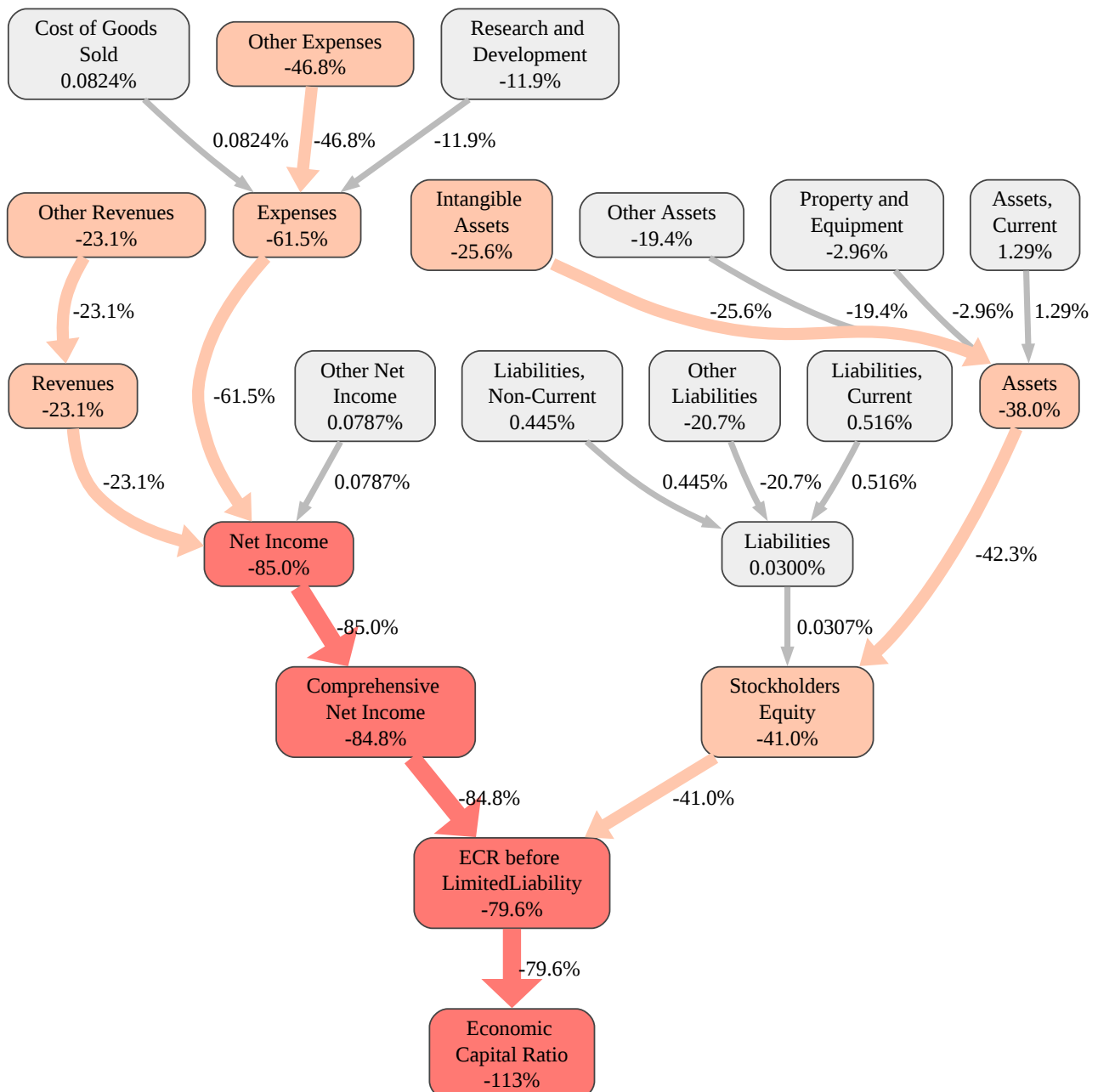




The relative strengths and weaknesses of Kythera Biopharmaceuticals INC are analyzed with respect to the market average, including all of its competitors. We analyzed all variables having an effect on the Economic Capital Ratio.

The greatest strength of Kythera Biopharmaceuticals INC compared to the market average is the variable Assets, Current, increasing the Economic Capital Ratio by 1.3% points. The greatest weakness of Kythera Biopharmaceuticals INC is the variable Net Income, reducing the Economic Capital Ratio by 85% points.

The company's Economic Capital Ratio, given in the ranking table, is 141%, being 113% points below the market average of 254%.

Input Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Assets, Current	101,159
Cost of Goods Sold	0
Intangible Assets	0
Liabilities, Current	20,629
Liabilities, Non-Current	698
Other Assets	420
Other Compr. Net Income	-57
Other Expenses	56,914
Other Liabilities	22,661
Other Net Income	188
Other Revenues	0
Property and Equipment	1,847
Research and Development	47,840
Selling, General and Administrative Expense	31,055

Output Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Assets	103,426
Liabilities	43,988
Expenses	135,809
Revenues	0
Stockholders Equity	59,438
Net Income	-135,621
Comprehensive Net Income	-135,650
BaseVar	141,734
ECR before LimitedLiability	-8.2%
Economic Capital Ratio	141%