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Purpose

Power

Profit 2014: 310.1 2015: (13.1%) 2016: (2%)

2017:9%

Partners BREXIT

Customers

Business Relationships BREXIT Community

Return to Profitability despite
Uncertainty

MANDATE

Integrated Strategy to best position the business for the uncertainty of BREXIT by introducing new suppliers, incorporating technology in service delivery and a staff reskilling program leading to a 6% CAGR for Profit and maintaining JLP's position as UK's largest multichannel retailer

KEY ISSUES

Brexit impact on operational costs

Waitrose is in a competitive groceries market

Technology causing workforce redundancy

RECOMMENDATIONS

Sourcing Textiles in Africa

Wanda

Centre for Job Redesign

ANALYSIS

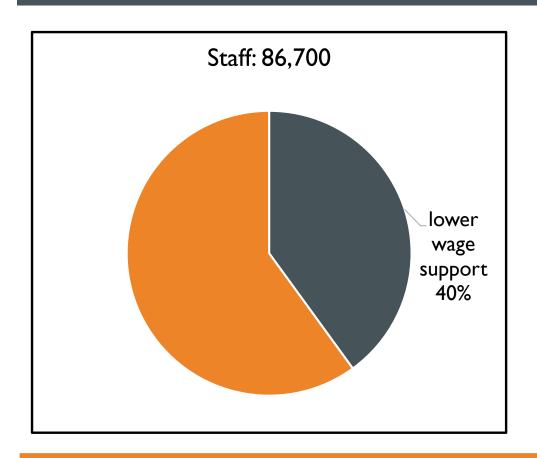
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ASSUMPTIONS

I 10% Of workforces are partners from inside EU countries

Regardless of Brexit, product prices from EU will continue to increase

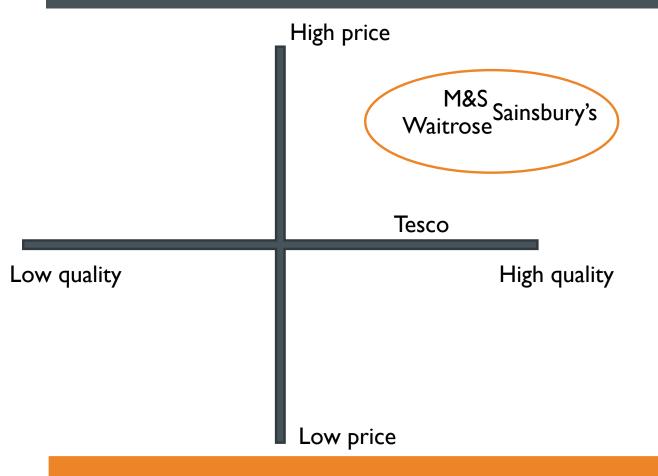
IMPACT OF BREXIT ON OPERATIONS



- Lower wage support –
 warehouse, maintenance
- Partners from Eastern EU countries
- products sourced from inside
 EU
- Foreign exchange rate impact

Need to review staffing requirements and sourcing products while maintaining Principles

WAITROSE COMPETITIVE ANALYSIS



- Waitrose 5.3% market share
- M&S and Sainsbury's offer similar
- Waitrose competitive advantage supplier relationship
- Tesco's competitive advantage online

Needs to differentiate itself from competitors to ensure consistent and sustainable profits

TRENDS IN RETAIL

Core competencies:

- Customer service
- Quality
- Pioneer
- Strong staff culture
- Steady brand
- Online presence

Trends in retail:

- Online shopping
- Smart phone scanning
- Self-checkout

4th Industrial revolution



Impact mainly on how work is done

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ALTERNATIVES

Alternatives	Advantage	Disadvantage	Cost Management	Maximising Staff input	Profitability
Acquire businesses outside of EU	Hedging EU assets	Costly		•	
The Waitrose Meal kit	Added meal convenience	Novelty Trend			
Shift to Key Timer model	Company competency	Fulltime preferred		•	
Sourcing textiles in Africa	Less dependence on EU	New relationships		<u> </u>	
Wanda	Machine learning	New Cost		-	
Centre for Job redesign	Results in the least loss of staff.	Costly			

SOURCING TEXTILES IN AFRICA

Company has relationships in Africa

East Africa now cost competitive in Textiles

Geographically feasible as compared to Asia

KPI: 9% Operating Profit by 2022

WANDA

Relationships with supplier consultants

Supplier consultants skilled in technology

Company has customer knowledge

KPI: 3% CAGR by 2022

CENTRE FOR JOB REDESIGN

Aligned with Principles of the company

Maintains staff morale

Maintains quality of service

KPI: Positioning for consequences of Technology

IMPLEMENTATION

CAROLINE

SOURCING TEXTILES IN AFRICA

- Establish supplier hub in Kenya
- Export Processing Zones
 - Government subsidized lands
 - Staffing support
 - Subsidized raw materials imports
 - Supplier support

- Supplier support
 - Operations management training
 - Operations consulting
 - Aim for deliveries once monthly

Develop lower cost suppliers for John Lewis clothing and home

TIMELINE

Jan – April 2018

Selection and contractual process

May – October 2018 Supplier build-up

November 2018: Production begins

January 2019: First delivery

Cost: \$44 mn | KPI: Increase OP as % Revenue to 9% by 2022

WANDA

Build an App that uses data to automatically creates a shopping list

- Track purchases through in App loyalty card
- Track brands, frequency and locations
- Add items to virtual shopping list
- Machine learning increases accuracy

- Personalised push notifications for specials
- Alternatives suggestions data uses comparable customers

Collect at my store

Order online now

TIMELINE

Jan - April 2018
Requirement
gathering

May – Nov 2018 Development Dec – Feb 2019

Data gathering goes live

March – April 2019 Beta testing Al

May 2019
Public Launch

Cost: \$24.9 mn | KPI: Drive Waitrose revenue growth to 3% CAGR by 2022

CENTER FOR JOB RE-DESIGN

- Appoint a new Training Team
- Conduct a detailed skills audit
- Establish training programme
 - Re-deploy / Re-skill
 - Train the trainer
- Consult Partnership Council on plans
- Options:
 - Re-deploy to new work area/division
 - Retrenchment
 - Full time > Key Time

Announce 5-year plan to employees Key messages:

- Technology will change the way we work
- We are unsure of how Brexit will affect our partners
- Plan to position the company to deal with this
- Invite comment

TIMELINE

Jan - April 2018
Appoint new team

May – July 2018 Skills Audit July – Sept 2018

Design training programmes

October 2018

Begin re-skill

Training - Waitrose

Cost: \$10mn | KPI: Position company for tech and Brexit changes

FINANCIALS

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IMPLEMENTATION BUDGET

Recommendation	Tactic	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	KPI	
	Business Development and Contracts	1.2					Increase John	
	Supply Support / Training		2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	Lewis OP as %	
Sourcing Textiles in Africa	Setup Costs	20.0		10.0			Revenue to 9% by	
Sourcing Textiles III Affica	Consulting	1.4	1.6				2022	
	Sub-Total	22.6	3.8	12.3	2.4	2.5	2.5 44	
	Development	2.4					Drive Waitrose	
	Marketing		1.6	1.2	1.2	1.2	revenue growth	
Wanda	Ongoing Management		4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	to 3% CAGR by	
vvallua	Analytics Team	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	2022	
	Sub-Total	2.6	5.9	5.5	5.5	5.5	24.9	
	Training Team	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	Position company	
	Skills Audit	0.8				i	for tech and Brexit	
Centre for Job Re-Design	Train the Trainer Program	0.2	1.2	2.4	1.6	1.8	changes	
	Sub-Total	1.3	1.5	2.8	2.1	2.3	10.0	
	GRAND TOTAL							
	26.5	11.2	20.6	10.0	10.3	78.6		

FORECASTING



Forecast (€m)	HISTORIC CAGR	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	CAGR
Revenue	1.1%	9,701	9,671	10,026	10,202	10,414	10,675	10,962	11,325	2.5%
Waitrose	0.6%	6,135	6,009	6,246	6,308	6,403	6,543	6,707	6,942	2.1%
John Lewis	2.0%	3,566	3,663	3,781	3,894	4,011	4,131	4,255	4,383	3.0%
Operational Profit	0.6%	488	483	497	516	557	597	622	707	7.3%
Waitrose	2.2%	237	233	254	252	256	275	282	312	4.3%
John Lewis	-1.0%	251	250	243	263	301	322	340	394	10.2%
Profit before Partnerships	2.6%	343	306	370	361	390	418	435	495	6.0%

RISK MANAGEMENT

	Risk	Impact	Contingency Plan
1	Uncertainty around Brexit deadline		Robust readiness plan
2	Worker acceptance of the Job-Centre initiative		Ongoing engagement with partnership council
3	Allowance for entry into Kenyan market		Engage with an alternative Eastern African country (i.e. Ethiopia)
4	Wanda adoption		Allocate additional staff and capital for improved data analytics

CONCLUSION

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THE VISION...

- 6% CAGR
- #I UK 'MC' retailer

Mandate

Recs

- Africa
- Wanda
- Job redesign

- Costs managed
- Differentiated

Outlook

APPENDIX

Op Profit as % of Revenue								
Waitrose	3.9%	3.9%	4.1%	4.00%	4.00%	4.20%	4.20%	4.50%
John Lewis	7.0%	6.8%	6.4%	6.76%	7.50%	7.80%	8.00%	9.00%
<u>Growth</u>								
Revenue		-0.3%	3.7%	1.8%	2.1%	2.5%	2.7%	3.3%
Waitrose		-2.1%	3.9%	1.00%	1.50%	2.20%	2.50%	3.50%
John Lewis		2.7%	3.2%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%