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# STRATEGIC ANALYSIS

BY: THE INNOVATIVE FIVE

## AGENDA

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## VISION

- Long-term commitment to innovation
- Create lasting relationships beyond transactions
- Aiming to have the best caring pet platform across the world

## MISSION

- To serve pet parents and partners with trust and convenience
- Providing broad, high quality products and services
  - Build personal connections to sustain long-term loyalty

## STRATEGY

- Strategic fulfillment centers for operational efficiency
- Customer Experience: 24/7 support, autoship subscriptions for recurring convenience, and a wide assortment of pet products
- Expand offerings with strategic partnerships

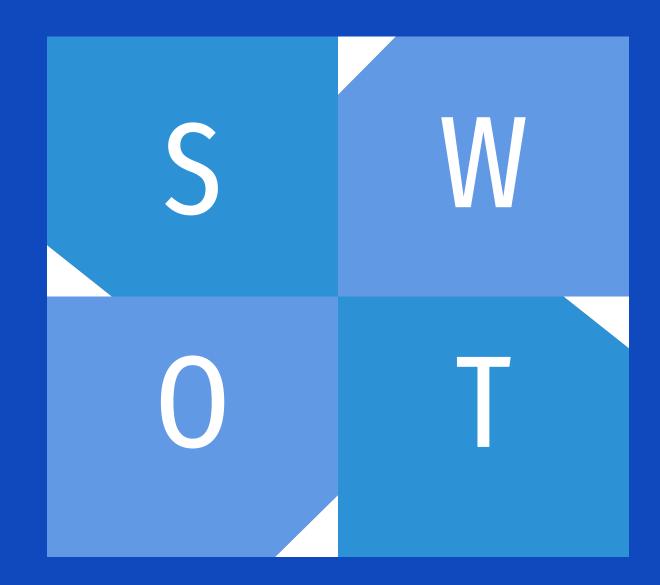
## CHEWY'S ANALYSIS: SWOT

#### **STRENGTHS**

Customer Experience

#### **OPPORTUNITIES**

Mobile GroomingServices



#### **WEAKNESSES**

Outdated TechnologyInfrastructure

#### **THREATS**

• Intense Competition



## INTERNAL ANALYSIS: VRIO



#### **CORE COMPETENCIES**

- Customer Experience and Personalization
- Logistics



#### **VRIO CHECK**

 Both core competencies are Valuable, Rare, Costly to Imitate and Organize to Capture Value.

## EXTERNAL ANALYSIS

#### **PESTEL**

Sociocultural:

Pet Humanization increases spending among pet owners



#### **PORTER'S FIVE**

**Competitive Rivalry:** 

**HIGH** 

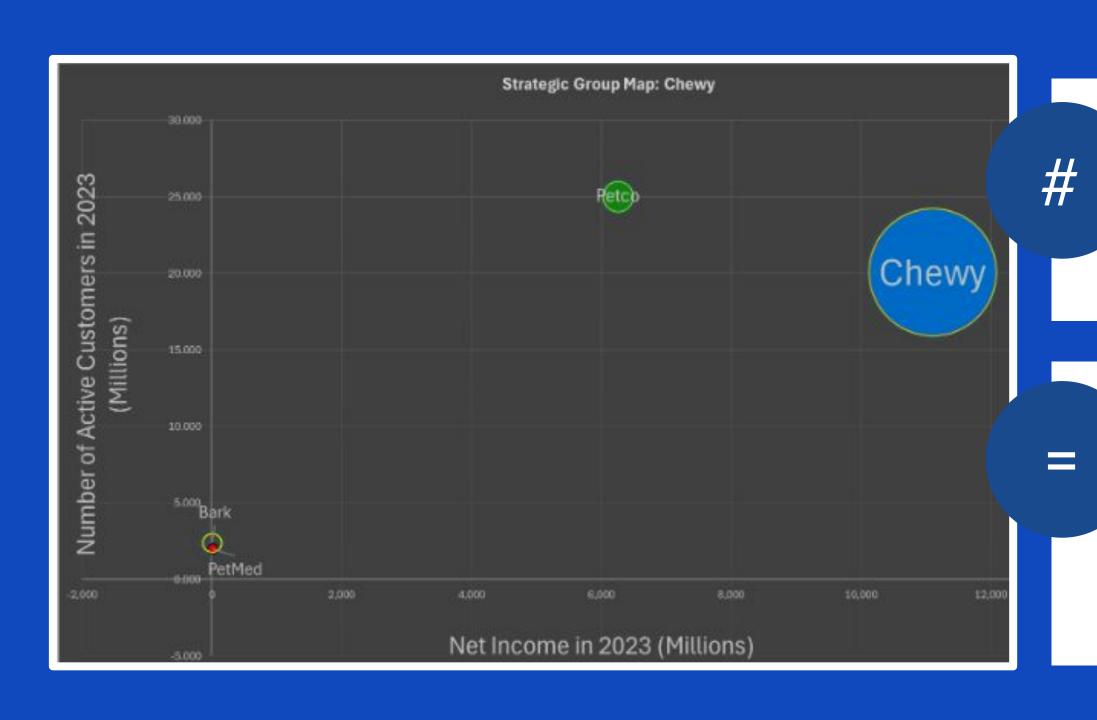
Threat of Substitutes:

HIGH

Bargaining Power of Suppliers:

<u>HIGH</u>

## STRATEGIC GROUP MAP



X - Net Income in 2024 (by millions)

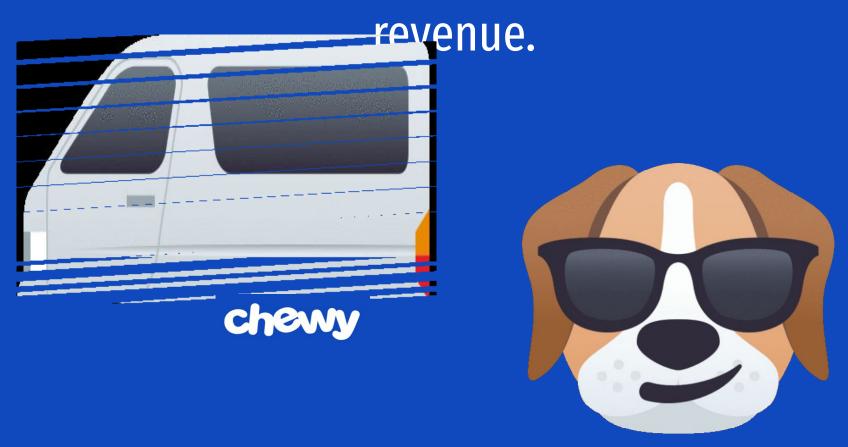
Y - Number of Active Customers in 2024 (by millions)

Z - Market Cap

- Chewy dominates in Net Income (\$11 billion)
   and Market Cap (\$14 billion)
- Chewy's dominance in market cap surpasses all competitors combined.
- Highlights its superior financial strength and investor confidence.

## STRATEGIC RECOMMENDATION

Launch a mobile pet grooming service to enhance convenience, loyalty, and



## MANUFACTURER: WAG'N TAILS



#### **WHO**

- Industry leader in mobile grooming vans.
  - Known for reliability, innovation, and groomer-friendly features.
- Key Features:
  - Smart Table
  - Two-Motor High Velocity Dryer
  - Central Vacuum System
  - 50-gallon fresh & gray water tanks for self-sufficiency
  - Eco-friendly additions

#### WHY

- Operational Efficiency: Faster customer turnover
- Scalability: Practical design made for growth
- Customer Retention: Premium grooming tools and service leads to customer loyalty
- **Cost Savings:** Reduces energy costs
  - Solar Panels
  - Battery (instead of generator)

## STRATEGIC RECOMMENDATIONS

#### **Product/Logistics**

- 100 vans: 70% premium vans and 30% basic vans
- 170 main groomers and 100 groomer assistants
- Grooming Packages for only dogs and cats

#### Price

- Dog Services:
  - o Bath & Brush: \$35-\$90
  - Mini Groom: \$50-\$125
  - o Full Groom: \$80-\$165

- Cat Services:
  - Touch Up: \$35
  - Bath, Brush & Trim: \$75-\$110
  - o Nail Trim: \$20

#### **Place**

- Initial Markets: Florida and California
- Test Mix: Urban (Los Angeles, San Diego, Miami) and Low Density Areas (Fresno, Lakeland)
- Evaluate retention and revenue across varied demographics

#### **Promotion**

- Multi-channel campaign leveraging Chewy's existing tools:
  - o Paid Ads: digital, direct mail, social media.
  - Unpaid Ads: SEO, email marketing.
- Targeted push notifications by region.

## STRATEGIC RECOMMENDATIONS

Dogs			Cats			
В	ath & Brush		Bati	h, Brus <mark>h, &amp; Tr</mark> i	m	
Type of Dog	Type of Dog Time(min.) Price Type of Cat Time(min		Time(min.)	Price		
Small	45	\$35	Short Hair	TO SECURITION OF THE SECURITIO		
Medium	90	\$65	Long Hair	60	\$110	
Large	120	\$90				
Mini Groom			Tou	Touch-Up Package		
Type of Dog	Time(min.)	Price		Time(min.)	Price	
Small	60	\$50		35	\$60	
Medium	120	\$90				
Large	180	\$125				
Full Grooming Service		ce		Nail Trim		
Type of Dog	Time(min.)	Price		Time(min.)	Price	
Small	90	\$80		5	\$20	
Medium	150	\$125				
Large	210	\$165				

### Timeline

#### YEARS 2-4

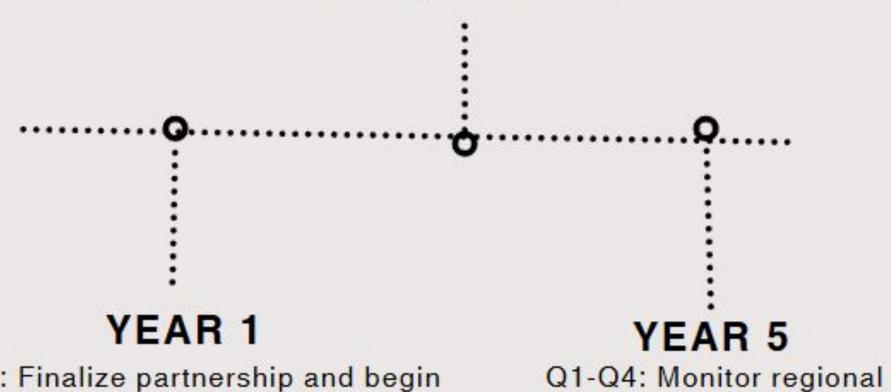
Q1: Order 25 vans per year. Recruit and train staff.

Q2:Deploy vans in various test areas.

Q3: Enhance app functionality and optimize routing logistics.

Q4: Evaluate feedback.

performance and refine operations.



Q1: Finalize partnership and begin

25 van production.

Q2: Recruit and train staff.

Q3: Launch vans in test areas.

Q4: Evaluate feedback

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

One Mobile Grooming Van	Initial Cash					W.
	Outflow	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Van Price	\$ (131,628)					
Subtotal startup/finish	\$ (131,628)					
Yearly Sales		\$204,337	\$ 204,337	\$204,337	\$204,337	\$204,337
Variable Costs		\$ (40,500)	\$ (40,500)	\$ (40,500)	\$ (40,500)	\$ (40,500)
Salary Expense		\$ (73,840)	\$ (73,840)	\$ (73,840)	\$ (73,840)	\$ (73,840)
Marketing Expense		\$ (20,000)	\$ (20,000)	\$ (20,000)	\$ (20,000)	\$ (20,000)
Depreciation		\$ (26,326)	\$ (26,326)	\$ (26,326)	\$ (26,326)	\$ (26,326)
Earnings before tax		\$ 43,671	\$ 43,671	\$ 43,671	\$ 43,671	\$ 43,671
Taxes		\$ (9,171)	\$ (9,171)	\$ (9,171)	\$ (9,171)	\$ (9,171)
Net income		\$ 34,500	\$ 34,500	\$ 34,500	\$ 34,500	\$ 34,500
Plus depreciation		\$ 26,326	\$ 26,326	\$ 26,326	\$ 26,326	\$ 26,326
Net Income		\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826
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Total cash flows	\$ (131,628)	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826	\$ 60,826
NPV	\$50,278.99	=NPV(B37,0	22:G22)+B22			
IRR	36.4%	=IRR(B22:L2	22)			

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions:		
Van Yearly Income \$	204,337	Van \$131,628
Variable Cost per Van (1 month)	\$3,375	
Groomer Salary	\$52,000	Depreciation \$ 26,326 Five year life, straight line (20%)
Assistant Salary	\$31,200	
# of Groomers	100	
# of Assistants	70	
Tax Rate	21%	
Inflation	0%	
WACC or hurdle rate	20%	

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Added Scenarios Team B	Base	+/-	New#	New IRR
Base case	36.4%			
15% Less Yearly Sales	\$204,337	-15.0%	\$173,686	12.1%
15% More Yearly Sales	\$204,337	15.0%	\$234,988	58.1%



#### Given:

- 5 Year Timeline
- WACC: 20%

#### Highlight Reel

- NPV: \$50,278.99
- IRR: 36.4%
- Estimated Profit/Year: \$60,826
- Estimated Profit Margin: 29.7%

## **FALLOUT**

#### Low Density Metropolitan Areas

Low-density metro areas may have limited demand or low brand recognition.

Mitigation: Approach the initiative in phases and launch in high-density metropolitan areas first to build awareness and assess demand before expanding.

#### **Financial Returns**

Test markets may underperform due to high customer acquisition costs or other factors.

Mitigation: Limit initial investment, closely monitor key financial metrics during the pilot phase, and adjust strategy based on local market insights.





#### **Mobile Grooming Services**

**WHAT:** Strategic Expansion

**HOW:** Test Markets

**WHY:** Competitive Advantage

