Building Long Term Value Orkla ASA

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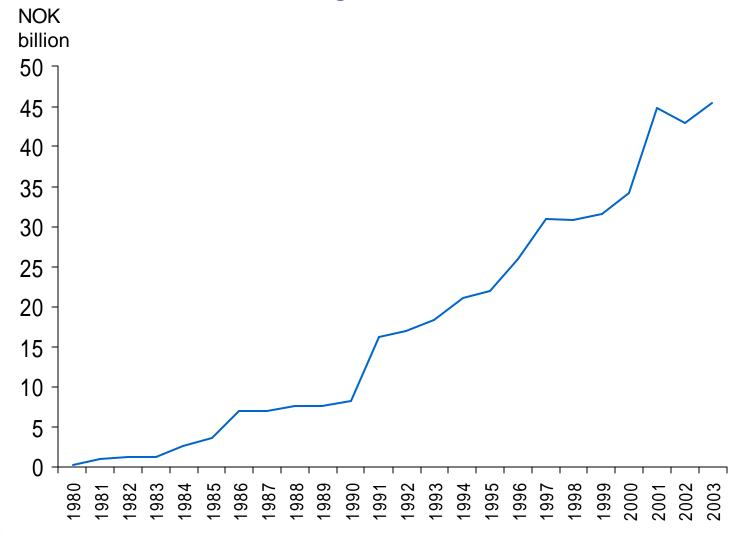
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- Strategy built on sustainable competitive advantage
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- Growth and diversification
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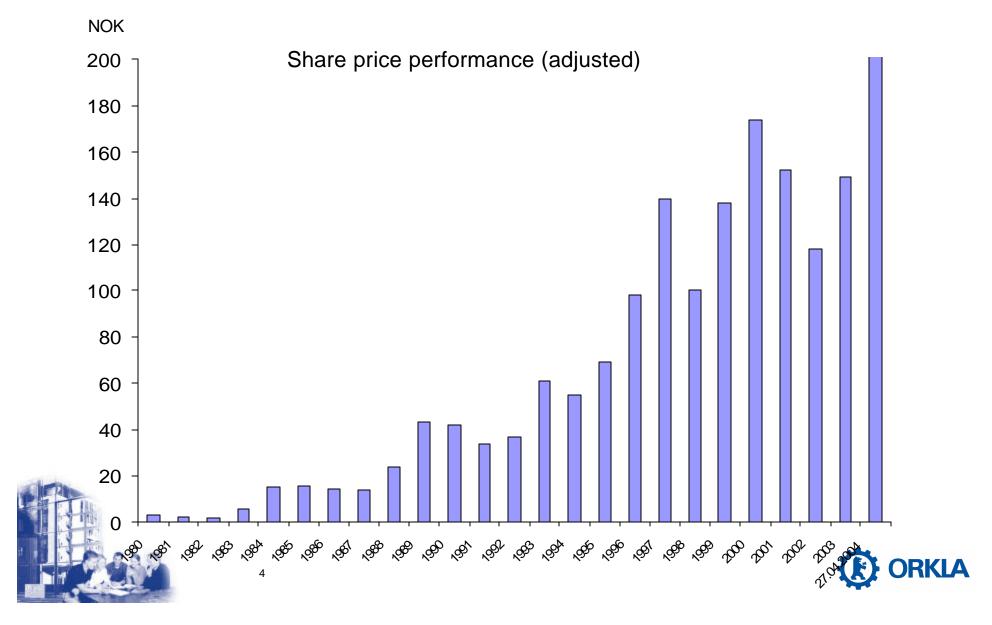


Successful transition – growth in turnover 1980-2003



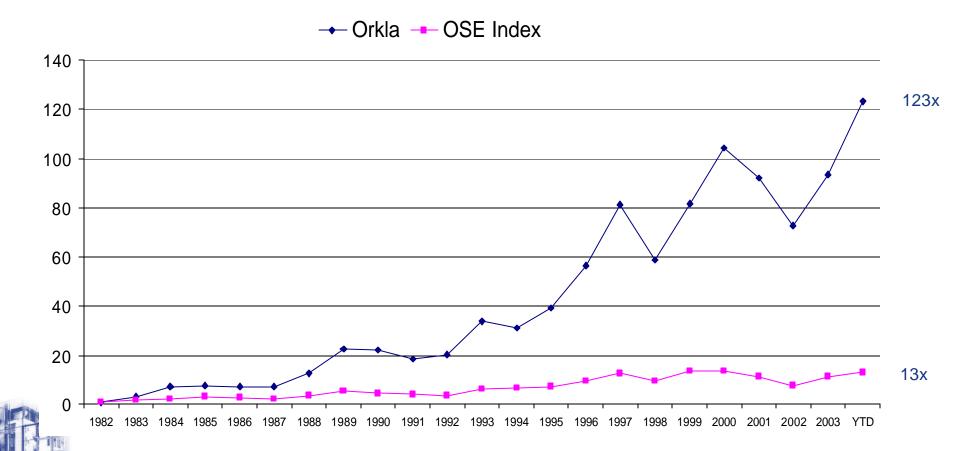


Successful transition – good value growth for shareholders



Orkla has created substantial shareholder value

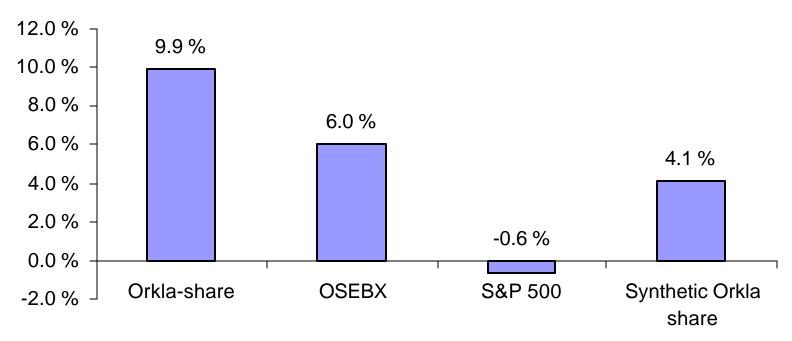
Value of NOK 1 invested 31.12.82





Good return also in a 5-year perspective

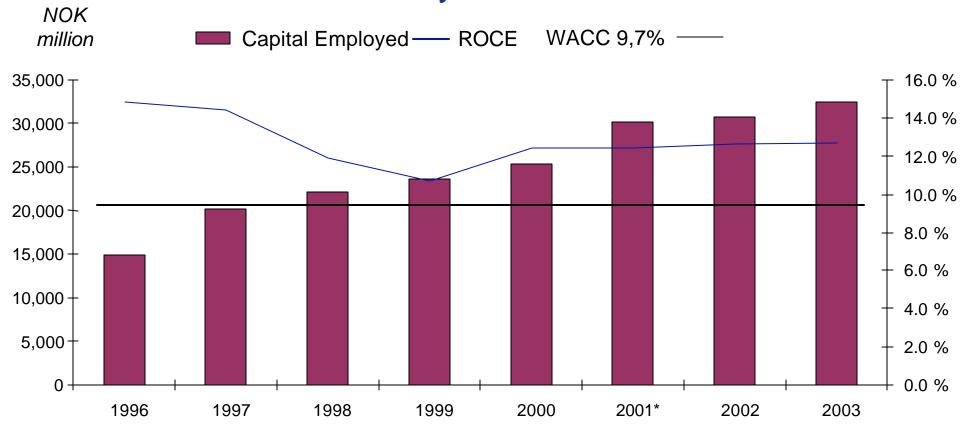
Annual return 1999-2003







Industry ROCE has consistently been higher than today's WACC



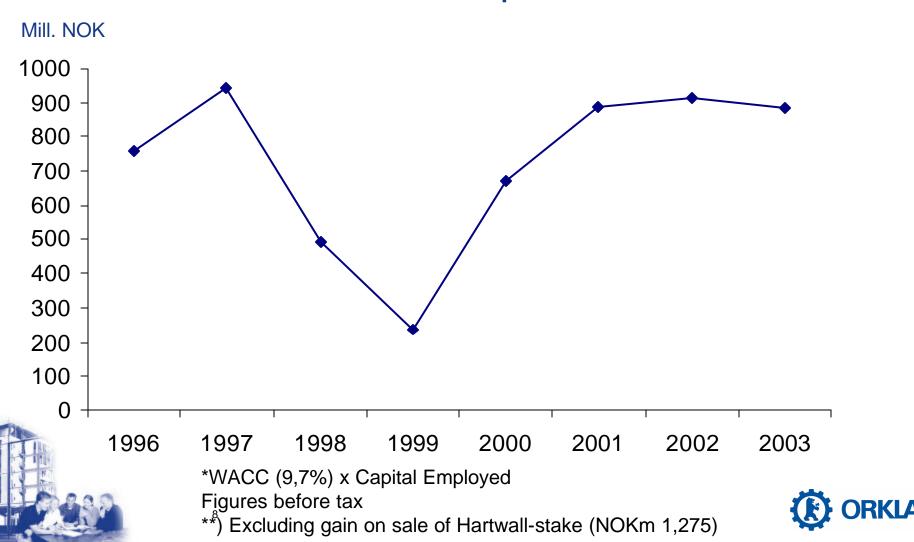


Figures before tax



^{*)} Excluding gain on sale of Hartwall-stake (NOKm 1,275)

Industry return has consistently been higher than cost of capital*



Case: Orkla Beverages

<u>1992</u>



2004



Value 2,5 - 3 (NOK bill)

Net invest 2,5

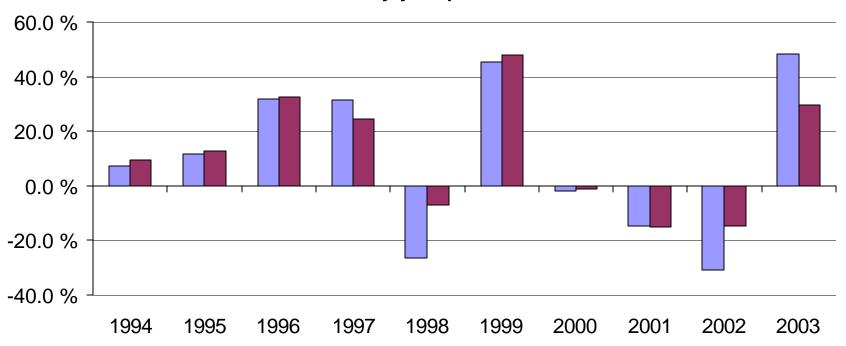
17,5





The investment portfolio has done better than the OSE Index in 7 out of the last 10 years

Year-by-year portfolio returns



■ OSE Index ■ Orkla's Investments

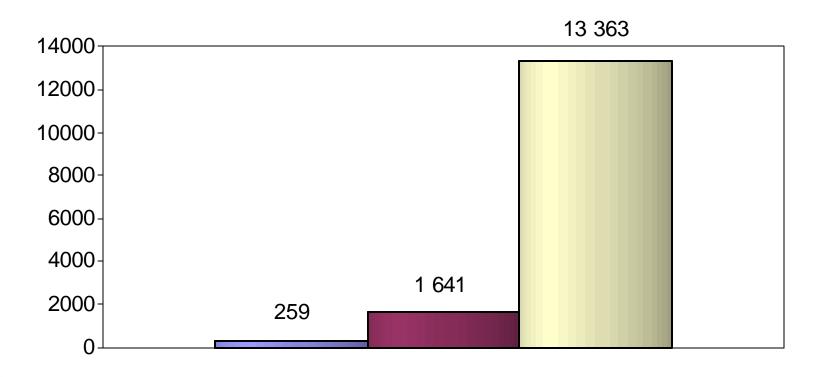
CAGR Orkla's portfolio: 10 %

CAGR OSE: 6 %

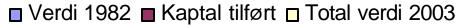




The investment portfolio has created long term shareholder value

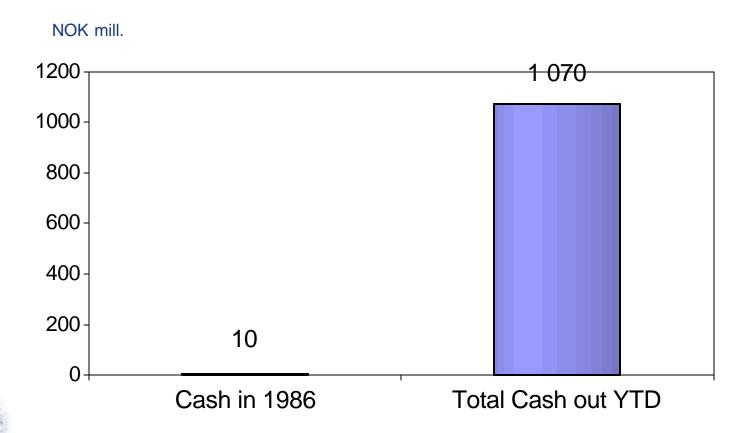








Case: Value creation in stock broking (1986 – 2003)





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VISION

Orkla will create superior values to the benefit of our shareholders, employees and the communities in which we operate

We shall operate better and grow faster than our competitors

Our 3 most important competitive advantages:

- •A broad competence base giving a broad frontier of opportunities
- •A competent and motivated workforce in a demanding organisation with a sound culture
- Differentiated products obtaining preferences and loyalty





Orkla's strategy

- To strengthen our competitive advantage through
 - Specialized products
 - Strong market positions
 - Competent organization and healthy company culture
- And with continued focus on
 - Operational excellence
 - And continued structural growth





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Long-term value creation through operational excellence......

High-quality of organisation

- Attitudes: Commercial culture
- Skills: Core competencies
- Management: Talent and training

Organic top-line and margin growth

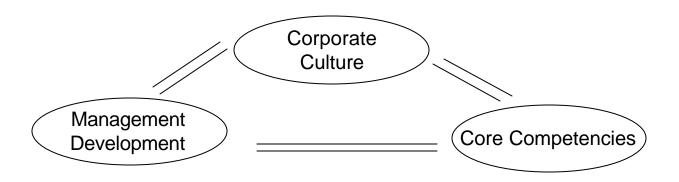
- Differentiated products
- Innovation
- Efficient advertising/Customer franchise

Continuous improvements

- Cost-cutting
- Quality enhancement



Creating competitive advantage by building a strong organisation







Improving capabilities along the value chain

PROCURE LOGISTICS PRODUCTION MARKETING SALES

Orkla Purchasing school

Orkla School of Manufacturing Excellence

Orkla Brand School

Orkla School of Sales Management

Orkla School of B2B





Developing capability in Orkla

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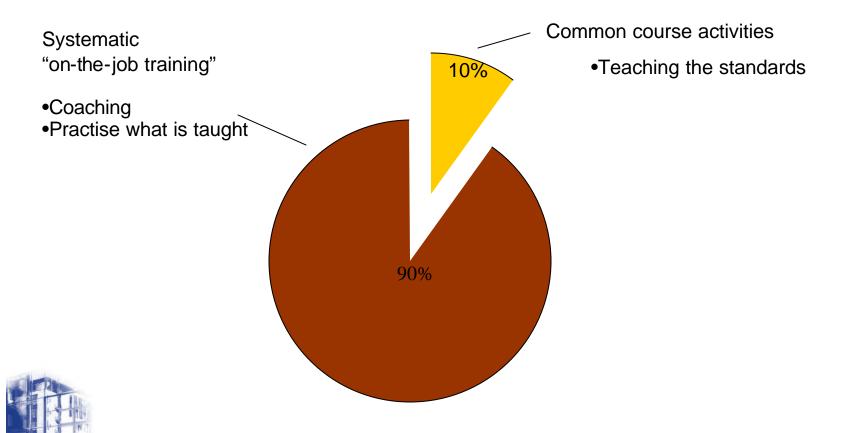
Common course activities at Orkla:

- Oriented towards the central elements in the value chain.
- Normative and tools based in our core areas. "This is the Orkla way"
- Concentrating on the areas where it is important to offer own programs
- General knowledge are bought externally



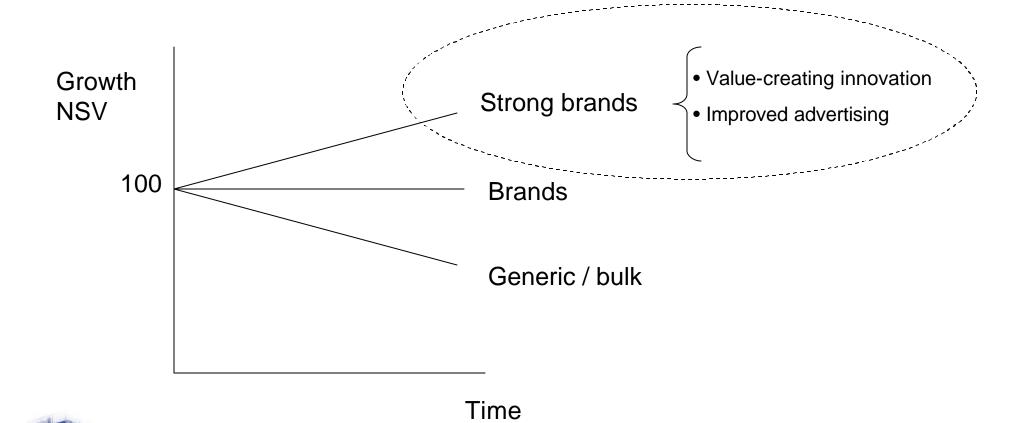


Breakdown of importance





Improvement through organic top line growth





Strong brands create a platform for continued development of "new" products

Case: Grandiosa

Starting point 2001 2002 2002 2004











Original product

Small portion

New flavour: "Mild Taco"

Line extension: Pizzas as toasts New flavour: Pizza election





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Case: Laban

Starting point

2001

2003

2004









Original product

Laban women

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Improvement through cost saving programmes

- Continuous improvement
 - Step-by-step changes and daily improvements
 - Focus in all business areas
- Redesign
 - Significant improvement programmes within current structure
 - Changes in processes and down-scaling of staff
- Structural projects
 - Efficient production increased capacity utilisation
 - Closure of plants and transfer of production





Examples of cost reduction programmes in Orkla

		Man-years reduced	Man-years reduced in %
Berlingske	01-03	650	21 %
Orkla Foods	03-04	1,000	15 %
•Abba		140	24 %
Borregaard	00-02	205	16 %





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Acquisitive growth at Orkla

Based on core competencies

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- Specialised wood-based chemicals products

Exploiting frontier of opportunities

- Commercial opportunism
- Gives growth advantages

Exploiting two-legged structure

- Positioning opportunities
- Flexible reserve of capital





Broad competence and business base create many opportunities

Expertise Expertise **Orkla Foods Orkla Brands** Orkla Media Chemicals Differentiated Differentiated Turnover approx. Turnover approx. Turnover approx. Turnover approx. products products NOK 11 bn NOK 5 bn NOK 7 bn NOK 6 bn • No. 1 or 2 • No. 1 or 2 Geography Geography Financial investment expertise



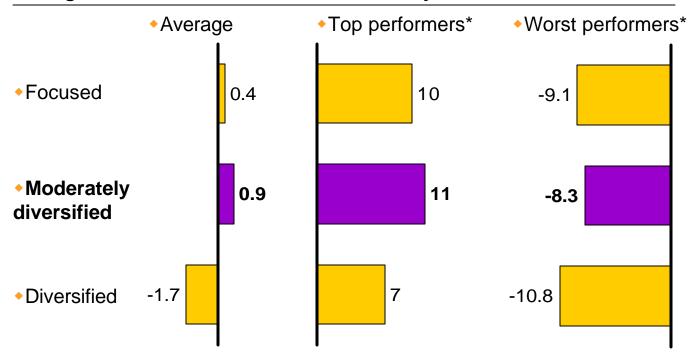


Research indicates that moderate diversification is a successful strategy

TRS CAGR 1990-2003 in percent



Average annual excess returns versus industry



^{*} Top performers: companies within 1st quartile in adjusted TRS; worst performers: companies within 4th quartile in adjusted TRS Note: Total number of companies in the sample = 272, Highly diversified (top 30% companies), focused (bottom 30% companies) Source: Worldscope, Datastream, McKinsey analysis

Orkla: Long-term value creation through...

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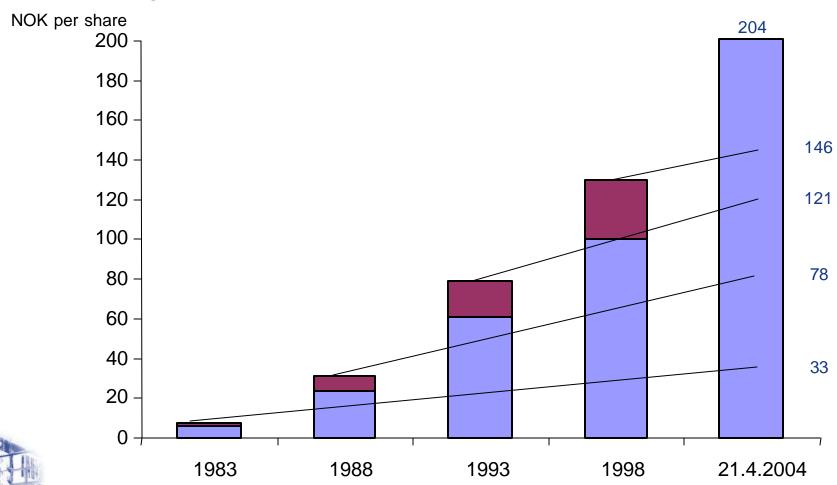


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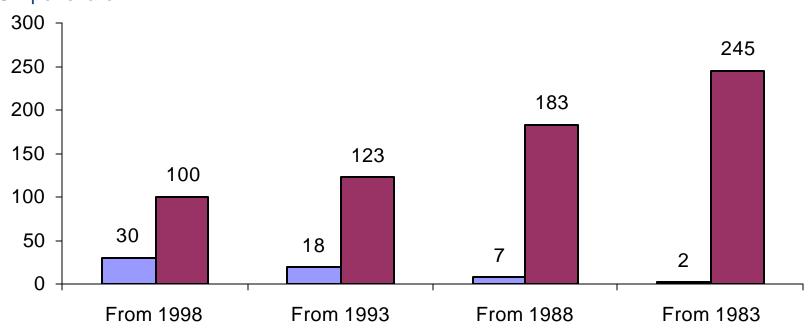
*30% discount realization and reinvested in OSE



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Value creation





■ ST value realization ■ LT value creation



Dividend reinvested, periods YTD = 07.05.04



Long term investing is all about identifying value creation,

and not about short term valuation issues



