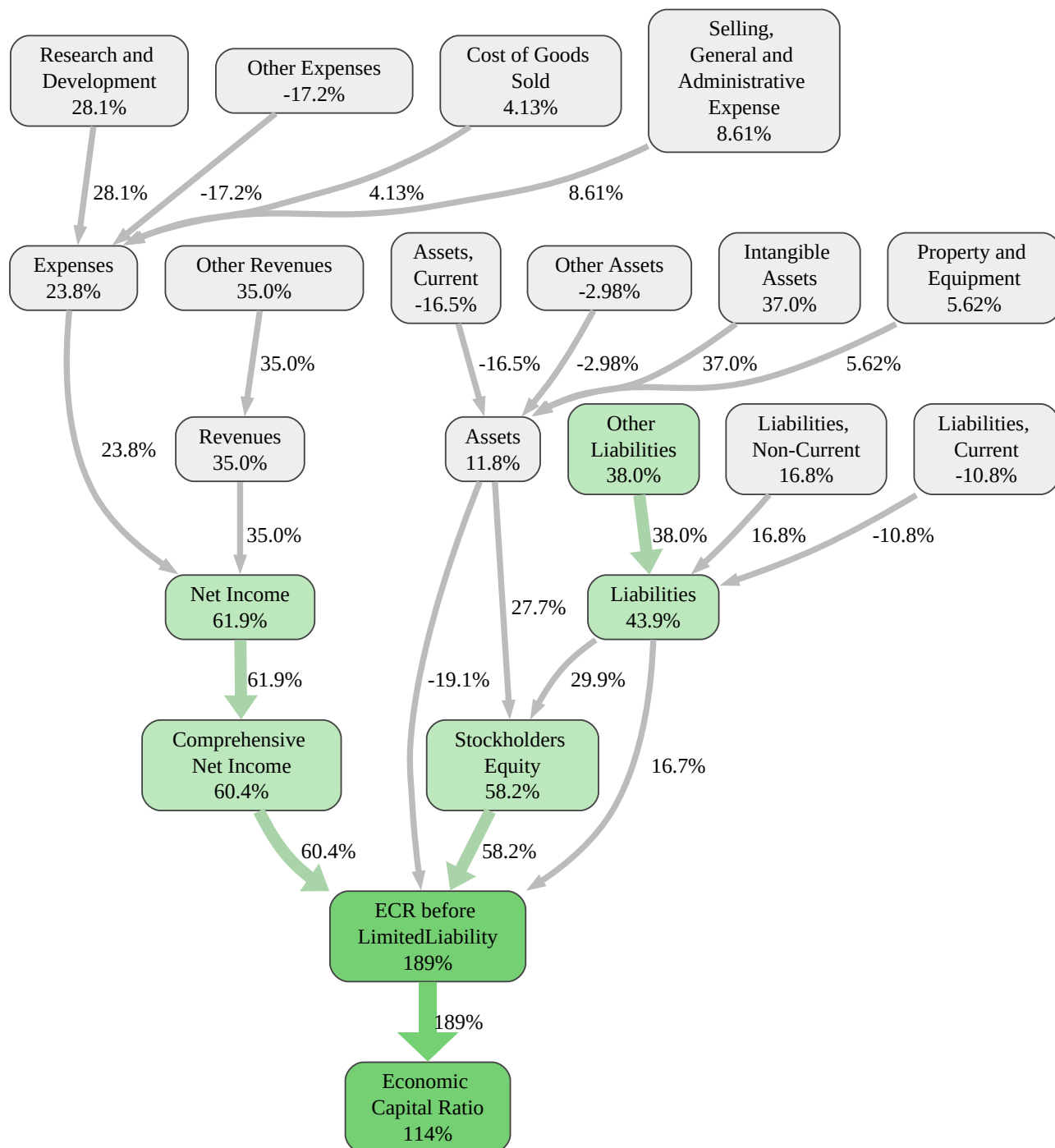




The relative strengths and weaknesses of Abbott Laboratories are analyzed with respect to the market average, including all of its competitors. We analyzed all variables having an effect on the Economic Capital Ratio.

The greatest strength of Abbott Laboratories compared to the market average is the variable Net Income, increasing the Economic Capital Ratio by 62% points. The greatest weakness of Abbott Laboratories is the variable Other Expenses, reducing the Economic Capital Ratio by 17% points.

The company's Economic Capital Ratio, given in the ranking table, is 348%, being 114% points above the market average of 234%.

Input Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Assets, Current	23,768,774
Cost of Goods Sold	0
Intangible Assets	25,695,016
Liabilities, Current	15,480,228
Liabilities, Non-Current	0
Other Assets	2,939,148
Other Compr. Net Income	-1,230,339
Other Expenses	16,540,914
Other Liabilities	0
Other Net Income	-23,165
Other Revenues	38,851,259
Property and Equipment	7,873,955
Research and Development	4,801,914
Selling, General and Administrative Expense	12,756,817

Output Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Assets	60,276,893
Liabilities	15,480,228
Expenses	34,099,645
Revenues	38,851,259
Stockholders Equity	44,796,665
Net Income	4,728,449
Comprehensive Net Income	4,113,280
BaseVar	74,980,764
ECR before Limited Liability	269%
Economic Capital Ratio	348%