

Lion Capital and the Blackstone Group: The Orangina Deal

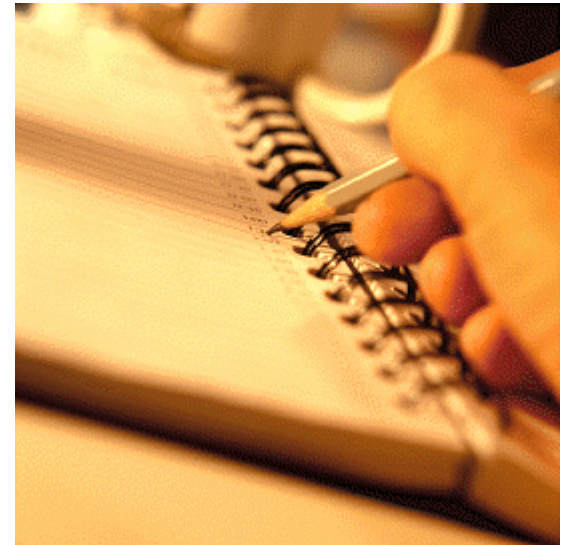
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Agenda

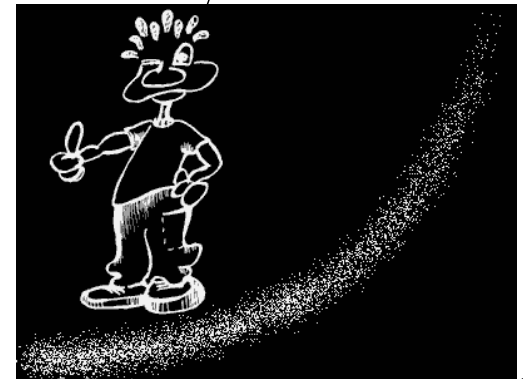
Justification of the value of the offer made by the consortium to Cadbury Schweppes

- Introduction of a long term strategy
 - Raising sale volumes
 - Restructuring
 - Increasing brand awareness
 - Marketing
 - Product innovation
 - Distribution
 - Penetration of new markets
 - Adoption of local sales strategies



Introduction

- Cadbury Schweppes has the potential to be a strong competitor in the European market
- Mis-management and failed previous acquisitions have impaired the company's operations
- Lion Capital/Blackstone have the ability to help Cadbury realize its potential



Blackstone/Lion strengths

- Blackstone:
 - Sheer size
 - Deep pockets
 - Brain trust
- Lion:
 - Good reputaion
 - Proven results with consumer goods
 - Javier Ferrán



Earning Potential

Cadbury Schweppes has the potential to be a strong competitor:



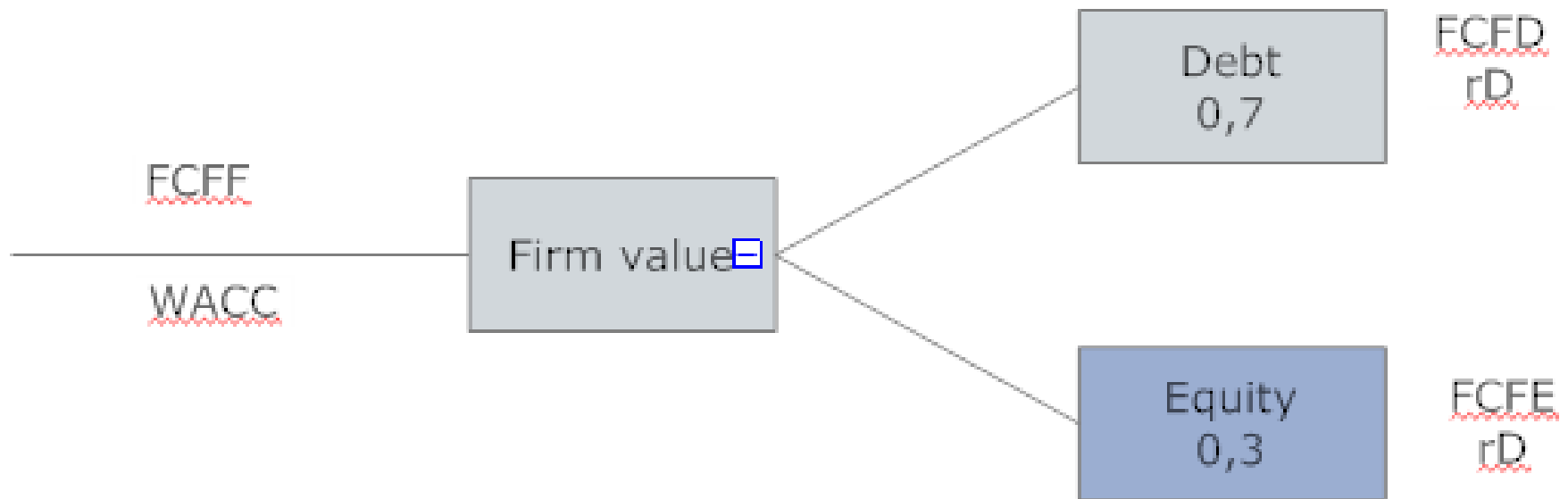
EBITDA Margin

Orangina	Coca-Cola	Pepsi
19%	26.30%	18.20%

Gross Profit Margin

Orangina	Coca-Cola	Pepsi
61%	64.50%	60.00%

Firm value– modelling



Firm value - calculation

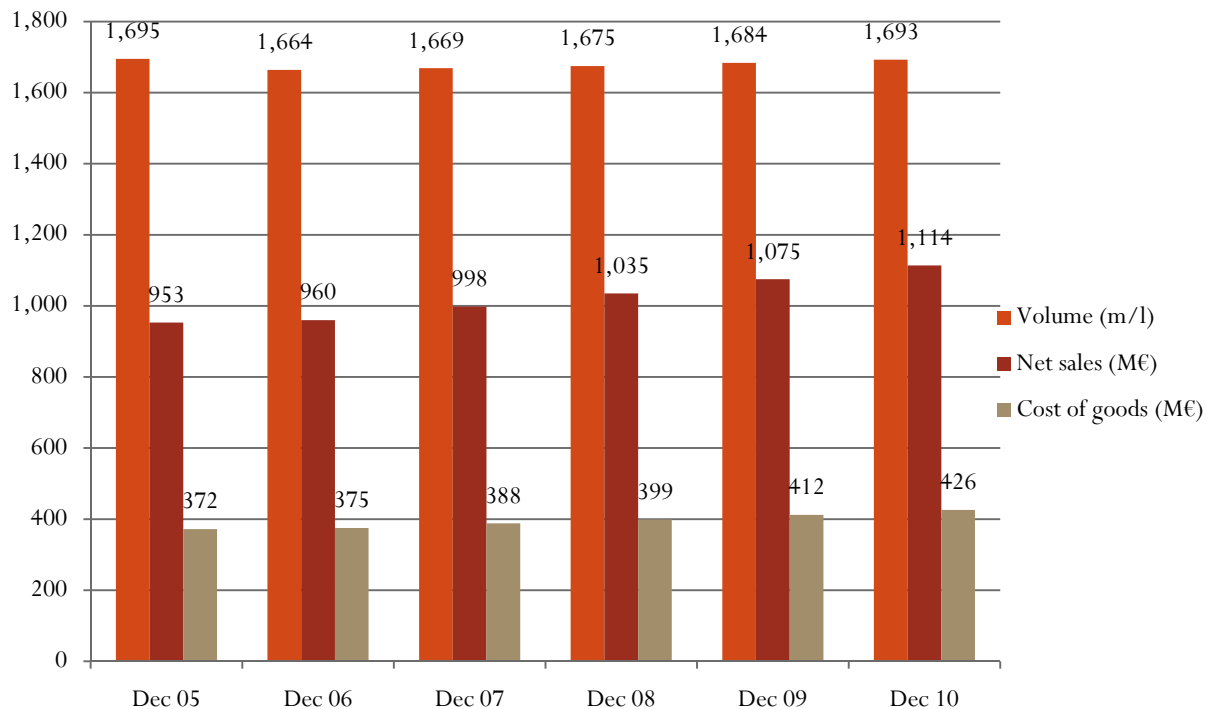


- Miller Modigliani 1:
- $\rightarrow r_A = r_f + \beta (r_m - r_f) = 12,5\%$
- Miller Modigliani 2:
- $\rightarrow r_E = r_A + D/E (r_A - r_D) = 26.5\%$

Option table

Strategic option table			
Geography	Local	Regional	Global
Product line	Keep	Expand	Shrink
Risk	Low	Medium	High
Marketing cost	Low	Medium	High
Positioning	Premium	Medium	Low

Raising sales volumes (projected)



Restructuring

- Consolidation of company structure
- Organisational changes
- Changes in HR Strategy
- Restructuring of corporate HQ



Increasing brand awareness

- „Old historical“ brands
- Beverage icons
- Still sales are dropping
- Diet Orangina
- Pushing still beverages



Marketing



- New marketing strategy
- Advertisements
- Different strategies for „food“ and „non-food“
- Differentiated marketing approach



Distribution strategy

- Localisation by „food“ (elastic price, 70% France) and „non-food“ (inelastic price, 75% Spain)
- Target: use lessons learned in France and Iberia



Product innovation

- Light/diet products
- Organic products
- Line extensions
- Synergies between the beverages
- Invest in R&D



Penetration of new markets

- New EU members
- Ukrain & Russian markets



Summary

- The price is a premium but through restructuring it could be worth the money. Even though it is mismanaged it still been an profitable company for the last few years.