

Introduction

Ups and Downs of measuring competitive advantage





Strategy - Business Models

Match the Business model



Questions of the **LEGO** case

Conclusion and Questions



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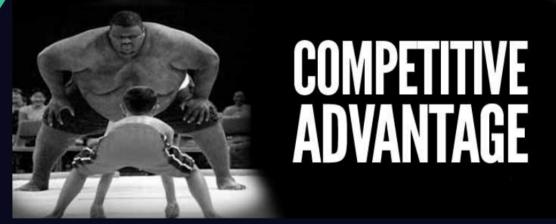
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Cost: 50ce Price: 1Eu Profit: 50c Sale: 80c

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Competitive advantages are conditions or circumstances that allow a company or country to produce a good or service at a lower price or in a more desirable fashion for customers.

Accounting Profitability
Shareholder Value Creation
Economic Value Creation

Shareholder Value Creation

Ups



 -Strategy outcomes usually reflected in stock price
 -Stock market valuations can provide a good base for analysis

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Enables us to conduct direct comp between companies

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Some commonly used ratios: Return on A Return on R

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Some commonly used ratios: Return on Assets

Return on Revenue

Return on Invested Capital

Return on Equity



 $ROA = {net income \atop total assets}$

 $ROE = \frac{\text{net income}}{\text{SH's equity}}$

 $ROR = \frac{\text{net income}}{\text{revenue}}$

 $ROIC = \frac{net \ income}{invested \ capital}$

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Ups:



- -Guidelines such as GAAP
- -10K- report
- -Good information for comparison between firms

Downs:



- -Historical and backward looking.
- -Does not consider:
 - -Intangibles
 - -Off balance sheet items
 - -Intellectual property

Shareholder Value Creation

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Shareholders

Risk Capital

Market Capitalization

Total return to shareholders

Answers in here



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Individuals or organisations who own one or more share of a company, they are the legal owners of said company.

The amount of money an investor provides for an equity share. Money that is risked to be lost in order to gain profits.

Share price x Number of outstanding shares at a given moment. (in dollars)

The returns on a risk capital in the form of price appreciation and / or dividends over a specific period of time.