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| <p>Abstract</p> <p>The principal theme of the thesis is corporate valuation through alternative techniques. The theoretical part included valuation. Several models and methods of value determination were introduced. The information in the theoretical part was applied in the practical part of the research in the stock market; there are many firms whose market value differs from the intrinsic value. The main goal was to figure out, which of the top Finnish 25 NASDAQ OMX Helsinki firms were under- or overvalued. To address this, methods such as Discounted Cash flow, Free cash flow to the firm, Capital Asset Pricing model, Multiples and Tobin's Q were applied.</p> <p>In the study, secondary data was used. Historical data collected and consisted 10-year sample of firm's historical stock market and accounting data from 2005 to 2018, daily stock performances of each firm, daily stock performances of the general stock market and yearly accounting data of each firm. They were analysed by various methods to discover undervalued firms and figure out their intrinsic value. Microsoft Excel was used to perform the valuation tasks. Once the valuation models were successfully applied in practice, it was possible to figure out the undervalued firms and their intrinsic value.</p> <p>The results exposed that in 2018 among 18 firms, 12 were overvalued and the other six firms were undervalued. Among those, 11 firms had negative real value. The performance-related multiples and Tobin's Q implied that from 2005 to 2018, the firm's that were considered undervalued, their performance had been unstable even though their stock's market price has been relatively stable.</p> <p>It should be noted that the value of a company cannot be explicitly calculated, but the valuation is always based in part on a subjective assessment. A successful valuation of a company is difficult, and it is one of the most important fundamentals when considering a successful acquisition of a firm's stock - or the whole company.</p> | | |
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| <p>Tiivistelmä</p> <p>Opinnäytetyön pääsisältö keskittyi yrityksen arvonmääritykseen. Opinnäyte koostui teoreettisesta osasta ja käytännön osasta. Opinnäytetyössä kuvataan arvonmääritystä kokonaisvaltaisena prosessina ja esitellään käytetyimpiä arvonmääritysmenetelmiä, sekä niiden käyttötarkoituksia. Arvonmäärityksen avulla on mahdollista selvittää, määrittävätkö yritykset arvonsa, sekä osakehintansa markkinoilla oikein. Päättävöitteenä oli selvittää, mitkä Suomen 25 parhaasta NASDAQ OMX Helsinki -yrityksistä olivat aliarvostettuja tai yliarvostettuja. Osakemarkkinoilla voi olla yrityksiä, joiden markkina-arvo eroaa todellisesta arvosta. Tämän selvittämiseksi yrityksiä tutkittiin seuraavien metodien kautta: Diskontattu kassavirta, Vapaa kassavirta, Capital Asset Pricing -malli, Tobinin Q ja Pörssitunnusluvut (P/E-Luku, P/S-luku ja P/B-luku).</p> <p>Tutkimusdata koostui kymmenen vuoden otannasta historiallisista kirjanpitoliedoista sekä markkinadatasta ajanjaksolla 2005–2018. Useita yrityksiä analysoitiin eri metodeilla aliarvostettujen yritysten löytämiseksi ja niiden todellisen arvon selvittämiseksi. Tutkimus käsiteli mitä eri arvonmääritysmalleja on olemassa, ja kuinka arvonmääritysprosessi suoritettiin. Useita arvonmääritysmalleja sovellettiin onnistuneesti käytännössä. Tämä mahdollisti yrityksen todellisen taloudellisen arvon arvioinnin luotettavammin.</p> <p>Tulokset osoittivat, että vuonna 2018, 18 yrityksen keskuudessa 12 oli yliarvostettuja sekä 6 yrityksistä oli aliarvostettuja. Näistä 11 yrityksellä oli negatiivinen todellinen arvo. Pörssitunnusluvut ja Tobinin Q osoittivat, että vuosien 2005 ja 2018 välillä yritysten tulokset olivat olleet epävakaita, vaikka niiden osakekurssi on ollut suhteellisen vakaa.</p> <p>On huomattava, että yrityksen arvoa ei voida suoraan laskea, mutta arvonmääritys perustuu aina osittain subjektiiviseen arviointiin. Arvonmääritysmallien soveltaminen käytäntöön oli onnistunut. Vaikka yrityksen arvonmääritys on haastavaa, se on yksi tärkeimmistä perusteista ennen osakkeiden ostopäätöstä -tai onnistunutta yrityskauppaa.</p> | | |
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1 Introduction

This chapter introduces the background of the thesis and the rationale of the chosen topic. Additionally, the research framework, research objectives and research questions are presented.

1.1 Background

The spotlight on the stock market has always been immense since the day we started trading. In the stock market, publicly traded firms distribute their possession for the general public by issuing shares of stock, and they are freely traded on the stock exchange market. However, a common debate exists on whether the market price of a firm's stock accurately reflects the real value of the company.

In Finance and Corporate governance, the method of determining the true value is called Valuation. The impact of valuation occurs on many levels, regionally, domestically, and globally. An improperly calculated valuation can cause a negative impact on the whole stock market, or in the worst-case lead into a recession. (Damodaran 2002, 6-14.) Valuation assesses whether the stock market correctly values firms. It also serves as an aiding instrument to help determine the real value of a security, an asset, or a firm. The value of a firm can be overvalued or undervalued in comparison to its intrinsic value. Hence, if the firm value is higher than the intrinsic value, it is considered overvalued, and if the firm value is lower, it is seen as undervalued. (Stowe, Robinson, Pinto & McLeavey 2007, 2-28.) Due to the global Financial crisis of 2008 EU and Finland also faced a recession, which made the role of financial analysis even more essential than before. In order to comprehend how the period affected Finnish firms and their value, the top 25 firms in NASDAQ OMX Helsinki were chosen as the sample to perform valuation on.

1.2 Research motivation

The author has chosen these aspects combined with the interest in Finance. It has contributed to the implementation of this research. The research has allowed the author to explore corporate Finance in a more comprehensive and detailed manner as

well as strengthened her knowledge and curiosity towards the field. The thesis can be beneficial for future studies, research, or personal career development. In addition, the research can potentially offer viable results for the firms included in the sample.

The author delved to the topic of valuation, and after studying a considerable number of relevant articles and research, she discovered that a very small portion of the existing literature had studied the effects on the Finnish market. Therefore, the reasoning for selecting firms listed in NASDAQ OMX Helsinki 25, derives from the lack of previous research. Considering the aforementioned points, the author deemed it essential to contribute to the current body of literature by providing a thorough research on the topic.

1.3 Research objectives and questions

When the firm is being evaluated, its performance and growth tend to be vital metrics. Commonly, investors are more focused on the financial aspect of the firm, and consequently, firms with better financial performance records are considered more favourable by investors. If the performance of the stock indicates no growth potential the investors may defiantly abandon aforementioned stocks. When determining the intrinsic values of firms in NASDAQ OMX Helsinki 25, this research could be used as a crucial source of information in assisting firm managers in their decision-making process. It can aid them in choosing the correct stocks or with defining their strategies. If the firm value is higher than their intrinsic value, the firm managers should act on it. Conversely, if a firm is valued lower than the intrinsic value, the firm managers should try to increase firm performance as an act of protecting the firm's investors. (Koller, Goedhart & Wessels 2005, 4-21.)

There is a chance that the firms' market value may not match the intrinsic value; hence the firm performance and probable growth do not match with the market price. This problem is the focus of the current study. Through valuation the author seeks to determine the market value and intrinsic value of the sample firms. Additionally, the results of the research aim to provide an answer on how efficient, or perfect the stock market itself is. This approach will build a bridge between two

sides, the historical side as in market data, and the other side as what is derived from the theoretical calculations, which can also be described as comparing actual values with the theoretical values "as given by" various valuation techniques. With this, the author attempts to answer these research questions:

1. *What are the values of the top 25 Finnish firms as calculated by various valuation techniques?*
2. *Which of the firms listed in the OMXH25 are undervalued or overvalued?*
3. *What are the implications of under/overvaluation of firms on investors?*

The data collected for the purposes of the current research is numerical, retrieved primarily from the stock market database NASDAQ OMX Nordic and from the yearly annual reports of each firm. Financial data was used as input for various formulas and variables to estimate the intrinsic values of the companies. Data was collected in a 10-year sample of the firms' historical stock market and accounting data for the period of 01.01.2005-31.12.2018. The data has then been processed using the Spreadsheet Software Microsoft Excel in which the methods and measures of valuation have been produced. Multiple methods of valuation have been applied in this study in order to induce objectivity and robustness to support the findings of the research. The research aims to offer precise, unbiased results.

1.4 Structure of the Thesis

Literature review is conducted to entirely understand the methodology and the models used during the research process. Chapter 2 consists introduction of the topics discussed in this thesis with literature review. Chapter 3 contains methodology of the research, data collection, data analysis and the Reliability and Validity. The Chapter 4 summarizes the findings of the research and assesses the credibility of the research and offers possible suggestions to following researchers.

2 Literature Review

This chapter introduces various concepts, definitions, practical functions of valuation, different valuation models, aspects related to the DCF model and the DCF formulation. The author used multiple works of literature which include articles, online publications, soft and hard copies of books. This chapter aids the reader to understand the concept of valuation. This chapter focuses on reviewing the literature. Eleven sub-chapters have been mentioned here, of which are the Chapter 2.1 Value, Chapter 2.2 The concept of firm valuation, Chapter 2.3 Major issues of firm valuation, Chapter 2.4 Valuation models, Chapter 2.5 Discounted cash flow methods (DCF), Chapter 2.6 Capital Asset Pricing Model-CAPM, Chapter 2.7 Tobin's Q, Chapter 2.8 Multiples, Chapter 2.9 Book Value of Equity, Chapter 2.10 Operating profit margin, Chapter 2.11 Net profit margin and Chapter 2.12 Hypotheses.

2.1 Value

The company's value can be determined differently depending on the buyer, or it can be different for the buyer and the seller. Value is not equivalent to the price. The price is the quantity agreed between the seller and the buyer when considering the sale of a company. There are numerous reasons for determining the difference in a specific company's value. (Fernandez 2015, 2.) A firm can directly relate its decision making to its value, also on which projects it takes, how it finances them, and how they structure their dividend policy. When this relationship is understood, value increasing decisions and financial reforms are less problematic. (Damodaran 2002,12.) The simplest way to explain this is via an example provided by Fernandez (2015, 2);

A large and technologically highly advanced foreign company wishes to buy a well-known national company in order to gain entry into the local market, using the reputation of the local brand. In this case, the foreign buyer will only value the brand but not the plant, machinery, etc. as it has more advanced assets of its own. However, the seller will give a very high value to its material resources, as they are able to continue producing. From the buyer's viewpoint, the basic aim is to determine the maximum value it should be prepared to pay for what the company it wishes to buy is able to contribute. From the seller's viewpoint, the aim is to ascertain what should be the minimum value at which it should accept the operation. These are the two figures that face each other across the

table in a negotiation until a price is finally agreed on, which is usually somewhere between the two extremes. A company may also have different values for different buyers due to economies of scale, economies of scope, or different perceptions about the industry and the company.

Market value is the worth of a company according to the stock market. Market value is derived from the number analysis. Commonly media and investors refer to Market value when they mention the value of the business. The market value does not only rely on the historical cost of the firm's assets, it also relies on investor expectations on how much profit the firm's assets might generate in the future. (Berk, DeMarzo & Harford 2012, 29.) Book value on the other hand, is the value amount of shareholders equity in the balance sheet (capital and reserves) which are stated in the financial statements of a company. From this, the difference between total assets and liabilities is visible, and the surplus of the company's total goods and claims over its total debts with other parties. (Fernandez 2015, 3.) Book value literally means the value of the business according to the "books" as financial statements call the value. Book value is calculated from the balance sheet, which is Historical data. (Damodaran 2002, 40.) Benjamin Graham and David Dodd (1934, 17) discuss the intrinsic value on their Book Security Analysis. In this book, they examine that Intrinsic value was considered equal with Book value before. It was equal to the net assets of the firm. This view of intrinsic value was quite definite, but it proved not to be practical. Since, the average earnings nor the average market price are not demonstrated any tendency to be governed by book value. Later, Damodaran has defined the Intrinsic value of the company by following statement: "The intrinsic value of a company is the present value of the expected cashflows of the company over its lifetime." (2010, 181). Damodaran states (2010, 41), that every asset with intrinsic value reflects its cash flow potential and its risk. The process of estimating intrinsic value causes challenges since there is a tendency to look past market perceptions and asses the intrinsic value of a business or asset. Generally, the intrinsic value of an asset is estimated by conducting a Discounted cash flow calculation (Damodaran 2011,7).

The stock market and the market price of the stock frequently changes. The price of the stock can be considered as undervalued if the market price is below the intrinsic value. If the market price of the stock is higher than the intrinsic value, the stock can be considered overvalued (Rawley & Benton 2010, 294.) Jensen (2004, 554) has

discussed, that if a firm stock is overvalued, they will not generate the financial performance as is required by the market. The result of overvaluing is the firm's capital, both equity and debt become interesting to be acquired by the investors. As this occurs, the result of overvaluation will affect the firm's debt structure, and the importance of the management of the debt rises. Meantime, overvaluation establishes reasons to sanction unnecessary internal spending on operating costs (Jensen 2004, 555-562.) Graham introduced The value Investment principle in the book of 'The Intelligent Investor' (1949), which provides a base for investors whether stocks are undervalued. There, he stated the way investors should respond to overvalued or undervalued stock. If the stock is overvalued, Graham suggests that the stock should not be bought or sold. On the other hand, if the stock is undervalued, the stock should be bought or held on.

2.2 The concept of firm valuation

Views on valuation can be divided into two sides. Others see valuation as "hard science," where is no space for analytic views or human error. At the other side are the visionaries who see valuation as a means to manipulate numbers for any result sought (Damodaran 2016, 2.) In many areas of finance, which include corporate finance, mergers, acquisitions, and portfolio management, valuation plays a key role (Damodaran 2002, 8). Purposes of doing a valuation can be various. A valuation can be done in the following situations.

- In a company that has to buy and sell operations. Regarding the buyer, one valuation method will resolve the highest price that should be paid. For the seller, other valuation will result in the lowest price where they should sell.
- A valuation of publicly listed firms can be used to compare their share price on the stock market, with it to determine and decide if sell, buy, or keep the shares. Also, several valuating firms can be used to choose the securities that the created portfolio should concentrate on to: Ones that seem to be undervalued by the market. Valuation also can be used to make comparisons between firms.

- A valuation can be beneficial to public offerings as well. It is used to rationalize the price at which the shares are offered to the public. This includes the Initial public offerings (IPO's) here, knowing the intrinsic value of the company before entering the share market assists the company's management to justify the new market price.
- In inheritances and wills, the goal of valuation is to compare the share's value with the value of other assets.
- When determining the compensation, the valuation of the whole company or just the business unit is beneficial to determine the value created by the executives- or the business that is being evaluated. As the compensation is based on value creation by the executives.
- The valuation of a company or a business unit is essential when identifying and determining the core value drivers.
- It provides crucial strategic decisions for a company or a business unit to determine the next steps in their existence. A valuation can provide essential information for the company, whether it should stay in business, expand, merge, slow down, or sell itself to some other company.
- The valuation of the whole company or a business unit provides information for determining what areas of business, products, demographic areas, target markets, customers to maintain, expand, or cancel, which makes valuation useful for long-term planning.
- It offers a way to measure the impact of the company's policies and strategies on their value creation and deterioration. (Fernandez 2015, 2.)

Berk and DeMarzo (2017, 61) have stated the valuation principle, where:

“The value of a commodity or an asset to the firm or its investors is determined by its competitive market price. The benefits and costs of a decision should be evaluated using those market prices. When the value of the benefits exceeds the value of the costs, the decision will increase the market value of the firm.”

This statement agrees with this research's statement and objective. Also, Damodaran (2005, 694) has discussed that with valuation, the firm makes the best decisions, and enriches its investors.

Valuation is not considered as an objective activity, and preconceptions and biases brought by the analyst to the valuation process will eventually find their way into the value (Damodaran 2002, 9). There are three significant issues found from valuation, that the analyst should pay attention to when performing the process. Those are the human bias, uncertainty, and complexity and the development of valuation models. (Damodaran 2016, 2.)

2.3 Major issues of Firm Valuation

These are the human bias, uncertainty, and complexity and the development of valuation models (Damodaran 2016, 2). The first issue of human bias, which is always present. We tend to absorb the external information, analyses, and opinions about a firm, which results in not entering a valuation without some bias. There are suggestions on avoiding bias. The first suggestion is to eliminate all bias before starting a valuation. Secondly, strong public positions regarding the value of a company shall be avoided. The aforementioned can result in biased analyses because of the decision on if a company is under-or overvalued heralds the actual valuation and the choice of methods. Third, the involvement in determining if the company is under-or overvalued before the valuation shall be left to a minimum. (ibid., 2-3.)

Uncertainty is continuously related to valuation; consequently, it results from the asset being valued, with the addition of the chosen valuation model and the estimation of the result (Damodaran 2002, 3). Mistakes made with the conversion of information into inputs and them entered into models will result in estimation error, which is a crucial cause in uncertainty. With firms, the pre-vision of the performance can result in any direction. The company can perform better or worse than expected when the estimates in valuation fail. If the company performs in the way expected, the change in the macro-economic environment can cause deviations. An increase or decrease in interest rates, or the economy, in general, can do well or worse than

expected. Changes in the macro-economic environment as these affect value. (Damodaran 2010, 14.)

With technological development over the decades, valuation models have developed into more and more complex. The development and easier access to data allows more detailed valuation, but the fundamental issue is how complex and detailed a valuation should be. (Damodaran 2010, 15.) There is a division of opinion that valuation is done in more detail, it will be more consistent than in less detail, and in detail, the results are more decisive. Valuation done with less detail can be as significant as a valuation with more detail. Considering using detailed data will result in more specific forecasts, but the disadvantage of detailed data is the increased amount of inputs, which increases the potential for error and continues to create complex models. Professionals in valuation suggest endorsing a simple principle in valuation. To avoid valuation issues, value an asset with the simplest model applicable. (ibid., 15-16.)

2.4 Valuation models

There are four main groups of valuation models, balance sheet-based methods, income statement-based methods, mixed methods, and cash flow discounting-based methods. According to Fernandez (2015, 1), the methods based on cash flow discounting are theoretically “correct.”

| MAIN VALUATION METHODS | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|---|--|
| BALANCE SHEET | INCOME STATEMENT | MIXED (GOODWILL) | CASH FLOW DISCOUNTING | VALUE CREATION | OPTIONS |
| Book value Adjusted book value Liquidation value Substantial value | Multiples PER Sales P/EBITDA Other multiples | Classic Union of European Accounting Experts Abbreviated income Others | Equity cash flow Free cash flow Capital cash flow Debt tax shield | EVA Economic profit Cash value added CFROI | Black and Scholes Investment option Expand the project Delay the investment Alternative uses |

Figure 1 Six groups of methods for valuing firms, Damodaran 2009

2.5 Discounted cash flow methods (DCF)

Discounted methods are the group of methods that calculate the estimated attraction in an investment probability (Ruback 2002, 85). The following formula calculates discounted cash flow (DCF):

$$Value = \frac{CF_1}{(1+i)^1} + \frac{CF_2}{(1+i)^2} + \dots + \frac{CF_\infty}{(1+i)^\infty} = \sum_{n=i}^{\infty} \frac{CF_n}{(1+i)^n}$$

CF= Cash flow

i= discount rate

n= time periods from one to infinity

The Discounted cash flow method is used to calculate intrinsic value. Discounted cash flow methods utilize the required annual rate to result in present value estimates, in consequence, to analyse future cash flow projections and discount them. Then, the present value estimate is applied when assessing the potential for investment. The prospect to invest might be promising if the results from Discounted cash flow analysis are higher than the current cost of the initial investment. (Damodaran 2002, 17.) Ruback (2002, 85) states that the purpose of the analysis of Discounted cash flow methods is to assess the money an investor could receive from an investment, within the adjustment for the time value of capital employed. When assessing riskier cash flows, Damodaran (2010, 303-304) suggested them to be assessed with a lower value than when assessing steady cash flows. In traditional cash flow valuation models, the discount rate is the portrayal of how concerned we are of the risk. The common tendency is that higher discount rates are used for riskier cash flows and lower discount rates on more safe cash flows (ibid., 2010, 303-304) The result of DCF

generally is, if the value from the firm is lower than the market value of the firm, DCF estimates the firm to be overvalued. When the value is higher than the market, the estimation is that the firm is undervalued. Issues with the Discounted cash flow come from the complexity, a pre mentioned issue with valuation. The model is sensitive to changes, and the later explained Terminal value is can be difficult to estimate. Often the end result is overvalued. It forces the analyst to decide, if to trust the results- or compare them with other techniques that are closer to the market observations. Often by trusting only the DCF forecast can result the firm to bankruptcy, analysts tend to prefer to apply other techniques. (Damodaran 2016, 15.)

2.5.1 Free cash flows and Weighted average cost of capital (WACC)

The cash that is generated from the flow of the firm's business operations can be termed as the free cash flow. One of the Discounted cash flow models is the Cash flow of firm (FCFF), and a variation of the free cash flow. It is another option to do equity valuation, where you do the valuation of entire business. The value of the firm is calculated by discounting the free cash flow to the firm at the weighted average cost of capital (WACC). Included in this value are tax benefits of debt, and the expected additional risk related with debt. (Damodaran 2005, 718.) According to Damodaran (2002, 542), firms with relatively high leverage are best suited for FCFF approach. Hence, in situations when the debt and the value of Equity are affected to the firm volatility, results in the firm to be more sensitive to assumptions regarding their growth and risk. As Ruback (2002, 85) has stated, the purpose to analyse these is to assess the money an investor could receive from an investment. The most common of numerous variations of free cash flow to the firm is calculated by:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \textit{Free cash flow to Firm} \\
 & = \textit{After tax operating income} \\
 & \quad - (\textit{Capital expenditures} - \textit{Depreciation}) \\
 & \quad - \textit{Change in non cash working capital}
 \end{aligned}$$

First, the cash flows to the firm for both equity and debt holders are measured. The discount rate of Free Cash flow of firm is Weighted average cost of capital (WACC), it is used to discount the future cash flows. WACC is not a cost or a required return for the firm, it is a weighted average of cost and of the required return. WACC is calculated by the following calculation.

$$WACC = \left(K_e \frac{E}{D + E} \right) + \left(K_t \frac{D}{D + E} \right)$$

E= Market value of the equity

Ke=The required return to equity

D= Market value of the debt

Kt=After tax cost of debt

There are common errors with WACC. First, if the wrong tax rate is applied. The rate should be applied yearly. Second error derives if the Book value of debt and equity are used instead of market values. (Fernandez 2019, 1-3.)

$$Value\ of\ Firm = \sum_{t=i}^{\infty} \frac{CF\ To\ Firm_t}{(1 + WACC)^t}$$

Damodaran (2002, 19) has stated that it is crucial not to mix cashflows and their respective discount rates, if that is done, it will lead to a biased estimate of the value. Free cash flow can be considered more challenging than only analysing dividends. Hence, with free cash flow the cash flows from the firms' operations should be integrated with the firms investing, and financing activities.

According to Damodaran (2005, 720), there is two factors to note about this model. The first, that it is general enough for the market. The value of the firm is remaining as the present value of the after-tax operating cash flows, and here the cost of capital changes as the debt ratio changes. Second, there is a widely held presumption that the cost of capital approach requires to include the theory of a constant debt ratio, this approach is open for debt ratios that change over time. Stowe, Robinson, Pinto and McLeavey (2007, 110) states that a firm with a history of leverage changes, the analysis of a growing rate of free cash flow to firm can be meaningful to analyse.

Stowe, Robinson, Pinto & McLeavey (2007,109) states that, the value of the firm's equity is found by subtracting the value of debt from the value of the firm. The value

of equity can be found on DCF by taking the enterprise value which is calculated by using FCFE minus the Market value of debt (Damodaran 2016, 12).

2.5.2 Forecasting cash flows

Forecasting is an important step when determining intrinsic value. The past of the firm's growth should be examined in order to forecast the firm's value. When forecasting, three things should be considered—first, the length of the growth period. Second, the actual forecast of the cash flows in the period and, finally, the calculation of the firm's terminal value. (Damodaran 2002,58.)

The forecasting is complex. When the firm is large, the development will most likely be stable, or it will not be liquid enough to survive. The survival depends if the company has a higher return on their capital than their cost of capital, or the return on equity is higher than the cost of equity. Commonly, the period is five years. Three factors should be considered when identifying the timeframe. First, the size of the company should be considered. Generally, small, and new firms tend to grow faster than acknowledged firms. A large firm can still grow rapidly if the market capacity can be increased. Second, if the firm generates rapid growth and their excess returns are gained. It can cause their status to reinforce and remain the same for many years. Finally, the firm's competitive advantages should be considered. If the firm is visibly more competitive than other firms, it can maintain high growth for longer. (Damodaran 2016, 238-241.) Cash flows can be estimated in two ways. Estimation can be done based on the historical performance of the business. The second way of estimating includes considering the predictions of the firm, or from other analysts. (Damodaran 2002,383-393.)

2.5.3 Terminal value

The terminal value offers closure for the valuation. Following the forecasting of cash flows for a specified period, the terminal value has to be estimated. It illustrates the firm's value ahead these years since the future of the cash flows cannot be estimated endlessly. There are three ways of estimating terminal value. The first option is to estimate what would be the value other investors would pay for the firm's assets if it were terminated. The second method applies the multiples to estimate the terminal

value. The third model assumes that after the forecast, the growth is continuous, and that the growth rate of the firm is constant. (Damodaran 2002, 475.)

2.6 Capital Asset Pricing Model- CAPM

The Capital Asset Pricing Model is widely used, but also critiqued model. The reason why is because the model assumes that investors do not face transaction costs and have no means of separating good and bad investments (Damodaran 2010, 26). Numerous scientists have tested whether the CAPM will hold, for example, Levy and Stevenson in 1992. In order to calculate CAPM, three components are required: risk-free rate of the market, stock's beta, and risk premium. These will be introduced in the following chapters. Capital Asset Pricing Model calculates the expected return of assets based on beta and expected market returns. (Fama et al. 2004, 28.) Capital asset pricing model also states that the risk premium equals the investment's beta times the market risk premium does (Berk et al. 2012, 366). Capital asset pricing model is calculated by:

$$CAPM = r_f + \beta(r_m - r_f)$$

In this formula r_f =the risk-free rate

r_m = described as the expected market return. (Fama et.al. 2004, 29.)

2.6.1 Expected rate of return

The Expected rate of return is defined in the book of Fundamentals of Corporate Finance (Berk, DeMarzo & Harford 2012, 366) as the return that is expected of a stock to be earned after a determined period. In order to measure the results, the Expected rate of return applies prospects of possible outcomes of the investment. (Berk, DeMarzo & Harford 2012, 366.) Expected return can be calculated by following calculation:

$$Expected\ return = \sum (R_i \times P_i)$$

In this formula R_i =possible return, and P_i as the measure of probability. (Erickson 2014, 4.)

2.6.2 Risk free rate

A risk-free asset theoretically holds no risk. In stock markets, bonds, treasury bills are considered as risk-free assets. They are distributed by governments, and they contain a certain yield rate and a redemption period. (Koller, Goedhart & Wessels 2005, 300-301.) The risk-free rate is the bond's yield or treasury bills rate. The risk-free asset is not practical in reality as it carries a small amount of risk; the risk-free rate is still considered valid in investment. The risk-free rate can be easily retrieved from the internet. (ibid. 2005, 301-302.) Damodaran has discussed (2008, 16-23) the issues in estimating risk-free rates. If a country does not issue long term bonds there is an issue what risk-free rate can be chosen. Commonly, then analysts tend to choose incorrect rate and result in currency mismatches in valuation. The changes in risk free rate cause also bias to the valuation result, and if the long-term interest rate is wrong, it causes the valuation end result to be incorrect as well.

2.6.3 Beta

Beta is the measure of the systematic risk of an investment (Berk et.al. 2012). Beta represents how the stock can diversify the market portfolio (Koller, Goedhart & Wessels 2005, 299). Beta is calculated by the following formula (Vernimmen et al. 2009):

$$\beta = \frac{\text{Covariance}(R_e, R_m)}{\text{Variance}(R_m)}$$

Where, R_e = Return from stock,

R_m = Expected return from the market,

Covariance = A measure of the stock's return relative to the market

Variance= a measure of how the market changes relative to its mean

By this calculation will get the slope of a regression line. The regression line illustrates how the stock moves in response to the general market movements. (Ehrhardt & Brigham 2008, 211-212.) In practice, the stock is often used as a proxy for the market portfolio. (Damodaran 2012,182).

Results of Beta tend to centralize around one, a stock with a beta above one has risk above average, and stock with a beta below one is lower than average (Damodaran 2010, 26). If a stock has negative beta, it will result in the company on which concentrated on, to have an expected return below the risk-free rate. There are results that negative beta related stock is likely to do well on the downturn of the stock market. The reason why is that it will protect against the systematic risk of other stocks within the portfolio. (Berk, DeMarzo & Harford 2012, 379.) If stock with beta is more than one, it could be profitable for investors as long as the market is rising. In that case, stock returns outperform the market returns. Although the stock there lies possible profitability, such stock also poses a threat when the market is falling, as in that case, the stock's losses will exceed market losses. (Mankiw & Shapiro 198, 422-25.)

Beta can be different due to branch, when firms are more sensitive to changes in the market, for example, luxury car manufacturers that have high betas. The firms that relate to goods and services are more likely in demand of the volatile economic cycle, for example, the food manufacturers, have lower betas. (Lynch 2004.)

2.7 Tobin's Q

Tobin's Q was first introduced by Kaldorin in 1966 and popularised by Tobin in 1977. When defined, Tobin's Q is the ratio of the market value of firms in relation to the replacement costs of the company's assets (Damodaran 2002, 753-754). In history, Tobin's Q has developed to its most common version, and the one used in this research. Bartlett and Partnoy (2018, 1-20) have discussed different versions of Tobin's Q in their Research. Chung and Pruitt (1994, 1) agree that Tobin's Q was created to explain numerous corporate-related phenomena, such as cross-sectional differences in investment and diversification decisions, in the relationship between managerial equity ownership and firm value, the relationship between managerial performance and tender offer gains, investment opportunities, and tender offer responses and financing, dividend, and compensation policies. In order to make this calculation offer authentic results, it is crucial to have the data needed for calculation available and current. Also, it is seen as a practical measure of value for a mature firm that has most or all of its assets in order, where replacement cost can be estimated for the assets (Damodaran 2002, 756). Tobin's Q is influenced by a firm's growth opportunities

(Hundal 2017, 155). As one of the intentions of this research is to see the value of a company, and as Tobin's Q calculates the growth opportunities in a company, the ratio will show as a result whether the company is undervalued or overvalued. (Damodaran 2002, 755.)

Tobin's Q is calculated by taking the book value of debt, and the book value of assets in place of market values (Hundal 2017, 155).

$$\text{Tobin's } Q = \frac{\text{Market value of equity} + \text{Book Value of Debt}}{\text{Book Value of Assets}}$$

Below all headlines Market value of Equity; Book value of Debt; and Book value of Assets are discussed. Measures are related to the calculation of Tobin's Q. They can also be used as separate company success, income, and profit measures.

Market Value of Equity

As before mentioned, the market value does not only rely on the historical cost of the firm's assets, and it also relies on investor expectations on how much profit the firm's assets might generate in the future (Berk, DeMarzo & Harford 2012, 29). The market value of Equity is commonly known by the term Market capitalization. It defines the market price of the firm's outstanding shares. This measure determines the proportion of capital financed in Equity in the firm. (Koller, Goedhart & Wessels 2005, 330.) The market value of Equity can be calculated by the following calculation.

$$\text{Market value of Equity} = \text{Market price per Share} \times \text{Total Number of shares}$$

Here, the Market price per share is the price at which one share of the company can be bought at the stock exchange. Investors strictly follow this indicator to figure out when to acquire shares at the lowest price. (Stowe, Robinson, Pinto & McLeavey 2007, 29.) Total Number of shares can be calculated from the financial data of a firm.

Book Value of Debt

Financial debt can be considered as non-operational debt that a firm has. Debt can be categorised into the following categories: Current liabilities and Non-current liabilities. Current liabilities include all obligations that the firm has due in the next

accounting period. Non-current liabilities are long-term financial obligations. Non-current debt can be considered as non-critical for the firms' operations, but as it increases, it becomes more and more crucial, which justifies why it needs to be examined. It can be found on firms Book value statement. The book value of debt is the amount that a company owes its creditors. Changes in interest rates do not affect the book value of debt. As the market interest rates increase, the present value of the obligations decreases. Firms do not update this to the balance sheet. If the book value of debt is too high compared to available assets, the company may have trouble paying back new loans. For this reason, creditors often look at a company's debt ratio, their liabilities are divided by assets. This gives the firm the rate at which to lend capital. More debt means a higher interest rate or possibly no loan to the company at all. Debt paid before the limited period is marked as outstanding gain or loss and marked on the income statement. Book value of debt is equal to the Financial debt. (Damodaran 2002, 49-53.)

Book Value of Assets

This measure is equal to the indication of Total Assets found in financial statements by the firms using financial reporting.

2.8 Multiples

According to Fernandez (2001, 1), Multiples can be considered useful when doing the second stage of the valuation. They offer a comparison after performing the valuation with another method. Which then enables us to assess the valuation, which has been already done. Differences between valued firms can be detected.

The multiples can be allocated in three groups: Ones based on the company's capitalization, based on the company's value, and Growth-referenced multiples (ibid., 1). In this research the focus will be on the multiples based on the company's capitalization, which are Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, and Price to book value ratio.

Price to Earnings ratio

The Price to Earnings ratio is a standard ratio used in the stock market. The price-earnings ratio indicates the monetary amount that investors can expect to invest in a company to receive one euro of that company's earnings. (Ruback 2002.) The ratio also describes the expected growth and Pay-out risk on the company indicated. (Damodaran 2002, 657-659). The formula can calculate the ratio:

$$\text{Price to earnings-ratio} = \frac{\text{Market value of Equity}}{\text{Earnings per Share}}$$

The factors that are inputted into the ratio are out of the firm's control. Such are variations in the interest rates, substantial business risk, firm's growth, and the return on investments—the Price to earnings ratio increases in the following situations. If the interest rates fall, if the company's risk decreases, and if the firm's profit after tax increases. The Price to equity increases with growth if the return on the firm's investments is higher than the expected return to equity. (Fernandez 2019, 1.) Damodaran has stated that previous research debate that, stocks with low price-to-earnings ratio or low price-to-book value ratio, tend to earn higher stock returns than other. (2002, 714).

Price to Sales ratio

Price to sales ratio can be considered as an increasing and a positive function to the profit margin, to pay-out-ratio, and the growth rate of the company. It generates a decreasing function towards the riskiness of the firm. For a high growth firm, this ratio can be associated to the first principles of evaluating the growth of the company. (Damodaran 2002,764.) The issue with this ratio is the issue that it does not include firms' expenses or debt. The ratio divides the firms Market value of equity by Total revenue. (McClure 2019.)

$$\text{Price to sales-ratio} = \frac{\text{Market value of Equity}}{\text{Total Revenue}}$$

Price to Book value- ratio

This multiple is profoundly consistent, in the formula, the numerator and denominator are both equity values. Market value of Equity is equal to market price per share. (Damodaran 2002, 719-723.)

$$\text{Price to book value-ratio} = \frac{\text{Market value of Equity}}{\text{Book value of Equity}}$$

Bias result is probable if the calculation and computing are not made careful enough. Also, in this multiple, the fact of the difference between firms must be considered. Some firms allow research expenses to be capitalized, and others do not. In this case, the firms who do not allow expense capitalisation, the price to book value is lower than in the others, the reason why, is that the book value of equity in this formula, will be higher as the result of the increased value of the research asset. (Damodaran 2012, 719.)

2.9 Book Value of Equity

Book value of Equity is commonly also known as Shareholder's Equity. Firms provide a summary of changes in shareholder's equity during the period (often a year), the changes that occurred to the accounting of the firm (book value) measure of equity value are summarized into their financial statements. It describes how a firm manages its assets. (Damodaran 2002, 54.) Book value of equity can be calculated by subtracting Total liabilities from the Total Assets:

$$\text{Book value of Equity} = \text{Total assets} - \text{Total liabilities}$$

Firms tend to reissue their stock by buying them back for short intervals, and then visualise the repurchase as treasury stock, and this decreases the Book value of Equity. Losses or substantial stock buybacks can result in a negative number. This measure can be compared with the market value commonly. The value of a firm is easily determined by the stock market. When the book value of Equity is greater to its market value, the market is not assured that the firm can generate future profits.

(Damodaran 2002, 54-55.) Value investors pay attention in a firm to both, balance sheet factors as to the income statement factors (Hayes 2019).

Book value per share

The measure includes historical costs. It should be noted, as Book value per share only estimates the book value, other value affecting changes are not incorporated. Firms with low tangible assets but with high intellectual property are not included in the book value of equity calculation. Hence, the Book value per share may not see the entire value. Firm's Book value per share can be compared with the Market price per share. It offers investors a comparison to Market price per share, and aids in evaluating the stock price. (Hayes 2020) Book value per share is calculated with Book value of Equity divided by the number of common shares outstanding. It is essentially the book net worth of the company per equity share. (Stowe, Robinson, Pinto & McLeavey 2007, 72.) The Book value per share can be calculated by:

$$\text{Book value per share} = \frac{\text{Book value of Equity}}{\text{Total Number of Shares}}$$

2.10 Operating profit margin

This ratio indicates the result after paying variable costs and how much profit is made. Additionally, it describes how efficiently the firm controls its costs and expenses regarding business operations. The issue with operating profit margin is that it is advised to be only used with firms operating in the same industry. Hence firms in various industries have different business models and year-end results. (Tulsian 2014.) The operating profit margin can be calculated by dividing the firms Operating profit from the firm's Total revenue.

$$\text{Operating profit margin} = \frac{\text{Operating profit}}{\text{Total Revenue}}$$

Another limitation with the ratio considers the debt, and it is not included in its formula. Substantial debt is not included, and comparable firms may have the same ratio, but considerable differences in the amount of debt. (Murphy 2020.)

Total Revenue

Total revenue is a determinant of the sales made in the firm. It refers to the total earnings from sales of the firm's goods or services. For valuation, it gives a firm measure for success and progress. It can be found on the company's financial statement.

2.11 Net profit margin

Net profit embodies the firm's revenue after taxes. It can be described as one of the core indicators of the firm's success. Net profit also expresses how much excess funds a firm can pay out to its owners, shareholders or invest back into the business. Net profit margin calculates how much profit in currency is outlying after all expenses are subtracted. Expenses include all operating expenses, interest, and income taxes. The Net profit margin for a firm can be calculated by dividing Net income by Total Revenue of the firm:

$$\text{Net profit margin} = \frac{\text{Net income}}{\text{Total Revenue}}$$

The higher the net profit margin is, the firm is more profitable. (Fischer 2007,55.) Net profit margin is advised to be compared with firms operating in the same industry, due to variance in industries. (Maverick 2019.)

2.12 Hypotheses

Hypotheses are considered an experimental assumption. They are compulsory for research. Hypotheses should be tested to find rational and pragmatic significances. They are established from available data, previous findings and also derived from noted possible trends, associations over the research objectives. Therefore, they should be related to the research questions, as they should be examined. (Saunders, Lewis & Thornhill 2009, 124-125.)

Hypotheses aid the researcher to retain the research towards more essential aspects of the research (Saunders, Lewis & Thornhill 2009, 124-125). This subchapter focuses on the hypotheses that can be considered suitable for the research. These remarks

are impartially tested in the research by the various methods introduced above. The review of literature, prior research assume that the firm value and the market price are not equal with their intrinsic value. Hence that represents, that the potential firm's growth is not described effectively enough. As market value does not only rely on the historical cost of the firm's assets, it also relies on investor expectations on how much profit the firm's assets might generate in the future. The investors make often decisions based on the deviations in the market value of the firm. Inclined these facts, the hypotheses for this research are:

H1 The value derived by various valuation methods vary significantly from each other.

H2 The extrinsic (Market value) and intrinsic value (derived by valuation methods) of firms differ from each other.

H3 Deviation between the extrinsic and intrinsic vales affects the investors decision-making.

3 Methodology

In this chapter, the author discusses the methodology behind the research. The author explains the logic behind the research, how the results are achieved, and how they are evaluated. The methodology consists of the actual science and philosophy behind the research. It allows the researcher to understand various alternatives of how new knowledge can be created. This will provide answers to the research questions. (Adams et.al. 2014, 5). According to Ghauri and Grønhaug (2005, 56-57), the proper selection of research design can aid in achieving the desired result. As the strategy is chosen, it will determine the selection and collection of the data.

The research context is defined as the situation or status of an industry, a nation, or a sector that the research is based on. The approach for the thesis research is quantitative. All the data utilized in the research is numerical data, which can be described as quantifiable (Lewis, P. et al. 2009. 418). The purpose of the research is exploratory.

An Exploratory study finds new insights to assess a common phenomenon in a new light. The goal is to discover and present the relationship between the historical data (Stock market) and the data derived from the variables (Saunders, Lewis & Thornhill 2009, 169-171).

3.1 Data Collection

This research is conducted using secondary data. Data are chosen by a range of qualities, which are viability, abstractness, and closeness to the phenomenon of the research. (Lewis, P. et al. 2009, 272-275.) Data collected for the research, are numerical data, retrieved primarily from the stock market database from NASDAQ OMX Nordic. Then other numerical data required for calculations were retrieved from a firm's yearly balance sheet, cash flows, and income statement, which were retrieved from each firm's personal website. The retrieved data is then used as input material for several mathematical formulas to estimate values.

This research has a number of characteristics which are common:

1. Data are collected systematically.
2. Data are interpreted systematically.
3. There is a particular purpose: to find things out

The research will require an explanation of the methods that were used to collect the data. It will argue why the results gathered are meaningful, and it will explain any limitations that are related to them. The reason for the research is 'To find out things,' which indicates that there is a variety of possible objectives for research. These include describing, explaining, understanding, criticising, and analysing (Ghauri and Grønhaug 2005.)

Data was collected in a determined timeframe of pre-crisis (01.01.2005-31.12.2007), Post-crisis (01.01.2008-31.12.2010), Recovery phase (01.01.2015-31.12.2018). In a total of 10 -years. This was done to capture the changes in the market when it is normalised. Also, when the market is under stressed conditions, the data is observed during the recession caused by the financial crisis. Approximately a total of 53500

pieces of data was collected for this research. The variables in this research are ratios, which are calculated out of the data. The data collected was considered reliable and accurate.

From 25 firms that suit the criteria of the research, 17 firms were used in the sample in this research. Outlier firms have the value that makes the data to be abnormal. Resulting, these firms were excluded from this research.

Firms represent the industries of oil and gas, materials production, industrials, consumer goods and services, healthcare, telecom, utilities, financials, and technology. Banks and financial institutions were not included in the sample due to the difference in the leverage and valuation regulations for these firms. Once the data is acquired, Microsoft Excel was used to make the calculations.

3.2 Data Analysis

The quantitative analysis aids analysts to explore, describe, and examine our data (Lewis, P. et al. 2009, 410). Descriptive statistics of data will enable, describe, and compare the research variables numerically. They help to manage all numerical data and present the core results in research. (ibid., 2009, 444.)

In this research, different ratios were executed to conduct the analysis. To understand and review the data, all ratios were processed through the descriptive statistics. The research and valuation are divided into two parts, market value, and derived value, and if the market value is greater than the derived value in comparison, the company is overvalued. If the market value is smaller than the derived value in comparison, the company is undervalued. These statistics will be interpreted in the results. As a result of the data analysis by comparing actual values with the theoretical values by various valuation techniques, there will be an answer on, "How efficient /perfect the stock market itself is."

Data collected for the research, retrieved primarily from the stock market database from NASDAQ OMX Nordic for the 10-year period. Other numerical data required for calculations were retrieved from a company's balance sheet, cash flows, and income statement, which were retrieved from each firm's personal website. Approximately

6460 pieces of financial data were collected from the firm's annual financial over the 10-year period 01.01.2005-31.12.2007,01.01.2008-31.12.2010, 01.01.2015-31.12.2018.

Daily market data was collected for these firms for the same before mentioned 10-year period. The data was applied to calculate Beta. Approximate 25 800 pieces of daily market data were included. The number is an estimate; hence not all firms were listed in the stock market at the beginning of the research timeframe, and the data was not available. Data included trading prices, including the Opening price, Closing price, High price, and Low price. Also, as input for Tobin's Q, the yearly average price per share (100 pcs) was calculated from the daily market closing price.

Likewise, daily market data was collected to calculate the Market risk premium(100pcs). The 10-year Finnish government bank yield as the risk-free rate was collected from the Interest rates of Finnish Government bonds. The daily rate for HEL 25 Index was retrieved from NASDAQ OMX Nordic. To measure the expected market, return accordingly, the yearly return for the HEL25 index was calculated.

For financial statements total 38 of different measures per firm were collected; Net Profit/ Net income; Total Revenue; Operating profit; Earnings per share; the total number of shares; earnings before interest; depreciation; amortization; earnings before interest and taxes; investments current; trade and non-trade receivables; inventory; current assets; property, plant, and equipment; goodwill and intangible assets; non-current investments; non-current assets; total assets; non-current debt; trade and non-trade payables; current liabilities; tax liabilities; non-current liabilities; total liabilities; shareholders equity; investments; total debt; net cash flow from operations; capital expenditure; net cash flow from investing; repayments of short term borrowings; repayments of long- term borrowings; investments in fixed assets; net cash flow from the financing; interest paid; income taxes paid; the cost of debt; and corporate tax rate.

In this research out of six main groups of valuation, following three were applied: Balance sheet methods, Income statement methods, and Cash flow discounting methods.

Discounted cash flow method

Discounted methods are the group of methods that calculate the estimated attraction in an investment probability. (Ruback 2002, 85). Half of the data was retrieved from the Annual financial reports of the firm's, and the forecasts were calculated. Net income depreciation, amortization, inventory, property, plant, and equipment, net cash flow from operations, capital expenditure, net cash flow from investing, repayments of short term borrowings, repayments of long- term borrowings, investments in fixed assets, net cash flow from financing, interest paid, income taxes paid, cost of debt, and corporate tax rate were retrieved from the financial statements for the years 2005,2006,2007,2008,2009,2010,2015,2016,2017 and 2018.

Free cash flow to firm and WACC

First, the cash flows to the firm for both equity and debt holders were measured. The author measured how much cash flow was from operations, investing activities, and financing activities. (Damodaran 2006, 79-80.) The cash flow of operations consisted of the firm's yearly Net income, Depreciation, Accounts receivable, Inventories, and the Accounts payable. The Cash flow from investing activities was calculated from Proceeds from sales of fixed assets, acquisitions or investment made to Property Plant and Equipment. Cash flow from financing activities was calculated by adding Repayments of short-term borrowings and Repayments of long-term borrowings. After this, the Capital expenditure was subtracted.

The discount rate of Free Cash flow of firm is Weighted average cost of capital (WACC), it is used to discount the future cash flows if they are calculated. The following formula calculated WACC:

$$WACC = \left(K_e \frac{E}{D + E} \right) + \left(K_t \frac{D}{D + E} \right)$$

E= Market value of the equity

K_e =The required return to equity

D= Market value of the debt

K_t =After tax cost of debt

The tax rate was obtained from the corporate tax rates table of Finland and confirmed from each company's financial statement. Cost of debt used in the model was the lending rate in Finland, acquired from lending interest rate by the European Central Bank (Euribor). The required return to equity was calculated by the Capital asset pricing model. The calculation of the Capital asset pricing model can be found below from Subchapter Capital asset pricing model. The Market value of Debt was calculated by

$$\text{Market value of Debt} = C \times \left(\frac{1 - \frac{1}{(1 + K_d)^t}}{K_d} \right) + \left(\frac{FV}{(1 + K_d)^t} \right)$$

C= the interest expense

K_d = the current cost of Debt

t= the weighted average maturity

FV=the total debt (Erickson 2014, 12.)

The intrinsic value was derived by this formula: (Damodaran 2002, 19.)

$$\text{Value of Firm} = \sum_{t=i}^{\infty} \frac{CF \text{ To Firm}_t}{(1 + WACC)^t} + \frac{\text{Terminal Value}_t}{(1 + WACC)^t}$$

A positive value of FCFF indicates the amount of cash the firm has remaining after the business expenses. If the FCFF is negative, the firm has not enough revenue to cover the costs of business and investment activities. If the FCFF is relatively high, it can indicate that the company is not reporting their expenses properly. (Hayes 2019) For each firm, FCFF and WACC was calculated yearly to years 2005,2006,2007,2008,2009,2010,2015,2016,2017 and 2018.

Terminal Value

The Author assumes that the cash flows of the firm will grow at a constant rate forever at as table growth rate. With stable growth, the terminal value can be estimated using a perpetual growth model. A terminal growth rate is in line with the long-term rate of inflation, but not higher than the gross domestic product (GDP) growth rate.

(Damodaran 2002,425-429.) The estimation of growth in 2019, 2020,2021,2022,2023 and forecasting, the author assumed, of that the firms are stable, and by that their growth is stable of 2%. The Finnish risk-free rate of long-term government bank yield was in 2018 0,75% and the Gross domestic Product was 1,6%. (Statistics Finland 2019).

$$Terminal\ Value = \sum_{t=i}^{\infty} \frac{FCFF \times (1 + g)}{WACC - g}$$

FCFF=Free cash flow for the last forecast period

g=Growth rate

WACC=discount rate

The Terminal value of the firms were calculated by assuming this, by the perpetual growth model. The terminal value can be also calculated by a multiple to earnings, (Damodaran 2002, 425). Then, the enterprise value can be calculated by adding the Sum of present values of FCFF to Present value of terminal value (Koller, Goedhart &Wessels 2015, 135-138). Following that, the value of equity in DCF can be found by taking the enterprise value which is calculated by using FCFF and subtracting the Market value of debt. (Damodaran 2016, 12). For the years 2005,2006,2007,2008,2009,2010,2015,2016,2017 and 2018 the Equity value was calculated by deducting year-specific Market value of debt from the FCFF. For the forecasted period, 2019, 2020,2021,2022 and 2023 according to the forecasted cash flow.

The intrinsic value of the firm is undervalued if the value in FCFF higher than the Market value of Equity. The intrinsic value of the firm is overvalued if value in FCFF is lower than the Market value of Equity. The intrinsic value of the firm is the same as value if the FCFF is equal to the Market value of Equity.

Capital Asset Pricing Model- CAPM

Capital asset pricing model was calculated by the previously stated calculation:

$$CAPM = r_f + \beta(r_m - r_f)$$

In this formula r_f =the risk-free rate

r_m = described as the expected market return. (Fama et.al. 2004, 29.) The author used the 10-year Finnish government bank yield as the risk-free rate.

Expected rate of return

Expected return was calculated by previously stated calculation:

$$\text{Expected return} = \sum (R_i \times P_i)$$

In this formula R_i =possible return, and P_i as the measure of probability. (Erickson 2014, 4.)

Risk free rate

The author has used the 10-year Finnish government bank yield as the risk-free rate. As by following the guidance Damodaran (2008, 30-33) provided in his paper. Finland has A long term government bond denominated in Euros.

Beta

Beta was calculated in Excel by using the Linear regression equation on Excel. And follows the following formula (Vernimmen et al. 2009).:

$$\beta = \frac{\text{Covariance}(R_e, R_m)}{\text{Variance}(R_m)}$$

Where, R_e = Return from stock,

R_m = Expected return from the market,

Covariance = A measure of the stock's return relative to the market

Variance= a measure of how the market changes relative to its mean

This calculation, we got the slope of a regression line. The regression line illustrates how the stock moves in response to the general market movements. (Ehrhardt, Brigham 2008, 211-212.) In this research, the proxy used was the HEL25 Return.

HEL25 Return was calculated from the retrieved stock market database NASDAQ OMX Nordic.

Tobin's Q

Tobin's Q was calculated by taking the book value of debt, and the book value of assets in place of market values. (Hundal 2017, 155.)

$$Tobin's\ Q = \frac{Market\ value\ of\ equity + Book\ Value\ of\ Debt}{Book\ Value\ of\ Assets}$$

If the result is an undervalued company, the ratio with a numeral result under one (1), can be attractive for potential purchasers, if the intention is to purchase the company, not create a similar one. It can also result in a positive interest in the company and increase the stock price. Result higher than one (1) interprets that the company is overvalued. The ratio indicates that the company earns more than its replacement cost. (Damodaran 2002, 755.) If the result is equal to 1 then the firm's book and market values are in equivalent. Beneath all headlines Market value of Equity; Book value of debt; and Book value of Assets are concerning the calculation of Tobin's Q and are related in the calculation of the following ratio.

Market Value of Equity

Is known commonly by the term of Market capitalization. Market value of Equity calculated by the formula:

$$Market\ value\ of\ Equity = Market\ price\ per\ Share \times Total\ Number\ of\ shares$$

First, to calculate the Market value of equity, the yearly Net profit of a firm was retrieved from the income statements. Earnings per share were calculated in the case if it was not included in the financial statement. (Berk, DeMarzo & Harford 2012, 34).

$$Earnings\ per\ Share(EPS) = \frac{Net\ Profit}{Common\ Shares}$$

The total number of shares was then calculated by dividing the Net profit from the EPS.

$$\text{Total number of Shares} = \frac{\text{Net Profit}}{\text{Earnings per Share diluted (EPS)}}$$

After the total number of shares was calculated, the Market price per share, the yearly average price per share was calculated from the daily market closing price.

The intrinsic value of the firm is undervalued if the value in FCFF higher than the Market value of Equity. The intrinsic value of the firm is overvalued if value in FCFF is lower than the Market value of Equity. The intrinsic value of the firm is the same as value if the FCFF is equal to the Market value of Equity.

If the Market value of Equity is higher than the Book value of Equity, it indicates that the assets of the firm generate higher value to the firm, and the investors expect the firm to grow. A profitable company usually has a Market value of Equity greater than the Book value of Equity. (Seth 2020.)

Book Value of Debt

Book value of debt was calculated by adding the following numbers from the Balance sheet; interest bearing liabilities; borrowings; loans from banks; or loans from financial institutions.

Book Value of Assets

This measure is equal to the indication of Total Assets and was retrieved from the firm's Balance sheet.

Price to Earnings ratio

Was calculated by the formula where the previously calculated Market value of Equity was divided by Earnings per share:

$$\text{Price to earnings-ratio} = \frac{\text{Market value of Equity}}{\text{Earnings per Share}}$$

The price-earnings ratio indicates that if the result is high, the firm's stock's price is high relative to earnings and overvalued. On the other hand, a low result can indicate that the stock price is undervalued in comparison to the firm's Earnings. If a firm has

no earnings or they have negative earnings, in both instances, P/E is not applicable. (Hayes 2020.)

Price to Sales-ratio

Price to sales ratio was calculated by the formula where the previously calculated Market value of Equity was divided by the total Revenue retrieved from the firm's financial statement:

$$\text{Price to sales-ratio} = \frac{\text{Market value of Equity}}{\text{Total Revenue}}$$

A low ratio of 1 or less can indicate that the stock is undervalued. Price to sales ratio is beneficial in recovery situations and to verify that the firm is not overvalued. A high ratio states that the firm is overvalued. Price to sales-ratio should not be used individually. The comparison with Price to sales ratio is most valid when it is compared with firms of the same industry. (McClure 2019.)

Price to Book value- ratio

This multiple is profoundly consistent; in the formula, the numerator and denominator are both equity values. The calculation of price to book ratio was done by the formula following, where the Market value of Equity calculated is divided by the Book value of Equity. To clarify, the Market value of Equity is equal to the market price per share. (Damodaran 2002, 719–723.)

$$\text{Price to book value-ratio} = \frac{\text{Market value of Equity}}{\text{Book value of Equity}}$$

A low value under 1 of Price to book value can indicate that the stock is undervalued. Ratio higher than 1 indicates that the amount to be paid for the firm exceeds the net assets of the firm. The Price to book value ratio indicates what remains if the company bankrupts abruptly. (Hayes, 2020.)

Book Value of Equity

To calculate Book value of Equity, from a firm's balance sheet Total Assets and Total liabilities were retrieved. Book value of equity was calculated by subtracting Total liabilities from the Total Assets. If the Book value of Equity is higher than the Market

value of Equity, it indicates that the firm may be in trouble financially. The investors are not assured that the firm is worth invested in. Price to Book value ratio is implemented to see if the values are equal. (Seth 2020.)

Book value per share

Book value per share is calculated with Book value of Equity divided by the number of common shares outstanding. It is essentially the book net worth of the company per equity share. (Stowe, Robinson, Pinto & McLeavey 2007, 72.) Total number of shares was calculated by dividing the Net profit of the firm from the EPS. This measure was compared with the market price per share.

$$\text{Book value per share} = \frac{\text{Book value of Equity}}{\text{Total Number of Shares}}$$

Firm's Book value per share can be compared with the market price per share. If the Book value per share is higher than Market price per share, the firm's stock can be considered undervalued. If the Book value per share grows, the market price should increase correspondingly. (Hayes 2020.)

Operating profit margin

The operating profit margin was calculated by dividing the firms Operating profit from the firm's Total revenue. Total revenue gives firm measure for success and progress. The measure was retrieved from the firm's financial statement. Operating profit was retrieved from the firm's financial statement.

$$\text{Operating profit margin} = \frac{\text{Operating profit}}{\text{Total Revenue}}$$

A high operating profit margin indicates that the company produces sufficient revenue to cover the cost of their operations. If the ratio increases, it implies that the profitability of the firm is increasing. (Murphy 2020). It should be noted that the Operating profit margin it is advised to be only used with firms operating in the same industry. Hence firms in the various industry have different business models and year-end results. (Tulsian 2014.)

Net profit margin

Net profit margin was calculated by dividing Net income of a firm by the total revenue of a firm. Both values were retrieved from a firm's financial statements.

$$\text{Net profit margin} = \frac{\text{Net income}}{\text{Total Revenue}}$$

The higher the net profit margin is, the firm is more profitable. (Fischer, 2007. 55). When evaluating Net profit margin, a higher margin is preferred. A high Net profit margin indicates that the firm generates more profit from their business. A negative or comparatively low margin indicates that the firm has high momentary costs or loss of profit. (Maverick 2019.)

3.3 Reliability and Validity

The sample in this research was chosen precisely to ensure validity and avoid statistical errors. Data were collected only from sources that are official, such as annual reports published by the firms. The reports offer the authentic financial data of the company on a yearly basis. The six-year timeline was precisely considered. All data was retrieved with precision, with no overlapping dates. The data sample was not varied during the whole research.

The ratios in this research are universal, as researchers around the world can use the same ratios as is used in this research. Professionals recommend the use of the concepts. All ratios have been discussed in detail this paper. They are chosen according to confirmed theories and defined by concepts.

The interpretations made were based on the data sample, and it is stated in this paper. The interpretations made will clarify, by what means the conclusions of the research results were made.

4 Results

In the following chapters, the results of the analysis are presented and interpreted. This research will report the result of ten years divided to the samples of Pre-crisis

(01.01.2005-31.12.2007) 4.1., Post-crisis (01.01.2008-31.12.2010) 4.2. and Recovery phase (01.01.2015-31.12.2018) 4.3. Each year will be illustrated by two tables detailing all values, including, Market value of Equity/Market Capitalisation, Book value of Equity, Equity value, Market price per share and Book value per share. The second tables include Tobin's Q, the multiples, Operating profit, and Net profit margin. These tables answer the given research questions. Analyses and interpretations are given out to evaluate the results and associations. The final chapter is the central part of the results, makes the conclusions about the research and of the made research questions.

4.1 Pre-crisis

The results for years 2005-2007 will be discussed individually. Each year has their own subchapter.

Year 2005

In Table 1, 17 companies in the year 2005 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCFF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 1 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 2), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 1 All values of 2005 part 1

| 2005 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1626,8 | 766,7 | 1465,5 | 25,01 | 11,79 |
| ELISA | 1995,9 | 1349,3 | 240,8 | 13,70 | 9,26 |
| FORTUM | 13101,7 | 7411,0 | 2050,0 | 14,22 | 8,04 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1738,7 | 820,1 | 36,6 | 12,95 | 6,11 |
| KESKO | 2145,7 | 1510,4 | 710,0 | 21,21 | 14,93 |
| KONECRANES | 128,4 | 153,0 | 126,9 | 8,90 | 10,60 |
| KONE | 870,6 | 782,0 | 1420,8 | 6,81 | 6,12 |
| METSO | 2473,0 | 1292,0 | 3090,5 | 17,63 | 9,21 |
| NESTE | 6005,7 | 1612,0 | 2535,0 | 23,31 | 6,26 |
| NOKIA | 57827,6 | 12360,0 | 35631,7 | 13,27 | 2,84 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 1695,3 | 471,4 | 591,2 | 13,94 | 3,88 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 4933,8 | 2151,0 | 353,1 | 27,32 | 11,91 |
| STORA ENSO | 9264,0 | 7740,0 | 3608,4 | 11,00 | 9,19 |
| TIETO | 2080,6 | 502,0 | 1185,6 | 26,38 | 6,37 |
| UPM | 8483,0 | 7348,0 | -208,3 | 16,25 | 14,08 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 1066,8 | 1163,0 | 33609,1 | 11,30 | 12,32 |
| YIT | 881,8 | 564,0 | 2301,8 | 13,91 | 8,89 |

All firms, except UPM, have positive values in all categories for year 2005. UPM Equity value is negative. Overall, there are four firms that can be considered undervalued and thirteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued firms are Kone, Metso, Wartsila and YIT. The negative Equity value of UPM implies that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

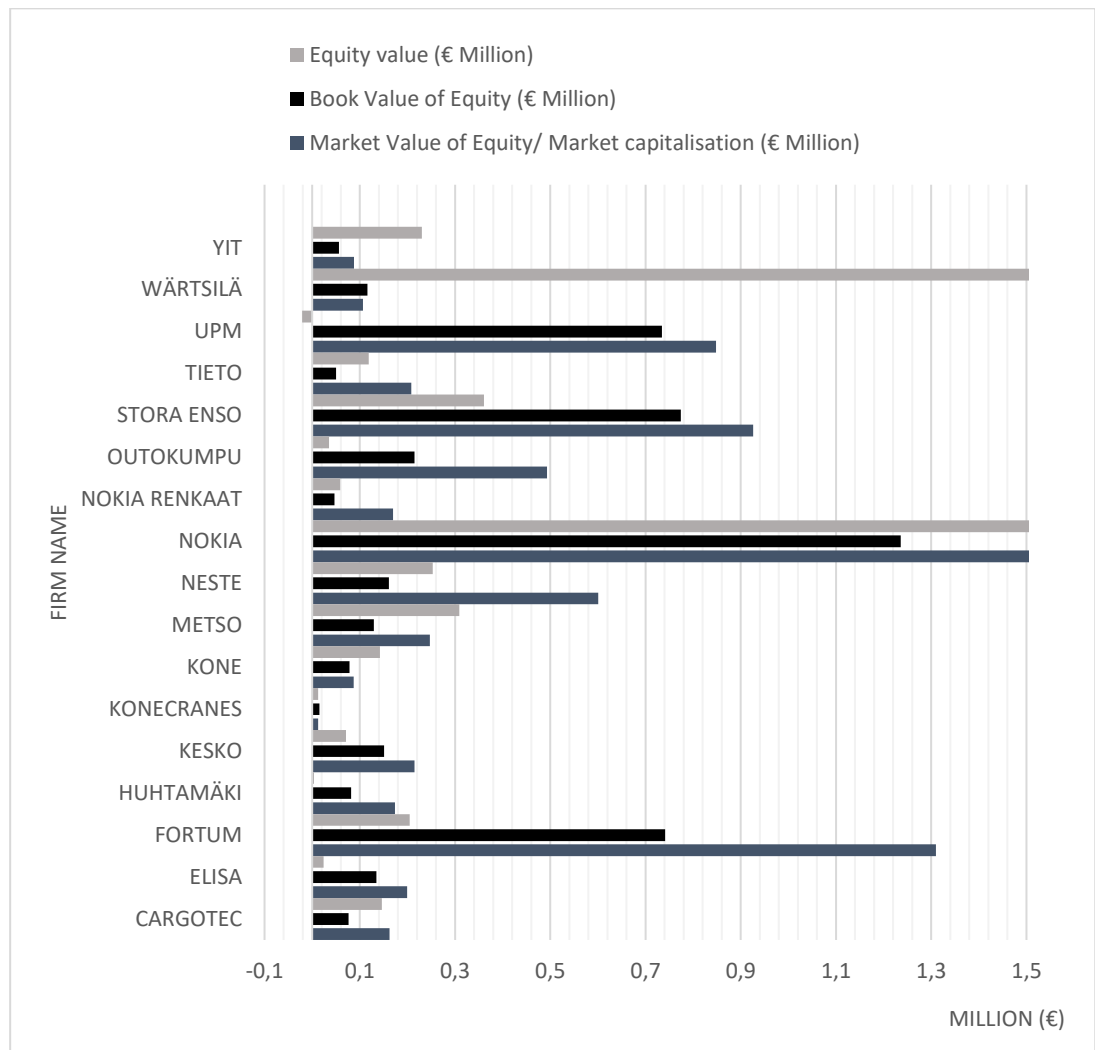


Figure 2 Year 2005 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted two firms to be undervalued. Undervalued firms are Konecranes and Wärtsilä. (See Table 1.) Buying the stocks of these undervalued firms should be considered, because their share prices may increase in the future. Correspondingly, there are two firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued companies are Konecranes and Wärtsilä.

Table 2 All values of 2005 part 2

| 2005 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1,053 | 11,909 | 0,690 | 2,122 | 0,083 | 0,058 |
| ELISA | 1,136 | 11,226 | 1,492 | 1,479 | 0,174 | 0,133 |
| FORTUM | 1,212 | 9,292 | 3,379 | 1,768 | 0,347 | 0,364 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,935 | 184,966 | 0,775 | 2,120 | 0,026 | 0,004 |
| KESKO | 0,808 | 11,341 | 0,258 | 1,421 | 0,030 | 0,023 |
| KONECRANES | 0,424 | 5,328 | 0,132 | 0,839 | 0,051 | 0,025 |
| KONE | 0,479 | 7,021 | 0,414 | 1,113 | 0,093 | 0,059 |
| METSO | 0,826 | 10,435 | 72,163 | 42,700 | 0,079 | 0,056 |
| NESTE | 1,797 | 8,964 | 0,602 | 3,726 | 0,079 | 0,067 |
| NOKIA | 2,611 | 15,992 | 16,914 | 4,679 | 0,136 | 1,058 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,333 | 20,625 | 2,470 | 3,596 | 0,169 | 0,120 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1,287 | 13,592 | 0,889 | 2,294 | 0,015 | 0,065 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,848 | -73,349 | 0,817 | 1,197 | 0,018 | -0,011 |
| TIETO | 1,777 | 15,077 | 1,238 | 4,145 | 0,109 | 0,082 |
| UPM | 0,887 | 32,502 | 0,907 | 1,154 | 0,030 | 0,028 |
| VALMET | 0,826 | 10,435 | 0,586 | 1,914 | 0,079 | 0,056 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,512 | 6,350 | 0,404 | 0,917 | 0,085 | 0,064 |
| YIT | 0,720 | 5,653 | 0,292 | 1,563 | 0,075 | 0,052 |

Table 2 summarises all information of 17 companies in the year 2005, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are nine undervalued and eight overvalued firms in year 2005 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. Konecranes can be considered as the most undervalued firm with the lowest result.

For Price to earnings ratio, all values have an average of 17. Alas, Stora Enso has a negative value, which implies that their value cannot be considered. Three firms have a value higher than average. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Huhtamaki, Nokian Renkaat, and UPM. There are four firms that are significantly low and can be considered as undervalued. These firms are Konecranes, Neste, Wärtsilä and YIT.

Price to sales ratio resulted six firms to be overvalued. Eleven firms are undervalued. Within year 2005, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, and Tieto. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Neste, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. Undervalued firms can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in two undervalued firms. Fifteen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firms are Konecranes and Wärtsilä. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, and YIT.

Operating profit for year 2005, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, and Nokian Renkaat. Fortum has the highest Operating profit margin. Outokumpu and Stora Enso had the lowest result.

Year 2005 regarding Net profit margin, the highest ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Fortum and Nokia. If a firm has a negative result, it indicates of loss of profit. In 2005 Stora Enso had a negative result. Huhtamaki had the second lowest ratio with result 0,04.

Year 2006

In Table 3, 17 companies in the year 2006 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCFF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 3 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 3), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 3 All values of 2006 part 1

| 2006 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 2250,1 | 876,8 | 9890,3 | 34,68 | 13,51 |
| ELISA | 2821,9 | 949,8 | -268,2 | 16,96 | 5,71 |
| FORTUM | 18897,0 | 8161,0 | -2003,9 | 20,42 | 8,82 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1487,8 | 859,8 | 489,2 | 14,32 | 8,28 |
| KESKO | 4782,7 | 1776,9 | 915,0 | 30,88 | 11,47 |
| KONECRANES | 899,3 | 223,0 | 3392,7 | 15,08 | 3,74 |
| KONE | 1118,5 | 770,0 | 2687,5 | 8,84 | 6,09 |
| METSO | 4277,5 | -829,0 | -7471,3 | 30,15 | -5,84 |
| NESTE | 6604,5 | 2097,0 | 6661,8 | 25,55 | 8,11 |
| NOKIA | 65427,0 | 12060,0 | 18088,0 | 15,95 | 2,94 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 1657,5 | 556,5 | 877,2 | 13,28 | 4,46 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 8026,2 | 3144,0 | -116875,7 | 44,09 | 17,27 |
| STORA ENSO | 9384,6 | 7904,0 | 4375,2 | 11,79 | 9,93 |
| TIETO | 1876,4 | 625,7 | 568,8 | 24,69 | 8,23 |
| UPM | 10225,1 | 7289,0 | 3942,9 | 18,11 | 12,91 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 1527,6 | 1231,0 | -21660,4 | 16,06 | 12,94 |
| YIT | 2522,8 | 674,0 | 3963,8 | 19,46 | 5,20 |

Twelve firms have positive values in all categories for year 2006. Six firms have negative Equity value. Overall, there are five companies that can be considered undervalued and thirteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Konecranes, Kone, Neste and YIT. The negative Equity value implies that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year. Overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet and Wäertsilä.

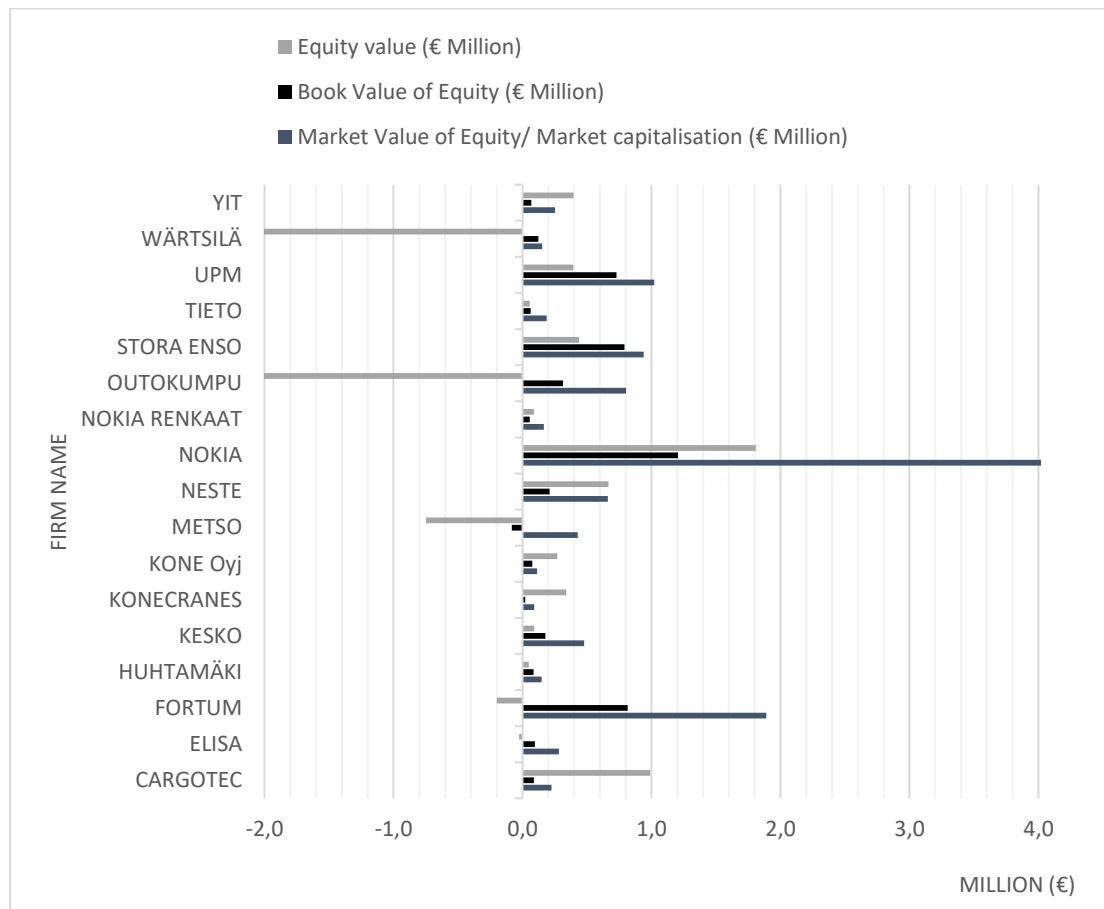


Figure 3 Year 2006 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted no undervalued firms. (See Table 3.) Correspondingly, there are no firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. This implicates that all firms are worth investing to.

Table 4 All values of 2006 part 2

| 2006 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1,256 | 13,547 | 0,866 | 2,566 | 0,093 | 0,064 |
| ELISA | 1,694 | 17,484 | 1,858 | 2,971 | 0,148 | 0,106 |
| FORTUM | 1,390 | 16,872 | 4,208 | 2,316 | 0,324 | 0,249 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,813 | 15,402 | 0,654 | 1,730 | 0,064 | 0,042 |
| KESKO | 1,416 | 12,606 | 0,547 | 2,692 | 0,041 | 0,043 |
| KONECRANES | 1,168 | 13,112 | 0,607 | 4,033 | 0,071 | 0,046 |
| KONE | 0,553 | 4,780 | 0,311 | 1,453 | 0,100 | 0,065 |
| METSO | 1,899 | 10,433 | 79,557 | 27,528 | 0,092 | 0,083 |
| NESTE | 1,702 | 10,384 | 0,519 | 3,149 | 0,067 | 0,050 |
| NOKIA | 2,907 | 15,194 | 15,911 | 5,425 | 0,133 | 1,047 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,061 | 15,447 | 1,983 | 2,978 | 0,183 | 0,128 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1,555 | 8,335 | 1,304 | 2,553 | 0,134 | 0,156 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,823 | 15,928 | 0,724 | 1,187 | 0,057 | 0,045 |
| TIETO | 1,533 | 7,597 | 1,140 | 2,999 | 0,078 | 0,150 |
| UPM | 1,007 | 27,861 | 1,020 | 1,403 | 0,053 | 0,037 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,564 | 4,328 | 0,479 | 1,241 | 0,082 | 0,111 |
| YIT | 1,443 | 14,416 | 0,768 | 3,743 | 0,079 | 0,053 |

Table 4 summarises all information of 17 companies in the year 2006, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are four undervalued and fourteen overvalued firms in year 2006 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki, Kone, Stora Enso, and Wärtsilä. Kone can be considered as the most undervalued firm with the lowest result.

For Price to earnings ratio, all values have an average of 13. Six firms have a value higher than average. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Stora Enso and UPM. There are two firms that are significantly low and can be considered as undervalued. These firms are Kone and Wärtsilä.

Price to sales ratio resulted eight firms to be overvalued. Nine firms are undervalued. Overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Tieto and UPM. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone,

Neste, Stora Enso, Wärtsilä and YIT. Metso has the highest ratio of 79,5. A high ratio indicates that the investment may be considered risky one. Undervalued firms can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted no undervalued firm. Seventeen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet and YIT.

For year 2006, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Fortum and Nokian Renkaat. Fortum has the highest Operating profit margin. There were three firms that had significantly low result. These firms are Huhtamaki, Kesko and Stora Enso.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for four firms. These firms are Fortum Nokia, Outokumpu and Tieto. For year 2006 no firm had significantly low result.

Year 2007

In Table 5, 17 companies in the year 2007 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCFF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 5 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 4), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 5 All values of 2007 part 1

| 2007 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 2668,8 | 896,0 | 18555,2 | 41,65 | 13,98 |
| ELISA | 3386,9 | 1034,8 | -161,6 | 21,22 | 6,48 |
| FORTUM | 22451,2 | 8651,0 | -3015,8 | 24,29 | 9,36 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1205,0 | 793,2 | 334,5 | 11,63 | 7,65 |
| KESKO | 5124,7 | 1963,7 | 11010,5 | 43,51 | 16,67 |
| KONECRANES | 1670,7 | 280,0 | -1210,2 | 27,55 | 4,62 |
| KONE | 1492,0 | 835,4 | 4122,6 | 11,77 | 6,59 |
| METSO | 5980,1 | -369,0 | -10564,3 | 41,89 | -2,58 |
| NESTE | 6554,7 | 2427,0 | 2466,1 | 25,43 | 9,42 |
| NOKIA | 83692,5 | 18338,0 | 54599,3 | 21,26 | 4,66 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2980,2 | 712,9 | 1458,7 | 23,11 | 5,53 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 10416,8 | 3389,0 | -8839,4 | 57,20 | 18,61 |
| STORA ENSO | 9996,6 | 7548,0 | 7627,9 | 12,71 | 9,59 |
| TIETO | 1402,2 | 476,9 | 1058,1 | 19,77 | 6,73 |
| UPM | 31823,4 | 6783,0 | 2414,2 | 17,44 | 3,72 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 2318,6 | 1325,0 | -10045,9 | 23,89 | 13,65 |
| YIT | 2874,6 | 819,0 | 52513,9 | 22,32 | 6,36 |

Eleven firms have positive values in all categories for year 2007. Equity value is negative for six firms. Overall, there are four companies that can be considered undervalued and thirteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued companies are Konecranes, Kesko, Kone and YIT. The negative Equity values of Elisa, Fortum, Konecranes, Metso, Outokumpu and Wartsila indicate that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

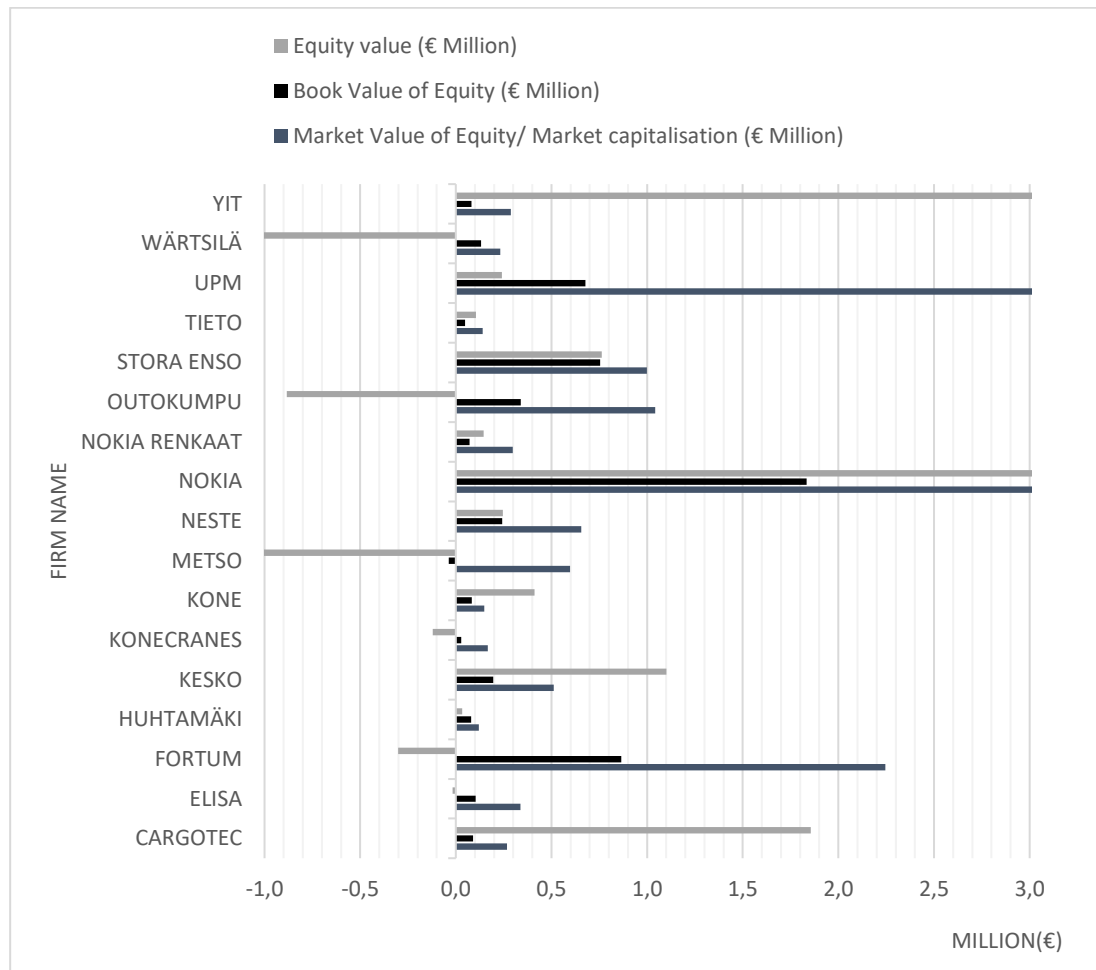


Figure 4 Year 2007 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted no firm to be undervalued. (See Table 5.) Correspondingly, there are no firm that is considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity.

Table 6 All values of 2007 part 2

| | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 2007 | | | | | | |
| CARGOTEC | 1,222 | 19,283 | 0,884 | 2,979 | 0,067 | 0,046 |
| ELISA | 1,904 | 15,374 | 2,159 | 3,273 | 0,193 | 0,140 |
| FORTUM | 1,547 | 13,962 | 5,013 | 2,595 | 0,412 | 0,359 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,741 | -52,849 | 0,521 | 1,519 | 0,012 | -0,010 |
| KESKO | 1,405 | 16,671 | 0,538 | 2,610 | 0,035 | 0,032 |
| KONECRANES | 1,829 | 12,936 | 0,955 | 5,967 | 0,110 | 0,074 |
| KONE | 0,733 | 8,289 | 0,366 | 1,786 | 0,079 | 0,044 |
| METSO | 2,050 | 15,573 | 46,362 | 17,235 | 0,093 | 0,061 |
| NESTE | 1,511 | 11,301 | 0,542 | 2,701 | 0,066 | 0,048 |
| NOKIA | 2,260 | 11,616 | 16,392 | 4,564 | 0,156 | 1,411 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,809 | 17,645 | 2,908 | 4,180 | 0,228 | 0,165 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 2,013 | 16,251 | 1,507 | 3,074 | 0,085 | 0,093 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,937 | -47,065 | 0,748 | 1,324 | 0,018 | -0,016 |
| TIETO | 1,287 | -44,943 | 0,791 | 2,940 | 0,001 | -0,018 |
| UPM | 2,590 | 108,984 | 3,171 | 4,692 | 0,048 | 0,029 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,694 | 8,749 | 0,616 | 1,750 | 0,101 | 0,070 |
| YIT | 1,401 | 12,608 | 0,776 | 3,510 | 0,091 | 0,062 |

Table 6 summarises all information of 17 companies in the year 2007, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are four undervalued and thirteen overvalued firms in year 2007 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki, Kone, Stora Enso, and Wärtsilä. Wärtsilä can be considered as the most undervalued firm with the lowest result.

For Price to earnings ratio, all values have an average of 8,8. Alas, Huhtamaki, Stora Enso, and Tieto have a negative value, which implies that their value cannot be considered. Three firms have a relatively high value than average. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Cargotec, Kesko, Nokia, Outokumpu and UPM. There are two firms that are low and can be considered as undervalued. These firms are Kone and Wärtsilä.

Price to sales ratio resulted seven firms to be overvalued. Ten firms are undervalued. Within year 2007, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu and UPM. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko,

Konecranes, Kone, Neste, Stora Enso, Wärtsilä and YIT. Undervalued firms can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted no undervalued firm. Seventeen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet and YIT

For year 2007, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, and Nokian Renkaat. Fortum has the highest Operating profit margin.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Fortum Nokia, and Nokian Renkaat. If a firm has a negative result, it indicates of loss of profit. In 2007 Huhtamaki, Stora Enso and Tieto had a negative result.

Overall, regarding Market value versus equity value, Kone And YIT were undervalued during all years of the pre-crisis phase.

4.2 During crisis

The results for years 2008-2010 will be discussed individually. Each year has their own subchapter.

Year 2008

In Table 7, 17 companies in the year 2008 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCFF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 7 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are

too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 5), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 7 All values of 2008 part 1

| 2008 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1368,8 | 863,5 | 621,0 | 21,64 | 13,65 |
| ELISA | 2354,2 | 874,5 | -442,3 | 14,90 | 5,53 |
| FORTUM | 22944,2 | 8411,0 | -5558,5 | 25,01 | 9,17 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 616,0 | 702,0 | 91,9 | 6,26 | 7,13 |
| KESKO | 2539,2 | 2025,5 | 490,8 | 23,64 | 18,86 |
| KONECRANES | 1247,5 | 401,0 | 253,6 | 21,12 | 6,79 |
| KONE | 2684,2 | 1085,0 | 593,5 | 10,60 | 4,28 |
| METSO | 3490,3 | 1453,0 | 515,4 | 24,61 | 10,25 |
| NESTE | 4584,9 | 2179,0 | -22,4 | 17,25 | 8,20 |
| NOKIA | 63889,2 | 16510,0 | 2796,6 | 17,25 | 4,46 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2876,8 | 784,3 | -10,2 | 22,62 | 6,17 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 7911,4 | 2800,0 | -743,3 | 43,53 | 15,41 |
| STORA ENSO | 5865,3 | 5650,0 | -1056,1 | 7,34 | 7,07 |
| TIETO | 902,2 | 483,1 | 239,8 | 12,38 | 6,63 |
| UPM | 5837,8 | 6120,0 | -2335,6 | 11,35 | 11,90 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 1808,2 | 1199,0 | 688,6 | 18,04 | 11,96 |
| YIT | 1569,6 | 807,0 | 678,6 | 12,30 | 6,32 |

Ten firms have positive values in all categories for year 2008. Equity value is negative for seven firms. Overall, there are no firms that can be considered undervalued and seventeen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. The negative Equity values of Elisa, Fortum, Neste, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso and UPM indicate that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

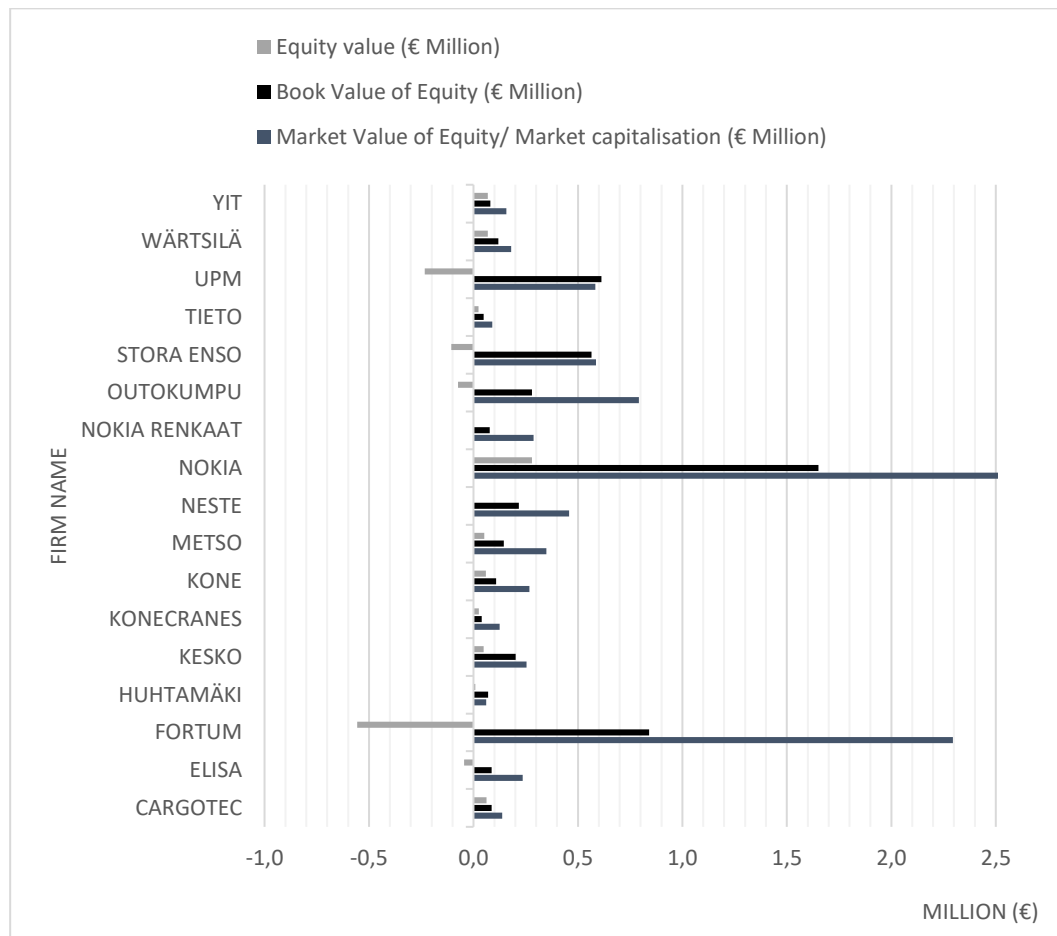


Figure 5 Year 2008 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted two firms to be undervalued. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki and UPM. (See Table 7.) Buying the stocks of these undervalued firms should be considered, because their share prices may increase in the future. Equally, there are two firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued companies are Huhtamaki and UPM.

Table 8 All values of 2008 part 2

| 2008 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 0,641 | 11,331 | 0,403 | 1,585 | 0,051 | 0,036 |
| ELISA | 1,576 | 13,301 | 1,585 | 2,692 | 0,178 | 0,119 |
| FORTUM | 1,501 | 14,376 | 4,078 | 2,728 | 0,349 | 0,284 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,571 | -5,590 | 0,273 | 0,877 | -0,033 | -0,049 |
| KESKO | 0,779 | 10,554 | 0,264 | 1,254 | 0,030 | 0,025 |
| KONECRANES | 1,130 | 7,490 | 0,593 | 3,111 | 0,118 | 0,079 |
| KONE | 1,080 | 6,422 | 0,583 | 2,474 | 0,121 | 0,091 |
| METSO | 0,849 | 8,949 | 132,970 | 48,353 | 0,100 | 0,061 |
| NESTE | 1,196 | 45,395 | 0,305 | 2,104 | 0,012 | 0,007 |
| NOKIA | 1,727 | 16,428 | 12,599 | 3,870 | 0,098 | 0,767 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,330 | 20,563 | 2,662 | 3,668 | 0,229 | 0,129 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1,799 | -41,859 | 1,445 | 2,826 | -0,012 | -0,035 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,809 | -8,638 | 0,532 | 1,038 | -0,066 | -0,062 |
| TIETO | 0,892 | 14,913 | 0,484 | 1,868 | 0,060 | 0,032 |
| UPM | 0,792 | -32,432 | 6,075 | 0,954 | 0,025 | -0,187 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,521 | 4,648 | 0,392 | 1,508 | 0,114 | 0,084 |
| YIT | 0,812 | 11,713 | 0,398 | 1,945 | 0,066 | 0,034 |

Table 8 summarises all information of 17 companies in the year 2008, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are nine undervalued and eight overvalued firms in year 2008 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Metso, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. Overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Konecranes, Kone, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, and Outokumpu.

For Price to earnings ratio, Huhtamaki, Outokumpu, Stora Enso and UPM have a negative value, which implies that their value cannot be considered. Three firms have a high value. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Neste and, Nokian Renkaat. Neste has a ratio of 45,3 and Nokian Renkaat a ratio of 20,5. There are two firms that are significantly low and can be considered as undervalued. These firms are Kone and Wärtsilä.

Price to sales ratio resulted seven firms to be overvalued. Ten firms are undervalued. Within year 2008, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat,

Outokumpu, and UPM. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Neste, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. Undervalued firms can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in two undervalued firms. Fifteen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki and UPM. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For year 2008, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, and Nokian Renkaat. Fortum has the highest Operating profit margin. If a firm has negative operating profit, it results in a negative ratio result. There are three firms that resulted in negative operating profit margin. These firms are Huhtamaki, Outokumpu and Stora Enso. Out of these, Stora Enso had the lowest result with -0,07.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Fortum and Nokia. If a firm has a negative result, it indicates of loss of profit. In 2008 four firms had a negative result. These firms are Huhtamaki, Outokumpu, Stora Enso and UPM. One firm resulted in significantly low result. This firm is Neste with a Net profit margin ratio of 0,01.

Year 2009

In Table 9, 17 companies in the year 2009 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCFF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 9 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 6), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 9 All values of 2009 part 1

| 2009 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1764,4 | 881,0 | 158,9 | 12,43 | 6,20 |
| ELISA | 1940,4 | 899,4 | -412,8 | 12,39 | 5,74 |
| FORTUM | 14790,7 | 8491,0 | -5035,0 | 16,20 | 9,30 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | -140,7 | 736,0 | -2836,5 | 7,33 | -38,32 |
| KESKO | 2092,6 | 2068,5 | 258,2 | 19,80 | 19,58 |
| KONECRANES | 991,0 | 407,0 | 167,2 | 16,86 | 6,92 |
| KONE | 2804,2 | 1440,0 | 709,0 | 11,01 | 5,65 |
| METSO | 2081,2 | 1792,0 | -899,2 | 14,61 | 12,58 |
| NESTE | 2858,6 | 2222,0 | -495,3 | 10,93 | 8,49 |
| NOKIA | 10475,4 | 14749,0 | 2875,6 | 9,67 | 13,61 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 1582,8 | 757,7 | -38,9 | 13,30 | 6,37 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 4873,1 | 2550,0 | -786,9 | 26,98 | 14,12 |
| STORA ENSO | 3470,5 | 5183,0 | -1009,4 | 4,43 | 6,61 |
| TIETO | 803,8 | 518,0 | 163,3 | 11,26 | 7,26 |
| UPM | 3728,6 | 6602,0 | -1551,0 | 7,28 | 12,89 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 1194,9 | 1512,0 | 878,5 | 11,92 | 15,08 |
| YIT | 1087,3 | 764,0 | 915,9 | 8,95 | 6,29 |

Ten firms have positive values in all categories for year 2008. Market value of Equity is negative for one firm additionally, Equity value is negative for eight firms. Overall, there are no firms that can be considered undervalued. All seventeen firms are overvalued regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. The negative Equity values of Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Metso, Neste, Outokumpu, Stora Enso and UPM indicate that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

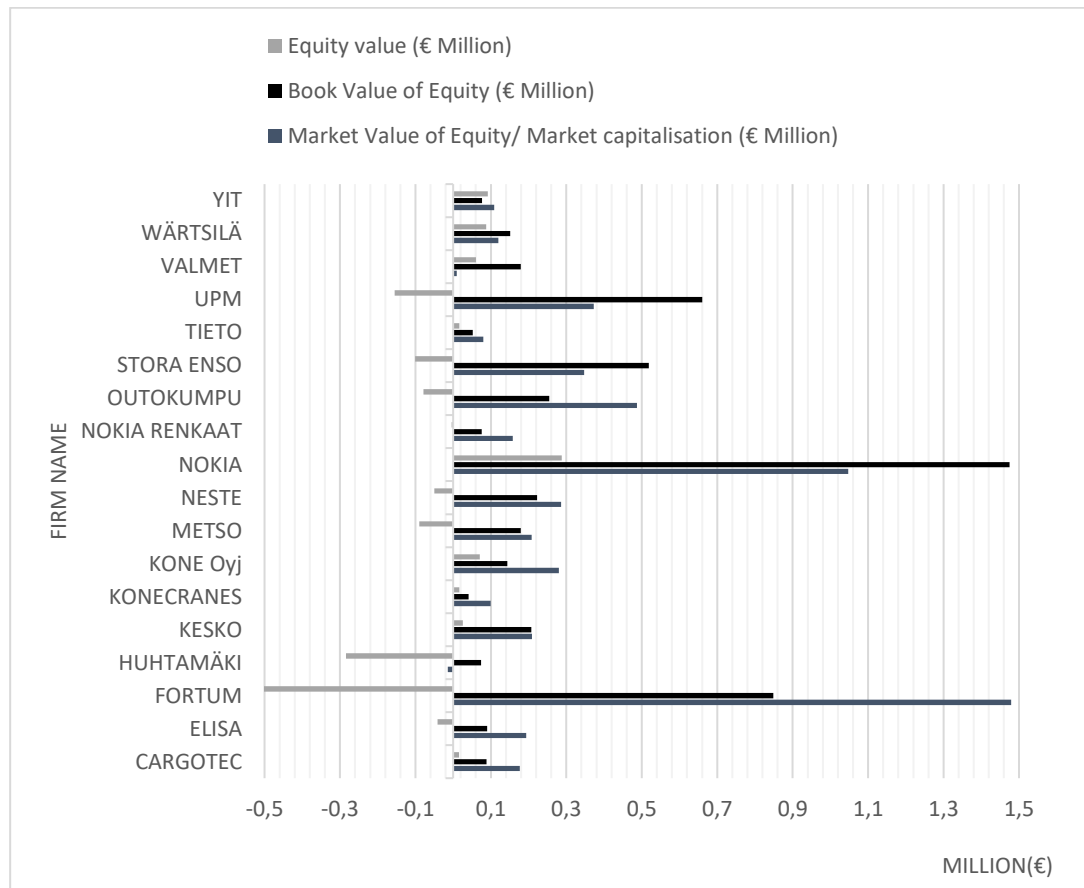


Figure 6 Year 2009 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted five firms to be undervalued. Undervalued firms are Nokia, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. (See Table 9.) Buying the stocks of these undervalued firms should be considered, because their share prices may increase in the future. Correspondingly, there are six firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki, Nokia, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT.

Table 10 All values of 2009 part 2

| 2009 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 0,888 | 248,513 | 0,684 | 2,003 | 0,000 | 0,003 |
| ELISA | 1,369 | 10,963 | 1,357 | 2,157 | 0,187 | 0,124 |
| FORTUM | 1,091 | 10,948 | 2,721 | 1,742 | 0,328 | 0,249 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,126 | 11,632 | -0,077 | -0,191 | 0,006 | -0,007 |
| KESKO | 0,664 | 15,593 | 0,248 | 1,012 | 0,028 | 0,016 |
| KONECRANES | 0,997 | 15,609 | 0,593 | 2,435 | 0,059 | 0,038 |
| KONE | 0,995 | 6,018 | 0,591 | 1,947 | 0,119 | 0,098 |
| METSO | 0,850 | 13,782 | 201,343 | 189,946 | 0,059 | 0,030 |
| NESTE | 0,859 | 12,705 | 0,297 | 1,287 | 0,035 | 0,023 |
| NOKIA | 0,439 | 40,290 | 2,556 | 0,710 | 0,029 | 0,063 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 1,562 | 27,149 | 2,005 | 2,089 | 0,129 | 0,074 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1,346 | -14,503 | 1,845 | 1,911 | -0,167 | -0,127 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,638 | -3,952 | 0,388 | 0,670 | -0,068 | -0,098 |
| TIETO | 0,838 | 14,625 | 0,471 | 1,552 | 0,044 | 0,032 |
| UPM | 0,602 | 22,063 | 0,483 | 0,565 | 0,017 | 0,022 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,399 | 3,017 | 0,227 | 0,790 | 0,113 | 0,075 |
| YIT | 0,644 | 15,990 | 0,312 | 1,423 | 0,048 | 0,020 |

Table 10 summarises all information of 17 companies in the year 2009, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are thirteen undervalued and four overvalued firms in year 2009 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. Huhtamaki can be considered as the most undervalued firm with the lowest result 0,1.

For Price to earnings ratio, Stora Enso and Outokumpu have a negative value, which implies that their value cannot be considered in comparison. Four firms have a value higher than average. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Cargotec, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, and UPM. There are five firms that are significantly low and can be considered as undervalued. These firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kone Neste, and Wärtsilä.

Price to sales ratio resulted six firms to be overvalued. Twelve firms are undervalued. Within year 2009, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat,

and Outokumpu. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Neste, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. Undervalued firms in Price to sales ratio can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in five undervalued firms. Twelve firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firms are Huhtamaki, Nokia, Stora Enso, UPM and Wärtsilä. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Tieto, UPM and YIT.

For year 2009, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Elisa and Fortum. Fortum has the highest Operating profit margin. If a firm has negative operating profit, it results in a negative ratio result. There are two firms that resulted in negative operating profit margin. These firms are Outokumpu and Stora Enso. Outokumpu had the lowest result with -0,17.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for one firm. This firm is Fortum. If a firm has a negative result, it indicates of loss of profit. In 2009 three firms had a negative result. These firms are Huhtamaki, Outokumpu, and Stora Enso. One firm resulted in significantly low result. This firm is Cargotec with a Net profit margin ratio of 0,002.

Year 2010

In Table 11, 17 companies in the year 2010 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCFF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 11 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 7), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 11 All values of 2010 part 1

| 2010 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|-------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1699,7 | 1069,1 | 5791,0 | 26,37 | 16,58 |
| ELISA | 2413,3 | 832,2 | -277,2 | 15,39 | 5,31 |
| FORTUM | 17777,1 | 8742,0 | -3977,0 | 19,17 | 9,43 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1001,3 | 848,6 | 390,7 | 8,90 | 7,55 |
| KESKO | 3137,8 | 2209,4 | 1491,3 | 29,97 | 21,10 |
| KONECRANES | 1433,8 | 456,0 | 1164,8 | 24,57 | 7,81 |
| KONE | 4417,5 | 1699,8 | 1846,5 | 17,26 | 6,64 |
| METSO | 4492,1 | 2071,0 | -71919,0 | 29,77 | 13,73 |
| NESTE | 3077,4 | 2426,0 | 886,1 | 11,86 | 9,35 |
| NOKIA | 22518,8 | 16231,0 | 10916,5 | 8,38 | 6,04 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2770,0 | 937,2 | 1377,9 | 21,55 | 7,29 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 5713,4 | 2375,0 | 2541,6 | 31,59 | 13,13 |
| STORA ENSO | 4858,8 | 6255,0 | 6662,0 | 6,13 | 7,89 |
| TIETO | 580,3 | 556,9 | 624,9 | 14,94 | 14,33 |
| UPM | 5556,6 | 7109,0 | 5096,5 | 10,70 | 13,69 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 2103,5 | 1664,0 | 4964,4 | 20,72 | 16,39 |
| YIT | 2072,4 | 883,0 | 6501,1 | 16,58 | 7,06 |

Fourteen firms have positive values in all categories for year 2010. Equity value is negative for three firms. Overall, there are five firms that can be considered undervalued and twelve overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. The negative Equity values of Elisa, Fortum and Metso indicate that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

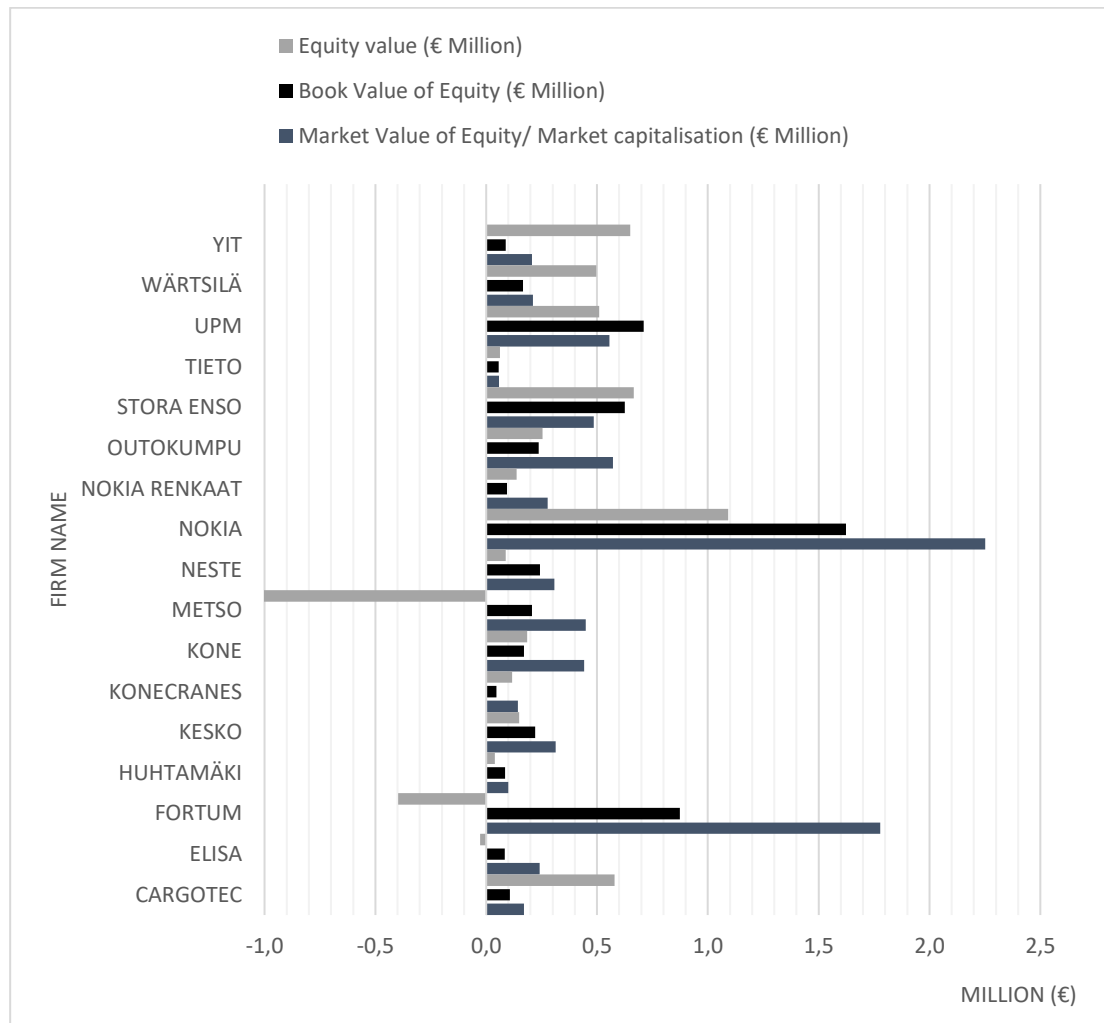


Figure 7 Year 2010 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted two firms to be undervalued. Undervalued firms are Stora Enso and UPM. (See Table 11.) Buying the stocks of these undervalued firms should be considered, because their share prices may increase in the future. Correspondingly, there are two firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued companies are Stora Enso and UPM.

Table 12 All values of 2010 part 2

| 2010 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 0,765 | 21,791 | 0,660 | 1,590 | 0,051 | 0,030 |
| ELISA | 1,634 | 16,035 | 1,649 | 2,900 | 0,183 | 0,103 |
| FORTUM | 1,145 | 13,129 | 2,824 | 2,034 | 0,271 | 0,215 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,193 | 8,729 | 0,513 | 1,180 | 0,069 | 0,059 |
| KESKO | 0,865 | 14,547 | 0,358 | 1,420 | 0,035 | 0,025 |
| KONECRANES | 1,291 | 18,335 | 0,927 | 3,144 | 0,073 | 0,051 |
| KONE | 1,383 | 8,257 | 0,886 | 2,599 | 0,140 | 0,107 |
| METSO | 1,078 | 17,411 | 127,790 | 74,731 | 0,080 | 0,046 |
| NESTE | 0,789 | 13,322 | 0,259 | 1,269 | 0,027 | 0,019 |
| NOKIA | 0,711 | 16,768 | 5,305 | 1,387 | 0,049 | 0,316 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,178 | 16,323 | 2,618 | 2,956 | 0,210 | 0,160 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1,446 | -46,450 | 1,351 | 2,406 | -0,020 | -0,029 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,671 | 6,316 | 0,472 | 0,777 | 0,100 | 0,075 |
| TIETO | 0,594 | 21,645 | 0,339 | 1,042 | 0,042 | 0,016 |
| UPM | 0,690 | 9,905 | 0,623 | 0,782 | 0,085 | 0,063 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,582 | 5,298 | 0,462 | 1,264 | 0,090 | 0,087 |
| YIT | 0,918 | 14,803 | 0,547 | 2,347 | 0,058 | 0,037 |

Table 12 summarises all information of 17 companies in the year 2010, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are ten undervalued and seven overvalued firms in year 2010 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Neste, Nokia, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For Price to earnings ratio, Stora Enso has a negative value, which implies that their value cannot be considered. Three firms have a value higher than average. This implies that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Cargotec, Konecranes and Tieto. There are no firms that are significantly low in comparison to their previous values and cannot be considered as undervalued.

Price to sales ratio resulted six firms to be overvalued. Twelve firms are undervalued. Within year 2010, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat,

and Outokumpu. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Neste, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in two undervalued firms. Sixteen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firms are Konecranes and Wärtsilä. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet and YIT.

For year 2010, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, and Nokian Renkaat. Fortum has the highest Operating profit margin. If a firm has negative operating profit, it results in a negative ratio result. There is one firm that resulted in negative operating profit margin. This firm is Outokumpu.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Fortum, Nokia and Nokian Renkaat. If a firm has a negative result, it indicates of loss of profit. In 2010 one firm had a negative result. This firm is Outokumpu. One firm resulted in significantly low result. This firm is Tieto with a Net profit margin ratio of 0,02.

4.3 Post crisis

The results for years 2015-2018 will be discussed individually. Each year has their own subchapter.

Year 2015

In Table 13, 18 companies in the year 2015 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 13 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are

too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 8), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 13 All values of 2015 part 1

| | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2015 | | | | | |
| CARGOTEC | 2056,5 | 1341,0 | 1866,4 | 31,80 | 31,80 |
| ELISA | 4612,6 | 925,3 | 29,9 | 28,79 | 28,79 |
| FORTUM | 14640,2 | 13863,0 | 491,5 | 16,47 | 16,47 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 3074,5 | 1035,7 | 1063,0 | 29,09 | 29,09 |
| KESKO | 3810,9 | 525,7 | 3442,3 | 33,44 | 33,44 |
| KONECRANES | 1587,6 | 456,0 | 425,3 | 27,32 | 27,32 |
| KONE | 20289,9 | 2748,4 | 4774,5 | 38,54 | 38,54 |
| METSO | 3711,7 | 1063,0 | 2045,0 | 24,51 | 24,51 |
| NESTE | 6078,8 | 3104,0 | 2407,0 | 23,66 | 23,66 |
| NOKIA | 25515,5 | 10524,0 | 9282,1 | 6,51 | 6,51 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 3811,4 | 1241,6 | 1330,7 | 28,50 | 28,50 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1687,0 | 2328,0 | 3209,7 | 4,51 | 4,51 |
| STORA ENSO | 6707,4 | 5513,0 | 3719,8 | 8,74 | 8,74 |
| TIETO | 1663,7 | 482,6 | 648,3 | 22,61 | 22,61 |
| UPM | 8721,0 | 7944,0 | 4363,1 | 16,38 | 16,38 |
| VALMET | 1563,3 | 861,0 | 1756,8 | 10,22 | 10,22 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 2678,2 | 2655,0 | 3022,8 | 13,36 | 13,36 |
| YIT | 717,5 | 523,0 | 2013,9 | 5,65 | 5,65 |

All firms have positive values in all categories for year 2015. Overall, there are four companies that can be considered undervalued and fourteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued companies are Outokumpu, Valmet, Wartsila and YIT. The difference between Market value of equity and Equity value is highest with Kone. The firm can be considered the most overvalued firm.

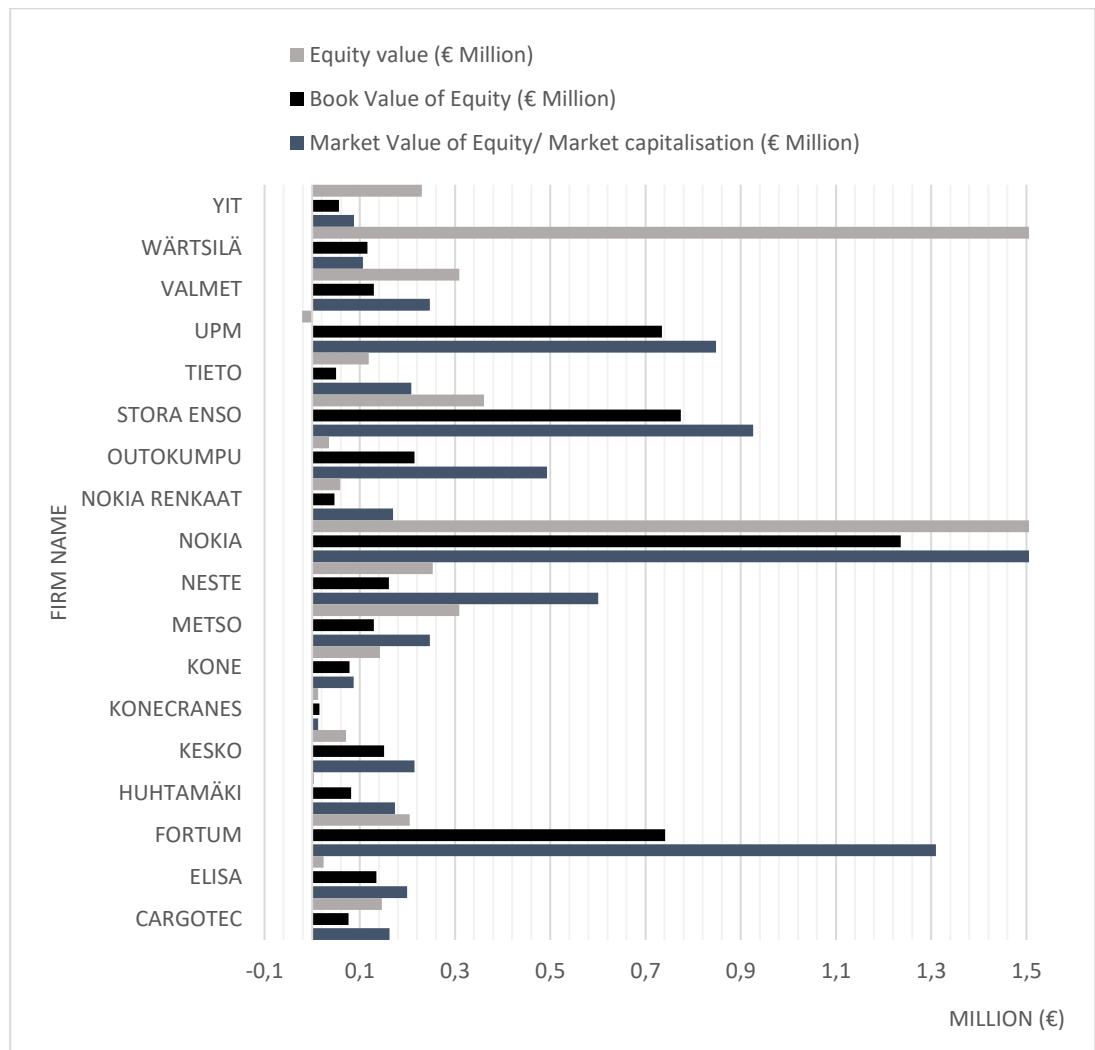


Figure 8 Year 2015 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted no firm to be undervalued. (See Table 13.) Correspondingly, there is one firm that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued firm is Outokumpu.

Table 14 All values of 2015 part 2

| 2015 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 0,793 | 14,391 | 0,551 | 1,534 | 0,057 | 0,038 |
| ELISA | 2,495 | 18,943 | 2,939 | 4,985 | 0,199 | 0,155 |
| FORTUM | 0,907 | 3,535 | 4,232 | 1,056 | -0,043 | 1,197 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1,449 | 20,483 | 1,128 | 2,969 | 0,079 | 0,055 |
| KESKO | 1,754 | 32,461 | 0,884 | 7,249 | -0,112 | 0,027 |
| KONECRANES | 1,261 | 51,544 | 0,747 | 3,482 | 0,030 | 0,014 |
| KONE | 2,735 | 19,269 | 2,346 | 7,382 | 0,000 | 0,122 |
| METSO | 1,165 | 70,031 | 0,386 | 1,102 | 0,186 | 0,018 |
| NESTE | 1,173 | 10,855 | 0,546 | 1,958 | 0,063 | 0,050 |
| NOKIA | 1,318 | 10,339 | 21,691 | 2,425 | 0,144 | 2,098 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,297 | 15,835 | 2,802 | 3,070 | 0,218 | 0,177 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 0,593 | 19,616 | 0,264 | 0,725 | 0,036 | 0,013 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,882 | 8,566 | 0,668 | 1,217 | 0,105 | 0,078 |
| TIETO | 1,696 | 18,384 | -4,460 | 3,447 | 0,364 | -0,243 |
| UPM | 0,830 | 9,521 | 0,860 | 1,098 | 0,113 | 0,090 |
| VALMET | 0,668 | 20,042 | 0,534 | 1,816 | 0,041 | 0,027 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,609 | 5,938 | 0,533 | 1,009 | 0,117 | 0,090 |
| YIT | 0,696 | 15,266 | 0,414 | 1,372 | 0,047 | 0,027 |

Table 14 summarises all information of 18 companies in the year 2015, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are eight undervalued and ten overvalued firms in year 2015 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Fortum, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT.

Price to earnings ratio estimation resulted in three firms have a value higher than their average. This implicates that their stock for the year is overvalued. These firms are Kesko (32,4), Konecranes (51,5), and Metso (70,0). There is one firm that are significantly low and can be considered as undervalued. This firm is Fortum with Price to earnings ratio of 3,5.

Price to sales ratio resulted six firms to be overvalued. Twelve firms are undervalued. Within year 2015, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kone, Nokia, and Nokian Renkaat. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Kesko, Konecranes, Metso, Neste,

Outokumpu, Stora Enso, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT. Undervalued firms can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in one undervalued firm. Seventeen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firm is Outokumpu. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For year 2015, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for four firms. These firms are Elisa, Metso, Nokian Renkaat and Tieto. Tieto has the highest Operating profit margin 0,36. If a firm has negative operating profit, it results in a negative ratio result. There are two firms that resulted in negative operating profit margin. These firms are Fortum and Kesko. There is one firm that has significantly low result of operating profit margin ratio. This firm is Kone with a result of 0,0014.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for four firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, Nokia and Nokian Renkaat. If a firm has a negative result, it indicates of loss of profit. In 2015 one firm had a negative result. This firm is Tieto with a result of -0,24. Three firms resulted in significantly low results. These firms are Konecranes, Metso and Outokumpu. Two firms have a Net profit margin ratio of 0,01. These firms are Konecranes and Outokumpu.

Year 2016

In Table 15, 18 companies in the year 2016 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 15 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 9), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 15 All values of 2016 part 1

| 2016 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 2290,3 | 1397,0 | 2009,1 | 35,46 | 21,63 |
| ELISA | 4149,3 | 550,3 | -129,6 | 32,38 | 4,29 |
| FORTUM | 12337,0 | 13542,0 | -1520,0 | 13,71 | 15,05 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 732,7 | 1181,6 | 951,9 | 35,84 | 57,80 |
| KESKO | 4513,2 | 2125,7 | 2379,8 | 39,26 | 18,49 |
| KONECRANES | 1502,4 | 539,0 | 574,9 | 25,57 | 9,17 |
| KONE | 21549,7 | 2978,5 | 4465,1 | 41,96 | 5,80 |
| METSO | 3427,2 | 1439,0 | 2380,7 | 22,94 | 9,63 |
| NESTE | 8470,1 | 3755,0 | 3744,5 | 32,87 | 14,57 |
| NOKIA | 36104,7 | 20975,0 | 14583,1 | 5,06 | 2,94 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 4337,2 | 1458,5 | 1250,5 | 32,04 | 10,77 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 1932,1 | 2458,0 | 3661,4 | 4,70 | 5,97 |
| STORA ENSO | 5503,5 | 5868,0 | 2430,9 | 7,98 | 8,51 |
| TIETO | 1826,9 | 487,6 | 689,5 | 24,88 | 6,64 |
| UPM | 9490,6 | 8238,0 | 4932,2 | 17,79 | 15,45 |
| VALMET | 1717,1 | -289,0 | 1965,2 | 11,52 | -1,94 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 2576,4 | 2321,0 | 2897,7 | 12,92 | 11,64 |
| YIT | 736,3 | 564,0 | 1885,4 | 6,22 | 4,77 |

All firms, except Elisa and Fortum, have positive values in all categories for year 2016. Elisa and Fortum have negative Equity value. Overall, there are five companies that can be considered undervalued and thirteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued companies are Huhtamaki, Outokumpu, Valmet, Wartsila and YIT. The negative Equity value of Elisa and Fortum implies that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

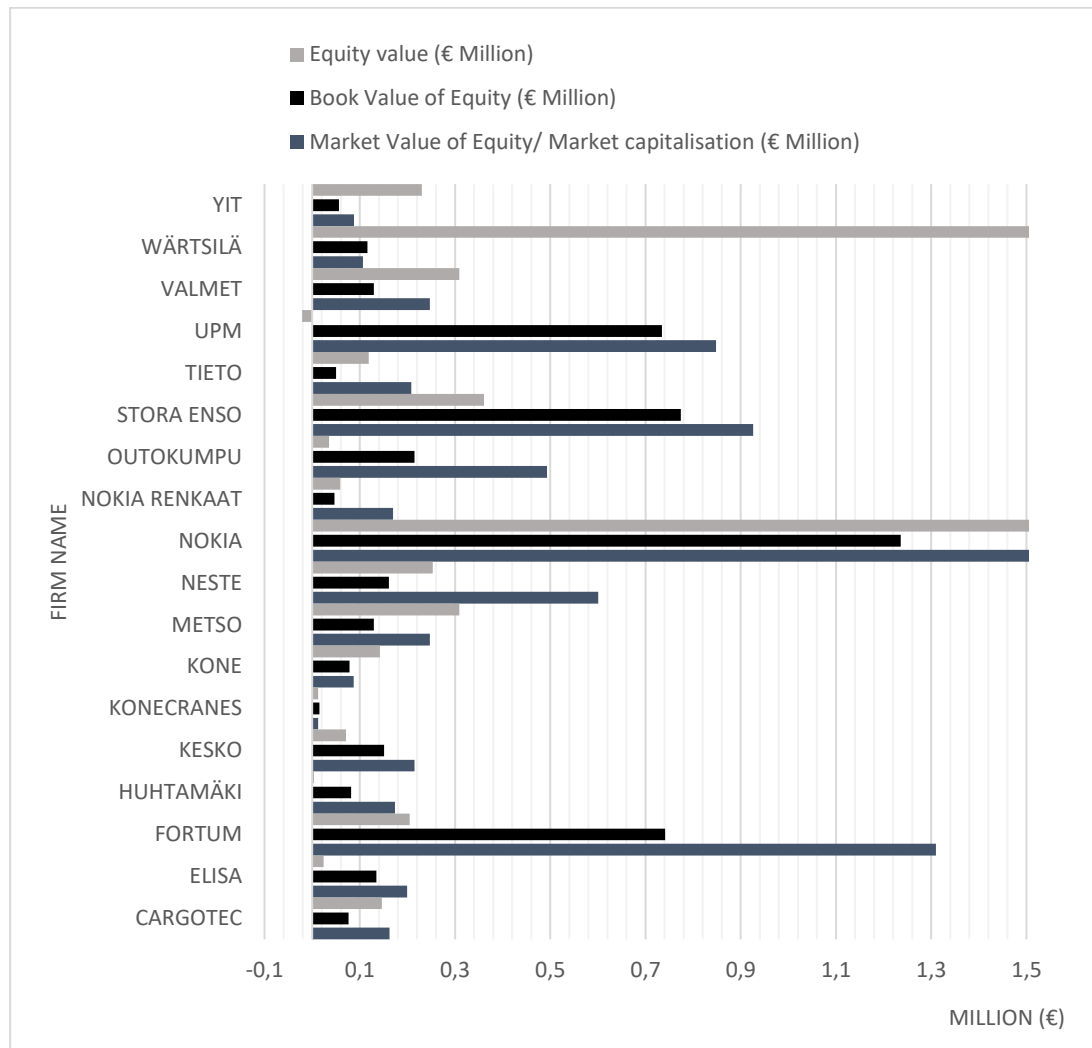


Figure 9 Year 2016 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted four firms to be undervalued. Undervalued firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Outokumpu and Stora Enso. (See Table 15.) Buying the stocks of these undervalued firms should be considered, because their share prices may increase in the future. Correspondingly, there are four firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Outokumpu and Stora Enso.

Table 16 All values of 2016 part 2

| | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 2016 | | | | | | |
| CARGOTEC | 0,867 | 18,279 | 0,652 | 1,639 | 0,056 | 0,036 |
| ELISA | 2,518 | 20,113 | 2,537 | 7,540 | 0,207 | 0,126 |
| FORTUM | 0,794 | 24,478 | 3,397 | 0,911 | 0,174 | 0,139 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,484 | 19,909 | 0,256 | 0,620 | 0,093 | 0,013 |
| KESKO | 1,141 | 39,659 | 0,443 | 2,123 | 0,014 | 0,011 |
| KONECRANES | 1,194 | 39,957 | 0,709 | 2,787 | 0,040 | 0,018 |
| KONE | 2,739 | 21,086 | 2,453 | 7,235 | 0,147 | 0,116 |
| METSO | 1,059 | 26,363 | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,088 | 0,050 |
| NESTE | 1,336 | 8,982 | 0,725 | 2,256 | 0,099 | 0,081 |
| NOKIA | 0,894 | 38,948 | 15,272 | 1,721 | -0,047 | 0,392 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,310 | 17,225 | 3,118 | 2,974 | 0,223 | 0,181 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 0,564 | 13,417 | 0,340 | 0,786 | 0,018 | 0,025 |
| STORA ENSO | 0,752 | 13,522 | 0,561 | 0,938 | 0,080 | 0,042 |
| TIETO | 1,862 | 17,042 | 1,224 | 3,747 | 0,094 | 0,072 |
| UPM | 0,872 | 10,785 | 0,967 | 1,152 | 0,116 | 0,090 |
| VALMET | 1,476 | 20,940 | 0,587 | -5,941 | 0,050 | 0,028 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,594 | 7,217 | 0,537 | 1,110 | 0,111 | 0,074 |
| YIT | 0,628 | -103,705 | 0,439 | 1,306 | 0,011 | -0,004 |

Table 16 summarises all information of 18 companies in the year 2016, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are nine undervalued and nine overvalued firms in year 2016 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Nokia, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT.

Price to earnings ratio estimation resulted in three firms have a value higher than their average. This implicates that their stock for the year is overvalued. These firms are Kesko (39,6), Konecranes (39,9), and Nokia (38,9). There are no firm that are significantly low and can be considered as undervalued. YIT had negative value for year 2016, and their result is not valid.

Price to sales ratio resulted six firms to be overvalued. Twelve firms are undervalued. Within year 2015, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Kone, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, and Tieto. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Metso,

Neste, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT. Undervalued firms can be considered as a good investment.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in six undervalued firm. Twelve firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Metso, Outokumpu, Stora Enso and Valmet. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Kesko, Kone, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For year 2016, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Elisa, and Nokian Renkaat. Nokian Renkaat has the highest Operating profit margin. If a firm has negative operating profit, it results in a negative ratio result.

There is one firm that resulted in negative operating profit margin. This firm is Nokia. There are two firms that have significantly low result of operating profit margin ratio. These firms are Kesko and YIT with a result of 0,01.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Nokia and Nokian Renkaat. Four firms resulted in significantly low results. These firms are Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, and YIT.

Year 2017

In Table 17, 18 companies in the year 2017 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCF model is Equity Value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 17 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 10), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 17 All values of 2017 part 1

| 2017 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 3251,8 | 1427,0 | 1878,7 | 50,10 | 21,99 |
| ELISA | 3846,0 | 498,4 | -69,5 | 33,87 | 4,39 |
| FORTUM | 13711,3 | 13287,0 | -998,9 | 15,23 | 14,76 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1473,4 | 1207,6 | 1066,4 | 34,77 | 28,50 |
| KESKO | 4630,6 | 2231,5 | 1947,7 | 44,62 | 21,50 |
| KONECRANES | 2885,4 | 1278,5 | 1252,1 | 36,93 | 16,36 |
| KONE | 22774,2 | 3049,0 | 3730,6 | 43,91 | 5,88 |
| METSO | 4419,7 | 1350,0 | 2125,6 | 29,46 | 9,00 |
| NESTE | 9906,7 | 4338,0 | 3484,7 | 38,48 | 16,85 |
| NOKIA | 46861,7 | 16218,0 | 24166,6 | 4,96 | 1,72 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 5108,5 | 1468,4 | 1261,0 | 37,15 | 10,68 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 3593,1 | 2722,0 | 4163,8 | 8,25 | 6,25 |
| STORA ENSO | 9013,0 | 6055,0 | 4843,9 | 11,60 | 7,79 |
| TIETO | 1972,7 | 475,6 | 700,0 | 26,72 | 6,44 |
| UPM | 12842,7 | 8663,0 | 8048,0 | 24,00 | 16,19 |
| VALMET | 2424,6 | -226,0 | 2256,2 | 16,04 | -1,49 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 3500,3 | 2395,0 | 3170,2 | 17,82 | 12,19 |
| YIT | 897,8 | 565,0 | 1665,6 | 6,98 | 4,39 |

All firms, except Elisa and Fortum, have positive values in all categories for year 2017. Elisa and Fortum have negative Equity value. Overall, there are two companies that can be considered undervalued and sixteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued companies are Outokumpu and YIT. The negative Equity value of Elisa and Fortum implies that the negative values are generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year.

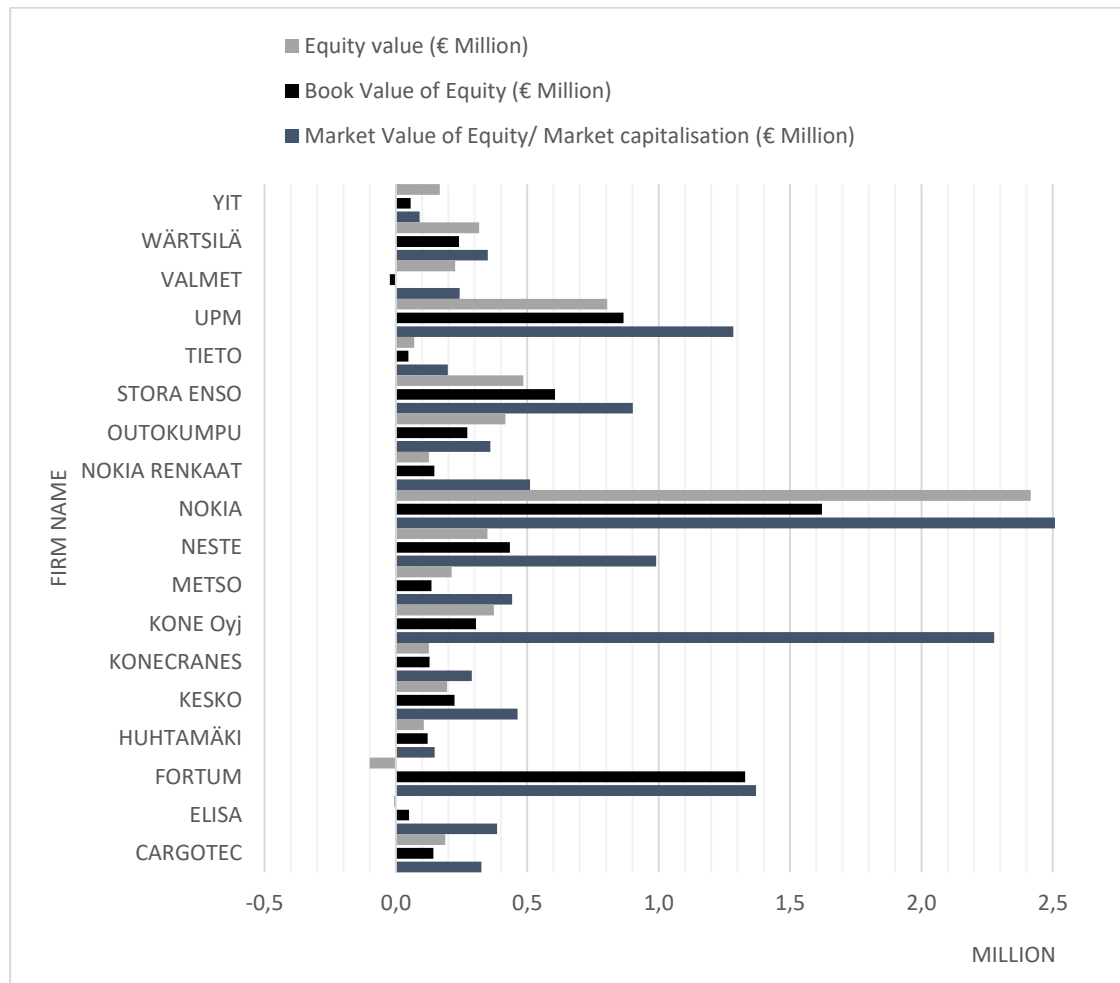


Figure 10 Year 2017 Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted no firm to be undervalued. (See Table 17.) Correspondingly, there are no firms that are considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity.

Table 18 All values of 2017 part 2

| 2017 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 1,155 | 23,858 | 0,991 | 2,279 | 0,069 | 0,042 |
| ELISA | 2,434 | 16,052 | 2,152 | 7,717 | 0,211 | 0,134 |
| FORTUM | 0,855 | 15,546 | 3,033 | 1,032 | 0,256 | 0,195 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 0,731 | 18,793 | 0,493 | 1,220 | 0,088 | 0,026 |
| KESKO | 1,155 | 17,227 | 0,441 | 2,075 | 0,031 | 0,026 |
| KONECRANES | 1,023 | 12,824 | 0,920 | 2,257 | 0,101 | 0,072 |
| KONE | 2,974 | 23,358 | 2,547 | 7,469 | 0,136 | 0,109 |
| METSO | 1,427 | 43,331 | 6,231 | 9,163 | 0,081 | 0,038 |
| NESTE | 1,425 | 10,839 | 0,750 | 2,284 | 0,089 | 0,069 |
| NOKIA | 1,234 | 19,065 | 20,245 | 2,889 | 0,007 | 1,062 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,793 | 23,074 | 3,249 | 3,479 | 0,232 | 0,141 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 0,815 | 9,166 | 0,565 | 1,320 | 0,070 | 0,062 |
| STORA ENSO | 1,022 | 14,679 | 0,897 | 1,489 | 0,090 | 0,061 |
| TIETO | 1,925 | 18,300 | 1,278 | 4,148 | 0,090 | 0,070 |
| UPM | 1,078 | 13,186 | 1,283 | 1,482 | 0,126 | 0,097 |
| VALMET | 1,111 | 19,092 | 0,768 | -10,729 | 0,056 | 0,040 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 0,735 | 9,139 | 0,711 | 1,461 | 0,112 | 0,078 |
| YIT | 0,678 | 15,863 | 0,450 | 1,589 | 0,043 | 0,028 |

Table 18 summarises all information of 18 companies in the year 2017, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are five undervalued and thirteen overvalued firms in year 2017 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Outokumpu, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For Price to earnings ratio, Three firms have a value higher than average. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Cargotec, Kone and Metso. There are no firm that is significantly low and can be considered as undervalued.

Price to sales ratio resulted eight firms to be overvalued. Ten firms are undervalued. Within year 2017, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Kone, Metso, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Tieto and UPM. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Neste, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in one undervalued firm. Seventeen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firm is Valmet. Overvalued firms are

Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For year 2017, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for three firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum and Nokian Renkaat. Nokian Renkaat has the highest Operating profit margin. There is one firm that has significantly low result of operating profit margin ratio. This firm is Nokia with a result of 0,006.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for two firms. These firms are Fortum and Nokia. No firm had significantly low results in comparison to prior years.

Year 2018

In Table 19, 18 companies in the year 2018 have been valued are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT. The value calculated by the FCF model is Equity Value and the DCF future forecasted Equity value. The values taken from the stock market is Market Price per share. Market value of equity, Book value of Equity, and Book value per share are calculated by the author. Data is based on the stock market and data from each firms' financial statements.

Table 19 is used for several purposes. Table summarizes all information calculated, and it supports readers to understand the results clearer. Also, some firm values are too large or too low to fit in charts (see Figure 11), for clarity purposes, their values are fully presented within these tables.

Table 19 All values of 2018 part 1

| 2018 | Market Value of Equity/ Market capitalisation (€ Million) | Book Value of Equity (€ Million) | Equity value (€ Million) | Equity value DCF Forecast (€) | Market price per share (€) | Book value per share (€) |
|----------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 2727,5 | 1427,6 | 4414,7 | -84170,6 | 41,67 | 21,81 |
| ELISA | 5820,0 | 1134,7 | -41,2 | 5340,1 | 36,47 | 7,11 |
| FORTUM | 17649,4 | 12077,0 | -2251,7 | 46628,9 | 19,54 | 13,37 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 3296,9 | 1273,7 | 1328,2 | 77455,1 | 31,28 | 12,08 |
| KESKO | 5429,1 | 2063,4 | 2276,8 | 14963,2 | 48,86 | 18,57 |
| KONECRANES | 2597,4 | 1284,2 | 1393,2 | -43810,5 | 34,09 | 16,85 |
| KONE | 22629,7 | 3220,0 | 4170,5 | -1085221,5 | 43,64 | 6,21 |
| METSO | 4184,8 | 1931,0 | 2047,9 | -41514,6 | 27,96 | 12,90 |
| NESTE | 16914,0 | 4630,0 | 5378,1 | -118054,4 | 65,79 | 18,01 |
| NOKIA | 15948,3 | 15371,0 | 11913,6 | -482486,9 | 4,76 | 4,59 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 4717,5 | 1486,1 | 1242,4 | 11988,2 | 34,20 | 10,77 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 77,2 | 2750,0 | 2785,2 | -338934,3 | 0,19 | 6,77 |
| STORA ENSO | 11432,2 | 6732,0 | 5888,0 | -256695,2 | 14,81 | 8,72 |
| TIETO | 2047,4 | 482,0 | 679,1 | -33207,6 | 27,59 | 6,49 |
| UPM | 15614,5 | 9797,0 | 8554,7 | -188527,4 | 29,22 | 18,34 |
| VALMET | 2667,5 | 949,0 | 1201,9 | 25342,8 | 17,72 | 6,31 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 10224,3 | 2432,0 | 3288,6 | -66247,4 | 17,22 | 4,10 |
| YIT | 1199,8 | 1049,0 | 2028,8 | 43747,1 | 5,82 | 5,08 |

Five firms have positive values in all categories for year 2018. Elisa and Fortum have negative Equity values. Overall, there are three firms that can be considered undervalued and Fourteen overvalued within this year regarding the comparison of Market value of Equity versus Equity value. Undervalued companies are Cargotec, Outokumpu and YIT. The negative Equity value of Elisa and Fortum implies that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and spending in the year. Consequently, the DCF resulted in six firms to be undervalued and twelve firms overvalued. Undervalued firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Nokia, Valmet and YIT. The negative values of DCF indicate that the firm may run out of cash in the five-year period of forecast or that negative value is generated due the structure of their earnings and expenditure.

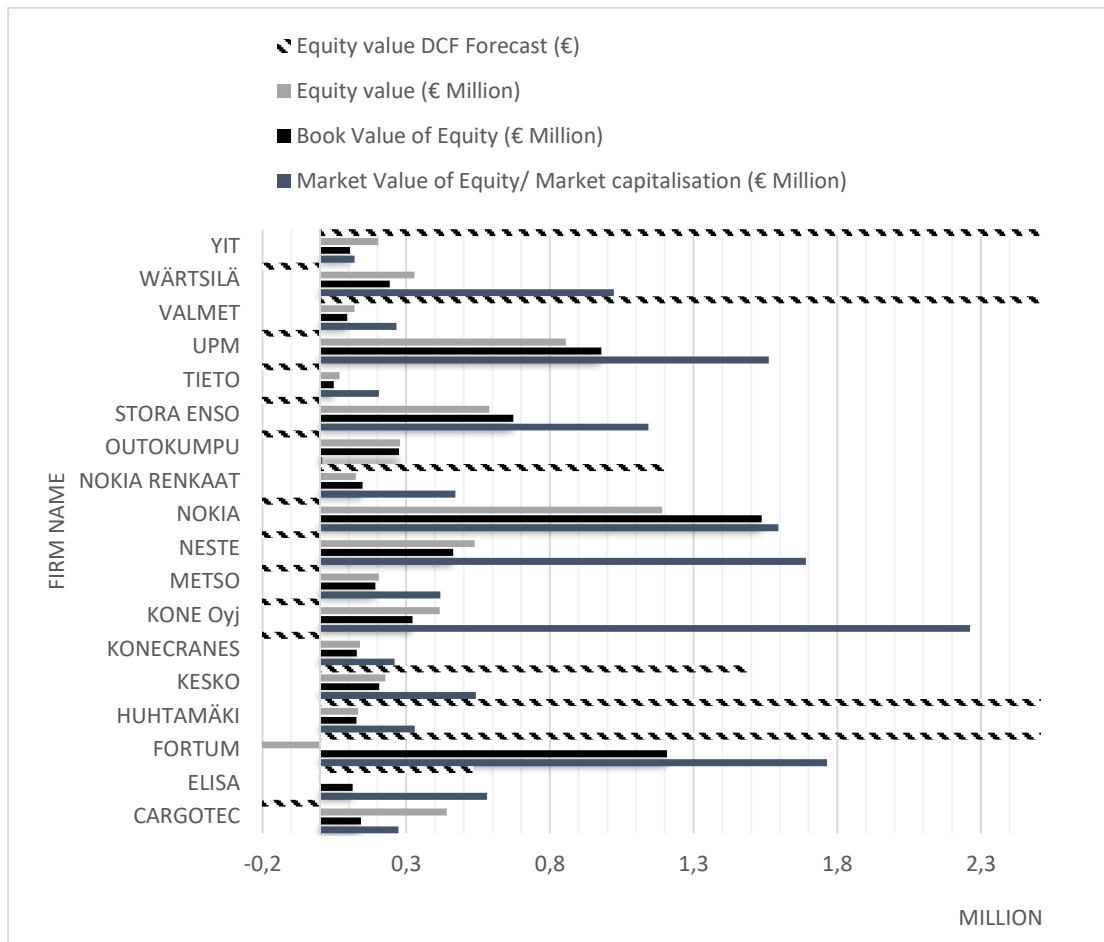


Figure 11 Year 2018 Equity value DCF Forecast, Equity value, Book value of Equity and Market value of Equity in comparison

Overall, Market price per share in comparison to Book value per share resulted one firm to be undervalued. Undervalued firm is Outokumpu. (See Table 19.) Buying the stocks of this undervalued firms should be considered, because their share price may increase in the future. Correspondingly, there is one firm that is considered undervalued in this year comparison of Market value of equity versus Book value of Equity. Undervalued firm is Outokumpu.

Table 20 All values of 2018 part 2

| 2018 | Tobin's Q | Price to earnings ratio | Price to sales ratio | Price to book value ratio | Operating profit margin | Net profit margin |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| CARGOTEC | 0,993 | 25,255 | 0,826 | 1,911 | 0,058 | 0,033 |
| ELISA | 2,612 | 18,418 | 3,178 | 5,129 | 0,220 | 0,173 |
| FORTUM | 1,060 | 20,570 | 3,367 | 1,461 | 0,217 | 0,164 |
| HUHTAMÄKI | 1,262 | 20,853 | 1,062 | 2,588 | 0,072 | 0,051 |
| KESKO | 1,357 | 30,347 | 0,523 | 2,631 | 0,030 | 0,017 |
| KONECRANES | 0,946 | 26,423 | 0,823 | 2,023 | 0,053 | 0,031 |
| KONE | 2,955 | 26,774 | 2,495 | 7,028 | 0,115 | 0,093 |
| METSO | 1,459 | 18,274 | 32,723 | 21,388 | 0,101 | 0,072 |
| NESTE | 2,195 | 21,713 | 1,134 | 3,653 | 0,069 | 0,052 |
| NOKIA | 0,500 | 47,607 | 7,068 | 1,038 | -0,026 | 0,148 |
| NOKIAN RENKAAT | 2,317 | 15,981 | 2,957 | 3,174 | 0,233 | 0,185 |
| OUTOKUMPU | 0,231 | 0,594 | 0,011 | 0,028 | 0,041 | 0,019 |
| STORA ENSO | 1,150 | 11,571 | 1,090 | 1,698 | 0,133 | 0,094 |
| TIETO | 1,964 | 16,618 | 1,280 | 4,248 | 0,097 | 0,077 |
| UPM | 1,177 | 10,437 | 1,490 | 1,594 | 0,181 | 0,143 |
| VALMET | 0,960 | 17,549 | 0,802 | 2,811 | 0,063 | 0,046 |
| WÄRTSILÄ | 1,823 | 26,488 | 1,976 | 4,204 | 0,105 | 0,075 |
| YIT | 0,599 | 30,607 | 0,325 | 1,144 | 0,026 | 0,011 |

Table 20 summarises all information of 18 companies in the year 2018, for the values calculated for Tobin's Q, Price to earnings ratio, Price to sales ratio, Price to book value ratio, Operating profit margin and Net profit margin are calculated based on data from the stock market and data from company's financial statements.

Overall, there are six undervalued and twelve overvalued firms in year 2018 of Tobin's Q. Undervalued firms are Cargotec, Konecranes, Nokia, Outokumpu, Valmet, and YIT. Most undervalued firm is Outokumpu (0,23). Overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokian Renkaat, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, and Wärtsilä. Most overvalued firm is Kone (2,9).

For Price to earnings ratio five firms have a value higher than their average. This implicates that their stock is overvalued. These firms are Kone, Neste, Nokia, Wärtsilä, and YIT. There is one firm that has significantly low result and can be considered as undervalued. This firm is Outokumpu (0,5).

Price to sales ratio resulted twelve firms to be overvalued. six firms are undervalued. Within year 2018, overvalued firms are Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM and Wärtsilä. Undervalued

firms are Cargotec, Kesko, Konecranes, Outokumpu, Stora Enso, Valmet, and YIT. Metso can be considered the most overvalued with result of 32,7.

Overall, Price to book value ratio resulted in one undervalued firm. Seventeen firms indicated that they are overvalued. Undervalued firm is Outokumpu. Overvalued firms are Cargotec, Elisa, Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Konecranes, Kone, Metso, Neste, Nokia, Nokian Renkaat, Stora Enso, Tieto, UPM, Valmet, Wärtsilä and YIT.

For year 2018, the highest Operating profit margin ratio resulted for four firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, Nokian Renkaat and UPM. Nokian Renkaat has the highest Operating profit margin. If a firm has negative operating profit, it results in a negative ratio result. There is one firm that resulted in negative operating profit margin. This firm is Nokia, with a -0,03 operating profit margin.

The highest Net profit margin ratio resulted for four firms. These firms are Elisa, Fortum, Nokia and Nokian Renkaat. One firm resulted in significantly low results. This firm is YIT.

5 Discussion

Chapter 5 exhibits the most key insights of this thesis. It offers the reader a clear impression of the research. It includes two subchapters which are 5.1. Findings, and 5.2. Limitations and recommendations. Findings conclude the core results of this research and answers to the research questions. Subchapter Limitations and recommendations demonstrate the existing limitations in the research, and also it offers recommendations for future research.

5.1 Findings

The primary goal of this study was to examine the potential of the Finnish stock market, in the context of the financial crisis in 2008 and the financial performance of these companies from the phases before the crisis, during the crisis and after the crisis. The theoretical and empirical analysis assisted the author in achieving the main

goals of the work. To summarise the key findings of the study, the research questions are answered in this chapter.

1. *What are the values of the top 25 Finnish firms as calculated by various valuation techniques?*
2. *Which of the firms listed in the OMXH25 are undervalued or overvalued?*
3. *What are the implications of under/overvaluation of firms on investors?*

To answer these questions, the research was conducted. The following measures discussed implicated the value of the firm or whether the firm is overvalued or undervalued.

Overall, in the ten-year sample, 174 comparisons of the Market value of Equity versus Equity value were conducted. Twenty-eight comparisons resulted in a firm in an undervalued state. During the recession, according to the comparison of the Market value of Equity versus Book value of Equity, the inclination of firms probably in financial trouble increased and was at the highest level for the whole sample in 2009. Six firms indicated for possible financial trouble. These firms are Huhtamaki, Nokia, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The second-highest rate was in the year 2016, when four firms had a higher Book value of Equity than the market value of Equity. These firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Outokumpu and Stora Enso.

During the recession, the number of undervalued firms in share price comparison between the Market value and Book value per share increased and was at the highest level for the whole sample in 2009. Five firms were undervalued, these firms are Nokia, Stora Enso, UPM, Wärtsilä and YIT. The second-highest rate was in the year 2016, when four firms had higher Book value per share than the Market price per share. These firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Outokumpu and Stora Enso. For the year 2018, the share price of Outokumpu was measured undervalued and indicated that they should be invested in. To respond the third research question, Outokumpu share price indicates that their stock price may increase in the future. Other 17 firms show that their stock price may stay relatively the same or drop in the future.

For the Market value of Equity versus Equity value DCF Forecast, Six firms are measured undervalued and twelve firms overvalued. Undervalued firms are Fortum, Huhtamaki, Kesko, Nokia, Valmet and YIT. Unpredictably, the firm Outokumpu is not undervalued, although all other measures indicated the firm of being undervalued. Among these, 11 firms had negative real value. The negative values of DCF indicate that the firm may run out of cash in the five-year period of forecast or that negative value is generated due to the structure of their earnings and expenditure. When comparing DCF values with other methods Outokumpu, Nokia, Valmet and YIT can be interpreted as undervalued.

No firm was undervalued for the whole sample considering Tobin's Q. Wärtsilä was closest by nine years. Two firms were overvalued for the whole sample. Elisa and Nokian Renkaat. Moreover, most undervalued, or overvalued companies determined by Tobin's Q are also found undervalued or overvalued when applying price-to-earnings ratio and Price to sales ratio. The Operating profit margin and the Net profit margin both corresponded to this. If the firm was showing the undervalued result, the result in operating profit margin and the net profit margin ratio was substantially low, or at a negative level. The result of the Price to Earnings ratio shows that the price at which the firm's stocks are being traded does directly affect the firm's financial health indicated by price-to-earnings ratio.

To conclude, investors may purchase stocks that are undervalued because these stock prices could increase in the future. On the other hand, for overvalued stocks, investors may want to sell or bet against the stock market. Overvalued stock prices may drop in the future. This could aid the investors to diminish future losses if they sell overvalued stocks, or they can generate future profits if they decide to bet against the stock market. The results may aid the firm's management in the decision-making process, or with choosing the right stocks, or with defining future acquisition strategies.

Temporarily the recession increased the number of firms, that showed financial distress. However, as one immerses through the results, firms have overcome the recession. Nearly for all firms' market value has increased from the pre-crisis level, which indicates that each of the firms can be invested.

5.2 Limitations and recommendations

Although the research is implemented with care, there are some limitations. From NASDAQ OMX Helsinki 25 firms that suit the criteria of the study, 18 firms were used in the sample in this research. Outlier firms had apparent inclinations that made their data to be dysfunctional for valuation. Resulting, these firms were excluded from this research, and the goal of valuing all 25 companies did not deliver. Also, a firm Metso split into Metso and Valmet in 2013, which affected the results.

Most of the limitations were related to the valuation models, especially the DCF model. There were years at the beginning of the sample, that did not have market data available, which caused an issue with the determination of the market risk premium. Three firms did not have annual market data available, and the market risk premium was not calculated. Though going through an excessive amount of research, there is no other alternative approach to calculate it. Therefore, the author applied the historical market risk premium approach to determine the market risk premium. (Koller Goedhart & Wessels 2005, 299-312.) Also, the risk-free rate has been a debatable topic. Damodaran has discussed (2008) the issues around it. Different rate selection can affect the final value. The author followed Damodaran's suggestions by choosing the 10-year Finnish government bank yield as the risk-free rate.

The estimation of future cash flows and the growth of the firm can be done in two ways- in historical performance, or by trusting financial analysts. As Damodaran has stated (2016, 2), there are three significant issues found from valuation, that the analyst should pay attention to when performing the process. Those are the human bias, uncertainty, and complexity and the development of valuation models. With the estimation of growth, the author assumed, of that the firms are stable, and by that, their growth is steady of 2%, and did not yield the values from the historical performance. Here, the author's predictions may not have been the best option. Overall, the DCF valuation resulted in both positive and negative values. As it was previously discussed, the negative value can indicate that the firm may bankrupt during the estimated five years or that the DCF model did not reflect the firm's value accurately. One of the issues that yielded negative values was the firm's structure of their expenditure and earnings, and that may not have been best for the forecasting.

Therefore, the analyst may have made incorrect predictions of the sufficiency of the DCF model.

The author found out that if the WACC applied to the DCF is less or negative in comparison to the growth rate, the terminal value of the firm may result as negative. The author faced concerns with constructing the DCF model. There is not profound research about how the construction of the model should be implemented. Most of the research literature consists of valuation theories and formulas, but not about how to construct a DCF model. It might be useful for future research if there were research as well about the way a DCF model should be constructed.

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Appendix 4. DCF of Huhtamäki

| HUHTAMÄKI | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|--|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Net profit | 9,4 | 96,6 | -22,8 | -110,2 | -12,1 | 114,7 | 150,1 | 36,8 | 78,4 | 158,1 |
| Depreciation&amort | 132,5 | 101,5 | 203,2 | 245,9 | 88,6 | 81,2 | 104,5 | 113,9 | 122 | 142,3 |
| Accounts receivable | 4,3 | 400,7 | 394,8 | 377,9 | 305,5 | 305,1 | 438,7 | 476,1 | 507,3 | 538,6 |
| Inventory | 311,3 | 341,8 | 348,5 | 296,7 | 236,1 | 265,2 | 385,7 | 401,9 | 444,8 | 497,7 |
| Accounts payable | 401,4 | 411,5 | 371,8 | 374,4 | 335,8 | 363,8 | 492,8 | 533,9 | 539,1 | 559,1 |
| Cash flow from operations | 858,9 | 1352,1 | 1295,5 | 1184,7 | 953,9 | 1130 | 1571,8 | 1562,6 | 1691,6 | 1895,8 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| PP&E | 10,4 | 6,5 | 14,3 | 7,1 | 5,9 | 7,4 | 0,4 | 1,9 | 13,6 | 2,8 |
| Proceeds from selling tangible assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Borrowing (repayment) | 3427,5 | 3039,1 | 3429,4 | 3036,4 | 1148,5 | 1484 | 1104,1 | 2122 | 3027 | 2796,2 |
| Total cash flow | 4296,8 | 4397,7 | 4739,2 | 4228,2 | 2108,3 | 2621,4 | 2676,3 | 3686,5 | 4732,2 | 4694,8 |
| Beginning cash | 0 | 4296,8 | 8694,5 | 13433,7 | 17661,9 | 19770,2 | 22391,6 | 25067,9 | 28754,4 | 33486,6 |
| Ending cash | 4296,8 | 8694,5 | 13433,7 | 17661,9 | 19770,2 | 22391,6 | 25067,9 | 28754,4 | 33486,6 | 38181,4 |
| Notes: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | 43,6 | 38 | 42,7 | 43,2 | 21 | 12,8 | 25,7 | 20,4 | 21,9 | 14,8 |
| Cash paid for taxes | 15,5 | 16,3 | 18,6 | 5 | 12,5 | 6,6 | 29,1 | 50,8 | 42,9 | 37,8 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| | 1,269902913 | 1,35583 | 2,03333 | 2,05714 | 0,4319295 | 0,22015 | 0,748544 | 0,49756 | 0,5341463 | 0,360976 |
| Book Value of Debt | 419 | 355,7 | 419 | 499 | 362 | 345 | 569 | 657 | 669,5 | 649,9 |
| MV of debt | 408,0660194 | 344,365 | 401,081 | 477,295 | 354,98629 | 339,286 | 553,1757 | 641,473 | 653,70488 | 634,4098 |
| Cash flow from operations | 858,9 | 1352,1 | 1295,5 | 1184,7 | 953,9 | 1130 | 1571,8 | 1562,6 | 1691,6 | 1895,8 |
| Plus: Interest expense x (1 - Tax rate) | 31,828 | 27,74 | 31,171 | 31,968 | 15,54 | 9,472 | 20,56 | 16,32 | 17,52 | 11,84 |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 128,6 | 109,3 | 196 | 244,7 | 90,1 | 74,2 | 106 | 125,6 | 111,2 | 139,5 |
| Free cash flow to the firm | 1019,328 | 1489,14 | 1522,67 | 1461,37 | 1059,54 | 1213,67 | 1698,36 | 1704,52 | 1820,32 | 2047,14 |
| Free cash flow ! | 486,8 | 1396,6 | 1265,2 | 1236,3 | 953,9 | 994,9 | 1508 | 1557,4 | 1704 | 2498,6 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| WACC | 1,292474157 | 0,7864 | 1,06997 | 1,56765 | -1,426965 | 0,66263 | 0,050836 | 0,06974 | 0,0582349 | 0,043083 |
| MV of debt | 408,0660194 | 344,365 | 401,081 | 477,295 | 354,98629 | 339,286 | 553,1757 | 641,473 | 653,70488 | 634,4098 |
| Tax rate | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| After tax cost of debt | 0,0219 | 0,02701 | 0,0365 | 0,037 | 0,01554 | 0,01295 | 0,024 | 0,02 | 0,02 | 0,02 |
| Equity Value= FCFF-Debt | 36,575 | 489,234 | 334,518 | 91,851 | -2836,547 | 390,686 | 1063,023 | 951,918 | 1066,443 | 1328,176 |
| Forecast | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Assumptions | | | | |
| net earnings/ net income | 161,262 | 164,487 | 167,777 | 171,133 | 174,555 | Tax Rate | 0,25 | | | |
| Depreciation | 145,146 | 148,049 | 151,01 | 154,03 | 157,111 | Discount Rate | WACC | | | |
| Accounts receivable | 549,372 | 560,359 | 571,567 | 582,998 | 594,658 | Growth Rate | 0,02 | | | |
| Inventory | 507,654 | 517,807 | 528,163 | 538,726 | 549,501 | Cost of Debt | 0,2 | | | |
| Accounts payable | 570,282 | 581,688 | 593,321 | 605,188 | 617,292 | | | | | |
| Cash flow from operations | 1933,716 | 1972,39 | 2011,84 | 2052,07 | 2093,12 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash flow from investing activities | 2,856 | 2,91312 | 2,97138 | 3,03081 | 3,09143 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total cash flow | 2852,124 | 2852,12 | 2909,17 | 2909,17 | 2967,35 | | | | | |
| | 4788,696 | 4827,43 | 4923,98 | 4964,27 | 5063,56 | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | 15,096 | 15,3979 | 15,7059 | 16,02 | 16,3404 | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Plus: Interest expense x (1 - Tax rate) | 11,322 | 11,5484 | 11,7794 | 12,015 | 16,3404 | | | | | |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 145,20312 | 148,107 | 151,069 | 154,091 | 154,019 | | | | | |
| Unlevered Cash flow | 2090,24112 | 2132,05 | 2174,69 | 2218,18 | 2263,48 | | | | | |
| WACC | 4 % | 4 % | 4 % | 4 % | 4 % | | | | | |
| PV of cash flow | 2003,906342 | 1959,56 | 1916,2 | 1873,79 | 1912,05 | | | | | |
| Sum of present values of FCF | 9665,506146 | | | | | | | | | |
| FCF (t+1) | 1950,29455 | | | | | | | | | |
| Terminal Value | 84489,63672 | | | | | | | | | |
| PV terminal value | 68424,02323 | | | | | | | | | |
| Enterprise value | 78089,52938 | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity value | 77455,11962 | | | | | | | | | |

Appendix 10 DCF of Nokia

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|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| NOKIA | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
| Net profit | 3616 | 4306 | 7205 | 3889 | 260 | 1343 | 2468 | 927 | 2458 | 335 |
| Depreciation | 712 | 712 | 1206 | 1617 | 1784 | 1771 | 286 | 1594 | 1591 | 1455 |
| Accounts receivable | 5346 | 5888 | 11200 | 9444 | 7981 | 7570 | 3913 | 6972 | 6880 | 4856 |
| Inventory | 1668 | 1554 | 2876 | 2533 | 1865 | 2523 | 1014 | 2506 | 2646 | 3168 |
| Accounts payable | 3494 | 3732 | 7074 | 5225 | 4950 | 6101 | 1910 | 3781 | 3996 | 4773 |
| Cash flow from operations | 14836 | 16192 | 29561 | 22708 | 16840 | 19308 | 9591 | 15780 | 17571 | 14587 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Purchases of PP&E | 167 | 29 | 72 | 54 | 100 | 21 | 0 | 505 | 668 | 760 |
| Proceeds from sale of fixed assets+aq | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Borrowing (repayment) | 0 | 7 | 16 | 34 | 209 | 6 | 24 | 2599 | 2044 | 31 |
| Total cash flow | 15003 | 16228 | 29649 | 22796 | 17149 | 19335 | 9615 | 18884 | 20283 | 15378 |
| Beginning cash | 0 | 15003 | 31231 | 60880 | 83676 | 100825 | 120160 | 129775 | 148659 | 168942 |
| Ending cash | 15003 | 31231 | 60880 | 83676 | 100825 | 120160 | 129775 | 148659 | 168942 | 184320 |
| Notes: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | 26 | 18 | 59 | 155 | 256 | 235 | 99 | 309 | 409 | 159 |
| Cash paid for taxes | 1254 | 1163 | 1457 | 1780 | 915 | 905 | 290 | 503 | 555 | 364 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| | 0,75728155 | 0,64223722 | 2,8095238 | 7,380952 | 5,2654261 | 4,04176904 | 2,8834951 | 7,53658537 | 9,9756098 | 3,8780488 |
| Book Value of Debt | 398 | 316 | 1274 | 4452 | 5203 | 5279 | 2074 | 4027 | 3766 | 3822 |
| MV of debt | 387,165049 | 305,367406 | 1216,1429 | 4247,381 | 5101,2498 | 5192,24816 | 2016,4757 | 3936,31707 | 3684,122 | 3732,6585 |
| Cash flow from operations | 14836 | 16192 | 29561 | 22708 | 16840 | 19308 | 9591 | 15780 | 17571 | 14587 |
| Plus: Interest expense × (1 - Tax rate) | 18,98 | 13,14 | 43,07 | 114,7 | 189,44 | 173,9 | 79,2 | 247,2 | 327,2 | 127,2 |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 574 | 755 | 1188 | 1663 | 1705 | 1750 | 791 | 1757 | 1683 | 695 |
| Free cash flow to the firm | 15428,98 | 16960,14 | 30792,07 | 24485,7 | 18734,44 | 21231,9 | 10461,2 | 17784,2 | 19581,2 | 15409,2 |
| Free cash flow ! | 14080 | 8817 | 32841 | 23732 | 16837 | 25668 | 5648 | 15634 | 19248 | 21808 |
| WACC | -0,57164173 | -0,0779193 | -0,448324 | 2,476119 | 1,3486113 | 0,31803725 | -0,074112 | -0,0396994 | -0,296924 | -0,0151506 |
| MV of debt | 387,165049 | 305,367406 | 1216,1429 | 4247,381 | 5101,2498 | 5192,24816 | 2016,4757 | 3936,31707 | 3684,122 | 3732,6585 |
| Tax rate | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| After tax cost of debt | 0,0219 | 0,02701 | 0,0365 | 0,037 | 0,01554 | 0,01295 | 0,024 | 0,02 | 0,02 | 0,02 |
| Equity Value= FCFF-Debt | 35631,703 | 18087,969 | 54599,347 | 2796,595 | 2875,566 | 10916,477 | 9282,087 | 14583,091 | 24166,647 | 11913,591 |
| Forecast | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Assumptions | | | | |
| net earnings/ net income | 341,7 | 348,534 | 355,5047 | 362,6148 | 369,8671 | Tax Rate | 0,25 | | | |
| Depreciation | 1484,1 | 1513,782 | 1544,058 | 1574,939 | 1606,438 | Discount Rate | WACC | | | |
| Accounts receivable | 4953,12 | 5052,182 | 5153,226 | 5256,291 | 5361,416 | Growth Rate | 0,02 | | | |
| Inventory | 3231,36 | 3295,987 | 3361,907 | 3429,145 | 3497,728 | Cost of Debt | 0,2 | | | |
| Accounts payable | 4868,46 | 4965,829 | 5065,146 | 5166,449 | 5269,778 | | | | | |
| Cash flow from operations | 14878,74 | 15176,31 | 15479,84 | 15789,44 | 16105,23 | | | | | |
| Cash flow from investing activities | 775,2 | 790,704 | 806,5181 | 822,6484 | 839,1014 | | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total cash flow | 15685,56 | 15998,64 | 16318,61 | 16644,34 | 16977,23 | | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | 162,18 | 165,4236 | 168,7321 | 172,1067 | 175,5488 | | | | | |
| Plus: Interest expense × (1 - Tax rate) | 121,635 | 124,0677 | 126,5491 | 129,08 | 175,5488 | | | | | |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 1499,604 | 1529,596 | 1560,188 | 1591,392 | 767,3362 | | | | | |
| Unlevered Cash flow | 16499,98 | 16829,98 | 17166,58 | 17509,91 | 17048,11 | | | | | |
| WACC | -2 % | -2 % | -2 % | -2 % | -2 % | | | | | |
| PV of cash flow | 16753,81 | 17351,77 | 17971,08 | 18612,49 | 18121,62 | | | | | |
| Sum of present values of FCF | 88810,77 | | | | | | | | | |
| FCF (t+1) | 18484,05 | | | | | | | | | |
| Terminal Value | -525853,6 | | | | | | | | | |
| PV terminal value | -567565 | | | | | | | | | |
| Enterprise value | -478754,2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity value | -482486,9 | | | | | | | | | |

Appendix 11 DCF of Nokian Renkaat

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|--|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| NOKIA RENKAAT | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
| Net profit | 82,2 | 107,3 | 168,9 | 139,9 | 58,3 | 169,7 | 240,7 | 251,8 | 221,4 | 295,2 |
| Depreciation | 35,6 | 40,8 | 47,1 | 56,2 | 62 | 69,4 | 100,4 | 100,5 | 98,4 | 93,4 |
| Accounts receivable | 224,9 | 252,3 | 289,4 | 378,1 | 319,6 | 328,5 | 441,1 | 452,6 | 489,6 | 481,8 |
| Inventory | 146,1 | 159,8 | 193,2 | 290,9 | 200 | 210,6 | 271,3 | 304,3 | 340,1 | 369,2 |
| Accounts payable | 132,1 | 136,1 | 132,2 | 176,7 | 98 | 165,2 | 242,4 | 219,4 | 231,5 | 430,5 |
| Cash flow from operations | 620,9 | 696,3 | 830,8 | 1041,8 | 737,9 | 943,4 | 1295,9 | 1328,6 | 1381 | 1670,1 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| PP&E | 93,1 | 89,2 | 29,2 | 35,3 | 97,1 | 54,4 | 100 | 101,5 | 134,9 | 226,5 |
| aq of property | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Borrowing (repayment) | 42,6 | 42,9 | 45,2 | 26,1 | 117 | 29,2 | 25,1 | 33,8 | 67,1 | 123,5 |
| Total cash flow | 756,6 | 828,4 | 905,2 | 1103,2 | 952 | 1027 | 1421 | 1463,9 | 1583 | 2020,1 |
| Beginning cash | 0 | 756,6 | 1585 | 2490,2 | 3593,4 | 4545,4 | 5572,4 | 6993,4 | 8457,3 | 10040,3 |
| Ending cash | 756,6 | 1585 | 2490,2 | 3593,4 | 4545,4 | 5572,4 | 6993,4 | 8457,3 | 10040,3 | 12060,4 |
| Notes: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | 4,3 | 16 | 23,5 | 99 | 44,9 | 42,9 | 49,8 | 27,8 | 36,5 | 12,4 |
| Cash paid for taxes | 56,7 | 44,3 | 14,7 | 87 | 4,2 | 3,3 | 40 | 69,4 | 128,9 | 63 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| | 0,125243 | 0,570878 | 1,1190476 | 4,714286 | 0,923506 | 0,7378378 | 1,4504854 | 0,6780488 | 0,8902439 | 0,302439 |
| Book Value of Debt | 165,3 | 165,9 | 265,4 | 432,3 | 326,2 | 217,6 | 219,6 | 225,8 | 135,2 | 132,3 |
| MV of debt | 160,6107 | 160,5516 | 253,88095 | 416,4286 | 320,4142 | 214,59533 | 214,65437 | 220,97073 | 132,79268 | 129,37561 |
| Cash flow from operations | 620,9 | 696,3 | 830,8 | 1041,8 | 737,9 | 943,4 | 1295,9 | 1328,6 | 1381 | 1670,1 |
| Plus: Interest expense × (1 – Tax rate) | 3,139 | 11,68 | 17,155 | 73,26 | 33,226 | 31,746 | 39,84 | 22,24 | 29,2 | 9,92 |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 31,7 | -19,2 | 53,2 | 118 | 19,3 | 115 | 101,9 | 133,9 | 190 | -133,1 |
| Free cash flow to the firm | 655,739 | 688,78 | 901,155 | 1233,06 | 790,426 | 1090,146 | 1437,64 | 1484,74 | 1600,2 | 1546,92 |
| Free cash flow ! | 607,1 | 756,5 | 789,2 | 1026,3 | 715,1 | 768,7 | 1338,9 | 1281,9 | 1127,3 | 2439,7 |
| WACC | -0,12779 | -0,33627 | -0,4738164 | 2,035438 | 1,807493 | -0,315455 | -0,069714 | 0,0090467 | 0,14812 | 0,1276962 |
| MV of debt | 160,6107 | 160,5516 | 253,88095 | 416,4286 | 320,4142 | 214,59533 | 214,65437 | 220,97073 | 132,79268 | 129,37561 |
| Tax rate | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| After tax cost of debt | 0,0219 | 0,02701 | 0,0365 | 0,037 | 0,01554 | 0,01295 | 0,024 | 0,02 | 0,02 | 0,02 |
| Equity Value= FCF-Debt | 591,200 | 877,194 | 1458,744 | -10,207 | -38,873 | 1377,916 | 1330,720 | 1250,458 | 1260,964 | 1242,377 |
| Forecast | | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Assumptions | | | |
| net earnings/ net income | | 301,104 | 307,1261 | 313,2686 | 319,534 | 325,9247 | Tax Rate | 0,25 | | |
| Depreciation | | 95,268 | 97,17336 | 99,11683 | 101,0992 | 103,1211 | Discount Rate | WACC | | |
| Accounts receivable | | 491,436 | 501,2647 | 511,29 | 521,5158 | 531,9461 | Growth Rate | 0,02 | | |
| Inventory | | 376,584 | 384,1157 | 391,798 | 399,634 | 407,6266 | Cost of Debt | 0,2 | | |
| Accounts payable | | 439,11 | 447,8922 | 456,85 | 465,987 | 475,3068 | | | | |
| Cash flow from operations | | 1703,502 | 1737,572 | 1772,323 | 1807,77 | 1843,925 | | | | |
| Cash flow from investing activities | | 231,03 | 235,6506 | 240,3636 | 245,1709 | 250,0743 | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total cash flow | | 125,97 | 125,97 | 128,4894 | 128,4894 | 131,0592 | | | | |
| | | 2060,502 | 2099,193 | 2141,176 | 2181,43 | 2225,059 | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | | 12,648 | 12,90096 | 13,15898 | 13,42216 | 13,6906 | | | | |
| Plus: Interest expense × (1 – Tax rate) | | 9,486 | 9,67572 | 9,869234 | 10,06662 | 13,6906 | | | | |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | | 99,8886 | 101,8864 | 103,9241 | 106,0026 | -146,953 | | | | |
| Unlevered Cash flow | | 1812,8766 | 1849,134 | 1886,117 | 1923,839 | 1710,663 | | | | |
| WACC | | 13 % | 13 % | 13 % | 13 % | 13 % | | | | |
| PV of cash flow | | 1607,593068 | 1454,066 | 1315,201 | 1189,598 | 1057,781 | | | | |
| Sum of present values of FCF | | 6624,240159 | | | | | | | | |
| FCF (t+1) | | 1078,937054 | | | | | | | | |
| Terminal Value | | 10018,33878 | | | | | | | | |
| PV terminal value | | 5493,322823 | | | | | | | | |
| Enterprise value | | 12117,56298 | | | | | | | | |
| Equity value | | 11988,18737 | | | | | | | | |

Appendix 13 DCF of Stora Enso

| STORA ENSO | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Net profit | -126,3 | 589,2 | -212,4 | -679 | -878,2 | 769,3 | 783 | 407 | 614 | 988 |
| Depreciation | 1427 | 1257,7 | 1881,3 | 1468,5 | 1152,9 | 282,7 | 763 | 398 | 515 | 479 |
| Accounts receivable | 2157 | 2156 | 2063 | 1583 | 1362,6 | 1621,8 | 1324 | 1273 | 1319 | 1487 |
| Inventory | 2150 | 2019 | 1992,6 | 1693,6 | 1281 | 1474 | 1373 | 1346 | 1321 | 1567 |
| Accounts payable | 1975 | 1992,5 | 1971,3 | 1602,1 | 1473 | 1697,1 | 1765 | 1774 | 1888 | 1960 |
| Cash flow from operations | 7582,7 | 8014,4 | 7695,8 | 5668,2 | 4391,3 | 5844,9 | 6008 | 5198 | 5657 | 6481 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| PP&E | 14,5 | 30 | 83,5 | 52 | 60,5 | 28,6 | 27 | 220 | 45 | 9 |
| proceeds from fixed assets | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Borrowing (repayment) | 674,9 | 869,5 | 1145,4 | 4 | 359,9 | 318,5 | 1181 | 46 | 76 | 39 |
| Total cash flow | 8272,1 | 8913,9 | 8924,7 | 5724,2 | 4811,7 | 6192 | 7216 | 5464 | 5778 | 6529 |
| Beginning cash | 0 | 8272,1 | 17186 | 26110,7 | 31834,9 | 36646,6 | 42838,6 | 50054,6 | 55518,6 | 61296,6 |
| Ending cash | 8272,1 | 17186 | 26110,7 | 31834,9 | 36646,6 | 42838,6 | 50054,6 | 55518,6 | 61296,6 | 67825,6 |
| Notes: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash paid for interest | 166,2 | 247,5 | 261,9 | 191,2 | 113,5 | 113 | 191 | 144 | 143 | 116 |
| Cash paid for taxes | 209 | 215,4 | 111,6 | 25,5 | 3 | 62 | 78 | 92 | 97 | 152 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| | 4,840777 | 8,830762 | 12,471429 | 9,104762 | 2,334476 | 1,9434889 | 5,563107 | 3,512195 | 3,4878049 | 2,8292683 |
| Book Value of Debt | 6083,9 | 4928,5 | 4350,1 | 4032,9 | 3923,3 | 3893,4 | 4196 | 3770 | 3012 | 3343 |
| MV of debt | 5911,54 | 4761,483 | 4155,4238 | 3849,962 | 3844,94 | 3828,3808 | 4079,35 | 3681,561 | 2942,0244 | 3264,2927 |
| Cash flow from operations | 7582,7 | 8014,4 | 7695,8 | 5668,2 | 4391,3 | 5844,9 | 6008 | 5198 | 5657 | 6481 |
| Plus: Interest expense × (1 – Tax rate) | 121,326 | 180,675 | 191,187 | 141,488 | 83,99 | 83,62 | 152,8 | 115,2 | 114,4 | 92,8 |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 1442,5 | 1311,2 | 1849,8 | 1477 | 1121 | 281,1 | 956 | 223 | 479 | 470 |
| Free cash flow to the firm | 9146,526 | 9506,275 | 9736,787 | 7286,688 | 5596,29 | 6209,62 | 7116,8 | 5536,2 | 6250,4 | 7043,8 |
| Free cash flow ! | 7419,7 | 8048,7 | 8277,5 | 5596,6 | 4132,9 | 5975,4 | 5830 | 5188 | 5699 | 8370 |
| WACC | -0,03922 | 0,040453 | -0,1736821 | 1,608108 | 0,97363 | -0,408063 | -0,08749 | -0,09427 | -0,19722 | -0,2303769 |
| MV of debt | 5911,54 | 4761,483 | 4155,4238 | 3849,962 | 3844,94 | 3828,3808 | 4079,35 | 3681,561 | 2942,0244 | 3264,2927 |
| Tax rate | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,27 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,26 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 | 0,2 |
| Cost of debt | 0,03 | 0,037 | 0,05 | 0,05 | 0,021 | 0,0175 | 0,03 | 0,025 | 0,025 | 0,025 |
| After tax cost of debt | 0,0219 | 0,02701 | 0,0365 | 0,037 | 0,01554 | 0,01295 | 0,024 | 0,02 | 0,02 | 0,02 |
| Equity Value= FCF-Debt | 3608,353 | 4375,184 | 7627,918 | -1056,102 | -1009,408 | 6661,963 | 3719,766 | 2430,854 | 4843,921 | 5887,979 |
| Forecast | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Assumptions | | | | |
| net earnings/ net income | 1007,76 | 1027,92 | 1048,47 | 1069,44 | 1090,83 | Tax Rate | 0,25 | | | |
| Depreciation | 488,58 | 498,352 | 508,319 | 518,485 | 528,855 | Discount Rate | WACC | | | |
| Accounts receivable | 1516,74 | 1547,07 | 1578,02 | 1609,58 | 1641,77 | Growth Rate | 0,02 | | | |
| Inventory | 1598,34 | 1630,31 | 1662,91 | 1696,17 | 1730,09 | Cost of Debt | 0,2 | | | |
| Accounts payable | 1999,2 | 2039,18 | 2079,97 | 2121,57 | 2164 | | | | | |
| Cash flow from operations | 6610,62 | 6742,83 | 6877,69 | 7015,24 | 7155,55 | | | | | |
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| Cash flow from investing activities | 9,18 | 9,3636 | 9,55087 | 9,74189 | 9,93673 | | | | | |
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| Cash flow from financing activities | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | 39,78 | 39,78 | 40,5756 | 40,5756 | 41,3871 | | | | | |
| Total cash flow | 6659,58 | 6791,98 | 6927,82 | 7065,56 | 7206,87 | | | | | |
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| Cash paid for interest | 118,32 | 120,686 | 123,1 | 125,562 | 128,073 | | | | | |
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| Plus: Interest expense × (1 – Tax rate) | 88,74 | 90,5148 | 92,3251 | 94,1716 | 128,073 | | | | | |
| Less: Investment in fixed capital | 488,764 | 498,539 | 508,51 | 518,68 | 518,918 | | | | | |
| Unlevered Cash flow | 7188,12 | 7331,89 | 7478,52 | 7628,09 | 7802,54 | | | | | |
| WACC | -23 % | -23 % | -23 % | -23 % | -23 % | | | | | |
| PV of cash flow | 9339,8 | 12378,3 | 16405,2 | 21742,2 | 22239,4 | | | | | |
| Sum of present values of FCF | 82104,9 | | | | | | | | | |
| FCF (t+1) | 22684,2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Terminal Value | -90600 | | | | | | | | | |
| PV terminal value | -335536 | | | | | | | | | |
| Enterprise value | -253431 | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity value | -256695 | | | | | | | | | |

