

Chapter 24

Analysis of Financial Statements

Learning Objective

Perform horizontal and vertical analyses of the income statement and balance sheet.

Comparative Analysis

• Analysis centers on three aspects:

- Liquidity
- Profitability
- Leverage
- Types of comparison:
 - With one or more previous periods
 - With data for the industry as a whole
 - With other businesses in the industry
 - With preset plans or goals

Horizontal Analysis

- Compares the amounts for the same item in the financial statements of two or more periods
- Shows the amount and percentage change in each item

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	20-2	20-1	(Decrease)	Percent
Net sales	\$835,950	\$708,800	\$127,150	17.9
Cost of goods sold	602,380	520,260	82,120	15.8
Gross profit	\$233,570	\$188,540	\$ 45,030	23.9
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			425	425.0
Other expense	950 – \$70	10,000	<u>,770)</u>	-12.3
Income befor		,	4,475	46.6
Income tax expense	36,600	19,210	17,390	90.5
Net income	\$ 71,845	\$ 54,760	\$ 17,085	31.2
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Operating exper	ises	113,000	100.250	12,7	50	12.7
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Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash	\$ 25,695	\$ 19,700	\$ 5,995	30.4
Government notes	5,000	1,000	4,000	400.0
Accounts receivable (net)	61,750	50,000	11,750	23.5
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Building (net)	140,000	125,000	15,000	12.0
Store equipment	100,000	90,000	10,000	11.1
Delivery & office equip.	22,000	28,500	(6,500)	-22.8
Organization costs	1,200	2,400	(1,200)	-50.0
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Merchandise inventory		55,500	54,250	1,250	2.3
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Total prop., plant, & equip.	\$303,200	\$285,900	\$ 17,300	6.1
Total assets	\$453,545	\$412,850	\$ 40,695	9.9
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Liabilities				
Current liabilities:				
Acc. & with. payroll taxes	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,750	\$ (250)	-9.1
Notes payable	10,000	37,500	(27,500)	-73.3
Accounts payable	40,000	59,000	(19,000)	-32.2
Accrued interest payable	600	1,700	(1,100)	-64.7
Income tax payable	13,600	13,400	200	1.5
Dividends payable	7,500	6,000	1,500	25.0
Total current liabilities	\$ 74,200	\$120,350	\$ (46,150)	-38.3
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The increase in retained earnings comes from the profitable operations and a moderate dividend policy. Retention of large amounts of earnings is another desirable way to finance corporate growth.

Vertical Analysis

- Reporting the amount of each item in a statement as a percentage of some designated total
- Income statement
 - Each item is shown as a percentage of net sales
- Balance sheet
 - For assets, each item is shown as a percentage of total assets
 - For liabilities and stockholders' equity, total equity is used

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Cost of Goods Sold ÷ Net Sales = Cost of Goods Sold Ratio

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Net Income ÷ Net Sales = Net Income Ratio or Profit Margin It increased!

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Accounts receivable (net)	61,750	13.6	50,000	12.1
Merchandise inventory	55,500	12.2	54,250	13.1
Supplies and prepayments	2,400	0.5	2,000	0.5
Total current assets	\$150,345	33.1	\$126,950	30.7
Property, plant, and equip.			. ,	
I	I	8.8	\$ 40,000	9.7
I Current Assets ÷	Total Asse	ets <u>30.9</u>	125,000	30.3
The ratio inc	reacedl	22.0	90,000	21.8
	cuscu:	4.9	28,500	6.9
Organization costs	1,200	0.3	2,400	0.6
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Notes payable	10,000	2.2	37,500	9.1	
Accounts payable	40,000	8.8	59,000	14.3	
Accrued interest payable	600	0.1	1,700	0.4	
Income tax payable	13,600	3.0	13,400	3.2	
Dividends payable	7,500	1.7	6,000	1.5	
Total current liabilities	\$ 74,200	16.4	\$120,350	29.2	
Long-term liabilities					
Bonds p	100 000		100,000	24.2	
Total Current Liabilit	ties ÷ Tot	al Equity	\$220,350	53.4	
\mathbf{O} \mathbf{I}	o decrease				
Common			\$ 60,000	14.5	
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Increases in common stock, paid-in capital, and retained earnings combined with a decrease in current liabilities result in a significant decrease in total liabilities as a share of total equity.

Learning 2 Objective

Compute and explain liquidity measures.

Liquidity Measures

 Indicate a company's ability to meet its current debts

- Examples:
 - Working capital
 - Current ratio
 - Quick or acid-test ratio
 - Accounts receivable turnover
 - Merchandise inventory turnover

Working Capital

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Current Assets	\$150,345	\$ 126,950
- Current Liabilities	(74,200)	(120,350)
Working Capital	\$ 76,145	\$ 6,600



Current Ratio

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Current Assets	\$150,345	\$126,950
Current Liabilities	\$74,200	\$120,350
	2.0 to 1	1.1 to 1

As a general rule, a current ratio is satisfactory if it is at least 2 to 1. In 20-1, it was unsatisfactory. In 20-2, it was satisfactory.

Quick or Acid-Test Ratio

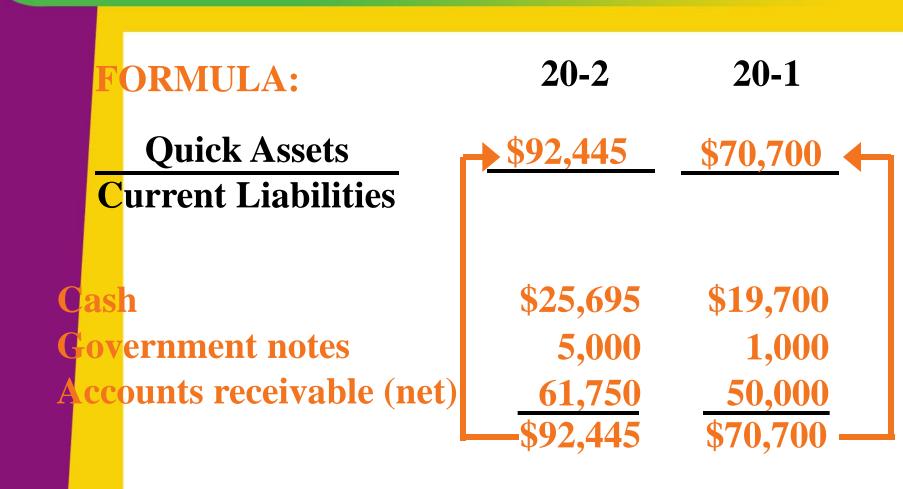
FORMULA:

Quick Assets Current Liabilities

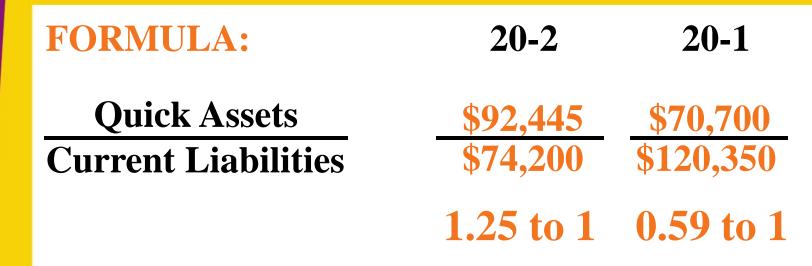
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Quick assets are: Cash Temporary investments Receivables

Quick or Acid-Test Ratio (cont.)



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As a general rule, the quick ratio should not be below 1 to 1. In 20-1, it was unsatisfactory. In 20-2, it was satisfactory.

Learning 3 Objective

Compute and explain activity measures.

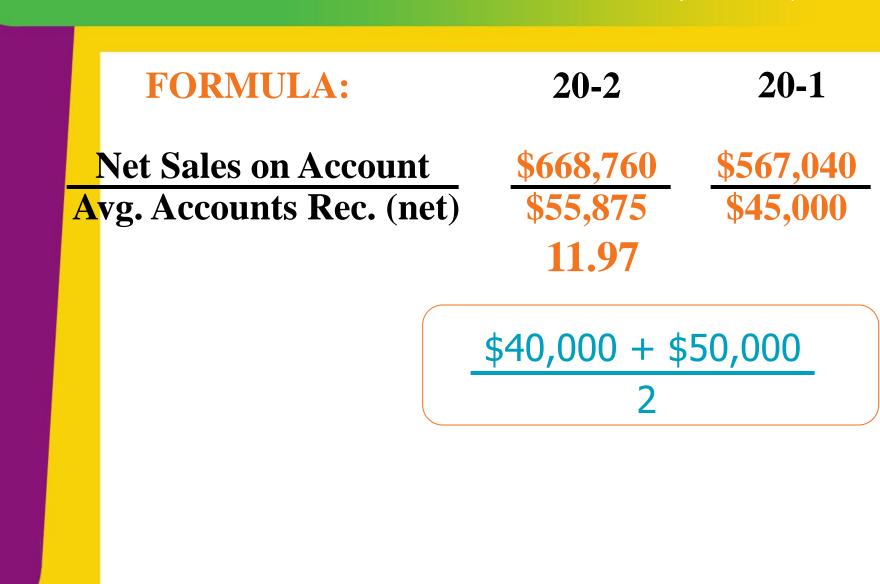
Accounts Receivable Turnover

FORMULA: 20-2 20-1

Net Sales on Account Avg. Accounts Rec. (net)

Average Accounts Receivable = Beg. Accts. Rec. + End. Accts. Rec. 2



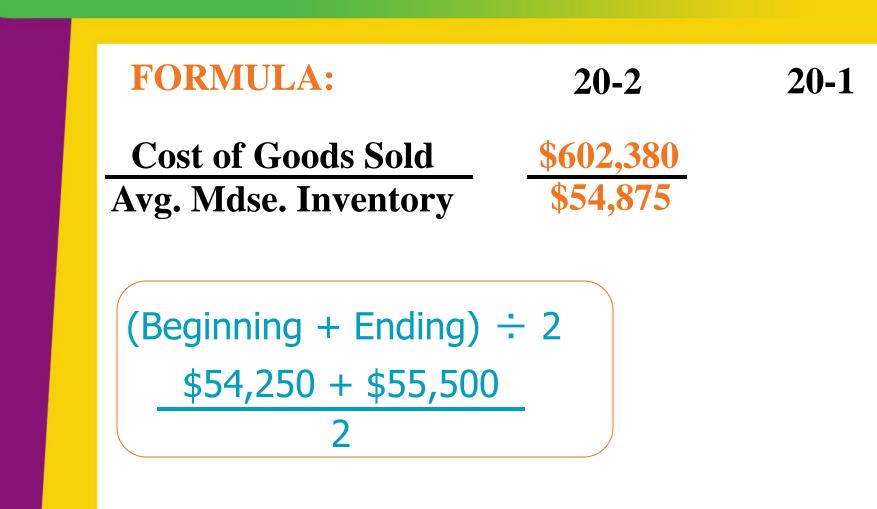


FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Net Sales on Account	\$668,760	\$567,040
Avg. Accounts Rec. (net)	\$55,875	\$45,000
	11.97	12.6

A slight decrease in 20-2, but still a good turnover rate.

	FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
	Net Sales on Account	\$668,760	\$567,040
	Avg. Accounts Rec. (net)	\$55,875	\$45,000
		11.97	12.6
Av	erage Collection Period:		
	365	365	365
	Accts. Rec. Turnover	11.97	12.6
		30.5 days	29 days

Merchandise Inventory Turnover



Merchandise Inventory Turnover (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Cost of Goods Sold	\$602,380	\$520,260
Avg. Mdse. Inventory	\$54,875	\$52,500
	10.98	

\$50,750 + \$54,250

Merchandise Inventory Turnover (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1	
Cost of Goods Sold	\$602,380	\$520,260	
Avg. Mdse. Inventory	\$54,875	\$52,500	
Average Number of	10.98	9.91	
Days to Sell Inventory: 365	365	365	
Mdse. Inv. Turnover	10.98	9.91	
Inventory is selling quicker.	33.2 days	36.8 days	

Learning Objective

Compute and explain profitability measures.

Profitability Measures

- Indicate a company's ability to earn income by operating efficiently
 - Examples:
 - Ratio of net sales to assets
 - Return on total assets
 - Return on common stockholders' equity
 - Earnings per share of common stock
 - Book value per share

Ratio of Net Sales to Assets

Also called "asset turnover ratio"

FORMULA:

Net Sales Avg. Assets 20-2 <u>\$835,950</u> <u>\$433,198</u> 20-1

Beginning + Ending \$412,850 + \$453,545 2

Ratio of Net Sales to Assets (cont.)

Also called "asset turnover ratio"

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Net Sales	\$835,950	\$708,800
Avg. Assets	\$433,198	\$406,425
	1.9 to 1	1.7 to 1

Slightly better than 20-1

Return on Total Assets



The formula is very similar to asset turnover. Instead of net sales, the numerator is now net income.

Return on Total Assets (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Net Income	\$71,845	\$54,760
Avg. Assets	\$433,198	\$406,425
	16.6%	13.5%

French Connection was more profitable in 20-2 than in 20-1. This is consistent with the rest of our analysis.

Return on Common Stockholders' Equity

FORMULA: 20-2 20-1

Net Income Available to Common Stockholders

Average Common Stockholders' Equity

> Net income less preferred dividends

Return on Common Stockholders' Equity (cont.)

FORMULA: 20-2 20-1

Net Income Available to Common Stockholders

Average Common Stockholders' Equity

Beginning + Ending Stockholders' Equity

2

Return on Common Stockholders' Equity (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Net Income Available to Common Stockholders	\$71,845	\$54,760
Average Common	\$235,923	\$183,750
Stockholders' Equity	30.5%	29.8%

The increase in net income led to an increase in return on stockholders' equity. These rates of return are quite strong.

Earnings Per Share of Common Stock

FORMULA: 20-2 20-1

Net Income Available to Common Stockholders

Avg. Number of Common Shares Outstanding



Earnings Per Share of Common Stock (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1	
Net Income Available to Common Stockholders	\$71,845	\$54,760	
Avg. Number of Common	6,750	6,000	
Shares Outstanding	\$10.64	\$9.13	

Learning 5 Objective

Compute and explain leverage measures.

Leverage Measures

 Indicate the extent to which a company is being financed by debt and the ability of the company to meet its debt obligations

Examples:

- Ratio of liabilities to stockholders' equity (also called debt-to-equity ratio)
- Times interest earned ratio

Ratio of Liabilities to Stockholders' Equity

 Measures the extent of leverage, or proportion of borrowed capital, with which a business operates.

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Total Liabilities	\$174,200	\$220,350
Total Stockholders' Equity	\$279,345	\$192,500
Much lower!	0.62 to 1	1.14 to 1

Ratio of Liabilities to Stockholders' Equity (cont.)

- Measures the extent of leverage, or proportion of borrowed capital, with which a business operates.
- Stockholders' equity increased:
 - By issuance of common stock
 - By keeping a large portion of 20-2's earnings
- Both Notes Payable and Accounts Payable were reduced in 20-2

Ratio of Liabilities to Stockholders' Equity (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Total Liabilities	\$174,200	\$220,350
Total Stockholders'	\$279,345	\$192,500
Equity	0.62 to 1	1.14 to 1

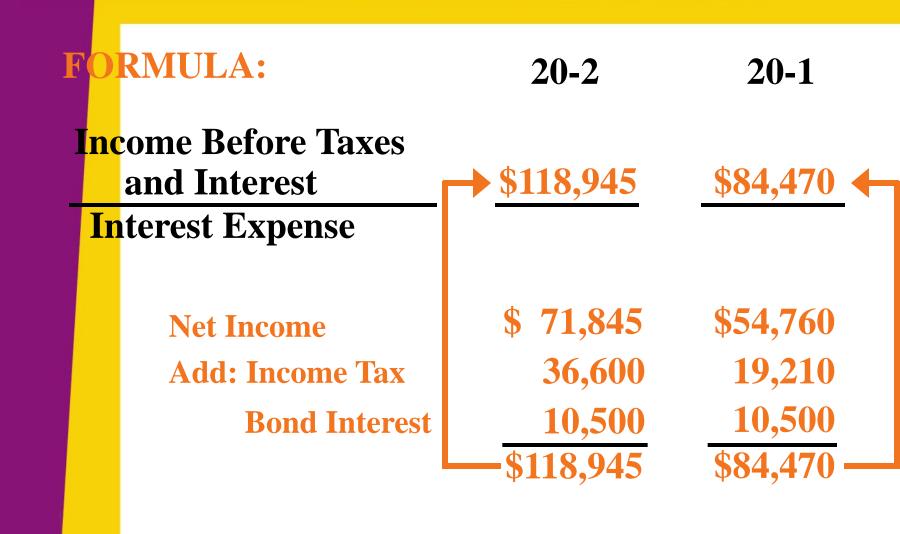
Times Interest Earned Ratio

FORMULA: 20-2 20-1

Income Before Taxes and Interest Interest Expense

Add back the income tax and bond interest to the net income.

Times Interest Earned Ratio (cont.)



Times Interest Earned Ratio (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Income Before Taxes and Interest	\$118,945	\$84,470
Interest Expense	\$10,500	\$10,500
	11.3	8.0
These ratio 2 or 3 is considered		

Learning Objective 6

Explain the components of ROA and ROE.



• ROA (return on assets) =

Profit Margin X Asset Turnover

• ROE (return on equity) =

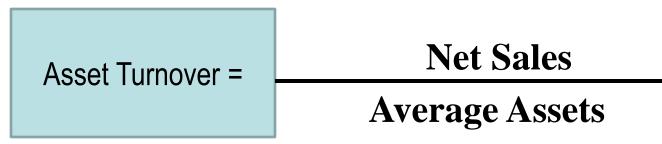
Profit Margin X Asset Turnover X Leverage Ratio











ROA (cont.)

 Assume the following data for French Connection Importers:

Net income = \$71,845 Net sales = \$835,950 Average assets = \$433,198

Profit margin = \$71,845/\$835,950 = 8.59%

Asset turnover = \$835,950/\$433,198 = 1.93

ROA = 8.59% X 1.93 = 16.6%



FORMULA:

Profit Margin X Asset Turnover X Leverage Ratio

Net Income Profit Margin = **Net Sales Net Sales** Asset Turnover = **Average Assets Average Assets** Leverage Ratio = Av. Com. Stk. Equity

ROE (cont.)

 Assume the following data for French Connection Importers:

Net income = \$71,845 Net sales = \$835,950 Average assets = \$433,198 Average common stockholders' equity = \$235,923

Profit margin = 71,845/835,950 = 8.59%

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Asset turnover = $835,950/$433,198 = 1.93
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Leverage ratio = $433,198/$235,923 = 1.84
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A Broader View

A Broader View

Different Ways to Generate Return on Assets

Return on assets (ROA) may be broken down into two major ratios: profit margin and asset turnover. This view of ROA helps illustrate that there are different ways to be profitable. Some retail stores, like Family Dollar, minimize investments in plant and equipment and focus on low prices. Thus, profit margins are lower, but asset turnover is higher. For every dollar in net sales, net income is rather small, perhaps only a nickel. However, these businesses are able to generate acceptable profits because they are not required to make major investments in plant and equipment. In contrast, companies like ExxonMobil must make massive investments in plant and equipment (\$214 billion) to explore for, produce, and sell crude oil, natural gas, and petroleum products to generate revenues. Therefore, they must have higher profit margins to help pay for these huge investments, which create a lower asset turnover. As shown below, Family Dollar and ExxonMobil have the same relatively strong return on assets, but very different measures for profit margin and asset turnover.

A Broader View (cont.)

A Broader View

Return o Net In Average	come	= =	Profit M Net Ind Net S	come	× ×	Asset Turnover Net Sales Average Assets		
	Retur	n on /	Assets	=		Profit Margin	×	Asset Turnover
Family Do	-	\$388 \$2,989 13.0%	<u>,</u>	=		\$388 \$8,548 4.5%	×	<u>\$8,548</u> \$2,989 2.86
ExxonMo	\$	541,06 316,78 13.0%	31	=		\$41,060 \$433,526 9.5%	×	\$433,526 \$316,781 1.37
Source: An	nual Report	s for ea	ich compa	ny.				Dollars in millions.

Learning Objective

Compute and explain market measures.

Price-Earnings Ratio

 A higher PE ratio suggests that investors have more confidence in a company's future earnings and growth than for a company with a low PE ratio.

FORMULA:

Market Price of Common Stock Earnings per Share of Common Stock

Price-Earnings Ratio (cont.)

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
Market price of common stock (assumed)	\$90.44	\$70.30
Earnings per share of common stock	\$10.64	\$9.13

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Book Value Per Share of Common Stock

• A measure of the ownership equity represented by each share.

FORMULA:	20-2	20-1
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	Common Stockholders'		
	Equity	\$279,345	\$192,500
N	<mark>lum</mark> ber of Common Shares	7,500	6,000
	Outstanding at Year End	\$37.25	\$32.08

Learning 8 Objective

Explain the limitations of financial statement analysis.

Limitations of Financial Statement Analysis

- The accounting system does not measure all aspects of operating a business
- Reported data is based on many estimates and approximations
- The period of time covered by the financial statements is another consideration (need many years to establish a long-term trend)
- A comparison with other companies and with its industry as a whole can be difficult

• Companies can use different methods of accounting