Life-Cycle Valuation Model Lessons Learned from a Commercial Research Program, 1970 to 2010

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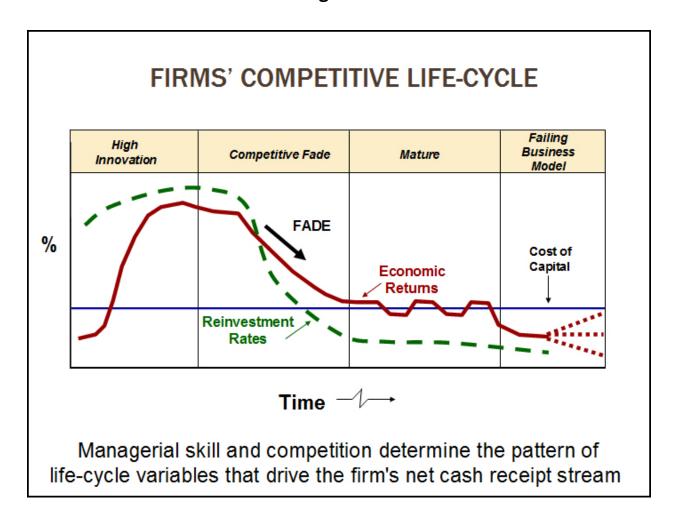


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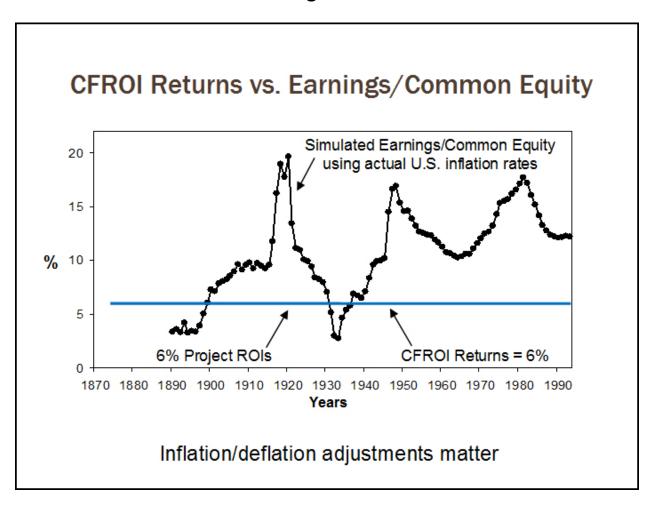


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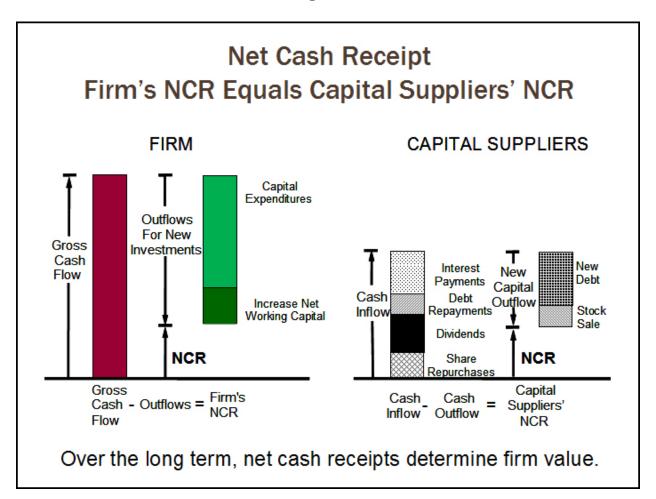


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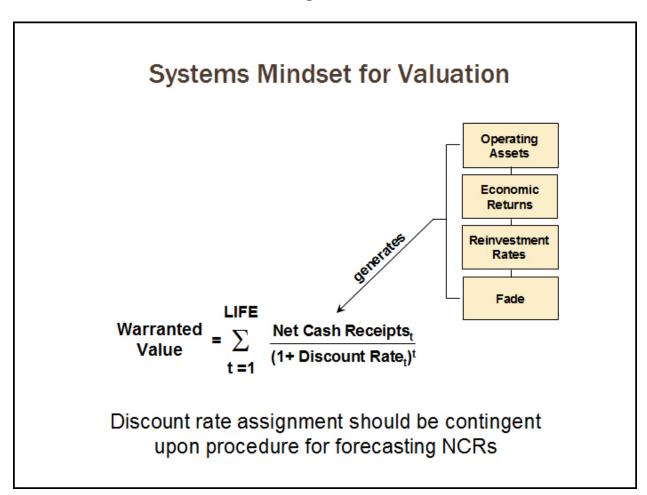
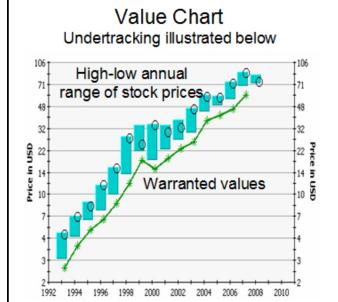


Figure 5

VALUATION MODEL TRACKING ERRORS



Examples of Issues

- R&D Expense not capitalized
- Operating Leases not capitalized
- Acquisition Intangibles
- Financial Subsidiaries
- Off Balance Sheet Liabilities
- Special Items
- Stock Option Expense
- Asset/Project Life

Source of errors often due to the differences between business economics and accounting treatments

Figure 6

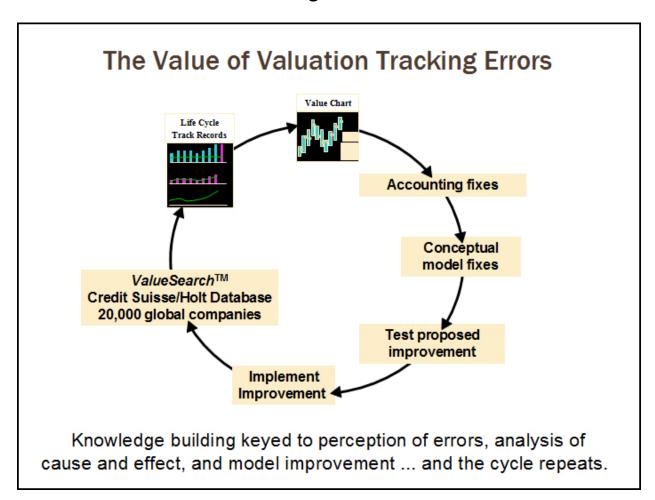


Figure 7

SHAREHOLDER VALUE REVIEW (SVR) THREE PARTS

- 1. Explicit valuation framework
- 2. Value-relevant track records for business units
- 3. Explanation of business unit strategy and reinvestment



Management decisions better tied to long-term wealth creation

Figure 8

PREDICTED EFFECTS OF SVR

- Quarterly EPS
- Director qualifications
- Life-cycle framework vs. alternatives
- Evolution of financial reporting



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