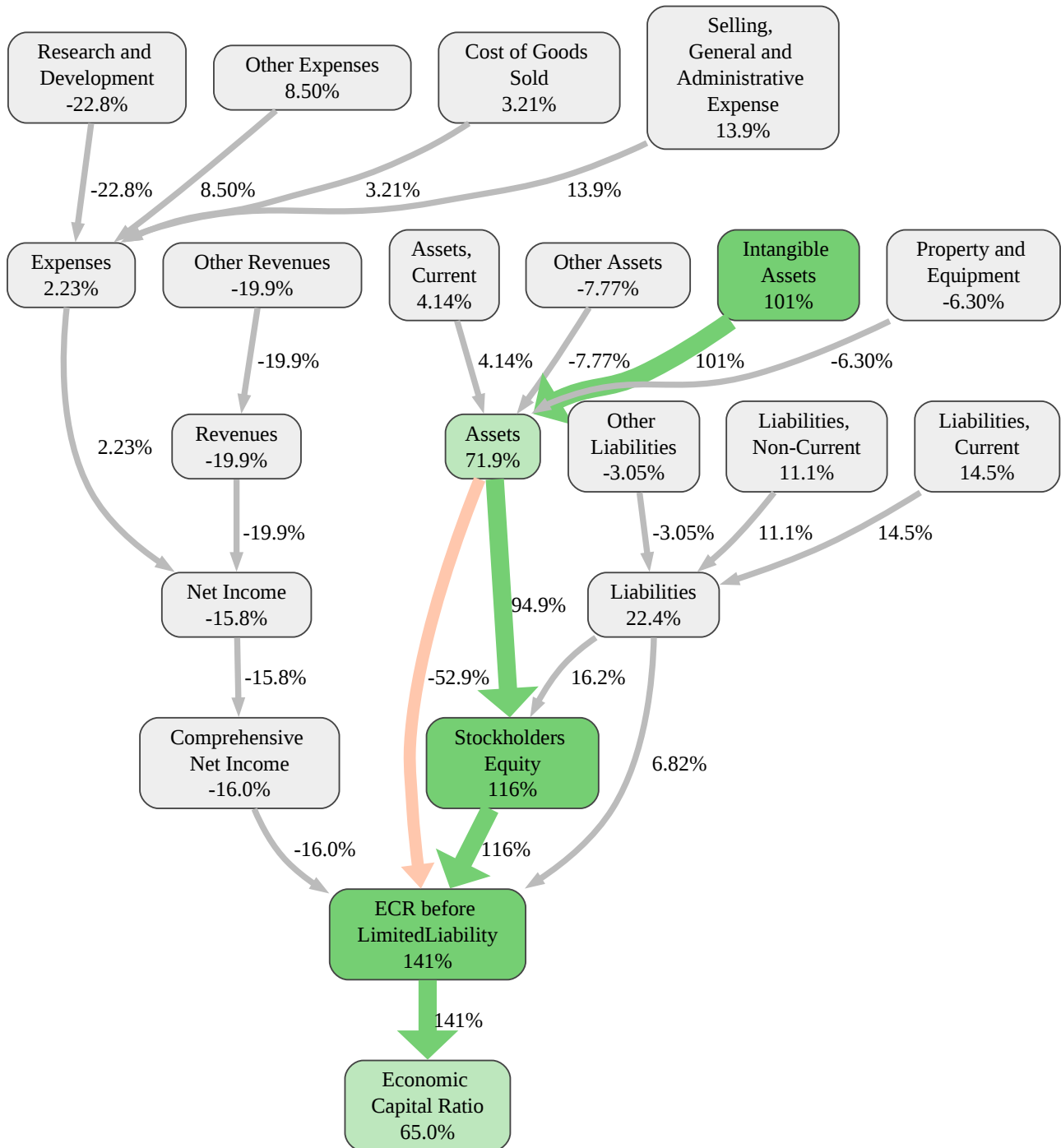




The relative strengths and weaknesses of Furiex Pharmaceuticals Inc are analyzed with respect to the market average, including all of its competitors. We analyzed all variables having an effect on the Economic Capital Ratio.

The greatest strength of Furiex Pharmaceuticals Inc compared to the market average is the variable Stockholders Equity, increasing the Economic Capital Ratio by 116% points. The greatest weakness of Furiex Pharmaceuticals Inc is the variable Research and Development, reducing the Economic Capital Ratio by 23% points.

The company's Economic Capital Ratio, given in the ranking table, is 299%, being 65% points above the market average of 234%.

Input Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Assets, Current	45,827
Cost of Goods Sold	0
Intangible Assets	49,116
Liabilities, Current	11,920
Liabilities, Non-Current	232
Other Assets	0
Other Compr. Net Income	0
Other Expenses	510
Other Liabilities	8,649
Other Net Income	2.0
Other Revenues	4,490
Property and Equipment	181
Research and Development	44,202
Selling, General and Administrative Expense	8,761

Output Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Assets	95,124
Liabilities	20,801
Expenses	53,473
Revenues	4,490
Stockholders Equity	74,323
Net Income	-48,981
Comprehensive Net Income	-48,981
BaseVar	86,945
ECR before LimitedLiability	195%
Economic Capital Ratio	299%