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# The future plan for 2028

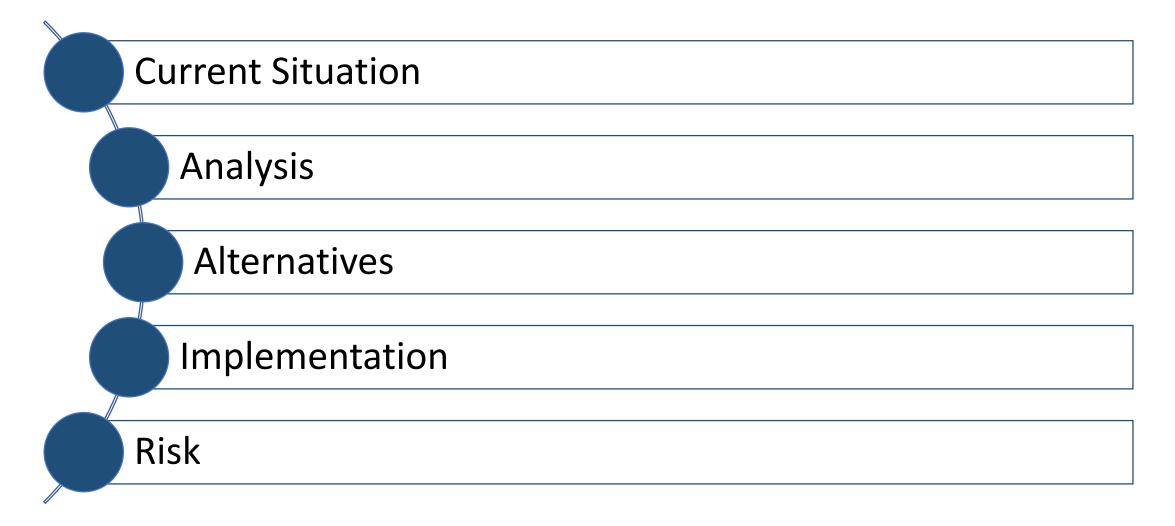
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#### Mandate

Find future growth opportunities for JLP and prepare for impacts of Brexit and upcoming trends in retailing industry





Key Issues

Negative impact of Pound – Euro exchange rate on EU imports and sourcing

Consumers do their shopping more and more online (e-commerce trend)

Competitors make use of technological trends to become more efficient

#### Recommendations

Lower dependency from EU by adapting **sourcing strategy** *Choose supplier outside of the EU and find substitutes for EU recruiting* 

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#### JLP



# John Lewis Partnership is the largest multi channel retailer in the UK

- ➤11 billion Pounds in sales (2016)
- ➢86.700 permanent employees which are called partners and hold company shares
- Department stores, supermarkets, online and catalogue business, production

### **Business Model**





### Retail Structure





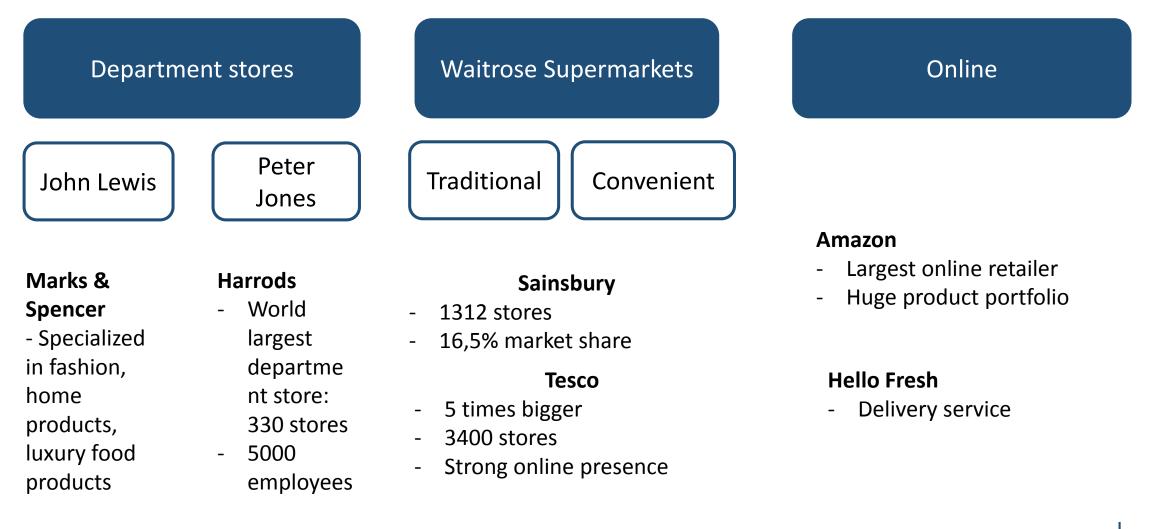
- High service level
- Day visitors, tourists
- Successful executives
- Urban professionals

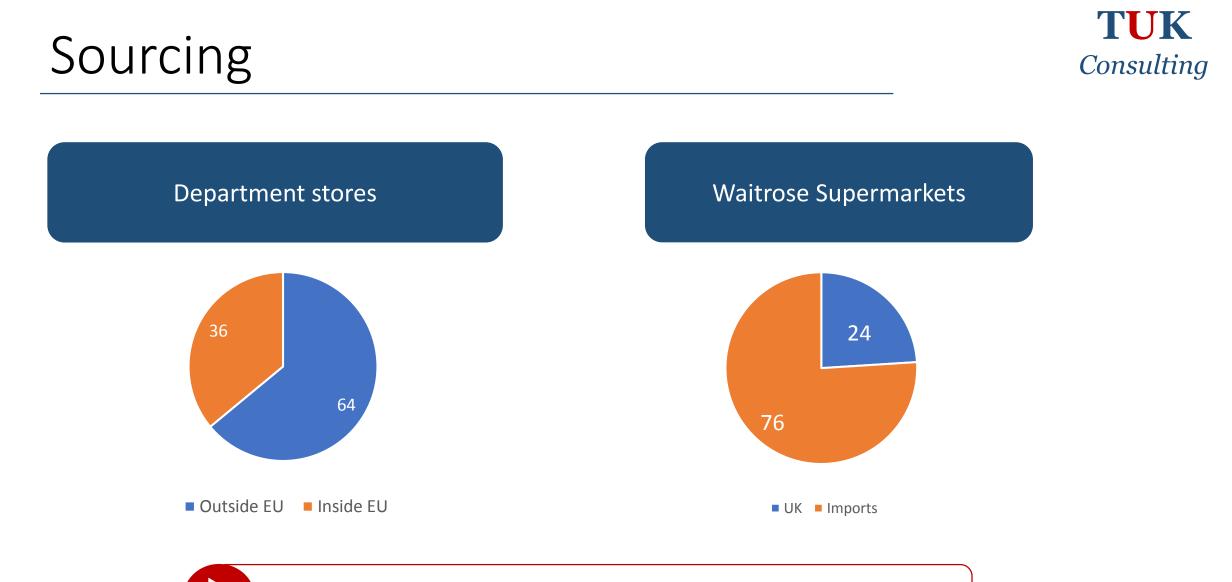
- 350 Shops

- Pick up service at Waitrose stores

# Competitors







High Brexit impact on the department stores

### Brexit

#### The UK declared to leave the European Union!

- Devaluation of the Pound in relation to the Euro
- Recruiting difficulties on the lower wage segment

#### 2 Phase

- Exit strategy
  - $\rightarrow$  Liabilities
  - Past Brexit cooperation

The second phase has the biggest impact on your company

Done

Until Q1 2019

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# Wrap Up



<ul> <li>Strengths</li> <li>Cooperate online</li> <li>Attractive workplace</li> <li>Highly qualified staff</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Weaknesses</li><li>Available cash for investments</li><li>Static stores</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Opportunities</li> <li>Upcoming technology</li> <li>Trends</li> <li>Company experience</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Threats</li> <li>Complete shift to online shopping</li> <li>Existing and upcoming competitors</li> </ul>

### Feasible Alternatives



**Optimization of internal logistics** 

Focus on suppliers outside the EU

Choose foremost suppliers from UK

Implementing a delivery service

Recruiting staff inside UK

Use technology to lower need for staff

## Feasible Alternatives

	Trends	Competitive advantage	Customer needs	Operation efficiency	Channel fit	ROI
Optimization of internal logistics	+	+	Ο	+	Ο	+
Focus on suppliers outside the EU	Ο	+	+	-	+	+
Choose foremost suppliers from UK	0	О	-	-	+	-
Implementing a delivery service	+	+	+	Ο	+	+
Recruiting staff inside UK	0	0	0	0	+	-
Use technology to lower need for staff	+	+	0	+	+	+

## Feasible Alternatives



	Trends	Competitive advantage	Customer needs	Operation efficiency	Channel fit	ROI	TOTAL
Optimization of internal logistics	+	+	Ο	+	Ο	+	4
Focus on suppliers outside the EU	0	+	+	-	+	+	4
Choose foremost suppliers from UK	0	Ο	-	-	+	-	1
Implementing a delivery service	+	+	+	0	+	+	5
Recruiting staff inside UK	0	0	Ο	0	+	-	1
Use technology to lower need for staff	+	+	0	+	+	+	5

#### Recommendations

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# The seven principles of JLP





# What to do?



Lower dependency from EU by adapting **sourcing strategy** 

Generate future growth by adapting **channel strategy** 

- 1. Choose supplier outside EU
- 2. Substitutes for recruiting in Eastern EU

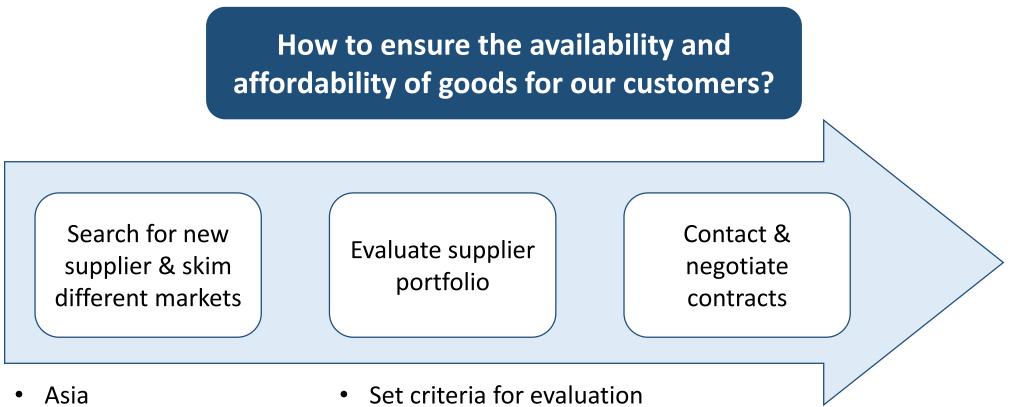
- 3. Implement delivery service for offline channel
- 4. Optimize logistics through automated warehouses

#### Be prepared for **future job design**

5. Realign jobs towards a focus on customer service, retailing & technology trends

#### 1) Choose supplier outside EU





- e.g. Japan, China
- South America *e.g. Brazil*

• Set criteria for evaluation *e.g. price, fees, quality* 

#### 2) Substitutes for recruiting in Eastern EU

How to compensate the cheaper labour force from Eastern EU?

Make use of Technology in all physical stores!

Convenient smartphone scanning & self checkout systems

• Step-by-step implementation

Strengthen the on floor service

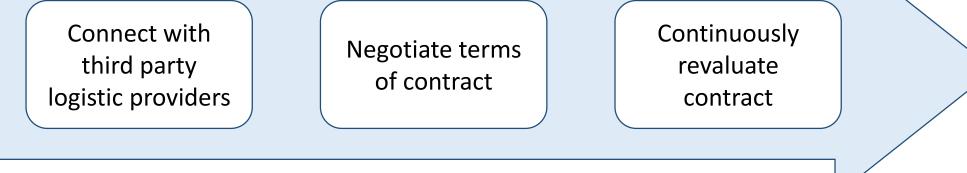
 Focus & training in terms of sales & service quality



#### 3) Delivery service for offline channel

How to face the e-commerce trend?

Implement a delivery service for your customers



- Bike delivery (!)
- UPS, DHL, FedEx

 Set criteria for revaluation
 e.g. time, service, quality TUK

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#### 4) Warehouse automatization



Implement step-by-step automated warehouse system

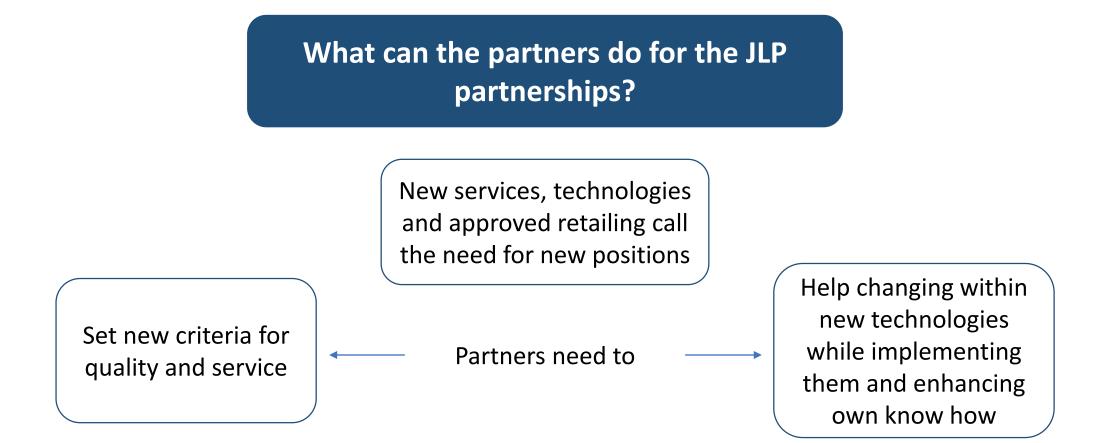
Search for enterprises specialized in WH

Evaluate possible solutions

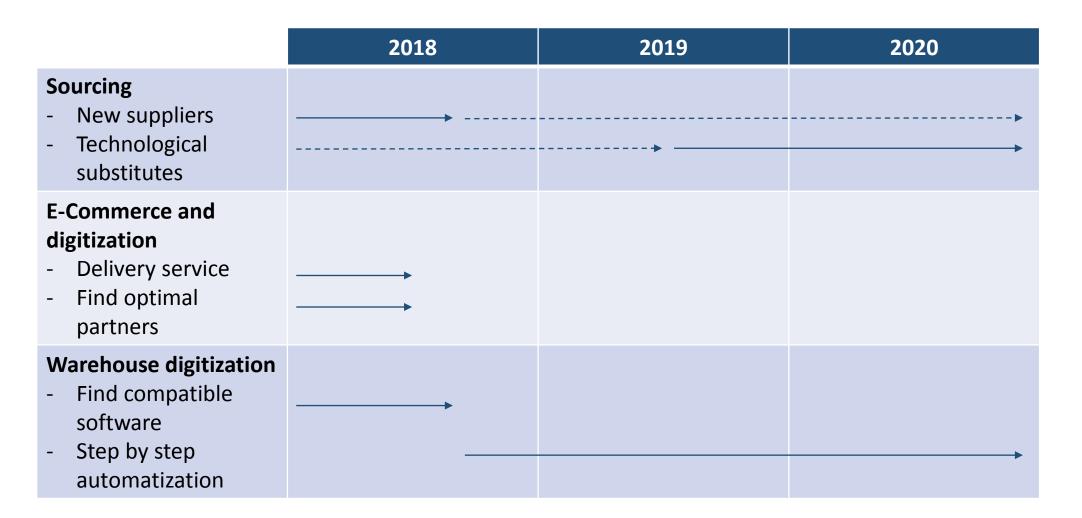
Decide, negotiate & form contracts

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#### 5) Realign internal structure for future tasks



# Timeline



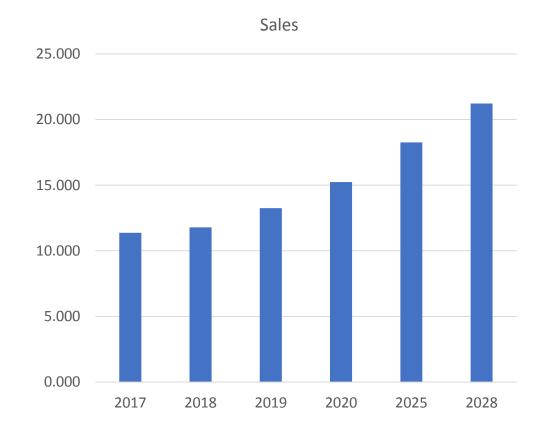
# **Financial Assumptions**

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Calac	2017 in million Pounds 11.374	
Sales		
Revenue	10.026	88%
Operating Costs	478	0.43%
Profit before partnership bonus, tax and exceptional items	370	77%
Partnership Bonus in percentage	6%	
Partnership Bonus	89.4	24%
Profit for the year	354	96%

Sales

	2017	2018	2019
Sales	11.374	11.789	13.245
Revenue	10.026	10.392	11.675
Operating Costs	478	532	575
Profit before parntership bonus, tax and exceptional items	370	412	476
Partnership Bonus in percentage	6%	7%	8%
Partnership Bonus	89	94	102
Profit for the year	354	407	487
Average of full time employees	63000	62000	60000



Shift offline to online, cost efficiency and less employees: higher profit and bonus

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#### Investments



Investments (in Million Pounds)	2018	2019	2020 Total		
Technological improvement					
Self-Checkout one time investment	10	5	3	18	
Self- Checkout and automized warehouses	1	1	1	3	
Transformation form Offline to Online	1% per delivery				
Delivery system	5	7	10	22	
Find Suppliers	Team with 10 employees				
Sourcing strategy	1.3	1.3	1.3	3.9	
Trainings one time investment	10 Workshops/Trainings per year				
Trainings/Workshops	5	5	5	15	
Total				61.9	

# Refinancing



Refinancing

10 % of profit per Year

40 Mio Credit

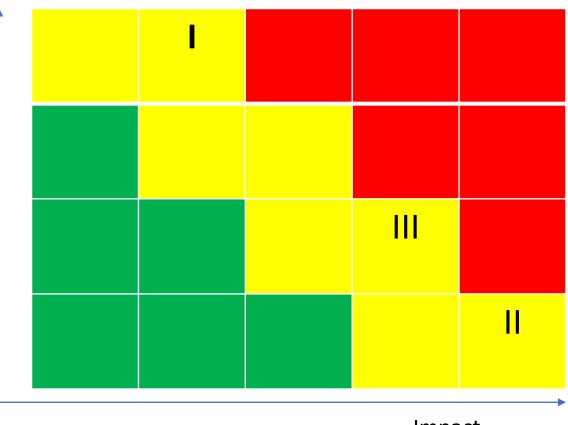
2020 covered Investment and 2024 paid back Credit

Probability

# Risk



- I. Competitors
- II. Brexit outcome
- III. Technological adaption





### Thank you for your attention!