

## FIN104 Tutorial Questions - Week 4

**1. Market Value Added. Here is a simplified balance sheet for Locust Farming (CH4.Q1):**

Current assets	\$42,524	Current liabilities	\$29,755
Long-term assets	46,832	Long-term debt	27,752
		Other liabilities	14,317
		Equity	17,532
Total	\$89,356	Total	\$89,356

**Locust has 657 million shares outstanding with a market price of \$83 a share.**

- Calculate the company's market value added.
- Calculate the market-to-book ratio.
- How much value has the company created for its shareholders as a percent of shareholders' equity, that is, as a percent of the net capital contributed by shareholders)?

### **Answers:**

a. Market value = 657 mil  $\times$  \$83 = \$54,531 million

Market value added = 54,531 – 17,532 = \$36,999 million

b. Market / book = 54,531 / 17,532 = 3.11

c. The company has increased the value of the equity investment by \$36,999 million, which is 211% of shareholders' equity on the balance sheet.

## 2. Financial Ratios. Here are simplified financial statements for Phone Corporation in 2017(CH4.Q7):

<b>INCOME STATEMENT</b> (Figures in \$ millions)	
Net sales	\$13,193
Cost of goods sold	4,060
Other expenses	4,049
Depreciation	2,518
Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT)	\$ 2,566
Interest expense	685
Income before tax	\$ 1,881
Taxes (at 35%)	658
Net income	\$ 1,223
Dividends	856

<b>BALANCE SHEET</b> (Figures in \$ millions)		
	End of Year	Start of Year
<b>Assets</b>		
Cash and marketable securities	\$ 89	\$ 158
Receivables	2,382	2,490
Inventories	187	238
Other current assets	867	932
Total current assets	\$ 3,525	\$ 3,818
Net property, plant, and equipment	19,973	19,915
Other long-term assets	4,216	3,770
Total assets	\$27,714	\$27,503
<b>Liabilities and shareholders' equity</b>		
Payables	\$ 2,564	\$ 3,040
Short-term debt	1,419	1,573
Other current liabilities	811	787
Total current liabilities	\$ 4,794	\$ 5,400
Long-term debt and leases	7,018	6,833
Other long-term liabilities	6,178	6,149
Shareholders' equity	9,724	9,121
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$27,714	\$27,503

**Calculate the following financial ratios for Phone Corporation**

**using the methodologies listed for each part:**

- a. Return on equity (use average balance sheet figures)
- b. Return on assets (use average balance sheet figures)
- c. Return on capital (use average balance sheet figures)
- d. Days in inventory (use start-of-year balance sheet figures)
- e. Inventory turnover
- f. Average collection period (use start-of-year balance sheet figures)
- g. Operating profit margin
- h. Long-term debt ratio (use end-of-year balance sheet figures)
- i. Total debt ratio (use end-of-year balance sheet figures)
- j. Time's interest earned
- k. Cash coverage ratio
- l. Current ratio (use end-of-year balance sheet figures)
- m. Quick ratio (use end-of-year balance sheet figures)

**Answers:**

- a. Return on equity  $= \frac{1,223}{(9,724 + 9,121) / 2} = 0.129796 = 13\%$
- b. Return on assets  $= \frac{1,223 + 685 \times (1 - .35)}{(27,714 + 27,503) / 2} = 0.0604 = 6.04\%$
- c. Return on capital  $= \frac{1,223 + 685 \times (1 - .35)}{[(7,018 + 9,724) + (6,833 + 9,121)] / 2} = 0.1020 = 10.20\%$
- d. Days sales in inventory  $= \frac{238}{4,060 / 365} = 21.40 \text{ days}$

- e. Inventory turnover  $= \frac{4,060}{(187 + 238) / 2} = 19.11$
- f. Average collection period  $= \frac{2,490}{13,193 / 365} = 68.89 \text{ days}$
- g. Operating profit margin  $= \frac{1,223 + 685 \times (1 - .35)}{13,193} = 0.1264 = 12.64\%$
- h. Long-term debt ratio  $= \frac{7,018}{7,018 + 9,724} = 0.42$
- i. Total debt ratio  $= \frac{4,794 + 7,018 + 6,178}{27,714} = 0.65$
- j. Times interest earned  $= \frac{2,566}{685} = 3.75$
- k. Cash coverage ratio  $= \frac{2,566 + 2,518}{685} = 7.42$
- l. Current ratio  $= \frac{3,525}{4,794} = 0.74$
- m. Quick ratio  $= \frac{89 + 2,382}{4,794} = 0.52$

**3. Financial Ratios. Consider this simplified balance sheet for Geomorph Trading (CH4.Q8):**

Current assets	\$100	Current liabilities	\$60
Long-term assets	500	Long-term debt	280
		Other liabilities	70
		Equity	190
Total	\$600	Total	\$600

- What is the company's debt-equity ratio?
- What is the ratio of total long-term debt to total long-term capital?
- What is its net working capital?

d. What is its current ratio?

**Answers:**

- a. Debt / equity =  $410/190 = 2.58$
- b. Total long- term debt / total long- term capital =  $280/(280 + 190) = .60$
- c. Net working capital =  $100 - 60 = 40$
- d. Current ratio =  $100/60 = 1.67$

**4. Du Pont Analysis. Keller Cosmetics maintains an operating profit margin of 5% and asset turnover ratio of 3. (CH4.Q26).**

- a. What is its ROA?
- b. If its debt-equity ratio is 1, its interest payments and taxes are each \$8,000, and EBIT is \$20,000, what is its ROE?

**Answers:**

a. ROA = asset turnover  $\times$  operating profit margin =  $3 \times 0.05 = 0.15 = 15\%$

b. Using Equation 4.2 for ROE, modified to include ROA from above

$$\text{ROE} = \frac{\text{assets}}{\text{equity}} \times \text{ROA} \times \frac{\text{net income}}{\text{Aftertax operating income}}$$

If debt/equity = 1, then debt = equity, so total assets are twice equity.

Net income = EBIT – interest – taxes =  $20,000 - 8,000 - 8,000 = 4,000$

$$\text{Tax rate} = \frac{\text{taxes}}{\text{EBT}} = \frac{8,000}{20,000 - 8,000} = .66 \text{ or } 66\%$$

$$\text{ROE} = \frac{2}{1} \times .15 \times \frac{4,000}{4,000 + 8,000 \times (1 - .66)} = .18 \text{ or } 18\%$$