

ACCT7106 – Session #7: Reformulating the Financial Statements

PART 1 – Background

- overarching objective:* **Assignment Project Exam Help**
to conduct fundamental value for the purpose of estimating the ‘intrinsic value’ of a firm’s common shares <https://powcoder.com>
- requires an understanding of the firm’s ‘value drivers’ **Add WeChat powcoder**
 - ➔ need to accumulate a ‘tool kit’ as the basis for developing the *pro forma Financial Statements*

\Rightarrow **projected** $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Balance Sheet (B/S)} \\ \text{Income Statement (I/S)} \\ \text{Statement of Cash Flows (SCF)} \end{array} \right\}$
 over the forecast horizon

\Rightarrow core inputs into the valuation model $\rightarrow x \quad g$
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$$V_0 = \sum_{t=1}^{\infty} \frac{x_t}{(1+k_t)^t} = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{E(x_t)}{(1+k)^t} + \frac{E(x_n)(1+g)}{k-g} \frac{1}{(1+k)^n}$$

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STEP 1 Understanding the past

1. Information collection
2. Understanding the business
3. Accounting analysis
4. Financial ratio analysis
5. Cash flow analysis

STEP 2 Forecasting the future

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1. Structured forecasting
2. Income Statement forecasts
3. Balance sheet forecasts
4. Cash flow forecasts



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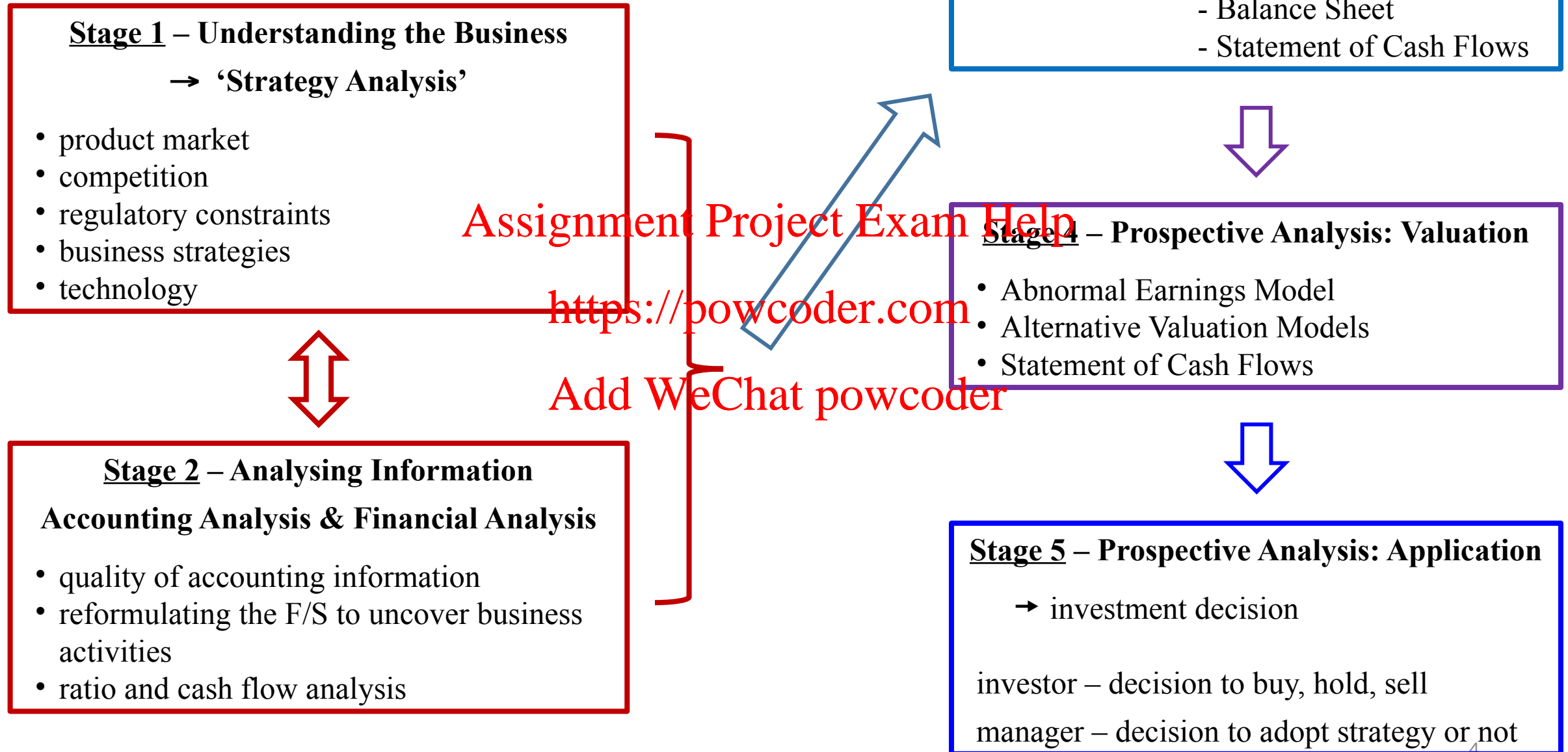


STEP 3 Valuation

1. Cost of capital
2. Valuation models – AE, FCF, D
3. Valuation ratios
4. Complications
 - a. Negative values
 - b. Value creation and destruction

Figure 1.1 Lundholm & Sloan, *Framework for Equity Valuation*

Stages of the Analysis



external environment

- economic prospects
- macroeconomic factors
- socio-cultural forces
- political / regulatory

Analysis of Financial Statements

- understanding current F/S
- re-formulating the F/S
- accounting quality

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Industry dynamics

→ Porter's five forces

(suppliers, buyers, new entrants, substitutes, rivalry)

- analysts' reports
- management forecasts
- financial press
- ???

➤ Financial Statements – AASB 101:

- Balance Sheet
- Income Statement *and/or* Statement of Comprehensive Income
- Statement of Changes in Equity
- Statement of Cash Flows
- Notes to the financial statements

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➤ building blocks → definitions specific to accounting

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➤ accounting principles → AASB / IFRS rules to guide accounting decisions/choices

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➤ recognition (item to F/S) *versus* disclosure (notes)

➤ ‘accountability’ & ‘stewardship’

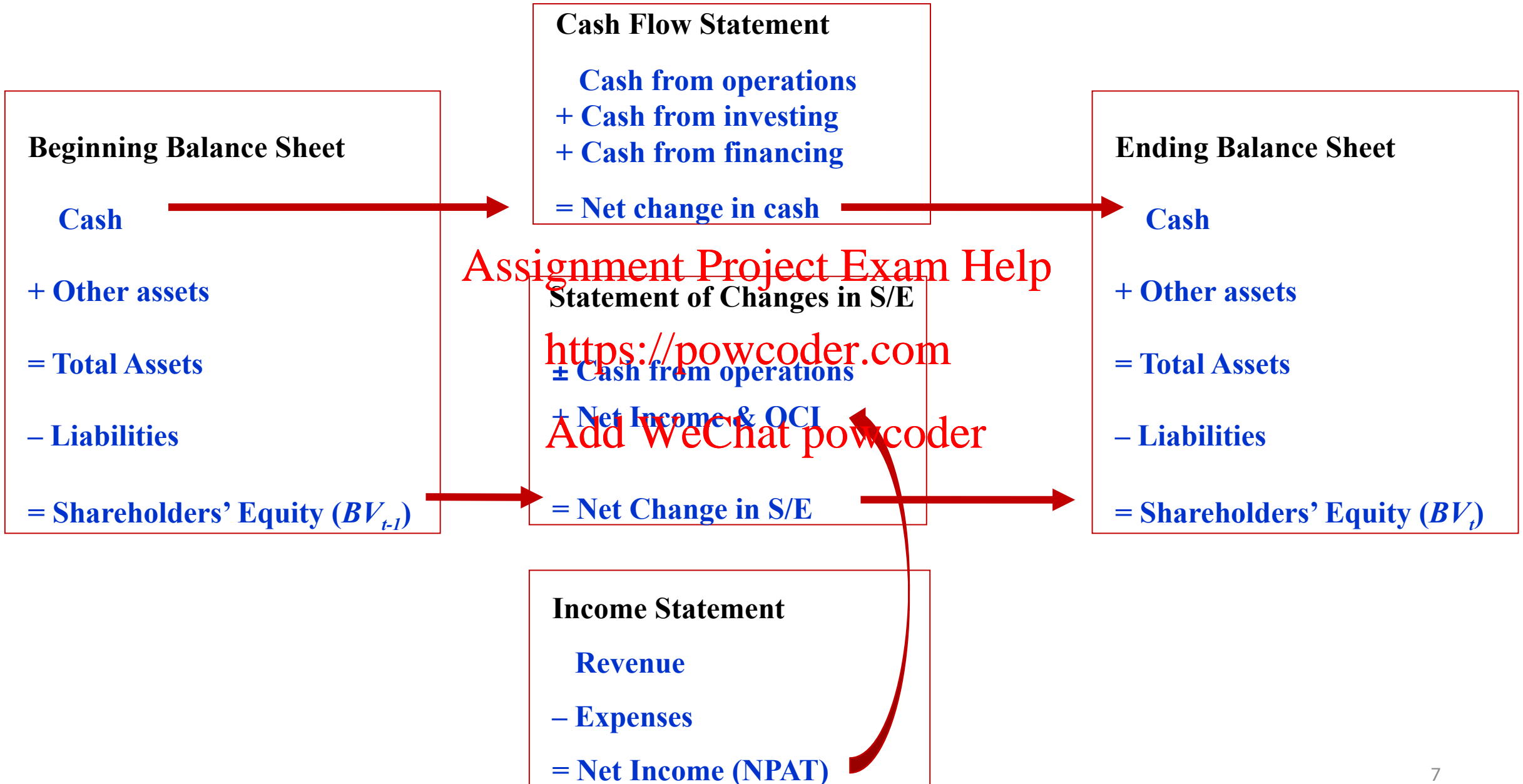
- ‘**accountability**’ → preservation by management of the resources entrusted to them
- ‘**stewardship**’ → efficient use by management of resources entrusted to them (earning a return)

‘**articulation**’ → Financial Statements constitute an ‘**integrated system**’

beginning stock

flows

ending stock



pro forma Income Statement

	2019	2020	2021E	2022E	2023E
Sales	38,176	37,408	± ?	± ?	± ?
Other operating revenue	288	376			
Cost of sales	(29,253)	(28,043)	± ?	± ?	± ?
Other income	428	408			
Administrative expenses	(8,031)	(8,081)	± ?	± ?	± ?
Other expenses	(146)	---			
Share – equity investments	5	(6)			
Financing costs	(42)	(443)	± ?	± ?	± ?
Income tax expense	(347)	(341)	± ?	± ?	± ?

caution – for ‘clean surplus’ and consistent estimates, the accounting system must reconcile

⇒ **‘articulation’**: must concurrently develop the *pro forma* B/S and SCF

PART 2 – Reformulation

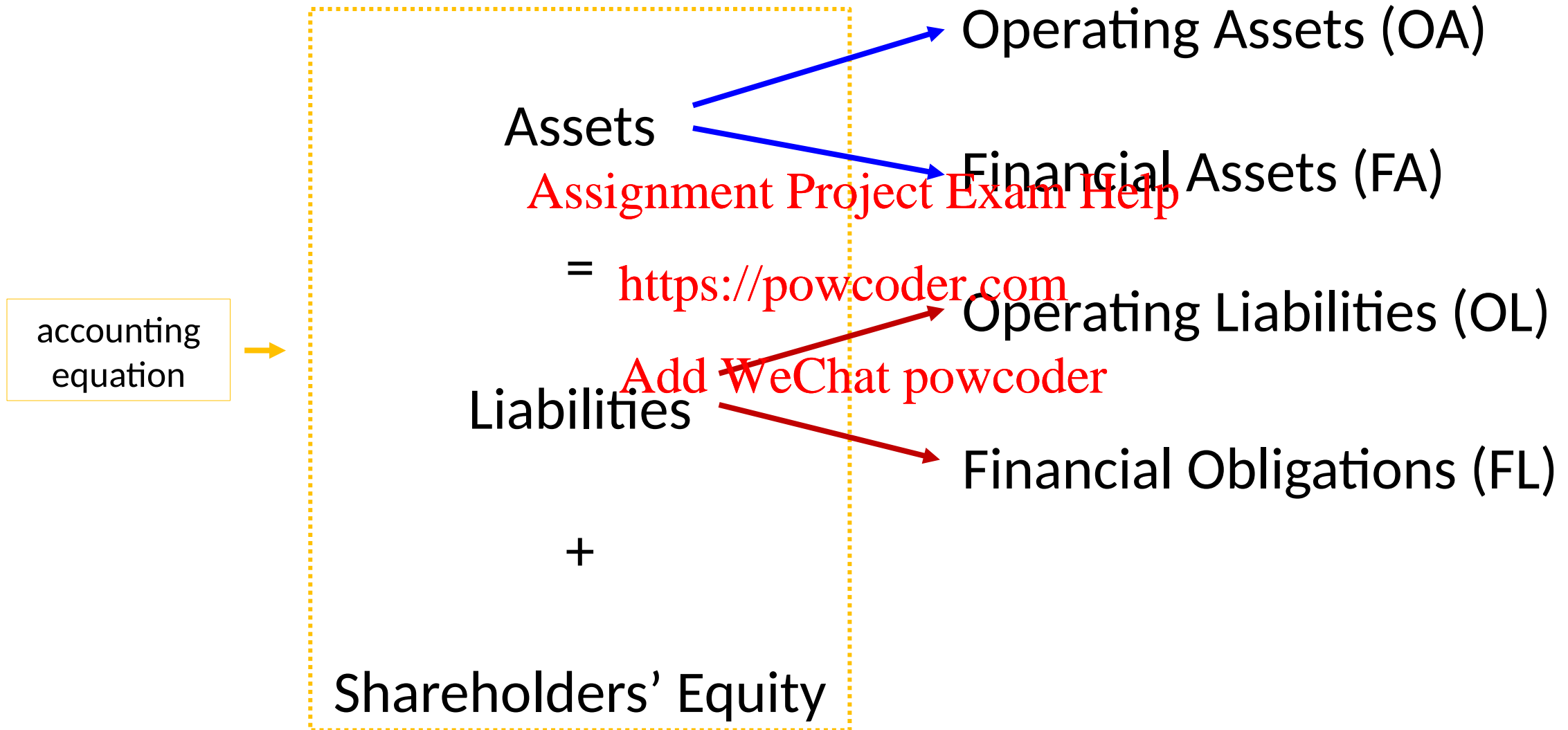
▪ Objectives:

- separate **operating** activities from **financing** activities
 - *Operations*: buying and selling goods and services
 - *Financing*: the company's use of debt and equity to finance its operations, as well as the company's investment in financial assets

Why separate? industrial companies generate value from their operations, not from their financial activities

- alter several accounting classifications
- for the Income Statement, separate revenues and expenses based on their driver (sales volume or other), and whether they are recurring or non-recurring

Balance Sheet Reformulation



$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 \text{Assets (A)} & = & \text{Liabilities (L)} + \text{Shareholders' Equity (S/E)} \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 [\text{OA} + \text{FA}] & = & [\text{OL} + \text{FO}] + \text{S/E}
 \end{array}$$



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$$(\text{OA} - \text{OL}) = (\text{FO} - \text{FA}) + \text{S/E}$$



$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 \text{net operating assets} & = & \text{net financial obligations} + \text{Shareholders' Equity} \\
 (\text{OA} - \text{OL}) & & (\text{FO} - \text{FA}) \quad \text{S/E}
 \end{array}$$

Step #1 – Operating Assets (OA) versus Financial Assets (FA)

- *Operating Assets (OA)* – assets used in selling goods and services (the company's business)
- *Financial Assets (FA)* – assets used to invest excess cash (investments not tied to the business)
 - two broad criteria:
 - **nature** of the item itself
 - **function** of the item in the company's operations
- typical indicators of Financial Assets (FA) (none are decisive on their own):
 - the item is financial nature, such as investments in debt/equity securities
 - typically measured at fair value e.g., investments in debt or equity
 - typically earn interest or dividends for the company
 - the asset is not integrated into the company's operations
- separating operating cash (OA) and financial cash (FA) is a matter of judgement (e.g., 0.5% of sales revenue)

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Step #2 – Operating Liabilities (OL) versus Financial Obligations (FO)

- *Operating Liabilities (OL)* – liabilities associated with selling goods and services (the company's business)
- *Financial Obligations (FO)* – sources of financing other than CSE (basically debt)
- typical indicators of Financial Obligations (FO):
 - the company pays interest on them and has an obligation to repay
 - most are measured at amortised cost (or rarely fair value)
 - the liability is not integrated with the company's operations
- items for reclassification
 - dividends payable – treat as part of S/E
 - preference shares – treat as a financial obligation (FO) and dividend as a financial expense
 - derivative securities – given the challenges of specifically confirming the nature of each contract, we will treat 'derivative financial assets' as FA and 'derivative financial liabilities' as FO
 - leases – under AASB16, all leases recognised as finance leases → lease assets treated as operating assets, lease obligations as financial obligations, and lease interest as a financial expense

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	CONSOLIDATED			
	NOTES	28 JUNE 2020	30 JUNE 2019	
		\$M	\$M	
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	2.1	992	940	→ OA / FA (0.5%)
Trade and other receivables	2.2	434	360	→ OA (after checking note)
Inventories	2.4	2,166	1,965	→ OA (after checking note)
Income tax receivable		42	-	→ FA
Assets held for sale	5.2	75	94	→ OA (after checking note)
Other assets	2.3	70	47	→ OA (after checking note)
Total current assets		3,779	3,406	

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	NOTES	28 JUNE 2020 \$M	30 JUNE 2019 \$M	
Non-current assets				
Property, plant and equipment	2.5	4,127	4,119	→ OA (after checking note)
Right-of-use assets	2.7	2,660	-	→ OA (after checking note)
Intangible assets	2.6	1,597	1,541	→ OA (after checking note)
Deferred tax assets	1.6	849	365	→ OA (after checking note)
Equity accounted investments	5.1	217	212	→ OA (after checking note)
Other assets	2.3	120	134	→ OA (after checking note)
Total non-current assets		14,570	6,371	

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* Note 2.9 reveals that 2019 'provisions' include amounts for 'lease provisions' = FO

		CONSOLIDATED	
		28 JUNE 2020	30 JUNE 2019
Liabilities			
Current liabilities	NOTES	\$M	\$M
Trade and other payables	2.8	3,737	3,380
Provisions	2.9	861	743
Lease liabilities	2.7	885	-
Other		198	168
Total current liabilities		5,681	4,291
Non-current liabilities			
Interest-bearing liabilities	3.1	1,354	1,460
Provisions	2.9	472	598
Lease liabilities	2.7	8,198	-
Other		29	71
Total non-current liabilities		10,053	2,129
Total liabilities		15,734	6,420

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- OL (after checking note)
- OL/FO (after checking note)
- FO (after checking note)
- OL (assumed)
- FO (after checking note)
- OL/FO (after checking note)
- FO (after checking note)
- OL (assumed)

Reformulation Summary - Coles

	2020	2019			2020	2019
OA	17,502	9,028		FA	847	749
OL	<u>5,297</u>	<u>4,308</u>		FO	<u>10,437</u>	<u>112</u>
				NFO	9,590	(637)
				S/E	<u>2,615</u>	<u>3,357</u>
NOA	12,205	2,720		NFO + S/E	12,205	2,720

- **** The reported 2019 figures are *NOT* directly comparable with the reported 2020 figures because of the adoption of AASB 16 (leases) which brought lease commitments into the B/S as both 'right of use assets' and 'lease liabilities'

PART 3 – Income Statement Reformulation

overview – reformulation of the AASB/IFRS Income Statement and Statement of Comprehensive Income into a *Reformulated Income Statement* such that it:

1. divides Income Statement items into operating versus financing activity related
2. further divides operating income into three categories, based on whether the items are recurring and driven by sales
3. reallocates income tax expense to remove the tax effects of debt financing/financial assets
4. divides OCI into operating and financing aspects

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Process (as per schema on the next slide) -

Step #1: divide every line item in the Income Statement between operating and financing

Step #2: divide operating items into:

- core operating income from sales
- core other operating income
- unusual operating income

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Step #3: divide income tax expense between:

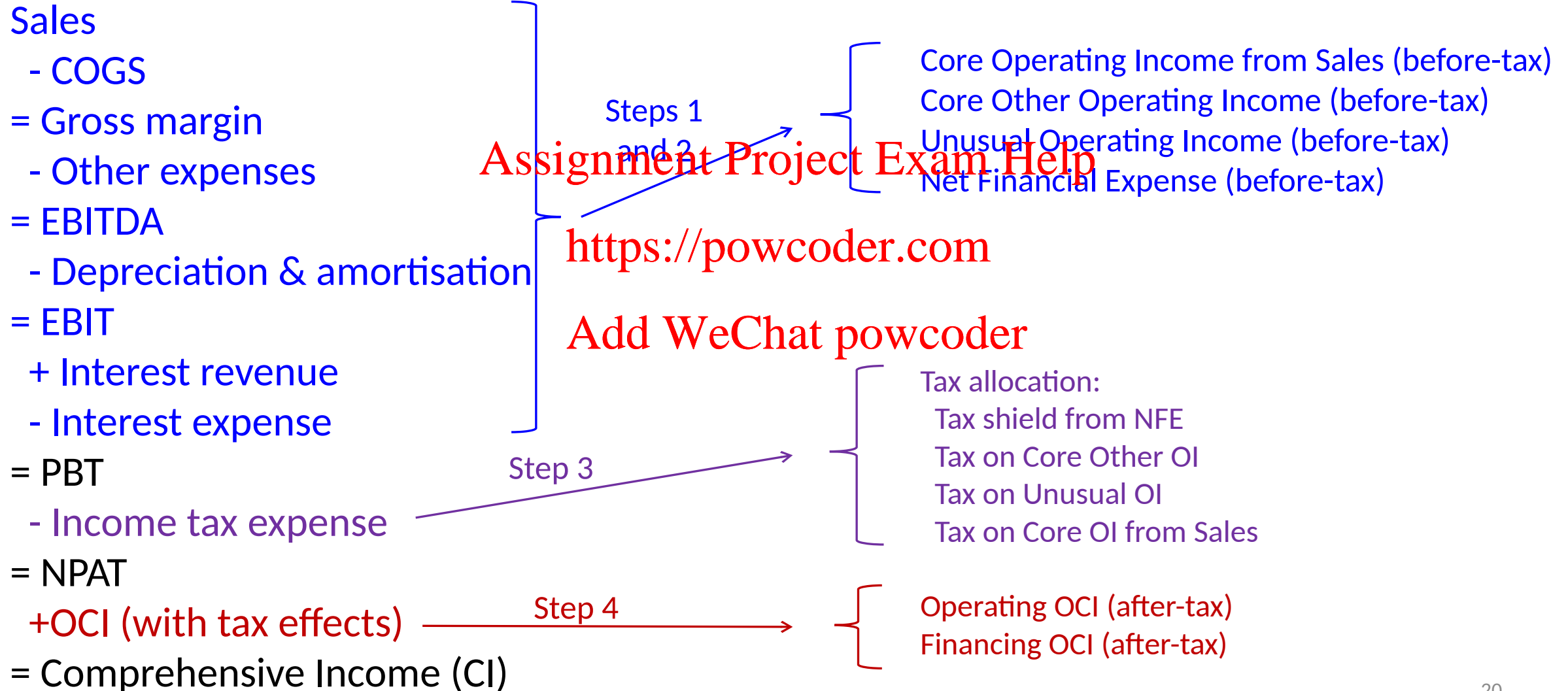
- core operating income from sales
- core other operating income
- unusual operating Income
- net financial expense (or net financial income)

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Step #4: divide OCI items (after-tax) between operating and financing

AASB/IFRS Income Statement & Statement of Comprehensive Income

Reformulated Income Statement



Step #1: divide every line item in the Income Statement between operating and financing

- ❑ *Operating items* – revenues/expenses (or gains/losses) related to the company's operations
- ❑ *Financing items* – revenues/expenses (or gains/losses) related to the company's financing activities
 - consider information in the notes and the company's operating model (judgement)
 - try to be consistent in how you reformulate the B/S and I/S

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Step #2: divide 'operating items' into:

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- core operating income from sales → recurring operating income related to the company's main operations (*driven by sales volume*) e.g., sales, COGS, wage expense
- core other operating income → recurring operating income that is not related to the company's main operations (*not driven by sales volume*)
- unusual operating income → non-recurring (one-time) operating income

		CONSOLIDATED		
		YEAR ENDED	YEAR ENDED	
		28 JUNE 2020	30 JUNE 2019	
	NOTES	\$M	\$M	
Continuing operations				
Sales revenue	1.3	37,408	38,176	→ Core OI from sales
Other operating revenue		376	288	→ Core other OI
Total operating revenue		37,784	38,464	
Cost of sales		(28,043)	(29,253)	→ Core OI from sales
Gross profit		9,741	9,211	
Other income		108	428	→ Core other OI
Administration expenses	1.4	(8,081)	(8,031)	→ Core OI from sales & Unusual OI*
Other expenses			(146)	→ Core financing expense (NFE)
Share of net (loss) / profit of equity accounted investments	5.1	(6)	5	→ Core other OI
Earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)		1,762	1,467	
Financing costs	1.5	(43)	(42)	→ Core financing expense (NFE)
Profit before income tax		1,319	1,425	
Income tax expense	1.6	(341)	(347)	→ Step #3
Profit for the year from continuing operations		978	1,078	
Discontinued operations				
Profit from discontinued operations after tax	5.3	-	357	→ Unusual OI (also Step #3 re: tax)
Profit for the year		978	1,435	

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* Note 1.4 indicates that 'Administrative expenses' include an 'impairment reversal' of \$41 million in 2020 and an 'impairment expense' of \$42 million in 2019 → 'Unusual OI'

Summary – Coles reformulated Income Statement (following Steps #1 & #2)

	2020	2019
Core OI from Sales (before tax)	1,243	934
Core Other OI (before tax)	478	721
Core OI (before tax)	1,721	1,655
Unusual OI (before tax)	41	315
Core NFE (before tax)	(443)	(188)

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* 2020 reconciles; 2019 does NOT = 'profit from discontinued operations after tax' = 357

versus reported profit before tax from the I/S

	2020	2019
Profit before tax	1,319	1,425

Step #3: divide income tax expense between:

- core operating income from sales
- core other operating income
- unusual operating Income
- net financial expense (or net financial income)

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Note: Australia has a stated corporate tax rate of 30% (for large companies)

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⇒ we will use the 30% rate for the disaggregation process above

(while the true tax rate is rarely exactly 30% for most companies, the staged approach that we adopt will accommodate the differences)

'Staged approach' → allocation tax in the reverse order, with the tax expense deemed to be associated with core operating income from sales calculated as the residual amount i.e.,

1st – calculate the debt tax shield (extra tax) associated with NFE (NFI)
= $\text{NFE} \times 30\%$ (or $\text{NFI} \times 30\%$)

2nd – calculate tax expense/deduction associated with Unusual Operating Income
= $\text{Unusual OI} \times 30\%$

3rd – calculate tax expense/deduction associated with Core Other Operating Income
= $\text{Core Other OI} \times 30\%$

4th – calculate tax expense associated with Core Operating Income from Sales
= $\text{Income tax expense} + \text{Tax shield from NFE} (-\text{Extra tax paid on NFI}) - \text{Tax expense (+deduction) from Unusual OI} - \text{Tax expense (+deduction) from Core Other OI}$

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To illustrate, consider the following reformulated Income Statement:

Core Operating Income from Sales	300
Core Other Operating Income	200
Unusual Operating Income	100
Net Financial Expenses	<u>(200)</u>
Profit Before Tax	400
Tax Expense	<u>(130)</u>
Net Profit After Tax (NPAT)	270

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⇒ allocation of the tax expense -

1 st	tax shield from Net Financial Expenses	$= 0.30 * 200$	$= 60$
2 nd	tax on Unusual Operating Income	$= 0.30 * 100$	$= 30$
3 rd	tax on Core Other Operating Income	$= 0.30 * 200$	$= 60$
➔ 4 th	tax on Core Operating Income from Sales	$= 130 + 60 - 30 - 60 = 100$	

Aside – why is the tax allocation associated with Net Financial Expenses added back?

- interest expense is tax deductible whereas dividends are paid out of after-tax income
→ Net Financial Expenses provide a ‘tax shield’ (i.e., they reduce taxes)

to illustrate,

	<u>A – no debt</u>	<u>B – debt</u>
Operating Income	1,000	1,000
Net Financial Expenses	(400)	<u>(400)</u>
Profit Before Tax	1,000	600
Tax Expense @ 30%	<u>(300)</u>	<u>(180)</u>
Net Profit After Tax	700	420

⇒ for B, debt provides a ‘tax shield’ of 120 ($= 0.30 * 400$)

→ the ‘true’ tax expense on Operating Income is 300 ($= 180 + 120$)

PART 4 – further illustration

Sales Revenue	2,000	Core Operating Income from Sales
Rental Income	<u>20</u>	Core Other Operating Income
Total Revenue	2,020	
Cost of Goods Sold	(1,000)	Core Operating Income from Sales
Wage Expense	(250)	Core Operating Income from Sales
Advertising Expense	(50)	Core Operating Income from Sales
Interest Income	20	Net Financial Expense
Share of profit from equity-accounted investments	10	Core Other Operating Income
Gain on sale of property	30	Unusual Operating Income
Restructuring charges	<u>(10)</u>	Unusual Operating Income
EBITDA	770	
Depreciation & Amortisation	<u>(250)</u>	Core Operating Income from Sales
EBIT	520	
Interest Expense	<u>(100)</u>	Net Financial Expense
Profit Before Tax (PBT)	420	
Tax Expense @ 30%	<u>(126)</u>	
Net Profit After Tax (NPAT)	294	

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⇒ reformulated

Core Operating Income from Sales (before tax)

Sales	2,000	
COGS	(1,000)	
Wage expense	(250)	
Advertising expense	(50)	
Depreciation & Amortisation	<u>(250)</u>	450

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Core Other Operating Income (before tax)

Rental income	<u>20</u>	
Share of profit from equity-accounted investments	<u>10</u>	30

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Unusual Operating Income (before tax)

Gain on sale of property	30	
Restructuring charges	<u>(10)</u>	20

Net Financial Expenses (before tax)

Interest expense	(100)	
Interest income	<u>20</u>	<u>(80)</u>
		420 = PBT

Tax Allocation:

1 st	tax shield from Net Financial Expenses	= 0.30 * 80	= 24
2 nd	tax on Unusual Operating Income	= 0.30 * 20	= 6
3 rd	tax on Core Other Operating Income	= 0.30 * 30	= 9
➔ 4 th	tax on Core Operating Income from Sales	= 126 + 24 - 6 - 9 = 135	

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Core Operating Income from Sales (after tax) 450 - 135 = 315

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Core Other Operating Income (after tax) 30 - 9 = 21

Unusual Operating Income (after tax) 20 - 6 = 14

Net Financial Expenses (after tax) (80) + 24 = (56) 294 = NPAT

Step #4: divide Other Comprehensive Income items (after-tax) between operating and financing

- typical operating OCI items:
 - FX translation gain/loss
 - actuarial gain/loss on defined benefit plans
 - revaluation of PPE
- typical financial OCI items:
 - gain/loss from fair value changes in financial assets that go through OCI
 - gain/loss from cash flow hedges and fair value hedges
 - gain/loss from fair value changes in financial obligations

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	NOTES	28 JUNE 2020 \$M	30 JUNE 2019 \$M
Profit for the year		978	1,435
Other comprehensive income			
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss:			
Net movement in the fair value of cash flow hedges		(17)	(2)
Income tax effect	1.6	5	1
Other comprehensive loss which may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods		(12)	(1)
Total comprehensive income attributable to:			
Equity holders of the parent entity		966	1,434
Total comprehensive income from continuing operations attributable to:			
Equity holders of the parent entity		966	1,077

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note – tax effect on OCI item is provided

cash flow hedge
→ financial OCI

Returning to the *previous illustration*, now extended to include a series of OCI items

NPAT	294		
Other Comprehensive Income			
Asset revaluation	40	→	operating
fair value gain on shares carried at FV	20	} →	financing
tax effect	(6)		
loss on re-measurement of defined benefits plan	(10)	} →	operating
tax effect	3		
Total OCI	<u>47</u>		
Comprehensive Income	341		

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Core Operating Income from Sales (after tax)	450 – 135	=	315
Core Other Operating Income (after tax)	30 – 9	=	21
Unusual Operating Income (after tax)	20 – 6	=	14
Net Financial Expenses (after tax)	(80) + 24	=	(56)

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Operating OCI (after tax)	40 – 10 + 3	=	33
Financing OCI (after tax)	20 – 6	=	14

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➔	Total Operating Income (after tax) = 315 + 21 + 14 + 33	383
	Total Net Financial Expense = (56) + 14	<u>(42)</u>
	Comprehensive Income (after tax)	341

Coles reformulated Income Statement

	2020	2019
Core OI from Sales (before tax)	1,243	934
Core Other OI (before tax)	478	721
Unusual OI (before tax)	41	315**
Core NFE (before tax)	(443)	(188)
Tax expense	341	347
OCI – cash flow hedge	(17)	(2)
tax effect	5	1

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315** ⇒ 357 'profit from discontinued operations *after tax*' – 42 'impairment expense'
re: discontinued note 5.3 → profit before tax = 509; tax expense = 152

re: 2020

1 st	tax shield from Net Financial Expenses	= 0.30 * 443	= 132.9
2 nd	tax on Unusual Operating Income	= 0.30 * 41	= 12.3
3 rd	tax on Core Other Operating Income	= 0.30 * 478	= 143.4
➔ 4 th	tax on Core Operating Income from Sales	= 341 + 132.9 - 12.3 - 143.4 =	318.2

Core Operating Income from Sales (after tax)	1,243 - 318.2	=	924.8
Core Other Operating Income (after tax)	478 - 143.4	=	334.6
Unusual Operating Income (after tax)	41 - 12.3	=	28.7
Net Financial Expenses (after tax)	(443) + 132.9	=	(310.1)
Financing OCI (after tax)	(17) + 5	=	(12)

➔	Total Operating Income (after tax) = 924.8 + 334.6 + 28.7	1,288.1
	Total Net Financial Expense (after tax) = (310.1) + (12)	<u>(322.1)</u>
	Comprehensive Income (after tax)	966

re: 2019

1 st	tax shield from Net Financial Expenses	= 0.30 * 188	= 56.4
2 nd	tax on Unusual Operating Income	= 0.30 * 42	= 12.6
3 rd	tax on Core Other Operating Income	= 0.30 * 721	= 216.3
➔ 4 th	tax on Core Operating Income from Sales	= 347 + 56.4 + 12.6 - 216.3 =	199.7

Core Operating Income from Sales (after tax)	734 - 199.7	= 734.3
Core Other Operating Income (after tax)	721 - 216.3	= 504.7
Unusual Operating Income (after tax)	(42 - 12.6) + 357	= 327.6
Net Financial Expenses (after tax)	(188) + 56.4	= (131.6)
Financing OCI (after tax)	(2) + 1	= (1)

➔	Total Operating Income (after tax) = 924.8 + 334.6 + 28.7	1,566.6
	Total Net Financial Expense (after tax) = (131.6) + (1)	<u>(132.6)</u>
	Comprehensive Income (after tax)	1,434

PART 5 – Reformulation of the Statement of Cash Flows

Coles Group Limited 2020 Annual Report

The IFRS / AASB SCF (direct method) has the following basic structure –

Cash Flow from Operations (CFO)



Cash Flow from Investing (CFI)



Cash Flow from Financing (CFF)

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Change in Cash & Cash Equivalents

	NOTES	28 JUNE 2020 \$M	30 JUNE 2019 \$M
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts from customers		39,971	41,126
Receipt from Viva Energy		-	137
Payments to suppliers and employees		(36,486)	(38,665)
Interest paid		(37)	(33)
Interest component of lease payments		(399)	-
Dividends received		7	4
Income tax paid		(504)	(294)
Net cash flows from operating activities	2.1	2,552	2,275
Cash flows used in investing activities			
Purchases of property, plant and equipment and intangibles		(833)	(1,104)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		211	288
Proceeds from sale of controlled entities		-	544
Net investments in joint venture and associate	5.1	(11)	(6)
Acquisitions and disposals of businesses, net of cash acquired		(25)	(2)
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(658)	(280)
Cash flows used in financing activities			
Proceeds from borrowings		5,120	10,260
Repayment of borrowings		(5,226)	(8,800)
Proceeds from borrowings with related parties		-	170
Repayment of borrowings with related parties		-	(3,678)
Payment of principal component of lease payments		(846)	-
Distributions to Wesfarmers		-	(320)
Redemption of redeemable preference shares		-	1,322
Dividends paid		(873)	-
Capital return		-	(538)
Purchase of shares under Equity Incentive Plan		(17)	(27)
Net cash flows used in financing activities		(1,842)	(1,611)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		52	384
Cash at the beginning of the financial period	2.1	940	556
Cash at the end of the financial period	2.1	992	940

The key objectives when reformulating the Statement of Cash Flows are:

- ❑ to separate operating activities (cash flows and investments to/from OAs and OLs) from financing activities (cash flows and investments to/from FAs and FOs)
- ❑ to calculate the firm's free cash flow (FCF), and show how it is generated and used (FCF is the cash that a company generates from its operations in excess of its cash used for investments in net operating assets)
- ❑ to separate equity and debt financing cash flows

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note: unlike the I/S, we are not doing a 'full' reformulation of the CF statement but rather just fixing several "*classification problems*"

why? the AASB/IFRS cash flow statement is also already formulated to separate financing cash flows from operating/investing cash flows

the SCF is not as important as the I/S and the B/S are for valuation

Reformulated Statement of Cash Flows

Adjusted Cash flow from operations

C

Adjusted Cash investment in operating assets

I

Free Cash Flow (FCF)

$C + I$

Generation of FCF
from operating
activities

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Equity financing flows

dividends & share repurchases

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share issuances

(XX)

E

Debt financing flows

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net purchase of financial assets

(XX)

interest on financial assets (after tax)

XX

net issue of debt

XX

interest on debt (after tax)

(XX)

F

Total Financing cash flows

$E + F$

'Uses' of FCF in
financing activities

Generation of Free Cash Flow (FCF) = C + I

➔ cash generated by operations less cash used for investment in operating assets

- adjusted cash flow from operations (C): cash receipts/payments related to the company's operations (operating assets and operating liabilities)
- adjusted cash flow from investing (I): cash receipts/payments related to investments in long-term operating assets (e.g., PP&E, intangibles, acquisitions)

note: all of these cash flows are related to net operating assets (NOA)

FCF > 0 ⇒ the company has spare (or 'free') cash that can be paid out to shareholders and financial obligations, or invested in financial assets

FCF < 0 ⇒ the company's operations are not generating enough cash to fund its current investments in net operating assets

→ the company will need to raise capital from shareholders and financial obligations, or by selling financial assets

Uses of Free Cash Flow (FCF) = $E + F$:

- Equity financing cash flows (E): cash transactions with shareholders (dividends, share repurchases, and share issues)
- Debt financing cash flows (F):
 - cash receipts/payments related to financial obligations (FO) e.g., proceeds from borrowings/repayment of borrowing, and interest paid
 - cash receipts/payments related to financial assets e.g., investment in financial cash, sale of short-term investments/purchase of short-term investments, and interest received

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note: all of these cash flows are related to net financial obligations (NFO) and shareholders' equity (S/E)

“classification problems” requiring adjustment –

- interest paid/received
- investments in financial assets
- separation of ‘cash & cash equivalents’ into ‘investment in operating cash’ and ‘investment in financial cash’

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- should be classified as a debt financing use of cash (F) – interest received is clearly related to FAs and interest paid is clearly related to FOs
- any reclassification must adjust for tax effects (i.e., remove tax shields)

re: investments in financial assets

- under AASB / IFRS, these items typically appear under CFI
- they are related to debt financing activities (not operating assets), and must be reclassified as debt uses of cash (*F*)

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re: operating versus financial cash

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- in reformulating the B/S, 'cash & cash equivalents' were separated into 'operating cash' (an operating asset, OA) and 'financing cash' (a financial asset, FA) – 'rule of thumb' \equiv 0.5% of sales revenue
- given this separation
 - the change in 'operating cash' should be included in *I*
 - the change in 'financing cash' should be included in *F*

Illustration – reformulate the following

AASB Statement of Cash Flows

assuming

- 30% tax rate
- split in 'cash * cash equivalents' of
 - 30 re: operating cash
 - 300 re: financing cash

Cash Flow from Operations (CFO)

cash receipts from customers	2,400
payments to suppliers	(1,000)
payments to employees	(500)
rent paid	(100)
interest received	10
interest paid	(100)
income tax paid	<u>(180)</u>
Net CFO	530

Cash Flow from Investing (CFI)

purchase of short-term investments	(100)
payments for PPE	<u>(200)</u>
Net CFI	(300)

Cash Flow from Financing

dividends paid	(150)
shares issued	50
proceeds from borrowings	<u>200</u>
Net CFF	100

Change in Cash & Cash Equivalents

330

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Reformulated Cash Flow Statement

Free Cash Flow:

Adjusted CFO = C

reported CFO	530.0
interest received	(10.0)
interest paid	100.0
tax shield = (10 – 100) * 0.30	<u>(27.0)</u>
Adjusted CFO (C)	593.0

Adjusted CFI = I:

reported CFI	(300.0)
purchase of short-term investments	100.0
investment in operating cash	<u>(30.0)</u>
Adjusted CFI (I)	(230.0)

FCF = C + I = 593 – 230 363.0

Uses of Free Cash Flow:

Debt financing cash flows = F

net interest paid (after tax)	(63.0)
proceeds from borrowings	200.0
purchase of short-term investments	(100.0)
investment in financing cash	<u>(300.0)</u>
Debt financing cash flows (F)	(263.0)

Equity financing cash flows = E

dividends paid	(150.0)
shares issued	<u>50.0</u>
Equity financing cash flows (E)	(100.0)

FCF = E + F (363.0)

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Cash flows from operating activities		
Receipts from customers	39,971	41,126
Receipt from Viva Energy	-	137
Payments to suppliers and employees	(36,486)	(38,665)
Interest paid	(37)	(33)
Interest component of lease payments	(399)	-
Interest received	7	4
Income tax paid	(504)	(294)
Net cash flows from operating activities	2.1	2,552
Cash flows used in investing activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment and intangibles	(833)	(1,104)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	211	288
Proceeds from sale of controlled entities	-	544
Net investments in joint venture and associate	5.1	(6)
Acquisition of subsidiaries or businesses, net of cash acquired	(25)	(2)
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(658)	(280)

→ F
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	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
cash & cash equivalents	992	940
Sales revenue	37,408	38,176
'operating cash' @ 0.5%	187	191
→ 'financing cash'	805	749

Cash flows used in financing activities

Proceeds from borrowings

Repayment of borrowings

Proceeds from borrowings with related parties

Repayment of borrowings with related parties

Payment of principal component of lease payments

Distributions to Wesfarmers

Redemption of redeemable preference shares

Dividends paid

Capital return

Purchase of shares under Equity Incentive Plan

Net cash flows used in financing activities

5,120

(5,226)

-

-

(846)

-

-

(873)

-

(17)

(1,842)

10,260

(8,800)

170

(3,678)

-

(320)

1,322

-

(538)

(27)

(1,611)

Debt
(D)

Equity
(E)

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Reformulated Coles 2020 Cash Flow Statement

<u>Free Cash Flow:</u>		<u>Uses of Free Cash Flow:</u>	
Adjusted CFO = C		Debt financing cash flows = F	
reported CFO	2,552	net interest paid (after tax)	(300)
interest received	(7)	proceeds from borrowings	5,120
interest paid	37	repayment of borrowings	(5,226)
interest – lease payments	399	payment of lease principal	(846)
tax shield = (7 – 429) * 0.30	(129)	investment in financing cash	<u>(56)</u>
Adjusted CFO (C)	2,852	Debt financing cash flows (F)	(1,308)
Adjusted CFI = I:		Equity financing cash flows = E	
reported CFI	(658)	dividends paid	(873)
investment in operating cash	4	share-based payment expense	13
share-based payment expense	<u>(13)</u>	shares purchased	<u>(17)</u>
Adjusted CFI (I)	(667)	Equity financing cash flows (E)	(877)
FCF = C + I	2,185	FCF = E + F	(2,185)

PART 6 – Reformulation of the Statement of Changes in Owners' Equity

Basic objectives of the reformulation exercise

- separate transactions with shareholders (E) (equity financing) and comprehensive income (CI) (operating income and debt financing)
- fix some classification problems within accounting

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aside: basic reclassifications <https://powcoder.com>

- preference shares – remove from S/E balances and add to financial obligations (FO)
- non-controlling interest – group with S/E (for our purposes)
- dividends payable / dividends declared – adjust S/E balances and remove from FO

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note: the 'clean surplus' relation is based on Comprehensive Income (CI) and not NPAT

Statement of Changes in Equity

	ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT				
	CONTRIBUTED EQUITY	SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS RESERVE	CASH FLOW HEDGE RESERVE	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL
	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
At 1 July 2019	1,428	45	(1)	1,467	3,357
Effect of adoption of AASB 16 Leases	-	-	-	(831)	(831)
At 1 July 2019 (adjusted)	1,628	45	(1)	856	2,526
Net profit for the year	-	-	-	978	978
Other comprehensive income	-	-	(12)	-	(12)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(12)	978	966
Share-based payments expense	-	13	-	-	13
Purchase of shares under Equity Incentive Plan	(17)	-	-	-	(17)
Dividends paid	-	-	-	(873)	(873)
Balance as at 28 June 2020	1,611	56	(13)	961	2,615

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Accounting adjustment

BV_{t-1}

Comprehensive Income

NCC

Dividends

BV_t 50

Reformulated Statement of Changes in Shareholders' Equity

Beginning Book Value of Common Equity

BV_{t-1}

+ Net effect of Transactions with Common Shareholders

+ capital contributions (share issues)

– share repurchases

– cash dividends to common shareholders

= Net cash contributions

+ Effect of operations and non-equity financing

+ Net Income (from the I/S)

+ Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)

– preferred share dividends

= Comprehensive income available to common shareholders

Ending Book Value of Common Equity

BV_t

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PART 7 – Reformulation Summary

‘new’ (reformulated) accounting relations:

- ❑ Balance Sheet: $NOA = NFO + S/E$
- ❑ Income Statement: $CI = OI \text{ (after tax)} + NFE \text{ (after tax)}$
- ❑ Cash Flow Statement: $FCF = C + I = F + E$
- ❑ Equity Statement: $\text{Change in } S/E = CI + E$

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****** *note*, within this formulation, NFE will be a negative number, and E will be a negative number if the only material net equity financing item is the payment of dividends

Now turn to consider the relations across the reformulated statements (insights provided)

○ from the reformulated B/S $NOA = NFO + S/E \rightarrow \Delta NOA = \Delta NFO + \Delta S/E$

○ from the reformulated equity statement $\Delta S/E = CI + E$

combining $\Rightarrow \Delta NOA = \Delta NFO + \Delta S/E = \Delta NFO + CI + E$

○ assume from the reformulated SCF $F = NFE \text{ (after tax)} + \Delta NFO \rightarrow \Delta NFO = F - NFE \text{ (after tax)}$

$\Rightarrow \Delta NOA = \Delta NFO + CI + E = F - NFE \text{ (after tax)} + CI + E$

○ from the reformulated I/S $CI = OI \text{ (after tax)} + NFE \text{ (after tax)}$

$\Rightarrow \Delta NOA = F - NFE \text{ (after tax)} + CI + E = OI \text{ (after tax)} + (F + E)$

$\Rightarrow \Delta NOA = OI \text{ (after tax)} + FCF$

or rearranging $FCF = \Delta NOA - OI \text{ (after tax)}$

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note – this relation creates an important *theoretical* link between the cash flow statement and the income statement/balance sheet

$$\Delta \text{NOA} = \text{OI (after tax)} + \text{FCF}$$

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note, through a similar algebraic process, it is also possible to show: $\Delta \text{NFO} = \text{FCF} - \text{NFE} - E$

additionally, from the equity statement and the clean surplus relation, $\Delta \text{S/E} = \text{CI} + E$

and from the reformulated CI, $\text{CI} = \text{OI} + \text{NFE}$

Beginning Stock

Flows

Ending Stock

NOA_{t-1}	$\Delta \text{NOA} = [\text{OI}_t + \text{FCF}_t]$	NOA_t
$- \text{NFO}_{t-1}$	$- \Delta \text{NFO} = - [\text{FCF}_t - \text{NFE}_t - E_t]$	$- \text{NFO}_t$
$= \text{S/E}_{t-1}$	$= \text{OI}_t + \text{NFE}_t + E_t$	$= \text{S/E}_t$

$$\Delta \text{NOA} = \text{OI (after tax)} - \text{FCF}$$

$$\text{FCF} = \text{OI (after tax)} - \Delta \text{NOA}$$

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and from the reformulated I/S, $\text{CI} = \text{OI} - \text{NFE}$

Beginning Stock

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{NOA}_{t-1} \\ & - \text{NFO}_{t-1} \\ & = \text{S/E}_{t-1} \end{aligned}$$

Flows

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \text{NOA} &= [\text{OI}_t + \text{FCF}_t] \\ - \Delta \text{NFO} &= -[\text{FCF}_t - \text{NFE}_t - E_t] \\ &= \underbrace{\text{OI}_t + \text{NFE}_t}_{\text{CI}} + E_t \end{aligned}$$

Ending Stock

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{NOA}_t \\ & - \text{NFO}_t \\ & = \text{S/E}_t \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta \text{S/E} = \text{CI} + E$$

Reconciliation – Coles 2020

$$NOA_{2019} = 13,102^*$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta NOA &= [OI_t + FCF_t] \\ &= 1,288 - 2,185\end{aligned}$$

$$NOA_{2020} = 12,205$$

$$NFO_{2019} = 10,576^{**}$$

$$\Delta NFO = [FCF - NFE - E]$$

$$NFO_{2020} = 9,590$$

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$$S/E_{2019} = 2,526^{***}$$

$$OI_t + NFE_t + E_t$$

$$S/E_{2020} = 2,615$$

$$= 1,288 - 322 - 877$$

adoption of AASB 16 (leases) = + 10,832

adoption of AASB 16 (leases) = + 11,213

adoption of AASB 16 (leases) = - 831

* 2019 reported NOA = 2,720

** 2019 reported NFO = (637)

*** 2019 reported S/E = 3,357

adjusted 2019 NOA = 13,102

adjusted 2019 NFO = 10,576

adjusted 2019 S/E = 2,526

see Notes 1.6, 2.7, 2.9, 7.5

Note/recall – the overarching objective of the reformulation process is to
facilitate the forecasting exercise