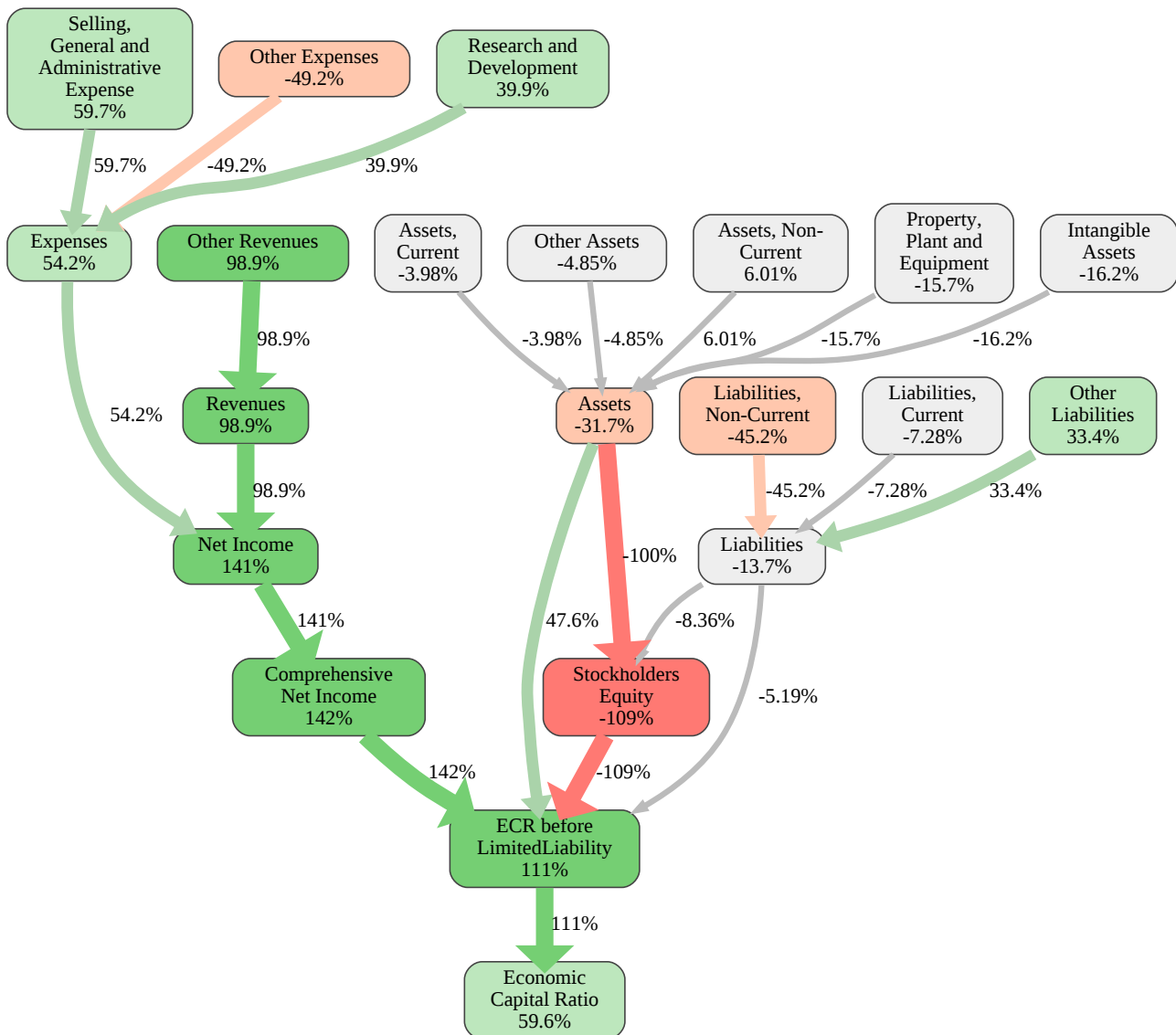




The relative strengths and weaknesses of Applied Materials INC DE are analyzed with respect to the market average, including all of its competitors. We analyzed all variables having an effect on the Economic Capital Ratio.

The greatest strength of Applied Materials INC DE compared to the market average is the variable Comprehensive Net Income, increasing the Economic Capital Ratio by 142% points. The greatest weakness of Applied Materials INC DE is the variable Stockholders Equity, reducing the Economic Capital Ratio by 109% points.

The company's Economic Capital Ratio, given in the ranking table, is 287%, being 60% points above the market average of 228%.

Input Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Amortization of Intangible Assets	0
Assets, Current	19,147,000
Assets, Non-Current	2,552,000
Intangible Assets	4,026,000
Liabilities, Current	7,372,000
Liabilities, Non-Current	7,008,000
Other Assets	2,281,000
Other Compr. Net Income	-15,000
Other Expenses	15,231,000
Other Liabilities	0
Other Net Income	300,000
Other Revenues	26,517,000
Property, Plant and Equipment	2,723,000
Research and Development	3,102,000
Selling, General and Administrative Expense	1,628,000

Output Variable	Value in 1000 USD
Liabilities	14,380,000
Assets	30,729,000
Expenses	19,961,000
Revenues	26,517,000
Stockholders Equity	16,349,000
Net Income	6,856,000
Comprehensive Net Income	6,841,000
ECR before Limited Liability	286%
Economic Capital Ratio	287%