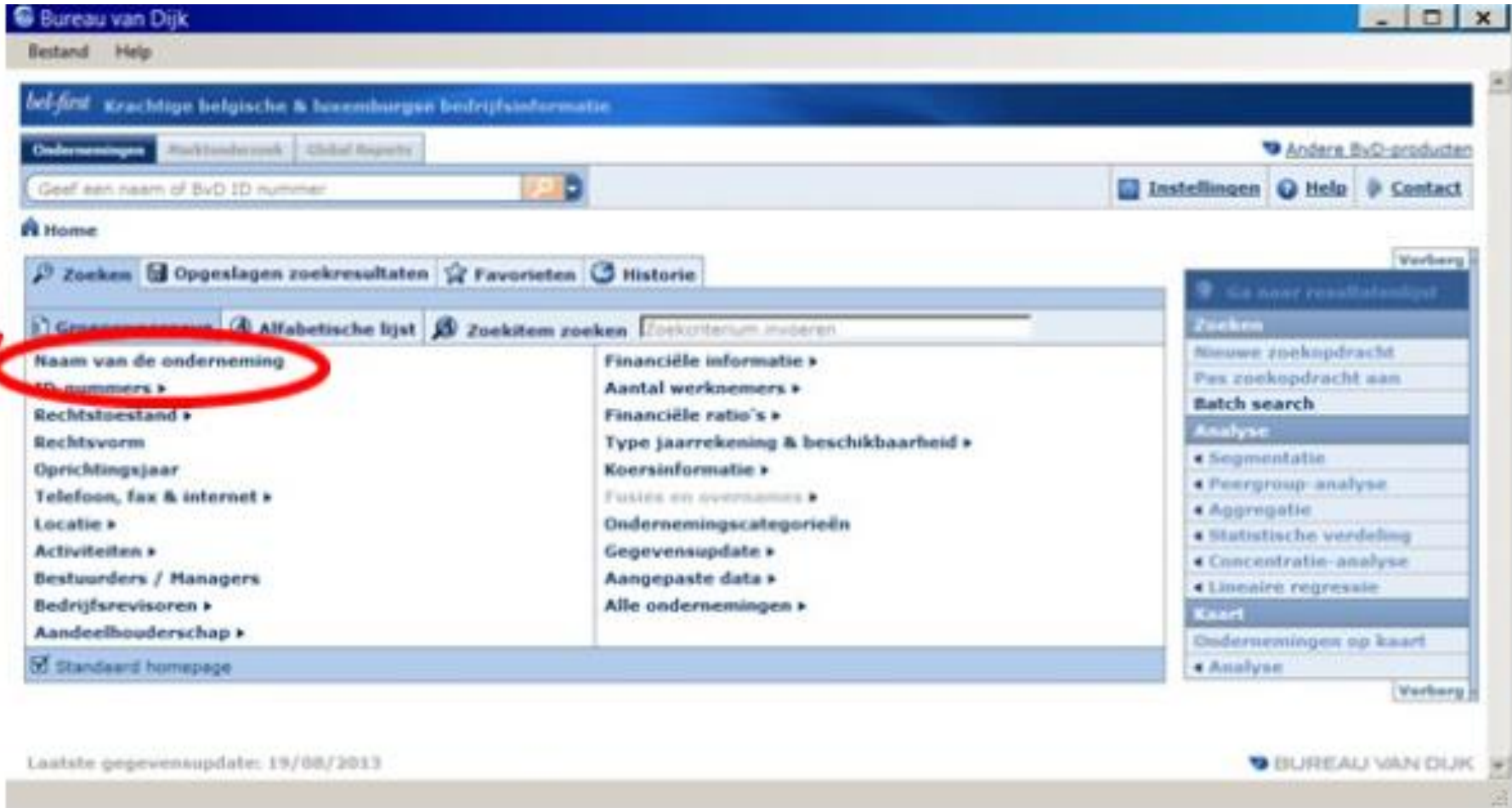
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Date: 22/11/2014
Client number: 000052

Re:
0406.952.018
MAKRO CASH & CARRY BELGIUM NV
NIJVERHEIDSSTRAAT 70
2160 WOMMELGEM



Credit advice / 'Multiscoring'

| | |
|------------------------|---|
| Date | 22-02-2014 |
| Advice | The calculated maximum credit amount is : 32.180.000 EUR |
| Graydon 'Multiscoring' | The Graydon 'Multiscoring' is of : 33/100 At your request, the credit advice has been calculated according to the formula known or developed by you. It is only a part of the complete report contributing to the overall picture of a company's situation. |

Official data

| | |
|---|---|
| Business number | 0406.952.018 |
| Legal form | Limited company |
| Register legal persons | RLP ANTWERPEN Private law company |
| Commercial quality according to the CBE | Commercial enterprise, since 1/02/1970 |
| VAT quality according to the CBE | Liable for VAT, since 1/01/1971 |
| Telephone number | 03/328.90.00 |
| Telefax | 03/328.94.11 |
| Website address | http://www.makro.be |
| Trade name | MAKRO METRO - MCW MCCB METRO EN MCW EN MCCB |
| Date of constitution | 8-12-1969 |
| NSSO number | 743376-95 |
| Employers' category | 10 17 317 |
| Joint industrial committees | 218 |

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- 22% negative
- 31% moderate
- 19% positive

-3,5

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Financial Ratios – Liquidity

How well can a company meet its payment obligations in the short term?

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| Totaal der activa | Overlopende rekeningen |
| | Totaal der passiva |

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Financial Ratios – Liquidity

How well can a company meet its payment obligations in the short term?

Short term liquidity: an organization's ability to meet current payments as they become due.

$$\text{Current Ratio} = \frac{\text{Current Assets}}{\text{Current Liabilities}} > 1$$



Assess **Quality** of the underlying assets
(A/R – inventories)

$$\text{Quick Ratio} = \frac{\text{Current Assets} - \text{Inventories}}{\text{Current Liabilities}}$$

(acid test ratio)

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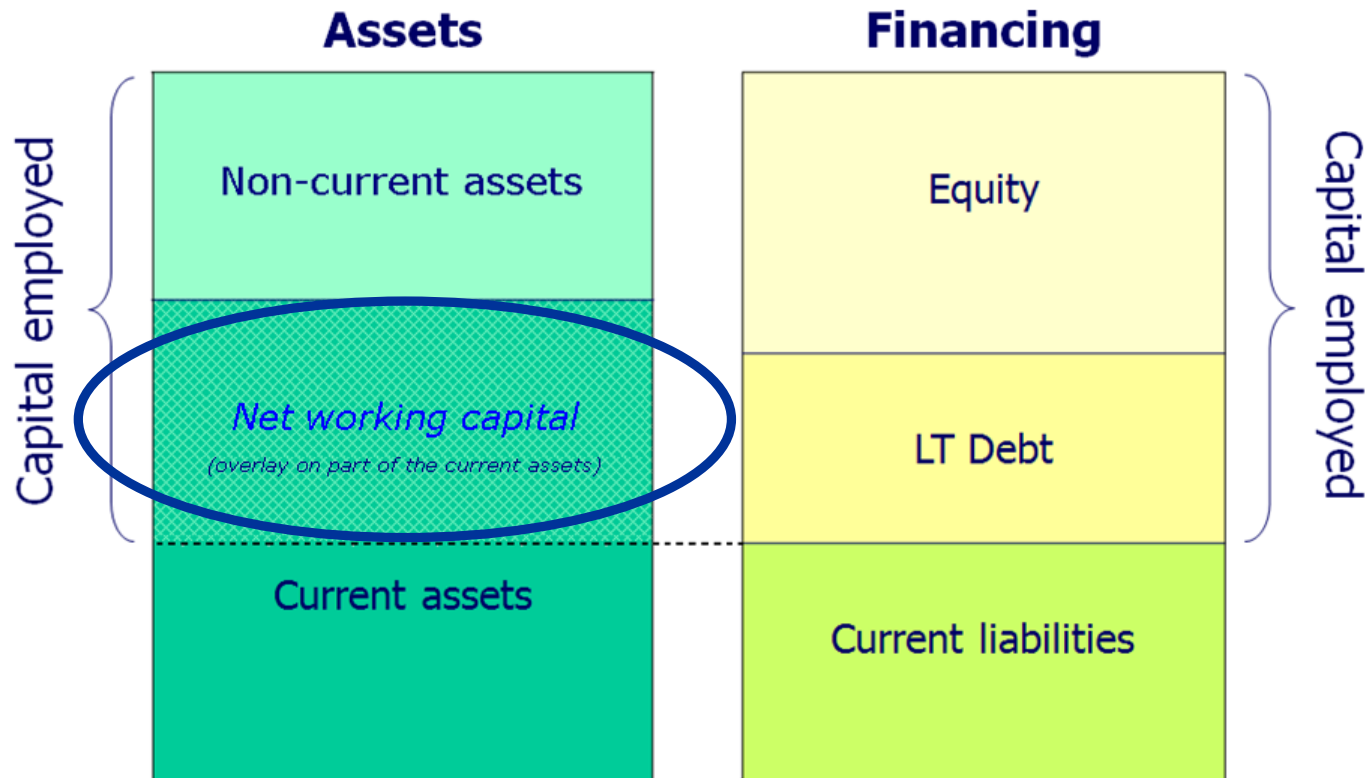
Financial Ratios – Liquidity

How well can a company meet its payment obligations in the short term?

✓ **Net working Capital**

= current assets – current liabilities

= (permanent) capital employed – non-current assets



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BALANCE SHEET

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|--|------------------|---|------------------|
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| Materiële vaste activa | 466.841 | Herwaarderingsmeerwaarden | |
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| | | Overgedragen resultaat | 755.159 |
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| Vorraden en bestellingen in uitvoering | 897.000 | Voorzieningen | 140.259 |
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| | | Overlopende rekeningen | 20.548 |
| Totaal der activa | 2.659.013 | Totaal der passiva | 2.659.013 |

Current Ratio =

$$= \frac{\text{Current Assets}}{\text{Current Liabilities}} = \frac{2.075.931}{1.091.530} = 1,90$$

Quick Ratio =

$$= \frac{\text{Current Assets} - \text{Inventories}}{\text{Current Liabilities}} = \frac{1.178.931}{1.091.530} = 1,08$$

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Financial Ratios – Liquidity

Quality of underlying assets – efficiency ratios



Inventories: might be slowmoving – obsolete. It is important to know how fast inventory is sold.

How many times the inventory is renewed during the year

Efficiency Ratios (asset utilization): Inventory Turnover

- Measures number of times a company sells its average level of inventory during a year

Days Inventory Outstanding or Inventory Resident Period

- Converts inventory turnover ratio into days

$$\text{Inventory turnover} = \frac{\text{Cost of goods sold}}{\text{Average inventory}}$$



$$\text{Days' inventory outstanding (DIO)} = \frac{365}{\text{Turnover}}$$

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A/R (Accounts Receivable): might be using long credit terms – uncollectible. It is important to know how fast A/R are converted into cash

How long does it take to collect money after a sale

Accounts Receivable Turnover

- Measures ability to collect cash from credit customers
- In general, the higher the better
- Tells how many times during the year average receivables were turned into cash

Days' Sales Outstanding or receivable collection period

- How many days' sales remain in accounts receivable
- Can be calculated in two ways:

$$\text{Days' sales outstanding (DSO) (or days'-sales-in receivables)} = \frac{365}{\text{Turnover}}$$

OR

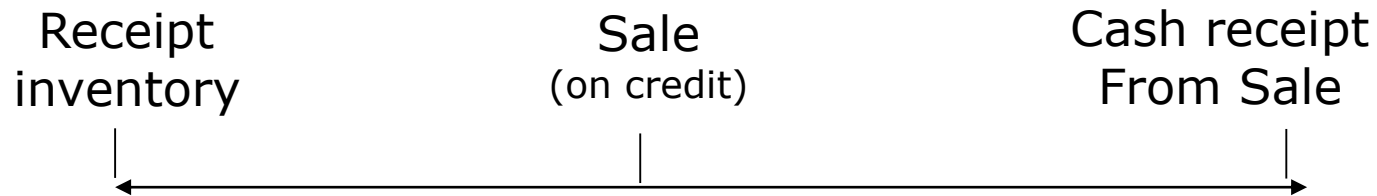
$$\text{Accounts receivable turnover} = \frac{\text{Net credit sales}}{\text{Average net accounts receivable}}$$

$$\text{Average daily sales} = \frac{\text{Net sales}}{365 \text{ days}}$$

$$\text{Convert average daily sales to DSO} = \frac{\text{Average net accounts receivable}}{\text{Average daily sales}}$$

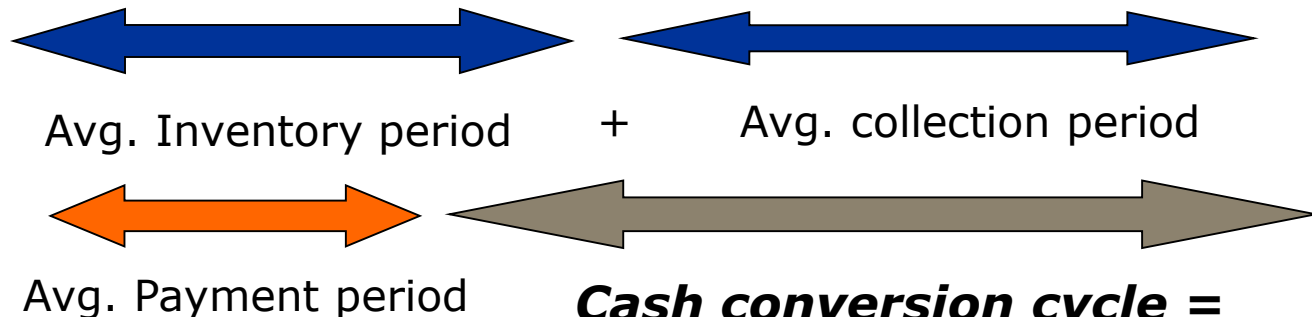
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Operating and cash conversion cycle



Operating cycle =

The time span during which goods and services enter the company and the company receives cash for it from customers
 $\leq \geq$ 1 year



Cash conversion cycle =

the time span during which cash is used to acquire goods and services, which in turn are sold to customers, who in turn pay for their purchases, with cash *cfr. working capital needs*

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Financial Ratios – Liquidity

Quality of underlying assets – efficiency ratios

A/P (Accounts Payable): how fast are A/P (and other operating payables e.g. payroll payables) paid with cash

Accounts Payable Turnover

- Measures number of times per year the entity pays off its accounts payable

$$\text{Accounts payable turnover} = \frac{\text{Cost of goods sold}}{\text{Average accounts payable}}$$



Payable Outstanding Period

- Also known as Days' Payable Outstanding. How many days it takes a company to pay off accounts payable

$$\text{Days' payable outstanding (DPO)} = \frac{365}{\text{Turnover}}$$

$$\text{EI} = \text{BI} + \text{P} - \text{COGS}$$

$$\text{COGS} = \text{BI} + \text{P} - \text{EI}$$



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Receipt
inventory

Sale
(on credit)

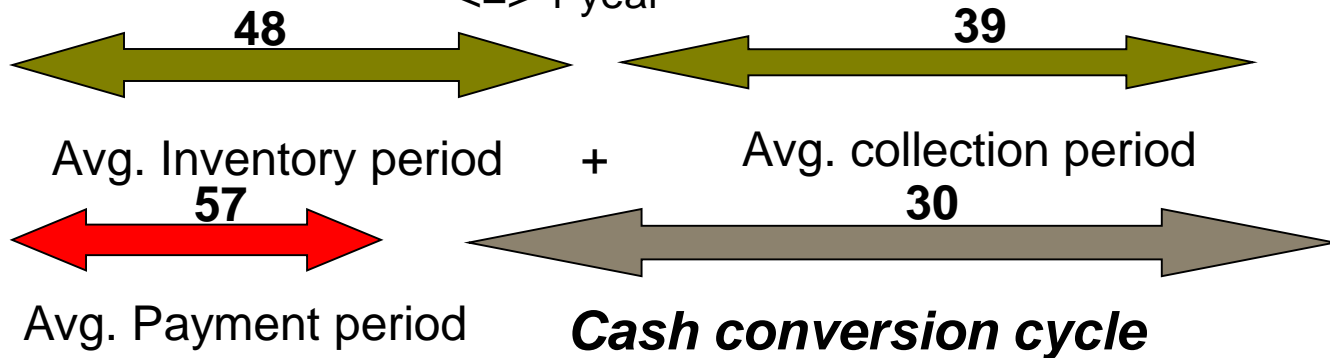
Cash receipt
From Sale



Operating cycle =

The time span during which goods and services enter the company and the company receives cash for it from customers

\Leftrightarrow 1 year



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Receipt
inventory

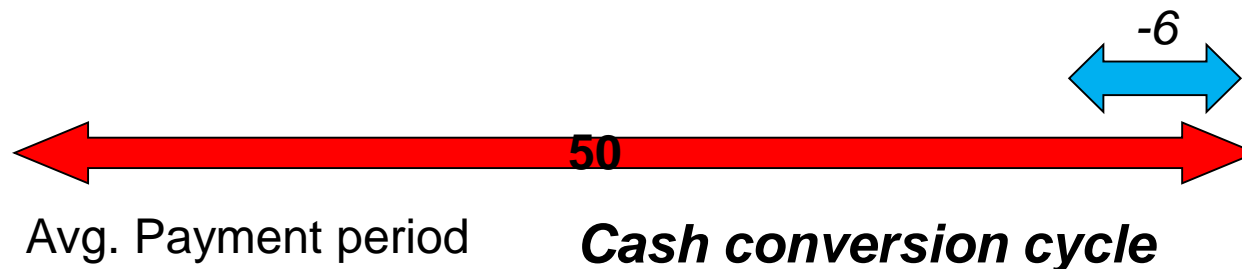
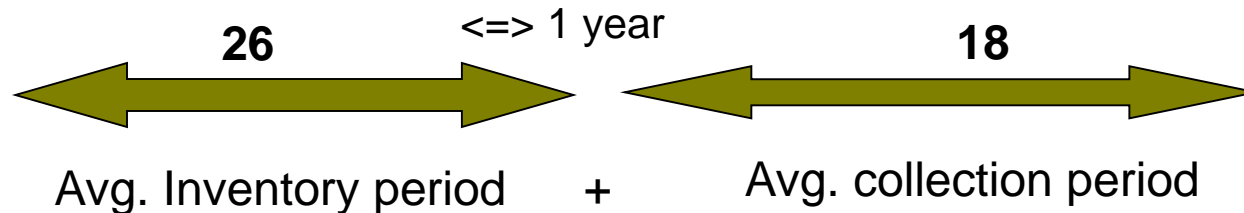
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Receipt inventory Sale (on credit) Cash receipt From Sale



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Influence crisis?



Avg. Inventory period

+

Avg. collection period



Avg. Payment period



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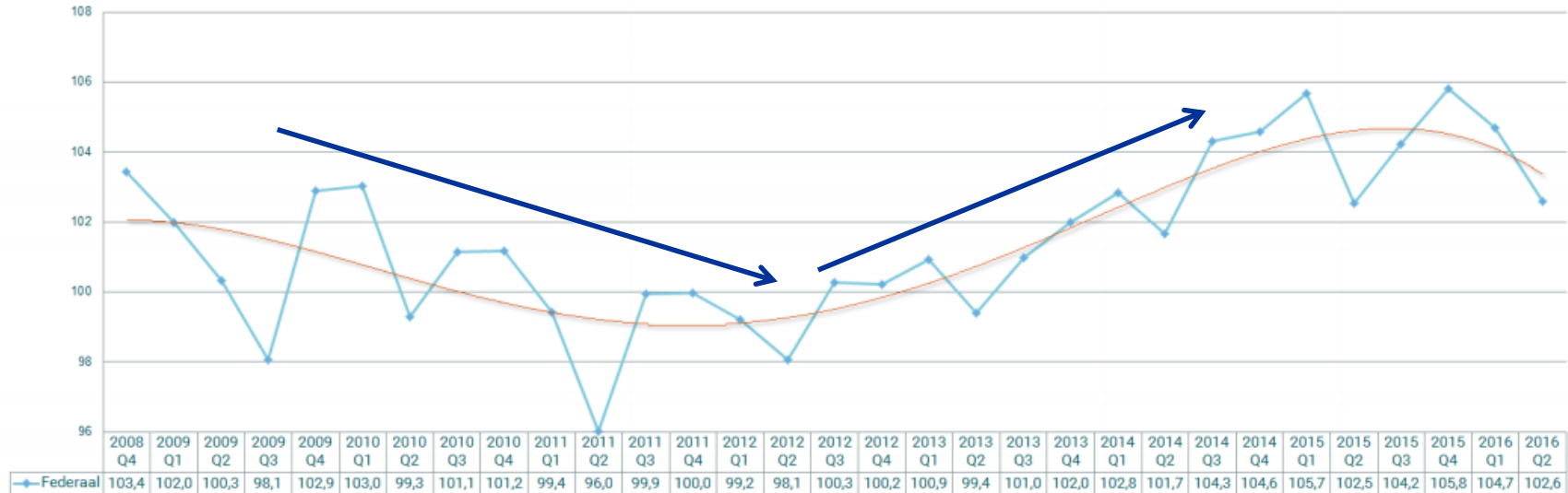
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Payment behaviour of Belgian Companies

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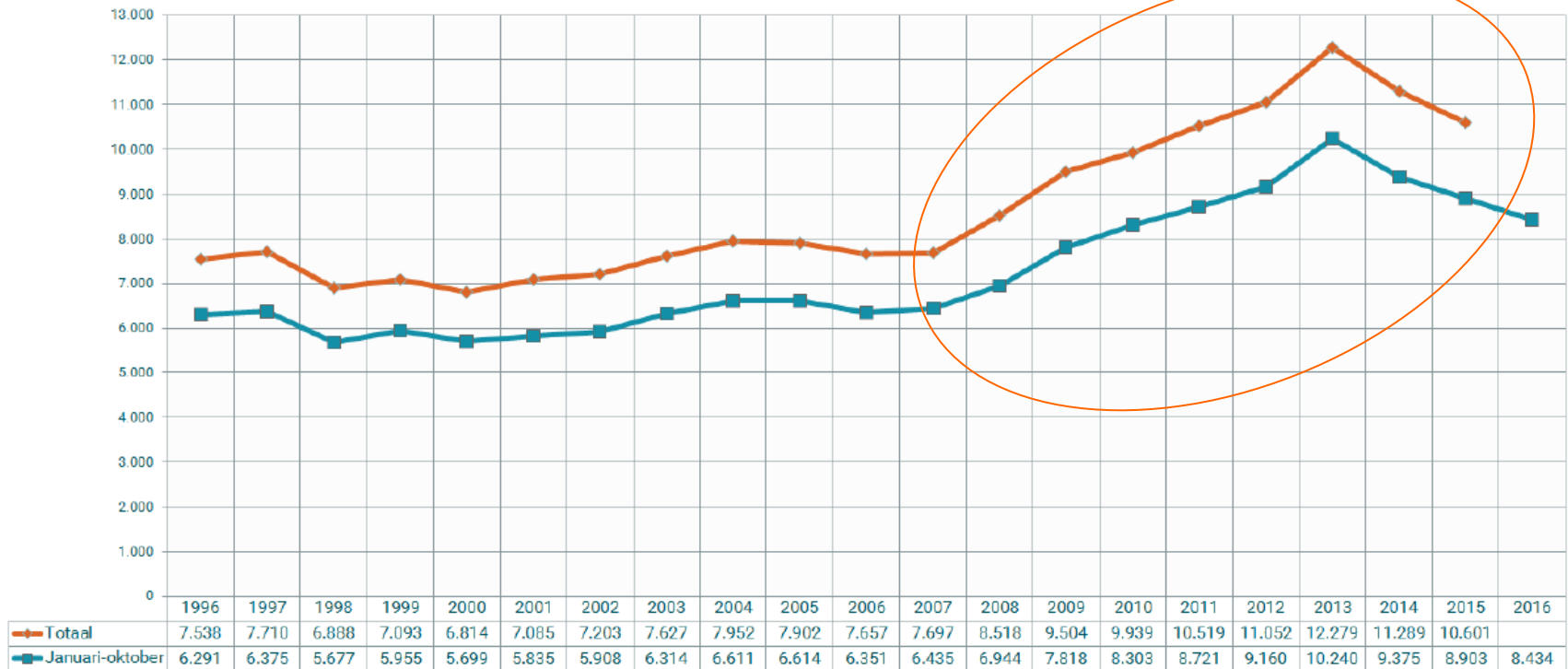
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Payment behaviour of Belgian Companies

Cash is king?! Some rounded figures (www.graydon.be)

700.000 entities

- 350.000 companies

2/3 BVBA

1/3 NV

- 350.000 sole proprietorship

8.000 failliet
2008

6.500

BVBA (1/54)

NV (1/104)

1.500 (1/250)



10.100 (1/110)
2015

8.100

BVBA (1/57)

NV (1/110)

2.000 (1/256)

1/5 failures
Due to late or non-payment!!



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Financial Ratios – Solvability

How well a company can meet its long-term commitments (debt and interest)?

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Financial Ratios – Solvability

Long term solvency: an organization's ability to generate enough cash to repay long-term debts as they mature

!! Definition of solvency ratio!!

$$\text{Total debt to total assets} = \frac{\text{Total liabilities}}{\text{Total assets}} \quad 60\%$$

$$\text{Total debt to equity} = \frac{\text{Total liabilities}}{\text{Stockholders' equity}}$$

Debt financing introduces financial risk because it implies fixed commitments in the form of interest payments and principal repayment and exposure to interest rate movements.

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Total debt to total assets

$$= \frac{\text{Total Debt}}{\text{Total Assets}} = \frac{1.125.620}{2.659.013} = 0,42$$

Total debt to total equity =

$$= \frac{\text{Total Debt}}{\text{Shareholders' equity}} = \frac{1.125.620}{1.393.133} = 0,81$$

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Financial Ratios – Solvability

The prudent use of debt is a major part of intelligent financial management.

Debt financing is more attractive than equity financing because:

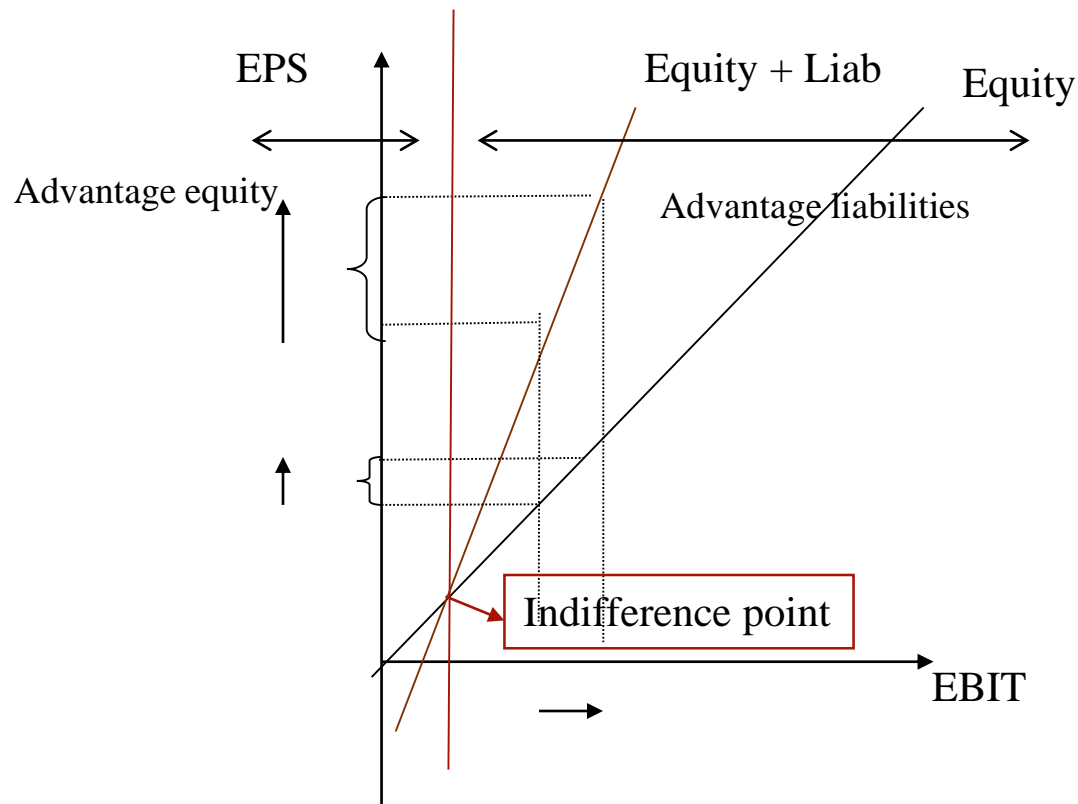
- Interest payments are deductible for income tax purposes, but dividends are not deductible.
- The ownership rights to voting and profits are kept by the present shareholders.
- Using borrowed money at fixed interest rates might enhance the rate of return on common equity (= **financial leverage, trading on the equity**)



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Trading on the Equity



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Financial Ratios – Solvability

Financial Leverage

| | Case 1 – 100% Equity | | Case 2 – 30% debt | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| EBIT | 100,000 | 200,000 | 100,000 | 200,000 |
| Interest | | | 15,000 | 15,000 |
| EBT | 100,000 | 200,000 | 85,000 | 185,000 |
| Tax (40%) | 40,000 | 80,000 | 34,000 | 74,000 |
| EAT | 60,000 | 120,000 | 51,000 | 111,000 |
| # shares | 25,000 | 25,000 | 17,500 | 17,500 |
| EPS | 2,4 | 4,8 | 2,91 | 6,34 |
| % increase in EBIT | | 100% | | 100% |
| % increase in EPS | | 100% | | 118% |

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Financial Ratios – Solvability

Financial Leverage

| | Case 1 | | Case2 | |
|-------------------------|-------------|---|-------|-------------|
| EBIT | 6000 | ← | 10000 | → 14000 |
| Interest | 2000 | | 2000 | 2000 |
| EBT | 4000 | | 8000 | 12000 |
| Tax (40%) | 1600 | | 3200 | 4800 |
| EAT | 2400 | | 4800 | 7200 |
| # shares | 1000 | | 1000 | 1000 |
| EPS | 2,4 | ← | 4,8 | → 7,2 |
| % change in EBIT | -40% | | | +40% |
| % change in EPS | -50% | | | +50% |

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Financial Ratios – Solvability

Trading on the Equity

Benefits:

- Larger returns to the common shareholders, as long as overall income is large enough to cover the increased interest payments

$$\text{Interest coverage} = \frac{\text{EBIT}}{I}$$

Example Clicktouch:

$$\text{Interest coverage} = \frac{127.629}{8.567} = 15$$

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Financial Ratios – Solvability

Optimal debt ratio? Industry related!

- Industry with high level of tangible assets (mortgage!);
- Bv. Paperindustry (debt / SHE: 1,36) \leftrightarrow Pharmaceutical industry (debt / SHE: ,079) [Kester (1986)]
- Industry with stable operating income (EBIT);



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Financial Ratios – Profitability



Profitability Ratios

Margin ratios (return on sales)

show how successful management is in creating profit from a given quantity of sales

$$\text{Net profit margin} = \frac{\text{Profit after tax}}{\text{Sales}}$$

$$\text{Gross operating margin} = \frac{\text{Sales less Cost of sales}}{\text{Sales}}$$

$$\text{Net operating margin} = \frac{\text{Profit before interest and tax}}{\text{Sales}}$$

Return on investment (ROI) ratios

take into account the investment needed to generate the profit

$$\text{Return on equity (ROE)} = \frac{\text{Profit after tax}}{\text{Equity}}$$

$$\text{Return on assets (ROA)} = \frac{\text{Profit before interest}}{\text{Total assets}}$$

$$= \frac{\text{Profit after tax} + (\text{Interest} * (1 - \text{tax rate}))}{\text{Total assets}}$$

$$\text{Return on capital employed (ROCE)} = \frac{\text{Profit before interest on LT-debt}}{\text{Equity} + \text{LT-debt}}$$

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Financial Ratios – Profitability



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Often the *nature of the business* of a company affects the gross profit as compared to other types of companies (service vs. production company).

→ Retailers often lower their gross profit margins and selling prices and hope that the lower selling prices will increase sales volume enough to compensate for the lower gross profit.

→ Industries with higher gross profit percentages tend to have the lowest *inventory turnover*.

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Financial Ratios – Profitability



How effectively does the company uses its assets to generate returns for all suppliers of capital?

Each reflects the profit generated by a specific pool of funds, excluding the costs of the specific funds considered

How effectively does the company uses its equity or total assets to generate returns for suppliers of funds?

Different denominators (investment base) and numerators (profit figure retained)

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|-----------------------------------|---|---|
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Financial Ratios – ROA Decomposition

There is a conventional relationship between management performance ratios which links return on investment, profit margin and asset turnover as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Profit before interest}}{\text{Sales}} \times \frac{\text{Sales}}{\text{Total assets}} = \frac{\text{Profit before interest}}{\text{Total assets}}$$

$$\text{Profit margin} \times \text{Asset turnover} = \text{ROA}$$



Assume: ROA decreases over a number of periods

→ **Cause?** Asset turnover, Profit margin or both?

Assume: Asset turnover drops

→ **Cause?** Sales, assets or both?

Examples:

(1) *Due to competition, sales decrease and one is not able to adjust inventory levels accordingly*

(2) *Recent investments in IT were necessary to support current competitive position*

Assume: Profit margin decreases

→ **Cause?** *Increasing operating expenses, decreasing sales prices, ...*

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Financial Ratios – ROE Decomposition

Financial leverage

Taking the analysis one step further, the return on equity can be analytically linked to the return on assets ratio with the introduction the concept of financial leverage.

$$\frac{\text{Net profit for the period}}{\text{Total assets}} \times \frac{\text{Total assets}}{\text{Equity}} = \frac{\text{Net profit for the period}}{\text{Equity}}$$

Proportion of assets acquired with funds supplied by the shareholders

$$\text{ROA} \times \text{Financial leverage} = \text{ROE}$$

Financial leverage will increase if debt financing increases

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Financial Ratios – ROE Decomposition

$$\text{ROA} \times \text{Financial leverage} = \text{ROE}$$

$$\text{Financial leverage coefficient} = \text{ROE\%} / \text{ROA\%}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\text{ROE\%}}{\text{ROA\%}} &= \frac{\frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{equity}}}{\frac{\text{profit before interest}}{\text{assets}}} \\ &= \frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{equity}} \times \frac{\text{assets}}{\text{profit before interest}} \\ &= \frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{profit before interest}} \times \frac{\text{assets}}{\text{equity}} \end{aligned}$$

Financial leverage coefficient > 1 if ROE% > ROA%

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Financial Ratios – Financial Leverage

| Total assets = 1,000 ROA = 10% cost of debt = 7% Tax N/A | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Debt /Equity | 0% | 100% | 150% | 300% |
| | 0 debt/1,000 equity | 500 debt/500 equity | 600 debt/400 equity | 750 debt/250 equity |
| <i>Profit before interest</i> | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| <i>Cost of debt</i> | 0 | 35 | 42 | 52.5 |
| <i>Net profit</i> | 100 | 65 | 58 | 47.5 |
| <i>ROE</i> | 10% | 13% | 14.5% | 19% |
| <i>Financial leverage coefficient</i> | 10%/10% = 1 (no leverage) | 13%/10% = 1.30 | 1.45 | 1.90 |

If $ROA\% < i\%$: → financial leverage has a negative effect for shareholders
 If $ROA\% > i\%$: → financial leverage has a positive effect for shareholders

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Financial Ratios – Financial Leverage



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|--|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Debt /Equity | 0% 0 debt/1,000 equity | 100% 500 debt/500 equity | 150% 600 debt/400 equity | 300% 750 debt/250 equity |
| <i>Profit before interest</i> | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| <i>Cost of debt</i> | 0 | 35 | 42 | 52.5 |
| <i>Net profit</i> | 50 | 15 | 8 | -2.5 |
| <i>ROE</i> | 5% | 3% | 2% | -1% |
| <i>Financial leverage coefficient</i> | 5%/5% = 1 (no leverage) | 3%/5% = 0.6 | 0.4 | -0.2 |

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Financial Ratios – The Dupont Model

Combining ROI decomposition and financial leverage brings us to the following overall model (also called the DuPont model):

$$\frac{\text{Net profit for the period}}{\text{Equity}} = \frac{\text{Net profit for the period}}{\text{Sales}} \times \frac{\text{Sales}}{\text{Total assets}} \times \frac{\text{Total assets}}{\text{Equity}}$$

$$\text{ROE} = \text{Net profit margin} \times \text{Asset turnover} \times \text{Financial leverage}$$

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Example

| | 20X6 | 20X5 | 20X4 |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | € '000 | € '000 | € '000 |
| Statement of profit or loss | | | |
| Sales | 3 674 | 2 987 | 1 643 |
| Cost of Sales | - 2 718 | - 2 151 | - 1 133 |
| | 956 | 836 | 510 |
| Distribution costs | - 412 | - 392 | - 242 |
| Administrative expenses | - 183 | - 190 | - 86 |
| | 361 | 254 | 182 |
| Interest | - 315 | - 243 | 0 |
| | 46 | 11 | 182 |
| Taxation | - 15 | - 3 | - 65 |
| Net profit | 31 | 8 | 117 |
| Statement of financial position | | | |
| <i>Non-Current assets</i> | | | |
| Intangible assets | 2 100 | 2 200 | 0 |
| Tangible assets | 4 446 | 4 220 | 2 085 |
| Investments | 0 | 0 | 240 |
| <i>Current assets</i> | | | |
| Inventories | 301 | 255 | 105 |
| Receivables | 38 | 42 | 29 |
| Cash at bank | 68 | 54 | 73 |
| Total assets | 6 953 | 6 771 | 2 532 |
| <i>Financing</i> | | | |
| Ordinary shares (€1) | 1 200 | 1 200 | 1 200 |
| Retained Earnings | 1 241 | 1 210 | 1 202 |
| | 2 441 | 2 410 | 2 402 |
| Long-term debt | 4 000 | 4 000 | 0 |
| Trade payables | 512 | 361 | 130 |
| Total equity and liabilities | 6 953 | 6 771 | 2 532 |

| Ratios: | 20X6 | 20X5 | 20X4 |
|--|---------|---------|--------|
| Management performance ratios | | | |
| <i>1. Profitability ratios</i> | | | |
| ROE | 1.27% | 0.33% | 4.87% |
| ROA | 3.62% | 2.63% | 4.62% |
| ROCE | 3.90% | 2.78% | 4.87% |
| EPS | 0.0258 | 0.0067 | 0.0975 |
| Gross operating margin | 26.02% | 27.99% | 31.04% |
| Net operating margin | 9.83% | 8.50% | 11.08% |
| Net profit margin | 0.84% | 0.27% | 7.12% |
| | | | |
| <i>2. Asset utilization ratios</i> | | | |
| Total asset turnover | 0.53 | 0.44 | 0.65 |
| Long-term asset turnover | 0.56 | 0.47 | 0.71 |
| Inventory turnover | 9.03 | 8.44 | 10.79 |
| Receivables turnover | 96.68 | 71.12 | 56.66 |
| | | | |
| Financial strength ratios | | | |
| <i>3. Long-term solvency risk ratios</i> | | | |
| Gearing | 163.87% | 165.98% | 0.00% |
| Gearing (Total finance) | 62.10% | 62.40% | 0.00% |
| Interest cover | 1.15 | 1.05 | 0.00 |
| | | | |
| <i>4. Short-term liquidity ratios</i> | | | |
| Current ratio | 0.79 | 0.97 | 1.59 |
| Acid test ratio | 0.21 | 0.27 | 0.78 |
| Days inventory outstanding | 40.42 | 43.27 | 33.83 |
| Credit given | 3.78 | 5.13 | 6.44 |
| Credit obtained | 68.76 | 61.26 | 41.88 |

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Example



- Major expansion in 20X5:
 - Probably by acquisition of another company as all asset categories ↑ and a major intangible appears
 - Debt ↑
 - Dilution of margins
- Asset utilization ratios ↓ in 20X5 and ↑ in 20X6:
 - Less efficient use of assets in 20X5 (post-acquisition inefficiencies? Or a high takeover price?)
 - Organic growth in 20X6

⇒ *Steps has been taken to improve profits in combined group and sales continue ↑ (from 2,987 in 20X5 to 3,674 in 20X6)*

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Example

- Gross margin ↓ from 28% in 20X5 to 26% in 20X6: gross margin has been sacrificed to achieve ↑ sales (selling price ↓?)
- Debt ↑:
 - from all-equity to a gearing of 62%
 - highly vulnerable to interest rate ↑ in its present highly-gearred structure

20X5: ROA < i%: 2.63% < 6%

20X6: ROA < i%: 3.62% < 7.9%



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$$\text{ROA} \times \text{Financial leverage} = \text{ROE}$$

$$\text{Financial leverage coefficient} = \text{ROE}\% / \text{ROA}\%$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\text{ROE}\%}{\text{ROA}\%} &= \frac{\frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{equity}}}{\frac{\text{profit before interest}}{\text{assets}}} = \frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{equity}} \times \frac{\text{assets}}{\text{profit before interest}} \\ &= \frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{profit before interest}} \times \frac{\text{assets}}{\text{equity}} \end{aligned}$$

| | 20X4 | 20X5 | 20X6 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|
| $\frac{\text{profit after interest}}{\text{profit before interest}}$ | 1 | 0.045 | 0.123 |
| $\frac{\text{assets}}{\text{equity}}$ | 1.054 | 2.810 | 2.848 |
| Financial leverage coefficient | 1.054 | 0.125 | 0.350 |
| ROA | 4.62% | 2.63% | 3.62% |
| ROE | 4.87% | 0.33% | 1.27% |

A/P are
interest-free

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Example

- Without further equity finance not able to expand for some time

⇒ *The company has gone from a small, profitable and low risk operation to a higher, less profitable, more risky business. This initiative may well prove worthwhile in a few years but is not satisfactory for shareholders in the short term*



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Thomas Cook



| Thomas Cook | 2017 | 2018 |
|----------------------------|-------|---------|
| ROA | 2,98% | -0.12% |
| Financiële hefboom (TA/EV) | 25.80 | 22,57 |
| ROE | 3.61% | -55,97% |
| Interest % (LT schuld) | 9,35% | 7,54% |
| # d kl. Kred (DSO) | | 30.88 |
| # d lev. Kred (DPO) | | 110.27 |

| Tui | 2018 |
|----------------------------|--------|
| ROA | 6,31% |
| Financiële hefboom (TA/EV) | 3,60 |
| ROE | 18,90% |
| Interest % (LT schuld) | 6,22% |
| # d kl. Kred (DSO) | 18,36 |
| # d lev. Kred (DPO) | 61,14 |

Berekend op basis van :
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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

- Balance sheet – shows financial position *on a given day*
- Income statement – shows performance *over a given period*
- Statement of cash flows – shows performance over a given period

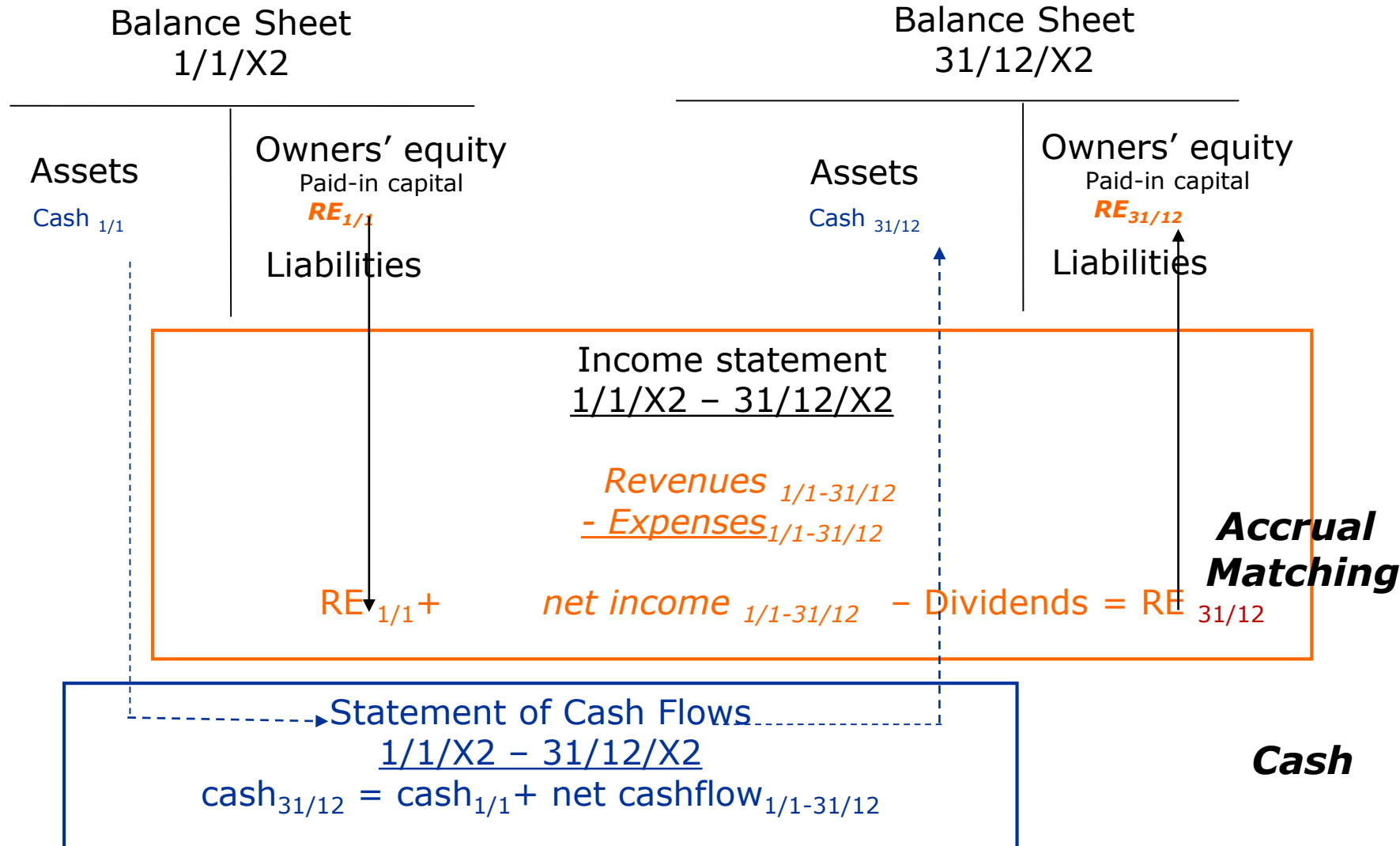


- The statement of cash flows provides a thorough ***explanation of the changes*** that occurred in a firm's ***cash balance*** during the entire accounting period.
- Cash flows are ***factual details*** of incoming and outgoing flows of cash, while the statement of financial position and the statement of profit or loss emanate from professional judgement and the use of GAAP.

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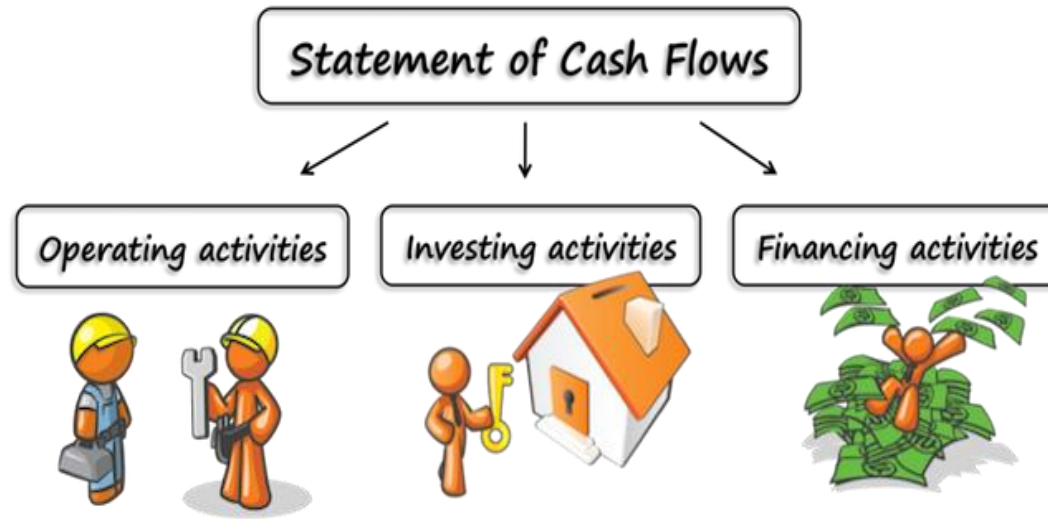
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Relationship between Balance Sheet/Income Statement/Statement of cash flows



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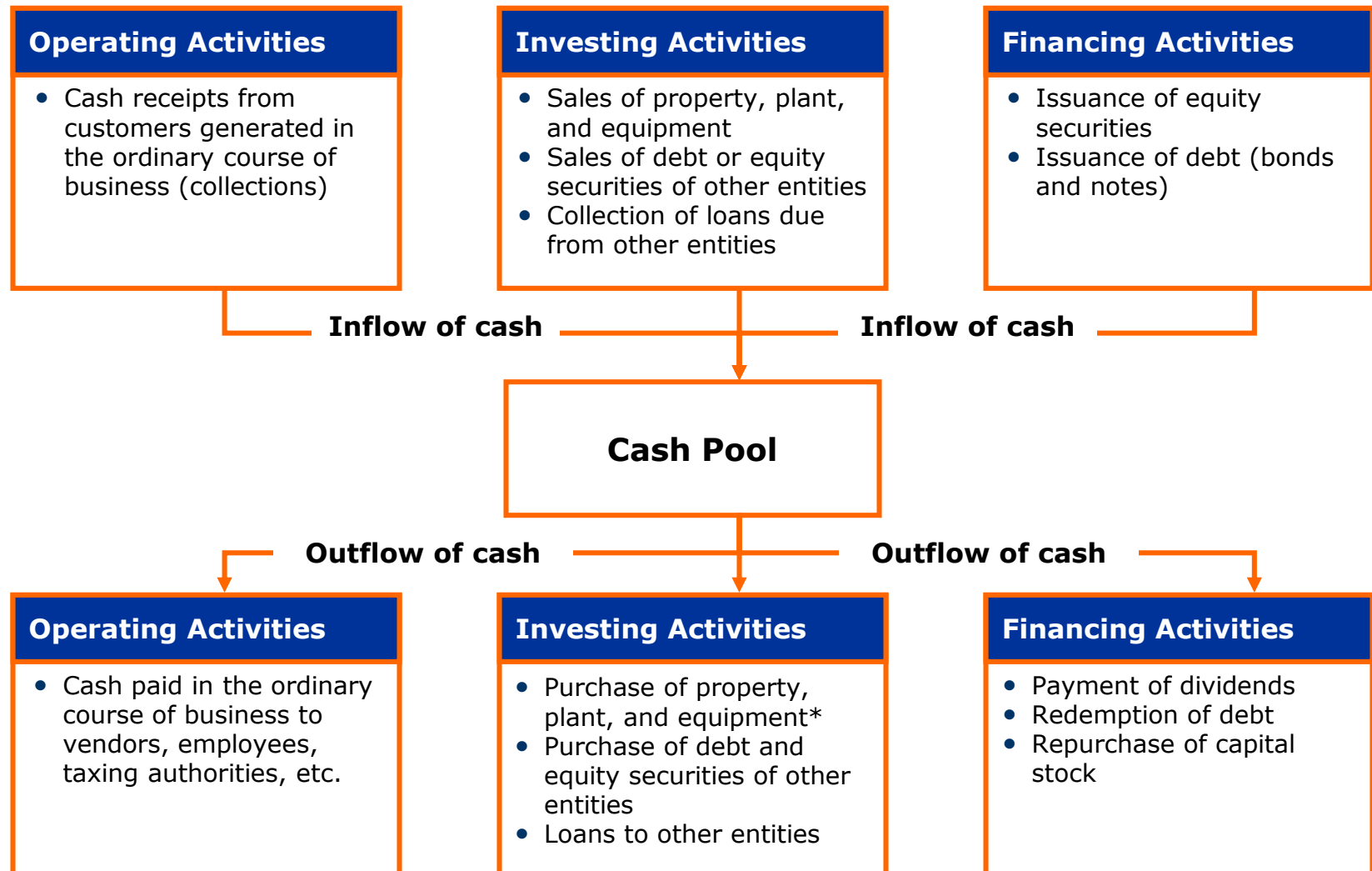
Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement



| | |
|---|-------|
| Cash Flow | \$m |
| Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities | x (x) |
| Net cash inflow (outflow) from investing activities | x (x) |
| Net cash inflow (outflow) from financing activities | x (x) |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash | x (x) |
| Cash at beginning of year | x |
| Cash at end of year | \$x |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement



* Including M&A activities

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES **TWO APPROACHES**

Two approaches may be used to compute cash flow from operating activities.

- **Direct method** - the method that shows net cash provided by operating activities as *collections minus operating distributions*. by keeping track of each individual cash transaction (cash basis income statement)
- **Indirect method (reconciliation method)** - the method that adjusts the accrual *net income* to reflect only cash receipts and outlays

Under either method, the final cash flow from operating activities will be the same.

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES **TWO APPROACHES**

The **direct method** shows each major class of gross cash receipts and gross cash payments. The operating cash flows section of the statement of cash flows under the direct method would appear something like this:

| | |
|---|---------------|
| Cash receipts from customers | xx,xxx |
| Cash paid to suppliers | xx,xxx |
| Cash paid to employees | xx,xxx |
| Cash paid for other operating expenses | xx,xxx |
| Interest paid | xx,xxx |
| Income taxes paid | xx,xxx |
| Net cash from operating activities | xx,xxx |

The **indirect method** adjusts accrual basis net profit or loss for the effects of non-cash transactions. The operating cash flows section of the statement of cash flows under the indirect method would appear something like this:

| | | |
|---|--------|---------------|
| Profit before interest and income taxes | | xx,xxx |
| Add back depreciation | | xx,xxx |
| Add back impairment of assets | | xx,xxx |
| Increase in receivables | xx,xxx | |
| Decrease in inventories | | xx,xxx |
| Increase in trade payables | | xx,xxx |
| Interest expense | xx,xxx | |
| Less Interest accrued but not yet paid | xx,xxx | |
| Interest paid | | xx,xxx |
| Income taxes paid | | xx,xxx |
| Net cash from operating activities | | xx,xxx |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement


CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES AN EXAMPLE

| ECO-BAG COMPANY | | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Balance Sheet (in thousands) | | | | | |
| December 31, 20X3 and 20X2 | | | | | |
| Current assets: | | | Current liabilities: | | |
| Cash | \$ 16 | \$ 25 | Accounts payable | \$ 74 | \$ 6 |
| Accounts receivable | 45 | 25 | Wages and salaries payable | <u>25</u> | <u>4</u> |
| Inventory | <u>100</u> | <u>60</u> | | | |
| Total current assets | <u>\$161</u> | <u>\$110</u> | Total current liabilities | 99 | 10 |
| Fixed assets, gross | 581 | 330 | Long-term debt | 125 | 5 |
| Accum. depreciation | <u>(101)</u> | <u>(110)</u> | Paid-in-capital | 148 | 50 |
| Net | <u>480</u> | <u>220</u> | Retained earnings | <u>269</u> | <u>265</u> |
| | | | Total liabilities and | | |
| Total assets | <u>\$641</u> | <u>\$330</u> | stockholders' equity | <u>\$641</u> | <u>\$330</u> |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE***



| ECO-BAG COMPANY | | |
|---|----------|--------------|
| Statement of Income (in thousands) | | |
| for the Year Ended December 31, 20X3 | | |
| Sales | | \$200 |
| Costs and expenses: | | |
| Cost of goods sold | \$100 | |
| Wages and salaries | 36 | |
| Depreciation | 17 | |
| Interest | <u>4</u> | |
| Total costs and expenses | | <u>157</u> |
| Income before income taxes | | 43 |
| Income taxes | | <u>20</u> |
| Net income | | <u>\$ 23</u> |
| | | ===== |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE DIRECT METHOD***

| ECO-BAG COMPANY | |
|--|--------------|
| Statement of Cash Flows (in thousands) | |
| for the Year Ended December 31, 20X3 | |
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: | |
| Cash collections from customers | \$180 |
| Cash payments: | |
| To suppliers | \$ 72 |
| To employees | 15 |
| For interest | 4 |
| For taxes | <u>20</u> |
| Total cash payments | <u>(111)</u> |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | \$ 69 |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE DIRECT METHOD***

Collections from sales to customers are usually the largest source of operating cash inflows.

Disbursements for purchases of goods to be sold and operating expenses are usually the largest sources of operating cash outflows.

Operating cash inflows minus operating cash outflows equals the net cash provided by (or used by) operating activities.

Instead of by keeping track of each individual cash transaction (cash basis income statement), Accountants often compute collections and other operating cash flow items **from revenue and expense accounts** in the income statement.

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES ***WORKING FROM INCOME STATEMENT TO CASH AMOUNTS***

In our example, \$180,000 was **collected** from customers. That amount is determined as follows:

| | | |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Sales | \$200,000 |
| + | Beginning accounts receivable | <u>25,000</u> |
| | Potential collections | \$225,000 |
| - | Ending accounts receivable | <u>45,000</u> |
| | Cash collections from customers | <u><u>\$180,000</u></u> |

or

| | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------|
| | Sales | \$200,000 |
| | Decrease (increase) in accounts receiv. | <u>(20,000)</u> |
| | Cash collections from customers | <u><u>\$180,000</u></u> |

Note that the increase in A/R means that sales > collections

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES WORKING FROM INCOME STATEMENT TO CASH AMOUNTS

In our example, \$72,000 was **paid** from customers. The difference between cost of goods sold and **cash payments** to suppliers can be determined by looking at inventory and accounts payable.

| | | |
|---|---|-------------------------|
| | Cost of goods sold | \$100,000 |
| + | Ending inventory | <u>100,000</u> |
| | Inventory to account for | <u>\$200,000</u> |
| - | Beginning inventory | <u>(60,000)</u> |
| | Purchases of inventory | <u>\$140,000</u> |
| | Beginning trade accounts payable | \$ 6,000 |
| + | Purchases of inventory | <u>140,000</u> |
| | Total amount to be paid in cash | <u>\$146,000</u> |
| - | Ending trade accounts payable | <u>(74,000)</u> |
| | Accounts paid in cash | \$ 72,000 |

$$\begin{aligned} EI &= BI + \text{Purchases} - \text{COGS} \\ EI + \text{COGS} - BI &= \text{Purchases} \end{aligned}$$

| | |
|--|-------------------------|
| Cost of goods sold | \$100,000 |
| Increase (decrease) in inventory | 40,000 |
| Decrease (increase) in trade accounts pay. | <u>(68,000)</u> |
| Payments to suppliers | <u>\$ 72,000</u> |

$$\Delta \text{Cash} = \Delta L + \Delta SE - \Delta NCA$$

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE INDIRECT METHOD***

- The indirect method begins with *total net income* (and does *not* consider each revenue and expense account *individually*).
- The indirect method *reconciles* accrual net income to cash flows from operating activities.

Items included in the reconciliation between income and cashflow:

- *Depreciation* (and by extension any other non-cash expense) is added back to net income because it was deducted in arriving at net income, but it does not represent any use of cash.
- Additions or deductions are made for *changes in related asset or liability accounts* (items that affect net income and net cash flow differently).

The general rules for additions and deductions to adjust net income using the indirect method are the same as those for adjusting line items on the income statement under the direct method.

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE INDIRECT METHOD***

Cash flow from operating activities =
Net income + depreciation +/- Δ net working capital

| | | | |
|------------------------------|--|-----------|---------------------|
| | Net income | | \$23 |
| | Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities | | |
| | Depreciation | | \$ 17 |
| <i>Net working capital</i> { | Net increase in accounts receivable | (20) | |
| | Net increase in inventory | (40) | |
| | Net increase in accounts payable | 68 | |
| | Net increase in wages and salaries payable | <u>21</u> | |
| | Total additions and deductions | | <u>46</u> |
| | Net cash provided by operating activities | | <u><u>\$ 69</u></u> |

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Cash Flow Analysis

Relating Cash Flow and Net Income

Four possible combinations of net income and cash flows exists.

| Relationship | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Cash flow from operations | + | + | - | - |
| Net income | + | - | + | - |

Four possible situations:

- Situation 1 confirms the profitability of the company.
- Situation 2 can occur where a company has large noncash expenses such as depreciation.
- Situation 3 is often an indication of trouble but may also be an indication of a rapidly growing company.
- Situation 4 confirms the lack of profitability of the company.

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Cash Flow Analysis

Indicators revealing solvency risk

Figure 1: Phases of corporate distress



Source: Euler Hermes Rating GmbH

Table 2: Leading indicators for corporate distress four years prior to insolvency

| | Germany | France | Italy | Spain |
|---|---------|--------|-------|-------|
| Profitability (ROCE) (EBIT / Net financial debt + equity) | 7% | 6% | 0.2% | 3.7% |
| Capitalization (Equity / Total assets) | 20.6% | 23.2% | 15.6% | 23.3% |
| Interest coverage (EBIT / Interest expense) | 0.8x | 1.1x | 0.5x | 1.0x |

Source: Euler Hermes Rating GmbH

Source: Boata and Gerdes (Sept. 2019) Three indicators can reveal SME insolvency Risk up to Four years in advance. The View, Economic Research (see Canvas)

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE INDIRECT METHOD***

Changes in fixed assets can usually be explained by:

- Assets acquired
- Asset dispositions
- Depreciation expense



Increase in net book value = Acquisitions – Disposals - Depreciation expense

Increase in net book value + Depreciation expense = Acquisitions - Disposals

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE DIRECT METHOD***

ECO-BAG COMPANY
Statement of Cash Flows (in thousands)
for the Year Ended December 31, 20X3
(continued)

CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| Purchases of fixed assets | \$(287) |
| Proceeds from sale of fixed assets | <u>10</u> |
| Net cash used by investing activities | (277) |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE INDIRECT METHOD***

Changes in stockholders' equity can be explained by:

- New issuances of stock
- Net income
- Dividends

Increase in Paid in capital = New issuance of shares

Increase in RE = net income - dividends

Dividends = net income – increase in RE

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE DIRECT METHOD***

| ECO-BAG COMPANY | |
|--|--------------|
| Statement of Cash Flows (in thousands) | |
| for the Year Ended December 31, 20X3 | |
| (continued) | |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES: | |
| Proceeds from issue of long-term debt | \$120 |
| Proceeds from issue of common stock | 98 |
| Dividends paid | <u>(19)</u> |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | 199 |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 69 |
| Net cash provided by investing activities | <u>(277)</u> |
| Net decrease in cash | (9) |
| Cash, December 31, 20X2 | <u>25</u> |
| Cash, December 31, 20X3 | <u>\$ 16</u> |

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

CASH FLOW ***AN EXAMPLE – USING THE DIRECT METHOD***

In this example, cash decreases by \$9,000.

- Operating activities contribute \$69,000 cash during the period.
- Investing activities use \$277,000 cash during the period.
- Financing activities contribute \$199,000 cash during the period.

This example shows how a firm may have net income but still have a decline in cash!

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Cash Flow Analysis – Cash Flow Statement

FREE CASH FLOW

FCF = net cash flow from operating and from investing activities = net cash flow available for the financing parties of the company (= debtors and stockholders)

Used in company valuation

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

| | |
|--|---------------------|
| Net income | \$23 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities | |
| Depreciation | \$ 17 |
| Net increase in accounts receivable | (20) |
| Net increase in inventory | (40) |
| Net increase in accounts payable | 68 |
| Net increase in wages and salaries payable | 21 |
| Total additions and deductions | <u>46</u> |
| Net cash provided by operating activities (1) | <u>\$ 69</u> |

CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Purchases of fixed assets | \$(287) |
| Proceeds from sale of fixed assets | <u>10</u> |
| Net cash used by investing activities (2) | (277) |
| FREE CASH FLOW (1) + (2) | (208) |

CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Proceeds from issue of long-term debt | \$120 |
| Proceeds from issue of common stock | 98 |
| Dividends paid | <u>(19)</u> |
| Net cash provided by financing activities (3) | 199 |
| Net decrease in cash | (9) |