BUY: SFM

Current Price: \$43.92

Target Price: \$59.48

Upside: 35.47%

BUY: Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc.

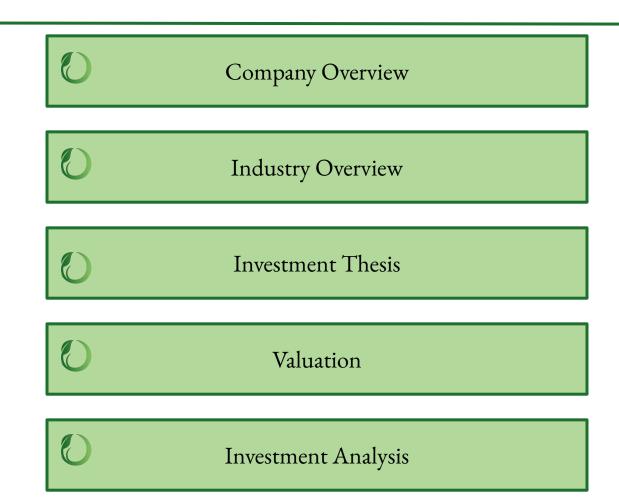
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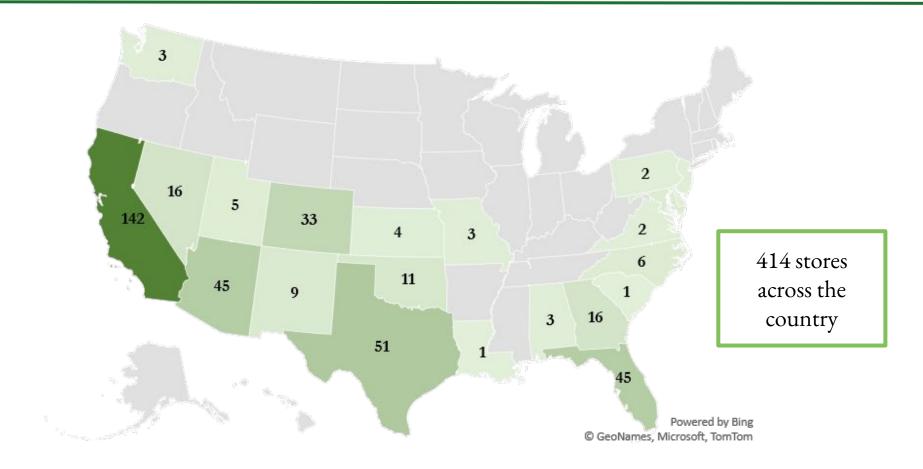






## Company Overview - Locations





# Company Overview



#### Company Description

Sprouts Farmers Market is a United States grocery store chain specializing in healthy and affordable food and goods

Owning 414 stores, Sprouts Farmers Market is located primarily in the urban areas of the United States

All store are in the same design for efficiency of sales, with an open floor plan and lowered shelves for quick and easy access and viewing for customers.

## Business Breakdown

Constant 5.67% YOY growth in revenue since 2011

Sprouts Farmers Market sources from over 850 different suppliers and vendors

Released over 8,400 new products over the course of 2022

#### SWOT: S & W

- **S:** Strong selling point of almost entirely organic/minimally processed goods
- Strong supplier relationships with diverse products, directly managing the quality of produce throughout the whole process
- **W:** Little-to-no presence in the northern United States and no market share outside of the United States
  - Heavy total debt on the balance sheet as of June 2023 of \$1.65 B

# SWOT: O & T

**O:** - More opportunity for expansion online and in terms of store location compared to competitors, in the midwestern and eastern states

- **T:** Potential for competitors to lower prices and cut off a large consumer base in certain locations
- Has minor market share in some states, potential to be pushed out by competitors.

## Industry Overview



#### Company's Industry

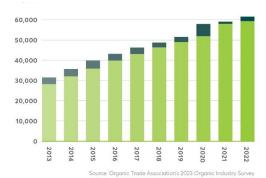
Consumer Defensive Sector and Grocery Stores Industry

Sprouts Farmers Market also operates under the natural/organic foods market

U.S. Organic Food Sales and Incremental Growth

2013-2022

Projected to 2027: Organic Market- 8.7% annual growth **Grocery Market-**3.8% annual growth **BlueWeave Consulting** 



**GROCERY**OUT bargain Market 2022: ~ \$61.7



**Competitors** 

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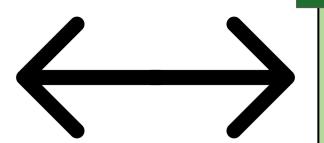


Incremental Growth

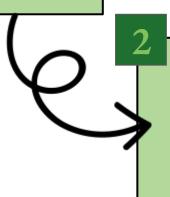


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With the majority of consumers favoring sustainability and brands that support or promote such actions, especially of the younger generation Sprouts Farmers Market will attract a growing number of consumers.



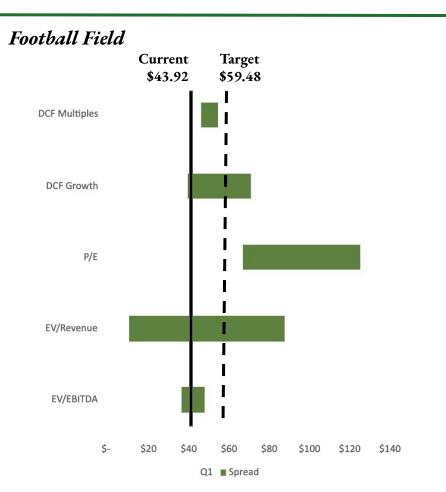
Sprouts' high and growing Free Cash Flow, higher than competitors' operating margin, and its inelastic target market helps pull the company through recessionary and inflationary periods with stable sales and the cash helps sustain through inventory build up.



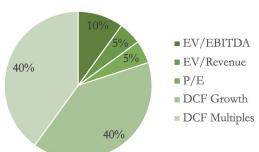
By creating their own products, Sprouts Farmers Market creates a larger incentive for consumers to continue purchasing with Sprouts and be more inclined to shop at Sprouts out of convenience to purchase their unique products.

#### Valuation





#### Weighted Valuation



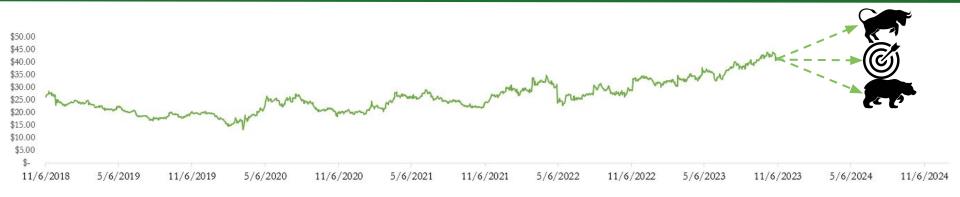
#### Sensitivity Analysis

				WACC		
\$	42.33	5.01%	5.51%	6.01%	6.51%	7.01%
e l	1.70%	51.45	44.58	39.30	35.12	31.73
Rat	1.85%	53.95	46.46	40.76	36.29	32.69
Growth Rate	2.00%	56.71	48.50	42.34	37.54	33.71
rov	2.15%	59.75	50.72	44.03	38.88	34.79
G	2.30%	63.13	53.15	45.87	40.31	35.94

Na.				WACC		
	46.04	5.01%	5.51%	6.01%	6.51%	7.01%
V	10.48x	42.37	42.21	42.06	41.90	41.75
8	10.98x	44.37	44.21	44.05	43.89	43.73
18BT	11.48x	46.38	46.21	46.04	45.87	45.70
N/E	11.98x	48.38	48.20	48.03	47.85	47.68
至	12.48x	50.39	50.20	50.02	49.84	49.66

## Investment Analysis





#### Upside/Downside Analysis

#### Bear Case - \$35.51

Merchandise turnaround is unsuccessful, and consumers spend solely on necessities

Interest decreases in healthier, alternative dietary products

SFM fails to capture target market in expanded geographical areas in the east

#### Base Case - \$44.03

Loyal customers continue to shop at SFM, despite decreases in buying power

Increases in prices act as a driver for customers to increase home cooking

Customers shift away from large, wholesale retailers to more day-to-day retailers

#### **Bull Case - \$59.48**

SFM successfully expands and captures target market in eastern hemisphere

Private label products become household staples, attracting new customers

Increases in customer preferences for local, fresh, healthy, homemade products

BUY: SFM Current Price: \$43.92

Target Price: \$59.48

Upside: 35.47%

# Thank you! Questions?

#### Income Statement



Sprouts Farmers Markets Inc											
Projections											
Dollars in thousands											
Income Statement		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2020	5 2027	2028
Revenue:											
Perishables		3,251,300	3,700,130	3,519,624	3,714,449	4,078,465	4,458,171	4,823,419	5,171,172	5,499,257	5,806,290
% Growth			13.80%	-4.88%	5.54%	9.80%	9.31%	8.19%	7.21%	6.34%	5.58%
Non-perishables		2,383,535	2,768,629	2,580,245	2,689,774	2,947,992	3,216,849	3,475,020	3,720,444	3,951,671	4,167,797
% Growth			16.16%	0.000	4.24%	04034040404		8.03%		6.22%	5.47%
Net Sales	\$!	5,634,835	\$6,468,759	\$6,099,869	\$6,404,223	\$7,026,457	\$7,675,019	\$8,298,440	\$8,891,616	\$9,450,928	\$9,974,086
% Growth			14.80%	-5.70%	4.99%	9.72%	9.23%	8.12%	7.15%	6.29%	5.54%
Cost of Sales		3,740,017	4,089,470	3,890,657	4,055,659	4,457,802	4,869,270	5,264,787	5,641,117	5,995,961	6,327,869
% of Revenue			63.22%	63.78%	63.33%	63.44%	63.44%	63.44%	63.44%	63.44%	63.44%
Gross profit		1,894,818	2,379,289	2,209,212	2,348,564	2,568,655	2,805,749	3,033,653	3,250,500	3,454,967	3,646,217
Operating expenses:											
SG&A		1,549,707	1,863,869	1,748,205	1,855,649	2,001,675	2,186,436	2,364,034	2,533,016	2,692,351	2,841,387
% of Revenue		27.50%	28.81%	28.66%	28.98%	28.49%	28.49%	28.49%	28.49%	6 28.49%	28.49%
Depreciation and amortization		120,491	124,124	122,258	123,530	163,060	215,239	284,115	375,032	495,042	653,456
% of CapEx		55.43%	31.69%	36.60%	34.47%	32.00%	32.00%	32.00%	32.00%	6 32.00%	32.00%
Other expenses		7,260	(369)	4,673	11,025	11,035	11,045	11,056	11,069	11,080	11,091
% of Revenue		0.13%	-0.01%	0.08%	0.17%	0.09%	0.08%	0.11%	0.11%	6 0.10%	0.10%
Income from operations		217,360	391,665	334,076	358,360	392,885	393,030	374,447	331,383	256,494	140,284
Interest expense, net		21,192	14,787	11,684	9,047	16,576	17,563	18,420	19,145		20,206
% of Revenue		0.38%	0.23%		0.14%	0.24%		0.22%			0.20%
Interest Coverage Ratio		10.26	26.49	28.59	39.61	23.70	22.38	20.33	17.31		6.94
Income before income taxes		196,168	376,878	322,392	349,313	376,308	375,467	356,027	312,238	236,755	120,077
Income tax provision		46,539	89,428	78,235	88,149	109,515	136,060	169,039			
Effective Tax Rate		23.72%	23.73%		25.23%	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	0.000,000,000,000	1 1000000000000000000000000000000000000			Name of the state
Net income	\$	149,629	\$ 287,450	\$ 244,157	\$ 261,164	\$ 82,970	\$ 103,081	\$ 128,066	\$ 159,108	\$ 197,674	\$ 245,587
Net income per share:											
Basic	\$	1.25			The state of the s						
Diluted	\$	1.25	\$ 2.43	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.39	\$ 0.76	\$ 0.94	\$ 1.17	\$ 1.46	\$ 1.81	\$ 2.25
Weighted average shares outstanding:											
Basic		119,368	117,821	115,377	108,232	108,232	108,232	108,232	108,232	10	108,232
Diluted		119,742	118,224	116,077	109,139	109,139	109,139	109,139	109,139	109,139	109,139

## Balance Sheet



Balance Sheet	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Assets										
Current assets:										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 85,314	\$ 169,697	\$ 245,287	\$ 293,233						
Accounts receivable, net	15,713	14,815	21,574	16,108						
Inventories	275,979	254,224	265,387	310,545						
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	10,833	27,224	35,468	53,918						
Total current assets	387,839	465,960	567,716	673,804	-	-	-	-	<b>.</b> €0	-
Property and equipment, net of accumulated deprecitation	741,508	726,500	716,029	722,241						
Operating lease assets, net	1,028,436	1,045,408	1,072,019	1,106,524						
Intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization	185,395	184,960	184,960	184,960						
Goodwill	368,078	368,878	368,878	368,878						
Other assets	11,727	14,698	12,513	13,973						
Total assets	\$2,722,983	\$2,806,404	\$2,922,115	\$3,070,380	\$ -	\$ - \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	-
Liabilities and stockholders' equity										
Current liabilities:										
Accounts payable	\$ 122,839	\$ 139,337	\$ 145,901	\$ 172,904						
Accounts liabilities	136,482	143,402	155,996	151,306						
Accrued salaries and benefits	48,579	76,695	58,743	61,574						
Accrued income tax	2,005	-	-	-						
Current portion of operating lease liabilities	106,153	135,739	151,755	135,584						
Current portion of finance lease liabilities	754	959	1,078	1,012						
Total current liabilities	416,812	496,132	513,473	522,380	-	-	-	-	**	120
Long-term operating lease liabilities	1,078,927	1,069,535	1,095,909	1,145,173						
Long-term debt and finance lease liabilities	549,419	260,459	259,656	258,902						
Other long-term liabilities	41,517	40,912	36,306	36,340						
Deferred income tax liability	54,356	58,073	57,895	61,123						
Total liabilities	\$ 2,141,031	\$ 1,925,111	\$1,963,239	\$2,023,918	\$ -	\$ - \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	-
Stockholders' equity:										
Preferred stock	-	-	-	-						
Common stock	117	118	111	105						
Additional paid-in-capital	670,966	686,648	704,701	726,345						
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(4,682)	(8,474)	(3,758)	-						
Retained earnings (Accumulated deficit)	(84,449)	203,001	258,822	320,012						
Total stockholders' equity	581,952	881,293	959,876	1,046,462	-	-		-	-	-
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## Cash Flow Statement



Sprouts Farmers Market Inc Cash Flow Statement		2019		2020		2021		2022
Cash flows from operating activities		2017		LOLO		2021		2002
Net incomes	S	149,629	S	287,450	S	244,157	S	261,164
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating acitivites:	- 5	,	"		*	,		
Deprecitation and amortization expense		122,804		126,507		125,541		127,067
Operating lease asset amortization		81,842		99,276		108,517		117,315
Store closure and other costs, net		4,113		(321)		4,762		8,066
Share-based compensation		8,949		14,339		15,883		16,603
Deferred income taxes		(216)		3,717		(178)		3,228
Other non-cash items		4,136		3,683		1,167		672
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:								
Accounts receivable		36,062		25,977		16,928		13,381
Inventories		(11,612)		21,754		(11,417)		(45,158)
Prepaid expense and other current assets		19,208		(14,970)		(5,879)		(18,467)
Other assets		(1,275)		(5,461)		(1,782)		2,039
Accounts payable		9,420		20,184		4,523		13,362
Accrued liabilities		17,274		4,296		610		5,416
Accrued salaries and benefits		295		28,116		(17,951)		2,831
Accrued income tax		2,005		(2,005)		-		2
Operating lease liabilities		(88,002)		(120,085)		(120,483)		(132,889)
Other long-term liabilities		578		1,578		401		(3,301)
Cash flows from operating activities		355,210		494,035		364,799		371,329
Cash flows from investing activities								
Purchases of property and equipment		(183, 232)		(121,968)		(102,378)		(124,010)
Cash flows used in investing activities		(183,232)		(121,968)		(102,378)		(124,010)
Cash flows from financing activities								
								62,500
Proceeds from revolving credit facilities		265,405		-		-		02,500
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## NWC



NWC	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Current Assets:										
Accounts Receivable	15,713	14,815	21,574	16,108	19,553	21,346	24,099	24,414	26,495	28,013
DSO	1.02	0.84	1.29	0.92	1.02	1.02	1.06	1.00	1.02	1.03
Inventory	275,979	254,224	265,387	310,545	312,869	341,748	369,507	395,920	420,824	444,119
DIO	26.93	22.69	24.90	27.95	25.62	25.62	25.62	25.62	25.62	25.62
Prepaid expenses	10,833	27,224	35,468	53,918	35,500	38,777	41,927	44,924	47,749	50,393
% of SG&A	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Total Current Assets	291,692	269,039	286,961	326,653	332,422	363,094	393,606	420,334	447,319	472,132
Current Liabilities:										
Accounts Payable	122,839	139,337	145,901	172,904	167,377	182,826	197,677	211,807	225,130	237,592
DPO	11.82	12.27	13.50	15.35	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70
Accrued Liabilities	136,482	143,402	155,996	151,306	146,797	149,375	150,868	149,587	149,157	149,747
% of Sales	2.42%	2.22%	2.56%	2.36%	2.39%	2.39%	2.39%	2.39%	2.39%	2.39%
Total Current Liabilities	259,321	282,739	301,897	324,210	314,173	332,201	348,545	361,393	374,287	387,339
NWC	32,371	(13,700)	(14,936)	2,443	18,248	30,893	45,061	58,941	73,033	84,794
Change in NWC		(46,071)	(1,236)	17,379	15,805	12,644	14,168	13,880	14,092	11,761

# CapEx + D&A



Cash Flow Adjustments	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
CapEx	183,232	121,968	102,378	124,010	153,739	147,518	160,260	177,335	189,861	195,906
% of Sales	3.25%	1.89%	1.68%	1.94%	2.19%	1.92%	1.93%	1.99%	2.01%	1.96%
Depreciation & Amortization	122,804	126,507	125,541	127,067	152,137	157,760	172,676	184,479	198,252	207,238
% of CapEx	67.02%	103.72%	122.62%	102.47%	99%	107%	108%	104%	104%	106%
Total D&A	122,804	126,507	125,541	127,067	152,137	157,760	172,676	184,479	198,252	207,238

## WACC & Beta



Sprouts Farmers Market Inc	
WACC Calculation	
Market Risk Premium	5.00%
Risk Free Rate	4.37%
Beta	0.48
Cost of Equity	6.78%
Pre-Tax Cost of Debt	4.62%
Tax Rate	24.24%
After-Tax Cost of Debt	3.50%
Stock Price	\$ 43.91
Shares Oustanding	103,827,000
Equity	\$ 4,559,044
Debt	\$ 1,404,075
Weight of Equity	76%
Weight of Debt	24%
WACC	6.01%
	 N2 20
Current SFM Price	\$ 43.91
Shares Oustanding	\$ 103,827,000
Market Capitalization	\$ 4,559,043,570

Beta (5yr)	0.48
Beta (4yr)	0.50
Beta (3yr)	0.51
Beta (2yr)	0.60
Beta (1yr)	0.48

## FCF Calculation

EBIT

NOPAT

Tax Rate

Less: CapEx

% Growth

Discount Period

Discount Factor

PV of Cash Flows

Less: Change in NWC

Plus: D&A

**FCFF** 

EBIT Margin



140,284

106,281

24.24%

207,238

195,906

11,761

105,852

-43.88%

5.25

0.74

77,913 6

1.41%

Sprouts Farmers Market Inc						
Discounted Cash Flow Analysis						
Dollars in thousands						
FCF Calculation	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Revenue	7,026,457	7,675,019	8,298,440	8,891,616	9,450,928	9,974,086
% Growth		9.23%	8.12%	7.15%	6.29%	5.54%

393,030

297,765

157,760

147,518

295,362

274,579

12,644

5.39%

1.25

0.93

24.24%

5.12%

374,447

283,686

172,676

160,260

281,935

247,235

14,168

-4.55%

2.25

0.88

24.24%

4.51%

331,383

251,060

184,479

177,335

244,323

-13.34%

202,105

3.25

0.83

13,880

24.24%

3.73%

256,494

194,323

198,252

189,861

188,621

-22.80%

147,181

4.25

0.78

14,092

24.24%

2.71%

392,885

297,655

24.24%

152,137

153,739

280,248

276,188

15,805

0.25

0.99

5.59%

# Gordon Growth & Multiples Method



5,221,275

4,988,795

6,136,083

1,404,075

5,025,241

293,233

109,139

46.04

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Gordon Growth Method		Multiples Method			
Terminal CF	188,621	Terminal EBITDA	454,745		
WACC	6.01%	EV/EBITDA Multiple	11.48x		
Terminal Growth Rate	2.00%				

Terminal Value

Enterprise Value

Less: Debt

Plus: Cash

**Equity Value** 

Price Per Share

PV of Terminal Value

Diluted Shares Outstanding

4,796,824

4,583,243

5,730,531

1,404,075

4,619,689

6.01%

2.00%

11.48x

293,233

109,139

42.33

Gordon Growth Method	
Terminal CF	1
WACC	
Terminal Growth Rate	

Terminal Value

Enterprise Value

Less: Debt

Plus: Cash

WACC

Equity Value

Price Per Share

Terminal Growth Rate

EV/EBITDA Multiple

PV of Terminal Value

Diluted Shares Outstanding

# Sensitivity Tables



0.4				WACC		
\$	42.33	5.01%	5.51%	6.01%	6.51%	7.01%
a)	1.70%	51.45	44.58	39.30	35.12	31.73
Growth Rate	1.85%	53.95	46.46	40.76	36.29	32.69
мth	2.00%	56.71	48.50	42.34	37.54	33.71
TO.	2.15%	59.75	50.72	44.03	38.88	34.79
O	2.30%	63.13	53.15	45.87	40.31	35.94

No.				WACC		
	46.04	5.01%	5.51%	6.01%	6.51%	7.01%
V	10.48x	42.37	42.21	42.06	41.90	41.75
8	10.98x	44.37	44.21	44.05	43.89	43.73
EV/EBITIDA	11.48x	46.38	46.21	46.04	45.87	45.70
N/E	11.98x	48.38	48.20	48.03	47.85	47.68
Ħ	12.48x	50.39	50.20	50.02	49.84	49.66

# Comps Set



				Diluted Shares			•				V.	•				
Ticker	Name	Share Price		Outstanding	Market Capitalization	Debt	Cash	Enterprise Value	EBITDA	Revenue	EPS	EV/EB	ITDA	EV/Revenue	P/E	
KR	Kroger Co	S	44.60	727,000,000	32,424,200,000	12,068,000,000	1,015,000,000	43,477,200,000	4,126,000,000	148,258,000,000	\$	3.10	10.54x	: 0.	.29x	14.39x
GO	Grocery Outlet Holding Corp	S	28.47	100,162,000	2,851,612,140	379,650,000	102,728,000	3,128,534,140	214,050,000	3,578,101,000	\$	0.67	14.62x	4 0.0	.02x	42.49x
ACI	Albertsons Companies Inc	S	21.98	534,000,000	11,737,320,000	7,834,400,000	455,800,000	19,115,920,000	2,307,100,000	77,649,700,000	\$	2.29	8.29x	ε 0.	.13x	9.60x
TGT	Target Corp	\$	134.78	464,700,000	62,632,266,000	16,009,000,000	2,229,000,000	76,412,266,000	7,082,000,000	107,588,000,000	\$	6.02	10.79x	; 0,	.52x	22.39x
WMT	Walmart Inc	S	154.34	2,734,000,000	421,965,560,000	47,477,000,000	8,625,000,000	460,817,560,000	37,853,000,000	611,289,000,000	\$	4.29	12.17x	£ 3.	.11x	35.98x
COST	Costco Wholesale Corporation	S	596.25	444,452,000	265,004,505,000	5,377,000,000	13,700,000,000	256,681,505,000	10,580,000,000	242,290,000,000	\$	14.18	24.26x	. 1.7	.73x	42.05x
Median													11.48x	¢ 0.	40x	29.18x

# Comp Multiples



Min	214050000	3578101000	\$ 0.67	8.29x	0.02x	9.60x
Q1	2761825000	85134275000	\$ 2.49	10.60x	0.17x	16.39x
Median	5604000000	127923000000	\$ 3.70	11.48x	0.40x	29.18x
Q3	9705500000	218782000000	\$ 5.59	14.01x	1.43x	40.53x
Max	37853000000	611289000000	\$ 14.18	24.26x	3.11x	42.49x
Mean	10360358333	198442133500	\$ 5.09	13.44x	0.97x	27.82x
2	150 150					
Min				28.30	1.00	\$ 23.13
Q1				36.29	10.19	\$ 39.49
Median				39.33	24.64	\$ 70.33
Q3				48.04	87.74	\$ 97.68
Max				83.44	191.42	\$ 102.41
Mean				46.10	59.31	\$ 67.03



Sprouts Farmers Market Inc					
Valuation	Weight	Bear	Base	Bull	
EV/EBITDA	1	0%	36.29	39.33	48.04
EV/Revenue		5%	10.19	24.64	87.74
P/E		5%	39.49	70.33	97.68
DCF Growth	4	0%	31.73	42.34	63.13
DCF Multiples	4	0%	41.75	46.04	50.39
Price Target			35.51	44.03	59.48

# Earnings

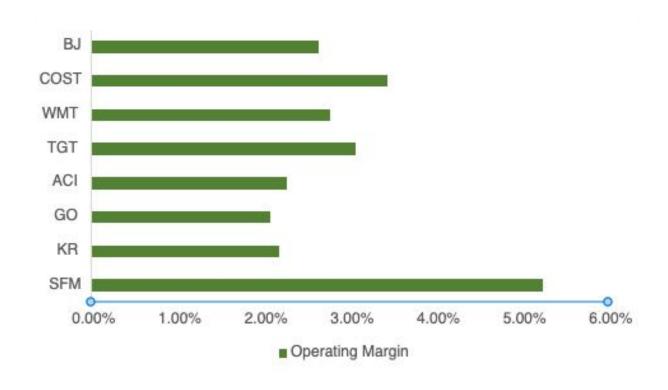


September

**EPS:** Beat 3.17%

Revenue: Beat 1.96%





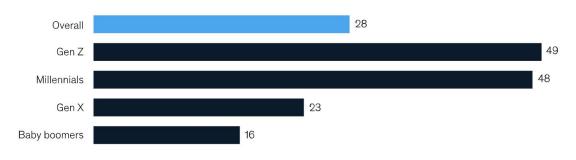
## Sustainability Driver



https://www.mckinsey.com/industries/retail/our-insights/the-state-of-grocery-in-north-america-2023

# Consumers, especially younger ones, continue to place a premium on sustainability.

**Attitude toward premiumization and sustainability,** <sup>1</sup>% of respondents who are willing to pay more for environmentally friendly products (eg, zero pollution, recyclable materials, or minimized packaging)



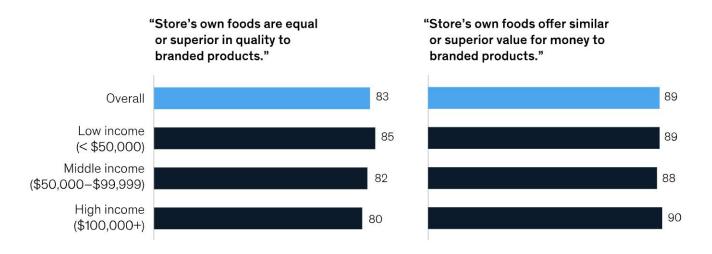
'Question: Think about the following types of food/services. Which statement best describes your attitude? Source: McKinsey State of Grocery Consumer Survey July 7—15, 2023 (n = 2,011, sampled and weighted to match the US general population aged 18 years and older)

McKinsey & Company



Most consumers across income groups perceive private brands as equal or superior in quality and value to national brands.

Attitude toward store's own brands compared to national brands, 1% of respondents



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Question: We would like to ask you a few questions about store's own brand foods (ie, food products sold under the label of the grocery retailer). In each line, please select which statement you agree with the most. Source: McKinsey State of Grocery Consumer Survey, July 7–15, 2023 (n = 2,011, sampled and weighted to match the US general population aged 18 years and older)

#### Carbon Emissions



Sprouts recognizes the impact that climate has within our supply chain and effects on our stores in terms of the occurrence and intensity of climate related weather events. We continually monitor and evaluate risks to our business stemming from climate change and are in the process of developing plans to mitigate some of these effects. Over the next year, we expect to commit to setting a science-based target for carbon reduction, along with aligning our climate goals with the framework of the Task Force on Climate Financial Disclosure ("TFCD").

Within our operations, we have invested in green building practices and efficiency efforts to minimize the resources used in our stores and supply chain. Each store is connected to a centralized environmental management system which tracks performance and ensures they are running efficiently.

- 10% reduction in scope 1 and 2 carbon emissions per square foot from 2019
- 28% of our grid energy was from renewable sources
- 23% smaller store footprint reducing energy consumption onsite

#### CARBON EMISSIONS

	2020 Emissions (metric tons CO <sub>2</sub> e)	2021 Emissions (metric tons CO <sub>2</sub> e)
Waste	33,318	0,947
Upstream T&D	53,393	53,150
Natural Gas	28,601	29,878
Refrigerant (stationary)	61,509	68,930
Electricity	121,693	1177,668
Totals	298,514	300,573
Scope 1	90,110	98,808
Scope 2	121,693	117,668
Scope 3	87,711	84,097