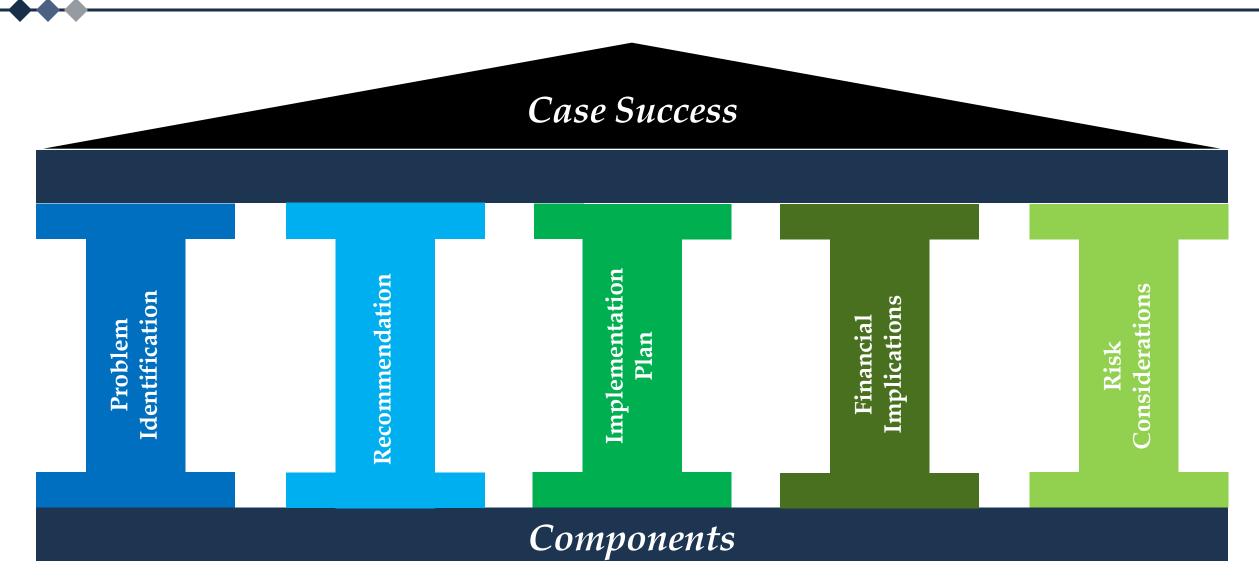


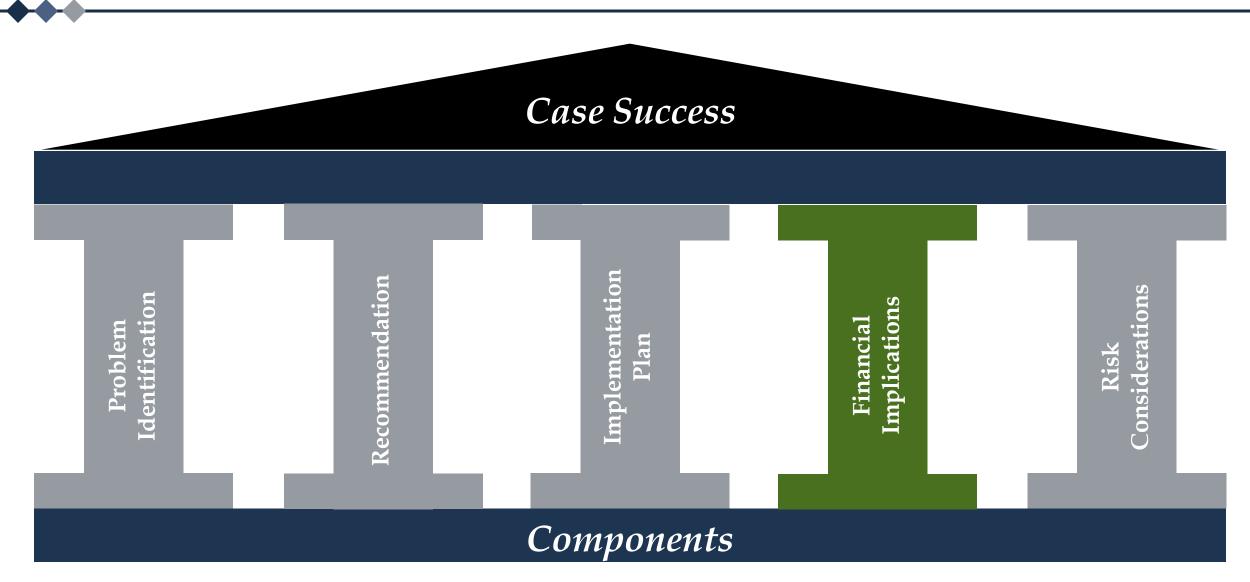
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Guided Exercise



Financial Modeling Key Ideas



What is a Financial Model?

- Provides quantitative expectations for qualitative ideas
- Shows future financial viability of an idea, program, company, etc.

How are Financial Models Made?

- All financial models are grounded in logic
- Use data gathered from SEC filings (public companies), competitors, or industry news

Excel Concepts to Keep in Mind





Cell referencing is usually better than hard coding.



Organizing and labeling your work is crucial.



Detail and accuracy is an important relationship.

Detail vs. Accuracy



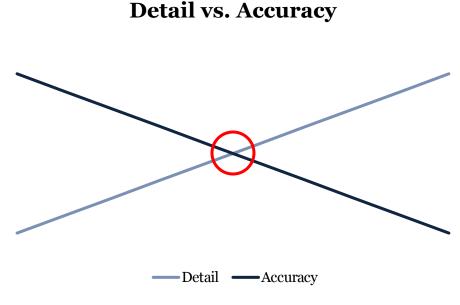


But...



The most accurate projections often lack detail

How do we strike a balance?



Introductory Methods of Modeling



Comprehensive financial models will show a link between individual recommendations and the whole company using a *combination* of these two methods.

Recommendation Approach

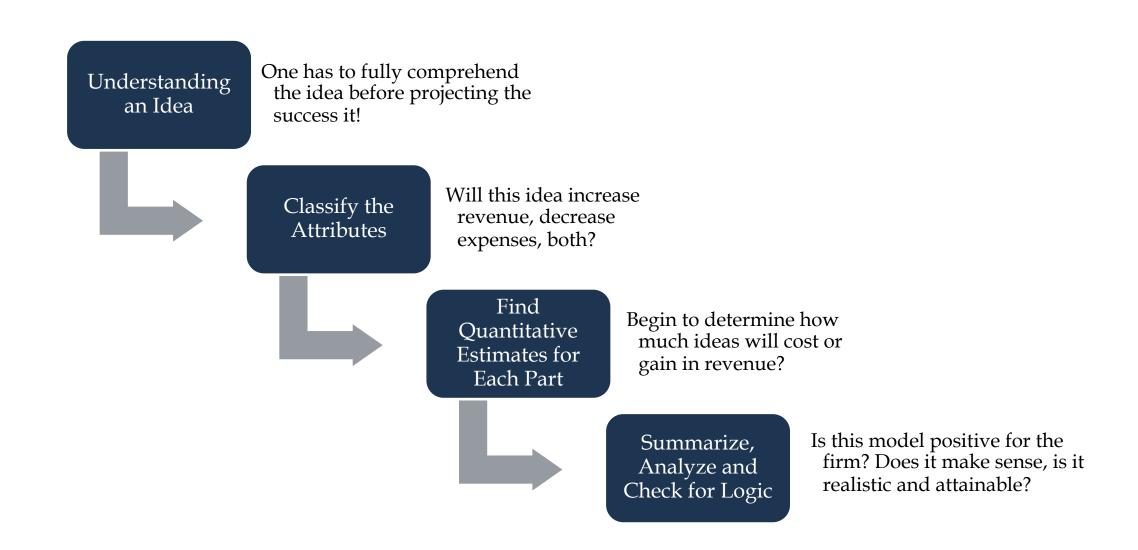
- Financial viability of one idea
- Includes thoughtful detail and critical thinking

Income Statement Approach

- "Big picture" of future financial position
- Involves projecting revenue and expenses

Key Steps for Recommendation Approach





Key Steps for Income Statement Approach



Gather Industry Knowledge

- Understand the current state of the industry and the direction it is moving
- Make sure projections make sense with the economy and key competitors

Research Company Goals and History



- Understand how the company has recently performed and why it has performed that way
- Understand its goals moving forward and possible barriers

Use Percentages to Understand Financials



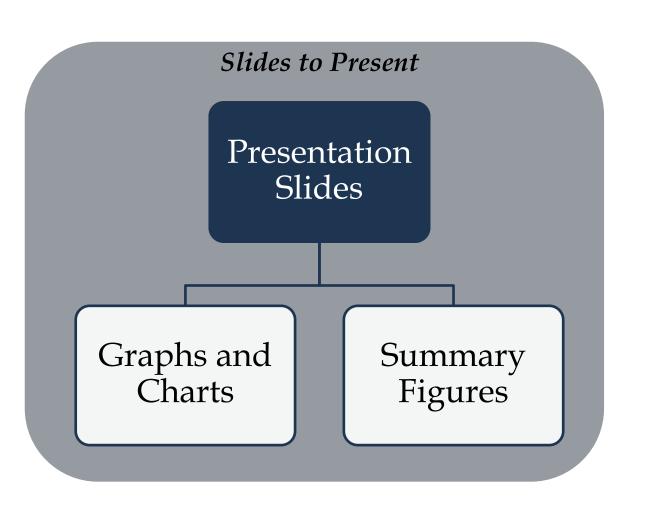
- Financial documents are often cluttered with seemingly insignificant figures
- Growth rates (as percent's) are easy ways to identify trends

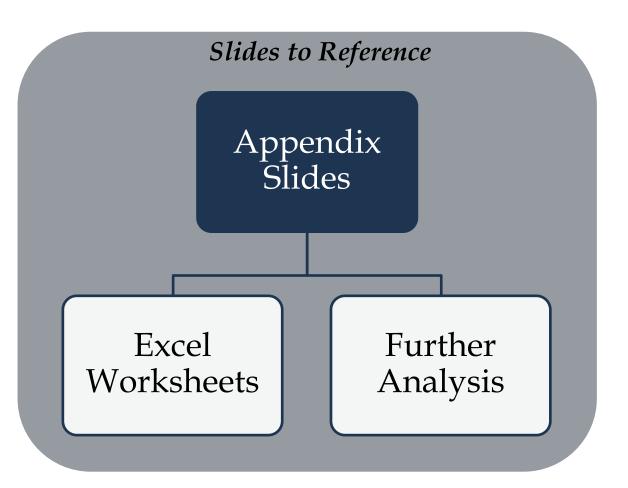
Add Implications of Recommendations

- Recommendation affects expenses and/or revenues for a business
- Add these as separate line items to easily quantify the impact of an idea

Presenting Financials







Financial Presentations Do's and Don'ts





Memorize a few key financial data points to use during presentations

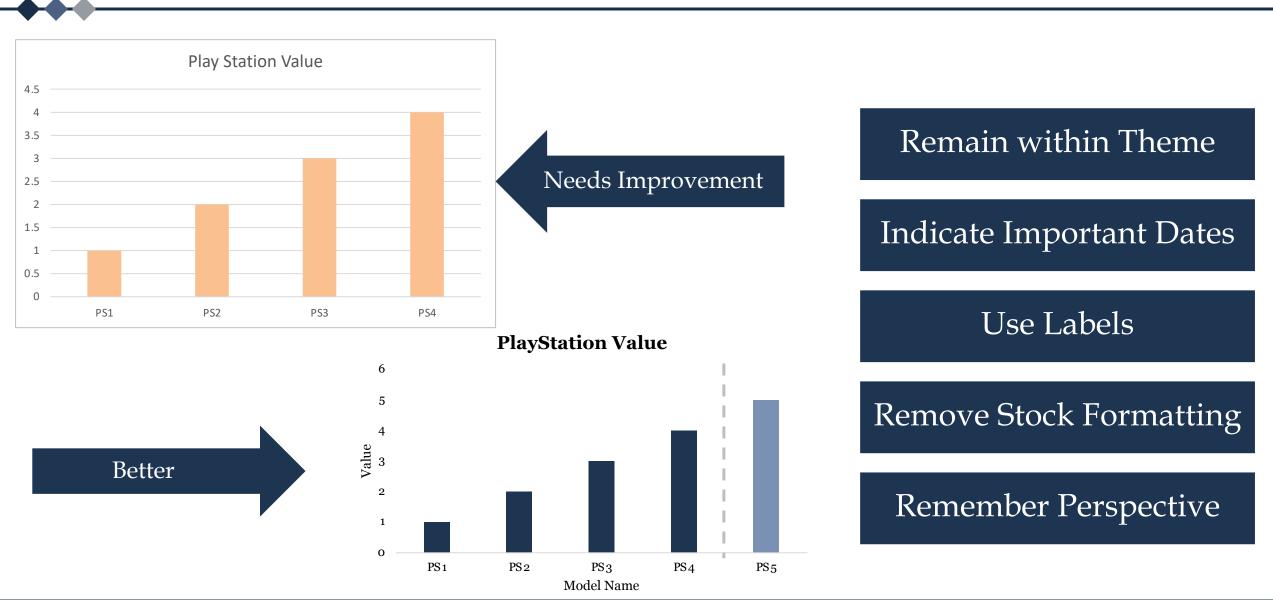
Be comfortable speaking on qualitative and quantitative aspects Don't

Rely on one team member to answer all questions

Overload a slide with too many numbers

Creating Professional Graphs





A Guided Example



In a recent case study involving McDonald's, MCG Consulting recommends that McDonald's starts a social media campaign to increase the revenue of there stores.

Key Questions to Be Answered:

How do we project how much money it will cost to launch this campaign and how much money will the company make from it?

How well does this fit into the financial projection of the whole company?

Is our recommendation logical and sustainable?

Breaking Down an Idea





Providing Quantitative Justification



Social Media Advertising Expense Projections												
	Cost to Access (percent of target users)											
Platform	CPM		CTR	User Base (Thousands)		25%		50%		75%		100%
Instagram	\$	5.41	3.00%	700,000	\$	946,750.00	\$	1,893,500.00	\$	2,840,250.00	\$	3,787,000.00
Facebook	\$	5.92	2.00%	2,129,000	\$	3,150,920.00	\$	6,301,840.00	\$	9,452,760.00	\$	12,603,680.00
Twitter	\$	6.72	1.50%	326,000	\$	547,680.00	\$	1,095,360.00	\$	1,643,040.00	\$	2,190,720.00
Source: JD Pi	rater, AdSi	tage Director, .	American i	University in Cairo								

Social Media Advertising Revenue Projections													
						Anticipated Revenue (percent of target users)							
Platform	Spend	ling Average	CTR	User Base (Thousands)		25%		50%		75%		100%	
Instagram	\$	4.50	3.00%	700,000	\$	23,625,000.00	\$	47,250,000.00	\$	70,875,000.00	\$	94,500,000.00	
Facebook	\$	4.50	2.00%	2,129,000	\$	47,902,500.00	\$	95,805,000.00	\$	143,707,500.00	\$	191,610,000.00	
Twitter	\$	4.50	1.50%	326,000	\$	5,501,250.00	\$	11,002,500.00	\$	16,503,750.00	\$	22,005,000.00	
Source: JD Prater, AdStage Director, American University in Cairo													

- Appendix worksheet (not presented)
- CPM, User Base, and CTR are industry metrics, lay foundation for resulting figures
- This format differentiated expenses and revenues while maintaining an apparent connection
- Able to show further analysis by varying anticipated costs and revenues
- Citing the sources adds a dimension of reliability to the forecasts

Further Analysis and Logic Check



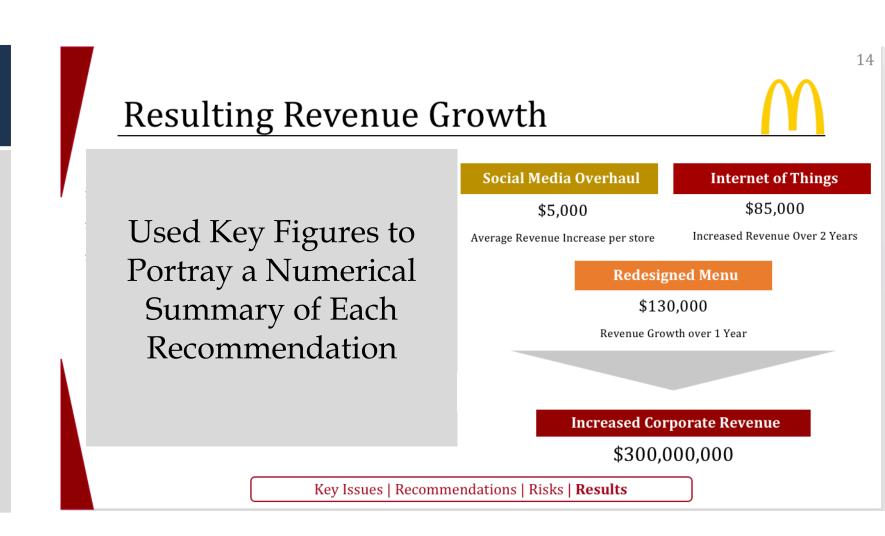
Social Media Advertising Net Income Calculations							
	Anticipated Net Income						
Platform	25%		50%		75%		100%
Instagram	\$ 22,678,250.00	\$	45,356,500.00	\$	68,034,750.00	\$	90,713,000.00
Facebook	\$ 44,751,580.00	\$	89,503,160.00	\$	134,254,740.00	\$	179,006,320.00
Twitter	\$ 4,953,570.00	\$	9,907,140.00	\$	14,860,710.00	\$	19,814,280.00
Source: ID Prater. AdStage Director. American University in Cairo							

- Appendix worksheet (not presented)
- Last slide was very busy, this helps to summarize our recommendation
- Maintains analysis by varying net income, decided to report weighted average for reality
- Symmetry between models and slides helped to convey our point easier

Presenting the Recommendation Model



- Using key figures on a slide helps to show individual details but can leave judges wondering long term patterns
- Being able to reference individual points of data and then scale it to the big picture of a company helps to provide clarity and depth



Implementing Ideas



McDonald's Corporation Consolidated Statement of Income													
in millions													
W MWONS		Years Ended December 31*											
Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022					
Revenues													
Revenue	25,413	24,622	22,972	24,467	25,966	27,151	28,364	29,683					
Menu Change	,		4,110	4,521	4,611	4,703	4,797	4,893					
IoT System			2,679	2,946	3,005	3,065	3,127	3,189					
Social Media Campaign			1,053	1,159	1,182	1,205	1,230	1,254					
Total Revenues	25,413	24,622	22,972	24,467	25,966	27,151	28,364	29,683					
Growth Rate				6.1%	5.8%	4.4%	4.3%	4.4%					
Operating Costs and Expenses													
Company-operated restaurant expenses	15,032	15,032	15,032	15,852	16,655	17,446	18,260	19,081					
IoT Installation: Company Owned Stores				132									
IoT Installation: Franchises				82	162	110	88	44					
Advertising Expense	719	646	575	606	641	681	726	777					
Franchised Restaurants-Occupancy Expenses	1,647	1,718	1,767	1,944	2,127	2,292	2,466	2,655					
Selling, General & Administrative Expenses	2,434	2,385	2,151	2,324	2,467	2,579	2,695	2,820					
Total Operting Costs and Expenses	19,114	19,135	18,951	20,120	21,250	22,318	23,420	24,555					
Net Income	6,299	5,487	4,021	4,347	4,717	4,833	4,943	5,127					

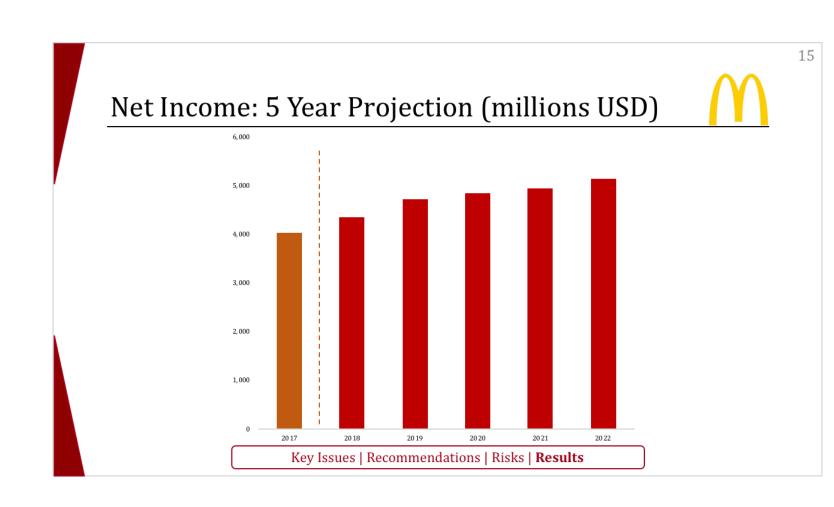
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- Used growth rate percentages to help justify revenue projections
- Defined revenue and expenses for individual recommendations

Presenting the Income Model



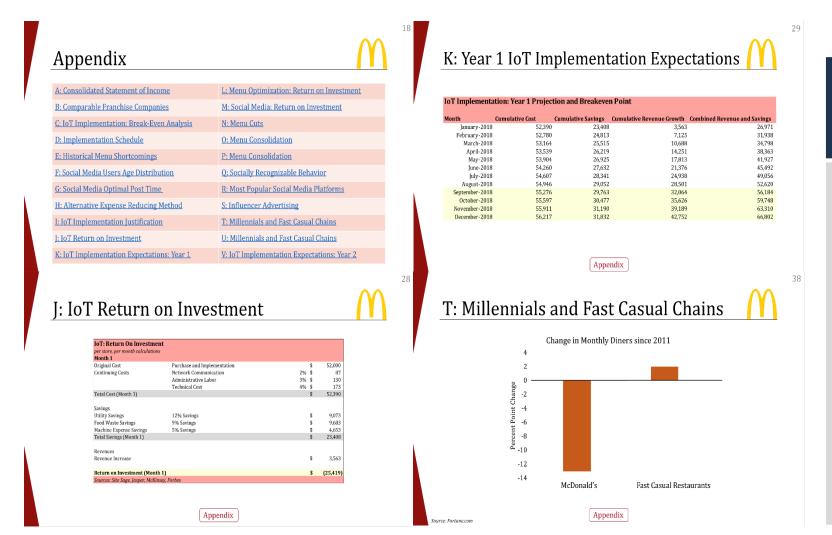


- Using a graph helps to show financial trends rather than details
- Axis alterations and creative coloring can help further emphasize a point
- Remember to label the time period and units your graph will show



Answering Questions





- An appendix has additional information and details that are not in the presentation deck
- A table of contents is a nice way to organize your appendix
- Every team member should have an idea what is in the appendix and be able to reference the appropriate slides while answering questions

Questions?

