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A Quick Industry Assessment

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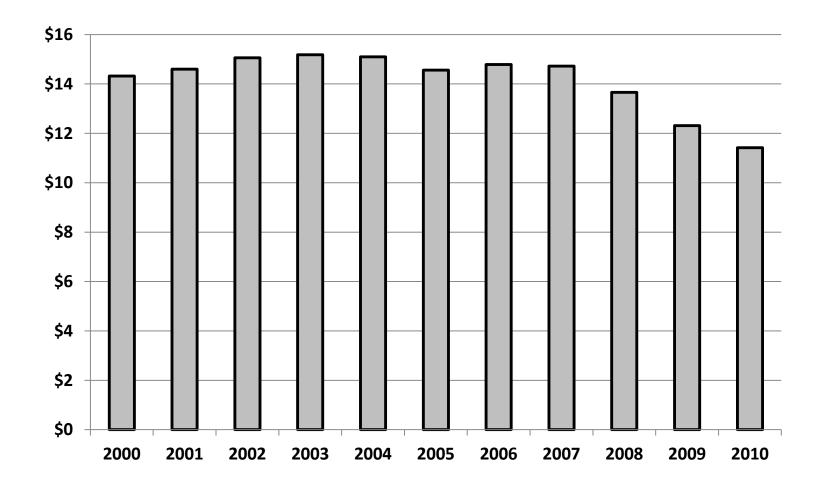
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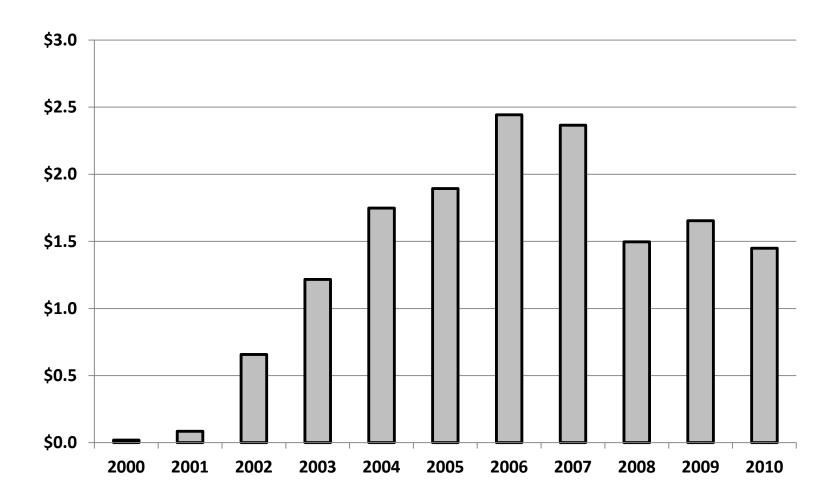
Agenda

- > "From Whence We Come".... Metrics of a Declining Industry
- > Strengthens, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats (SWOT Analysis)
- > Differentiate or Fail
- > Key Elements of Strategic Repositioning
- ➤ "The White Space"
- > "Decision Point" A Need for **ACTION** by an Industry

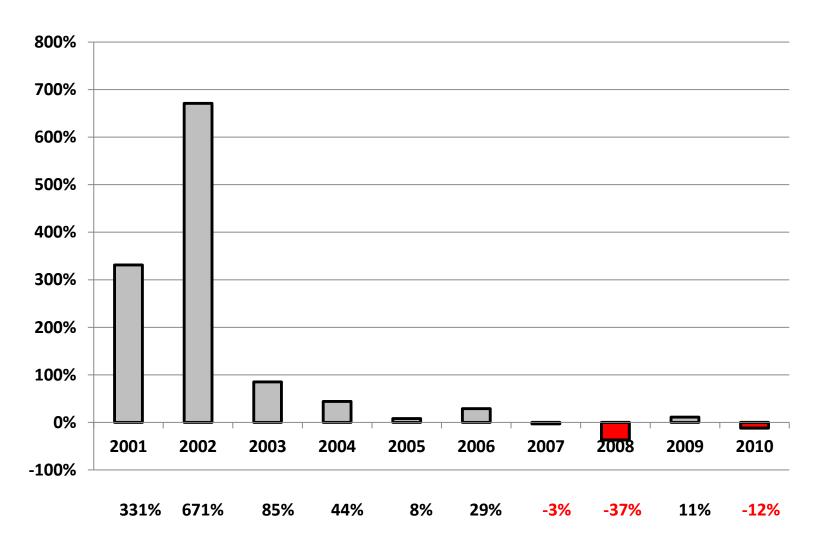
Total US Pari-Mutuel Handle (Dollars in Billions)



Total Oregon ADW Licensed Handle (Dollars in Billions)

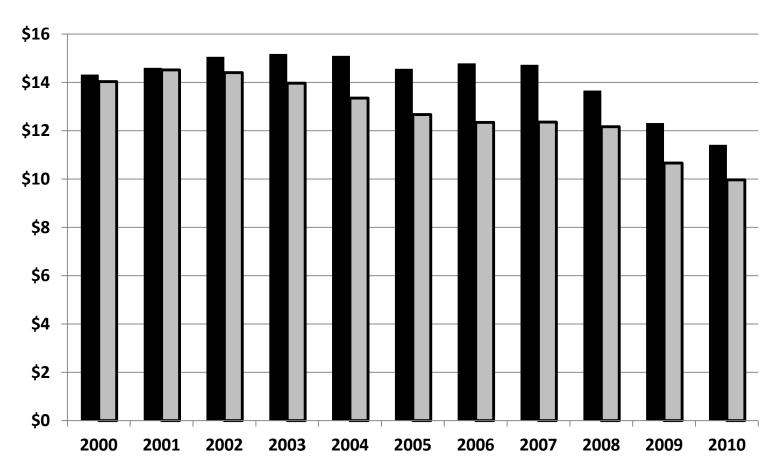


Total Oregon ADW Licensed Handle (Year Over Year Change)



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SWOT Analysis

	INTERNAL	EXTERNAL
	STRENGTHS	OPPORTUNITIES
POSITIVE	Brand AwarenessThe Triple Crown Events	Leverage new technology to rebuild fan base
	Attractive sports entertainment value proposition	Integrate technology and marketing to drive fans back to the track
	Only legal form of online gaming	Create new revenue streams and broaden fan base by repositioning
	Electronic Gaming accepted by fan base	sport
	(Exploit)	Create new revenue engines to fund other industry initiatives (Seek)
	WEAKNESSES	THREATS
NEGATIVE	Aging and declining fan base	Technologies owned by companies whose fate is not directly tied to the
	Aging technology	success of horse racing
	Lack of Television coverage relative to other sports	Tracks' focus moving away from core business
	Lack of united Industry leadership	Diversion of cash to investments outside of horse racing
	Failure to leverage new	
	technologies and social networks (Mitigate)	Continuous pressure on take out rates (Avoid)

Differentiate or Fail

Market differentiation can be achieved in two ways:

<u>Operational Effectiveness</u> – doing the same things others do, just doing it much better than they do.

<u>Strategic Repositioning</u> – doing something the others do not currently do, nor do they have any interest or ability to do it.

Strategic Repositioning grows the Industry, while Operational Effectiveness just grows a business at the expense of another Industry stakeholder.

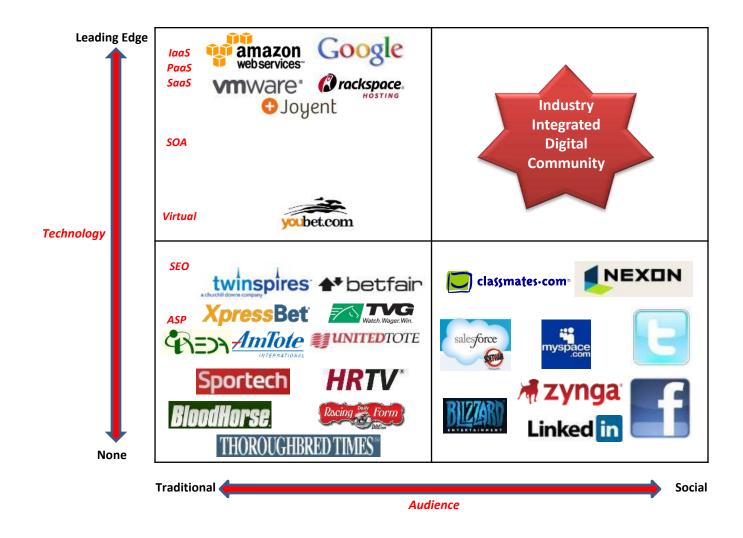
Key Points of Strategic Repositioning

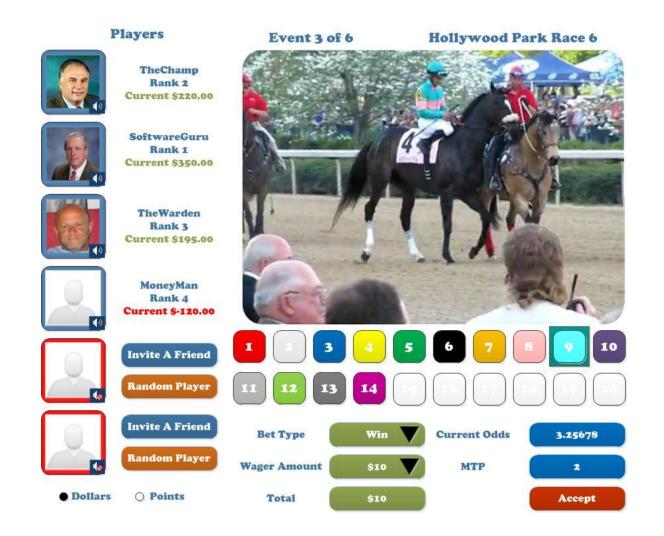
- New and emerging technologies
- New applications

Social Networking
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Facebook, Twitter,
YouTube, Flickr
Chat / Blogs
Wireless / Mobil
Geo-Location
Internet Television
Facebook, Twitter,
YouTube, Flickr
Xanga, Windows Live
iPhones, iPads, Androids, 4G Technologies
Foursquare, Gowalla, Loopt, Whrrl, Where
Google, iTV

- Un-surpassed product features and functionality
- > Superior value chain economics
- Industry friendly revenue model

The Industry Opportunity....Seize the White Space





The Industry is at a "Tipping Point"

In summary.....

- > Industry handle has declined by 25% (\$3.8 billion) since 2003.
- > The ADW channel has stopped growing.
- The current technology is 20 years old, and a legacy system.
- Major tracks are turning their investments away from racing.
- ADWs are being purchased in anticipation of poker and other gaming coming online. Horseplayers will likely be cannibalized in the process
- > The Industry audience is aging at alarming rates.
- Yet social games and social media companies are growing by leaps and bounds.

"Decision Point"

We believe that by offering a superior player value proposition, and by leveraging emerging technologies along with social media, that a business can be strategically repositioned, and start to help grow an Industry.

As horseman, in order to a grow this Industry, you must innovate and market through strategic repositioning. You must work cooperatively, move dependently and act immediately.



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