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JOHN LEWIS PARTNERSHIP

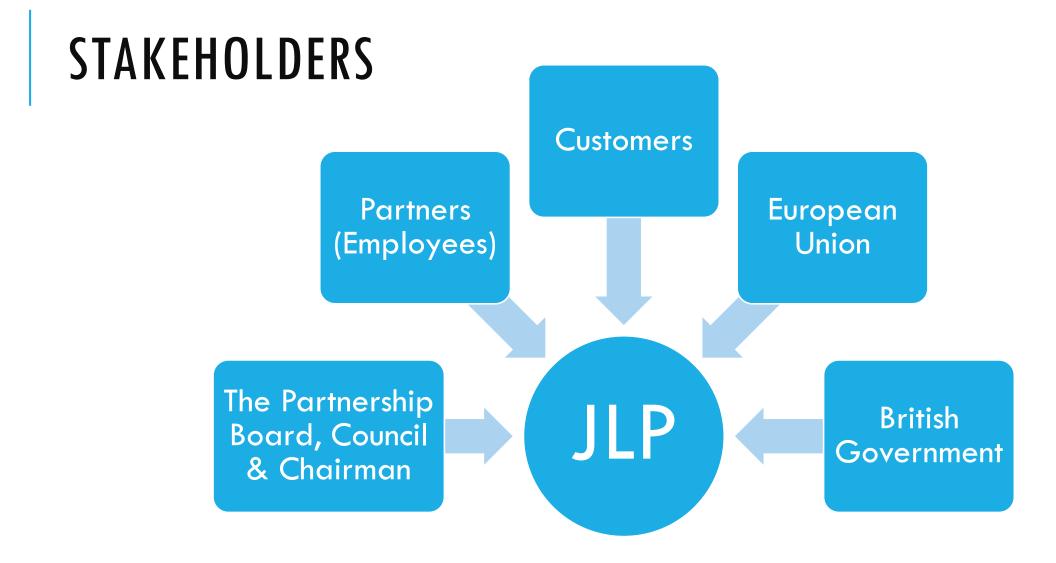
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BEFORE WE START GIVING ANSWERS, WE HAVE TO UNDERSTAND THE DESTINATION.

- Where do we want to go?
- How is the best way to get there?
- How long can we expect this to take?
- What skills and abilities do we need to get there?







WHAT DOES SUCCESS LOOK LIKE?

Success looks like....

- Achieving EBIT 800 million pounds by 2028
 - •90% employee engagement
- Partnership Board continually reviewing adaptations to meet challenges

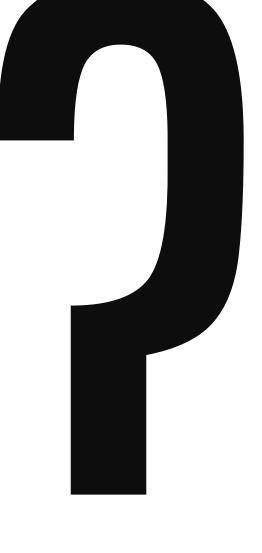


YOU ASKED US

- What impact does leaving the EU have on us?
- How do we evolve job titles moving forward?
- What can we do for the partnership?

REALITY

- How do we become a disruptor?
- How do we use technology to our benefit?







AGENDA

Analysis

Recommendations

Implementation

Risks and Mitigation



RESULTS

KEY STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

SHORT TERM

- Protect our capital
- React to changing competitive landscape

LONG TERM

- Protect our capital
- Successful integrate technology
- Prioritize partner objectives



EXTERNAL ANALYSIS

OPPORTUNITIES

TECHNOLOGY

SUPPLY CHAIN

DISRUPTOR

THREATS

COMPETITION

UNCERTAIN FUTURE OF RETAIL

BREXIT



INTERNAL ANALYSIS

Strengths

Longevity

Stakeholder Support

Brand Recognition

Weaknesses

Demand Driven

Undiversified Locations

Important BUT just the beginning of our analysis.

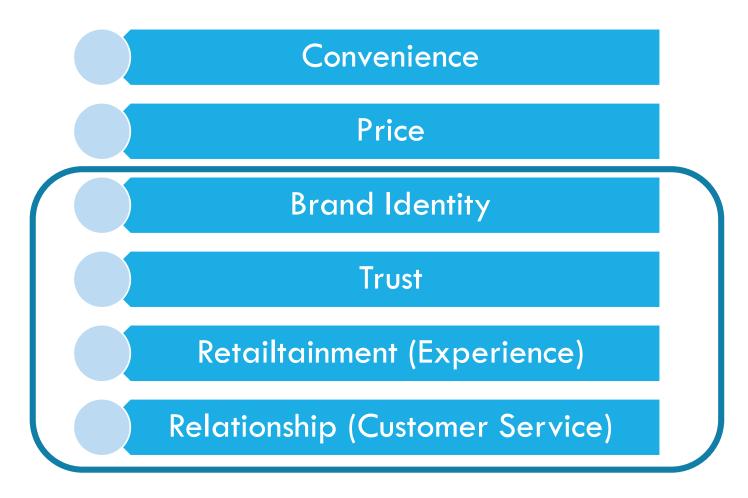


WHAT ARE WE SELLING





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CUSTOMER

Retail

John Lewis

- Medium to High end products
- Higher income levels \$70,000+
- Out of town travelers
- Fashion forward, enjoy luxuries

Peter Jones

- Medium to High end products
- Higher income levels
- Successful executives, millennials
- Fashion forward

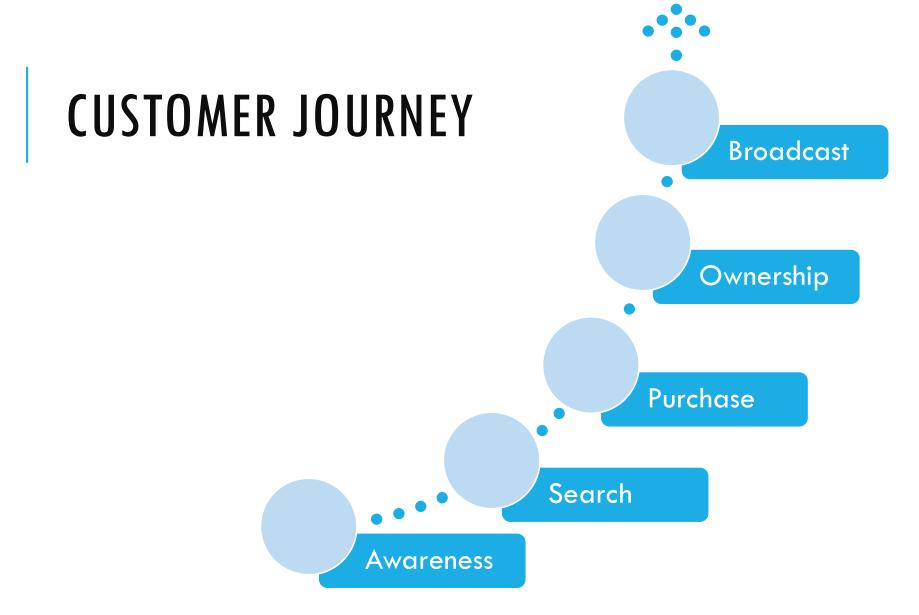
Grocery

Waitrose

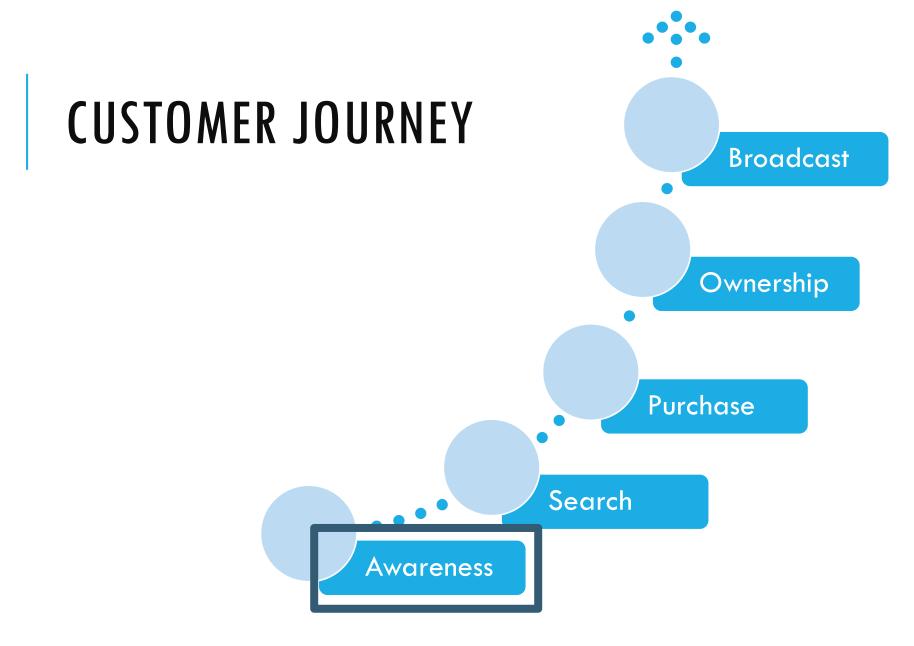
- 18-65+
- Health is important
- Quality food fresh, non-GMO
- Know where food is coming from

ANALYSIS



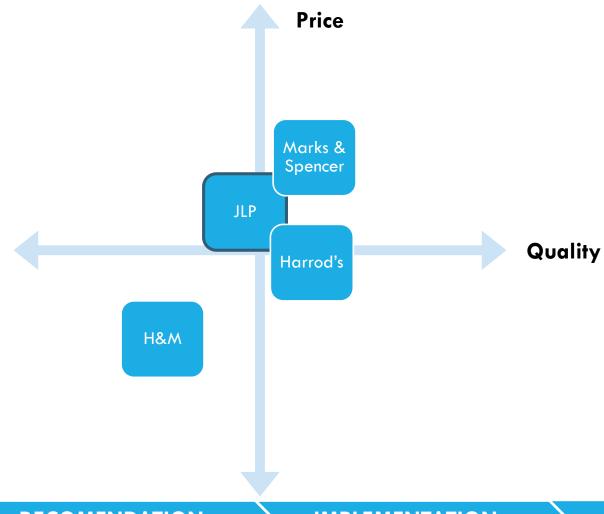








PERCEPTUAL MAP- RETAIL



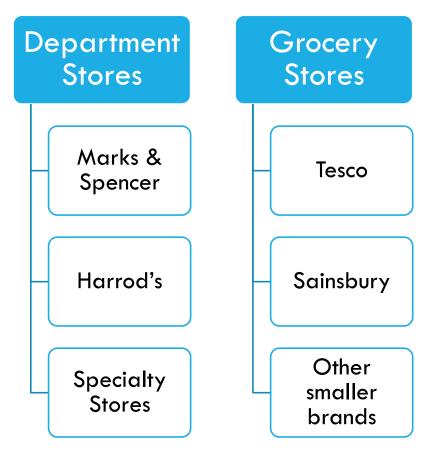


PERCEPTUAL MAP- GROCERY



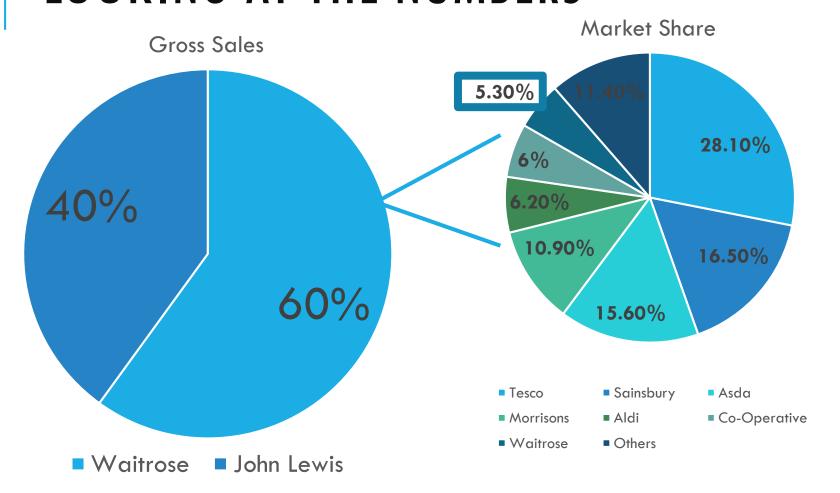


COMPETITORS IN THE FUTURE





LOOKING AT THE NUMBERS



Online

- 20% growth in online sales (food and non-food)
- > 30-35% of our business is now online



TECHNOLOGICAL LANDSCAPE

Amazon and Whole Foods

- Electronic Grocery Basket
- Synergies: Pick up Amazon package in grocery store

Tesco

- Brick and mortar + online
- Only grocery chain to make profit online



PARTNERS

CURRENT

- DIVERSE WORKFORCE
- SKILLED & UNSKILLED WORKERS
- INVESTED WORKFORCE
- CUSTOMER-CENTRIC

FUTURE

- TECHNOLOGICALLY CAPABLE
- INNOVATIVE THINKERS
- ENGAGED WORKFORCE



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Key Issues

Pound-Euro exchange rate

Brexit and support staff

Cost of imported goods

Goal

Continue to thrive in 2028

Alternatives

Sell off a division

Diversity abroad

Adapt and move forward

Key Performance Indicators

Profitable in 2028

Partners and Key Timers invested

Continually adapting

ANALYSIS

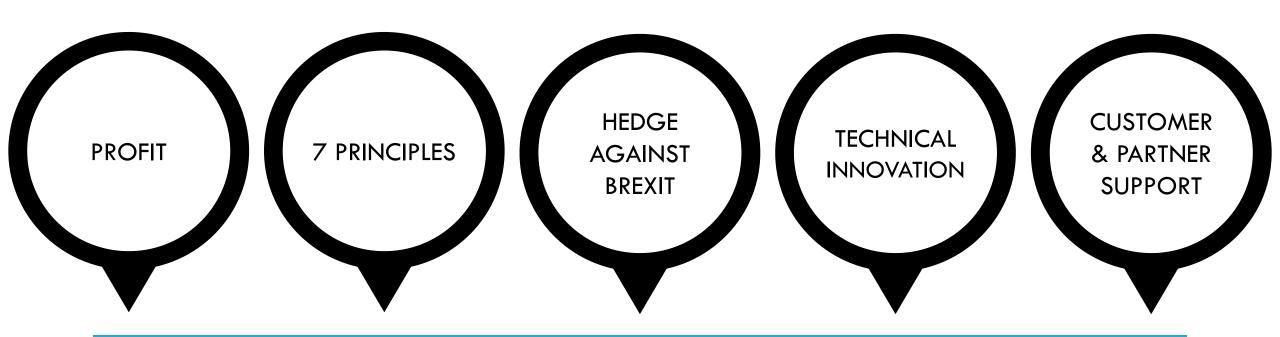
RECOMENDATION

IMPLEMENTATION

RESULTS



KEY SUCCESS FACTORS



KEY SUCCESS FACTORS USED TO EVALUTE OUR ALTERNATIVES



ALTERNATIVE 1

Sell or Spin-off a Division

- Identify division with weakest growth potential
- Choose to sell or allow to operate independently

PROS

- Hedge against Brexit losses
- Incoming Cashflow
- Less complex organization

CONS

- Drastically reduce Top-line
- Less diverse product offering means more risk



ALTERNATIVE 2

Diversify Abroad

- Identify target market for expansion
- Migrate displaced workers from Brexit
- Learn new techniques by new experiences

PROS

- Increased customer base
- Potential innovations
- Remain in EU

CONS

- Capital Intensive
- Not our Expertise
- Cultural Difficulties



ALTERNATIVE 3

Adapt and Move Forward

- Incorporate technology to improve customer experience
- Focus on financial techniques to hedge against currency risks
- Revise supply chain practices

PROS

- Improved customer experience
- Reduced costs
- Reduced currency losses

CONS

- Risk of investing in the wrong technology
- Potentially slow results



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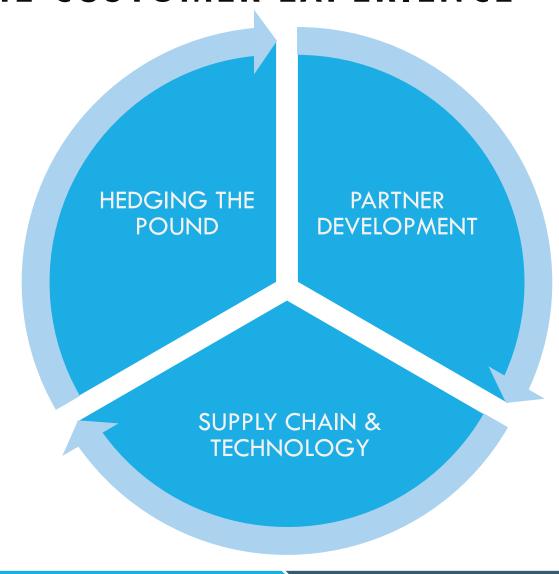
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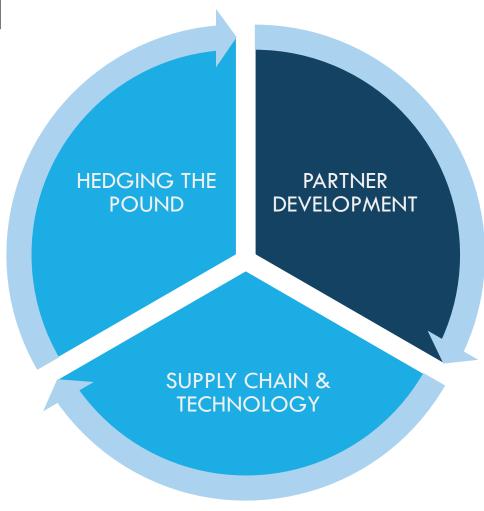
EVOLVING THE CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE





STEP 1: PARTNER DEVELOPMENT

- Human Resources
 - Develop Partners
 - Job Duties & Engagement
 - HR Consultants



RESULTS



DEVELOP PARTNERS

- -60% OF EMPLOYEES IN LOWER LEVEL POSITIONS WILL BE REPLACED BY ROBOTS WITHIN 5 YEARS.
- CURRENT EMPLOYEES: CUSTOMER SERVICE & TECHNICAL ROLES
- DEVELOP EMPLOYEES FOR IN DEMAND POSITIONS (IT, TRADE SKILLS & LOGISTICS EMPLOYEES)

PARTNERSHIP **PATH** PROGRAM

- 18 MO. DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
- PROVIDE FUNDING AND ROTATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES IN HIGH DEMAND AREAS



JOB DUTIES & ENGAGEMENT

JOB DUTIES:

- FORMALIZE POSITIONS
- IDENTIFY KEY EMPLOYEES

ENGAGEMENT

- CRITICAL TO HAVE A HIGHLY ENGAGED WORKFORCE
- CONTINUOUS DEVELOPMENT OF DISENGAGED EMPLOYEES
- PREDICTIVE ANALYTICS



INTERNAL MARKETING

Increase engagement—We are evolving, and we need your help to drive the change! Annual competition for employees to Competipresent their ideas tion Innovative ideas Win a vacation Ensure educational The Current company Gazette events Transparency

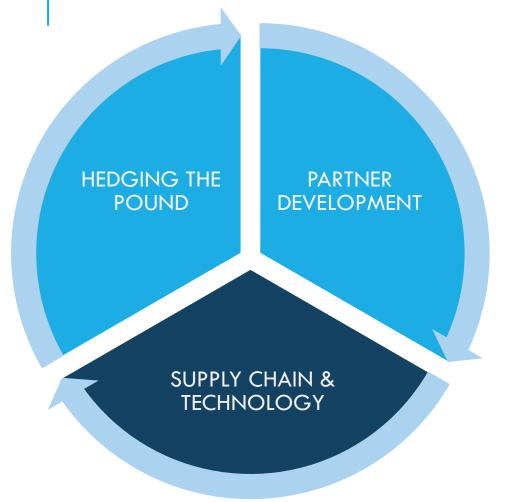


HR CONSULTANT

We are highly invested in our human capital, especially their benefits. We need to do a deep analysis to determine a sustainable benefits program. Consultants can provide an unbiased opinion.



STEP 2: SUPPLY CHAIN & TECHNOLOGY



- Implement technology changes
- Reconsider supply chain



TECHNOLOGY IMPLEMENTATION

Grocery

- Implement electronic grocer basket
- Order online and deliver to door
- Remember customer purchases for online repurchase and delivery

Retail

- Cameras and screens with virtual try-on software
- Data analytics to specify product offerings by specific tastes of each location



EXTERNAL MARKETING

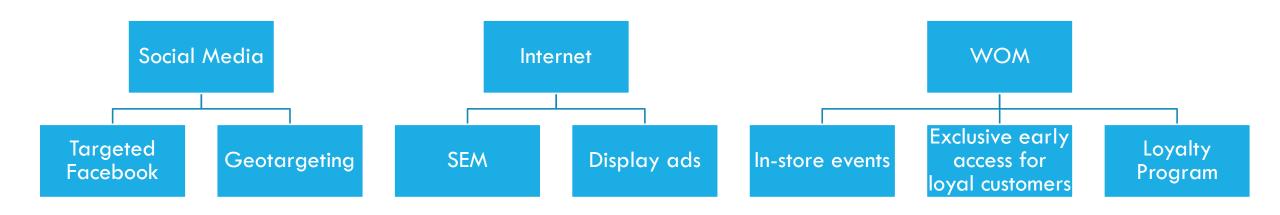
Strategy

Message: Customer Experience Evolution

Timing



EXTERNAL MARKETING TACTICS



Awareness Search Purchase Ownership Broadcast



SUPPLY CHAIN CONSIDERATIONS

Potential Challenges

Pay more import fees

Increased time for imports (just in time – food and retail)

Potential Solutions

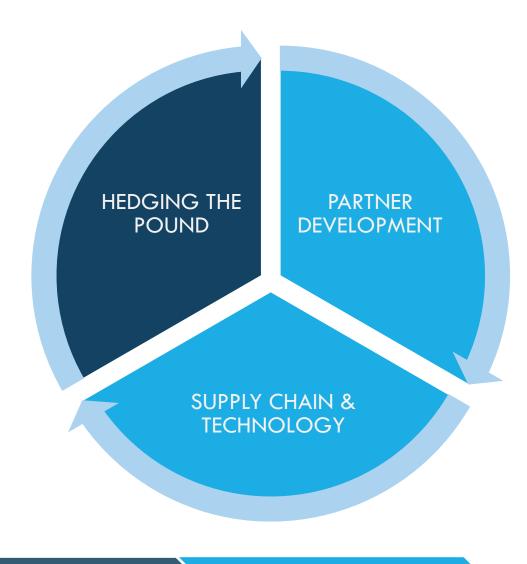
Focus on strengthening relationships UK based distributors

Focus new distributors outside of the EU

Diversify geographically



STEP 3: HEDGING THE POUND





HEDGING

Financial Tools and Considerations

- Cash Flow
- Tools
 - Options
 - Future
- Forward
- Swap
- Purchase Euro or Dollar

Implementation with Stakeholders

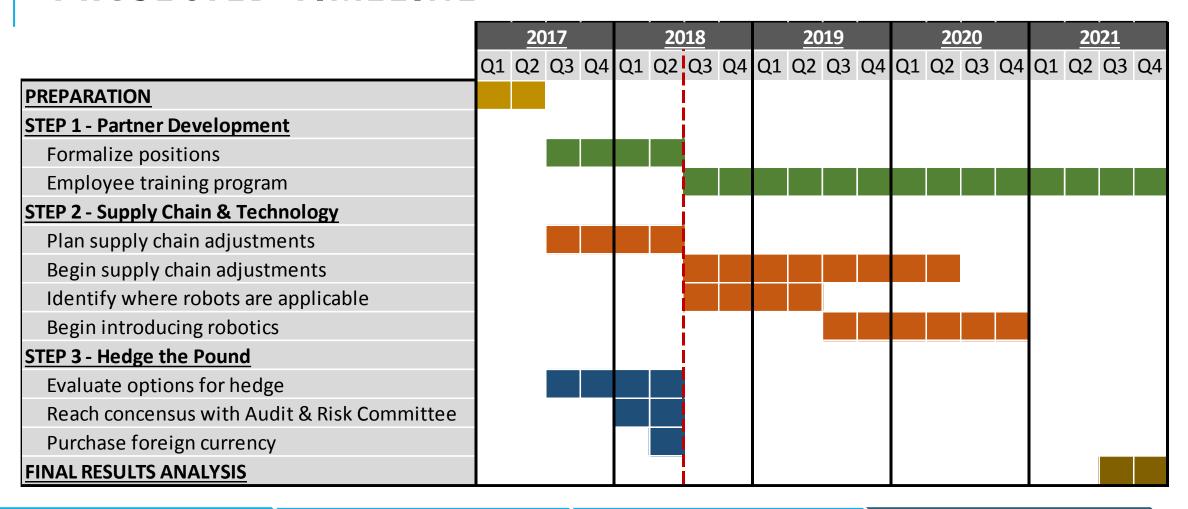
- Audit and Risk Committee
- Responsibility for our Partners and Key Timers
 - Pensions
 - Total Rewards (including bonus)

RESULTS

ANALYSIS RECOMENDATION IMPLEMENTATION



PROJECTED TIMELINE





FINANCIALS: CURRENT PROJECTIONS

Key Financial Assumptions

Grow at 3% year

Costs increasing at continual rate

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RISKS AND MITIGATIONS

Risk	Percentage	lmpact	Mitigation
Overinvestment in wrong technology	20%	80%	Research & Development in specialty industries
Employee Disengagement	35%	70 %	Internal marketing and engagement efforts
Political instability	80%	50%	Hedging the pound with other currencies



KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS AND METRICS

Key Questions

- What impact does leaving the EU have on us?
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Key Performance Indicators

Profitable in 2028

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Metrics

EBIT 800 million pounds by 2028

90% employee engagement

Partnership Board meets 10x per year to review challenges

Goal

Continue to thrive in 2028



ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

Bitcoin and Blockchain

Ongoing Brexit Negotiations

Hard or Soft Brexit

Drone Grocery Delivery

QUESTIONS?



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24. <u>Step 2</u>



SKUNKWORKS

Move exclusively online

- Rise of Amazon
- Quickening trend