

"Growing up I was always the cool kid who had the latest gear. Friends looked to me for what to wear without looking a victim.

That's what led me to work in fashion in the first place.

I created The Idle Man on the assumption that there's loads of other guys out there crying out for the same guidance."

The Idle Man curates a 25 year-old fashion-conscious man's wardrobe:

- Online store with 50,000 active customers
- Fast growing own-label
- Blog with 1m+ monthly unique visits
- Guide Store in London to create 360 brand experience

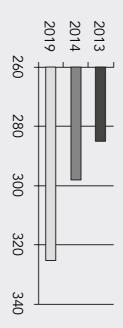
Oliver Tezcan, CEO & Founder



Significant Financial Opportunity	Experienced Team	Strong Customer Relationships	Differentiated Product Positioning	Great Market Fundamentals
<ul> <li>FY19/20 net revenue £18m, and EBITDA of £4m</li> <li>Global opportunity – International already 37% of sales</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Depth of experience in scaling retail, marketing and tech</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>4th most visited menswear blog in UK</li> <li>1m+ uniques a month</li> <li>Only 22% of revenue coming from paid marketing</li> <li>C4 Media for equity deal – TV campaign seen by 53% of all 16-34y.o. men in UK</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Exclusive product</li> <li>High margin</li> <li>Brand loyalty</li> <li>Difficult barriers to entry</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Fastest growing ecommerce sector</li> <li>Low returns rate</li> <li>High repeat business</li> <li>Not saturated like womenswear</li> </ul>

### Great Market Fundam

**Global Market Opportunity: Menswear** 



### Menswear Sales fbn

Growth in online sales from 2010 to 2015

Avg. Annual sales growth

Men's clothing

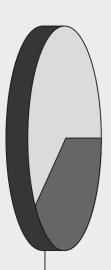
Shoes Cosmetics Computers and tables Health products, vitamins, supplements Beer, wine & liquor

Jewelry

Flowers Auto parts Eye glasses and contact lenses Gift shop items and cards Pet supplies

Cameras and camcorders

- By 2019, 26% of menswear sales in the UK will be made online.
- footwear, with 15-34 year-olds using it the most 66% of male online shoppers use the channel to buy clothing and
- Globally menswear is a huge market £300bn+
- Menswear now accounts for 40% of global fashion sales
- 4.5% annually vs only 3.7% in womenswear Menswear is growing faster than womenswear -
- 15% vs 40% industry average Men return far fewer online purchases than women –
- Men's clothing is the fastest growing ecommerce category.
- already come from repeat customers, and each cohort delivers additional 50% revenue within 2.5yrs. Men are "stickier" than women: 19% of The Idle Man orders



WOMENSWEAR

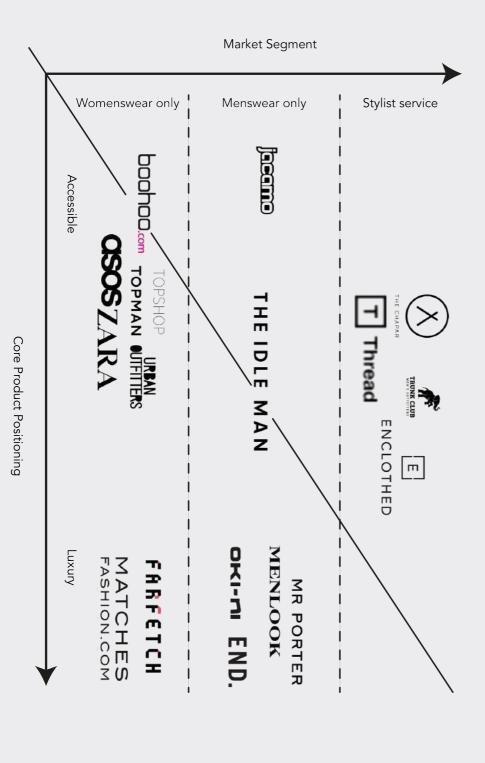
MENSWEAR

60% 40%

Source: Euromonitor, IBISWorld, Verdict Retail

### Great Market Fundamental

The Idle Man has few dedicated competitors:



- Ecommerce retailers dedicated to men are few
- In accessible menswear sector there is only The Idle Man and Jacamo (a plus-size specialist)
- Otherwise men have to buy accessible fashion from women's brands (Asos, Topshop/man, River Island, Zara etc).
- Women's focused brands are designed for women, who like to browse extensively, buy multiple items, then return half of them.
- Men prefer to be guided to their final purchase – through clear UX, styling tips, and a curated edit.

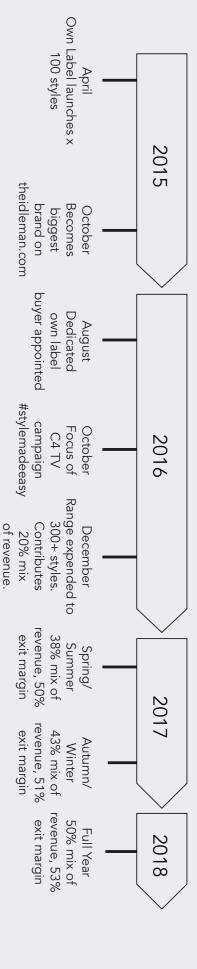
# Differentiated Product Positioning

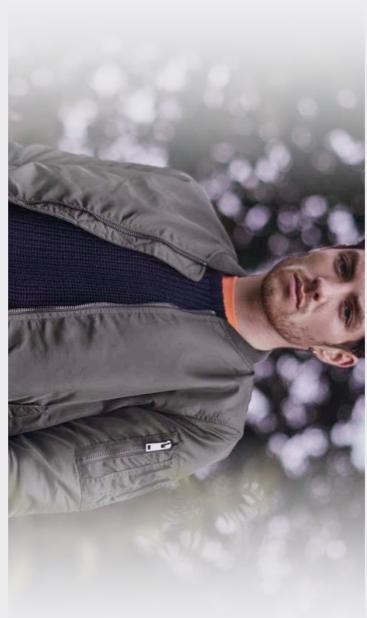
Own Label

- Curated edit of essential items to create a 25 year-old man's capsule wardrobe.
- Enhanced margin 50% exit margin
- Exclusive to theidleman.com
- Keen pricing pitched in-line with High- St competitors like Zara & Topman.

### **Pillars for Growth:**

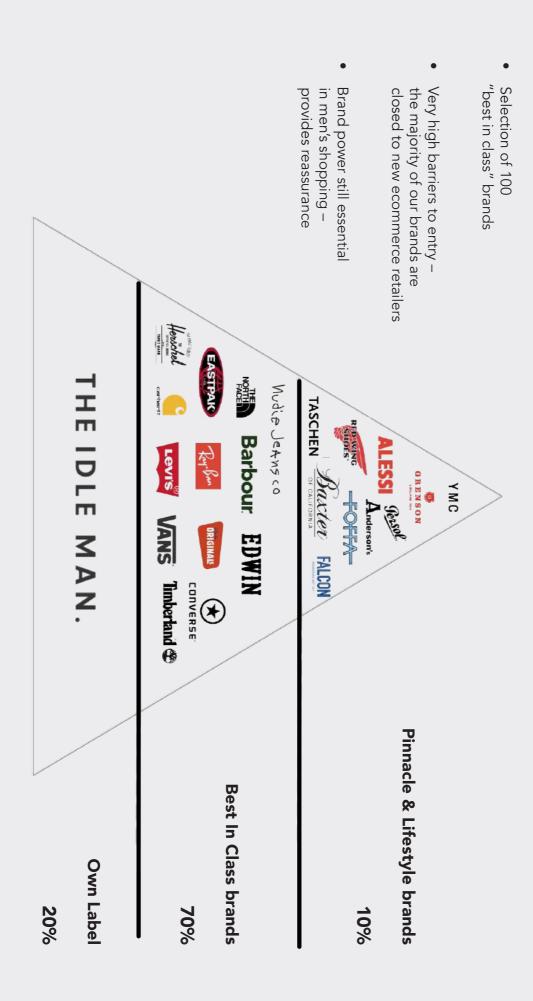
- Dedicated buyer now in place
- Appoint designer
- New categories tailoring, footwear, underwear, accessories.
- New TV campaign for 2017



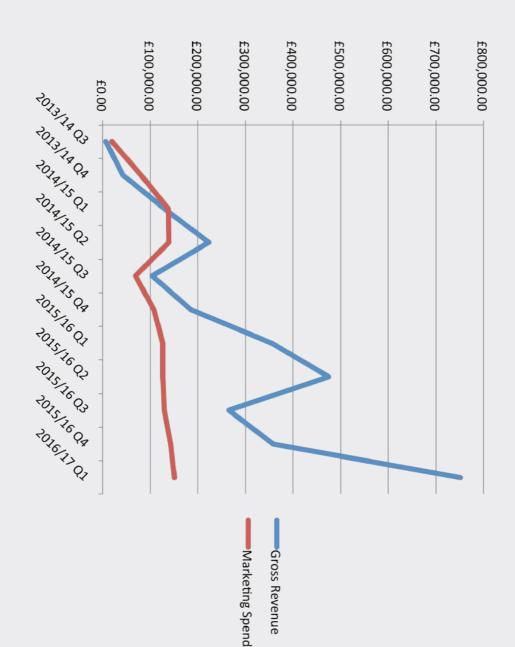


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Brands

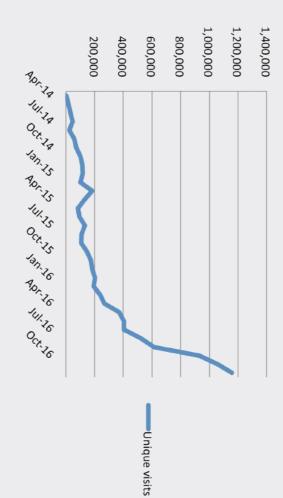


Growth is driven by efficient marketing..



- 44% of revenue from direct + organic traffic.
- 34% of revenue from affiliates.
- 22% of revenue from paid search.
- 19% of orders come from repeat customers.
- High customer satisfaction:
   Trustpilot score of 7.6
- Channel 4 media for equity deal –
  TV campaign seen by 53% of all
  16-34yo men in UK (4.3m). Still
  have option to draw down
  further £1.25m spend.

Content strategy driving free traffic:

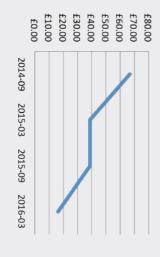


- Total site traffic is growing fast
- "The Manual" blog driving 1m+ unique visits per month
- Organic search traffic to shop up 138% YonY
- Domain authority building links into the site +128% YonY

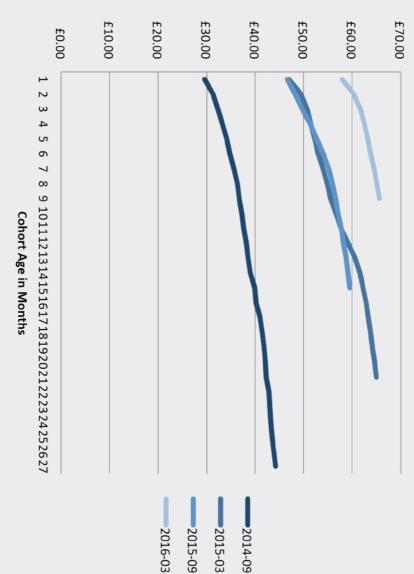
Customer Life Time Revenue is £66 and rising Customer Acquisition Cost is £16 and falling

- Oldest cohort (2014-09 first 6 months of trading) has CLTR of £44
- Current cohort (2016-03)
   already achieving CLTR of £66
- We expect future cohorts to achieve £100+
- Basket size increasing
- Customer Acquisition cost falling
- Long customer life-time anticipated to be 5yrs+

### CPA - New Customer



### **Customer Lifetime Revenue per Cohort**



Theidleman.com will reach profitability on unit basis in 2017:

£8.46	£0.57	-£80.98	CLTV
£111.00	£103.05	£44.19	CLTR (2.5yrs)
£1.89	-£5.07	-£76.30	Contribution Margin
£11.26	£16.33	£66.79	CPA
26.00%	24.00%	-47.00%	Gross Margin
£74.00	£68.70	£29.60	Average basket value
2017	Nov 16	2014	

### Experienced Team

Key Individuals



CEC Ex H



Ex Head of Men's Brands Asos.com



CMO – Alex Outlaw

Ex Marketing Director Motilo.com and Bauer Media



CTO – Michal Zwolenik

10+ years' experience building Magento ecommerce sites

Chairman – Simon Guild
Ex CEO MTV Europe



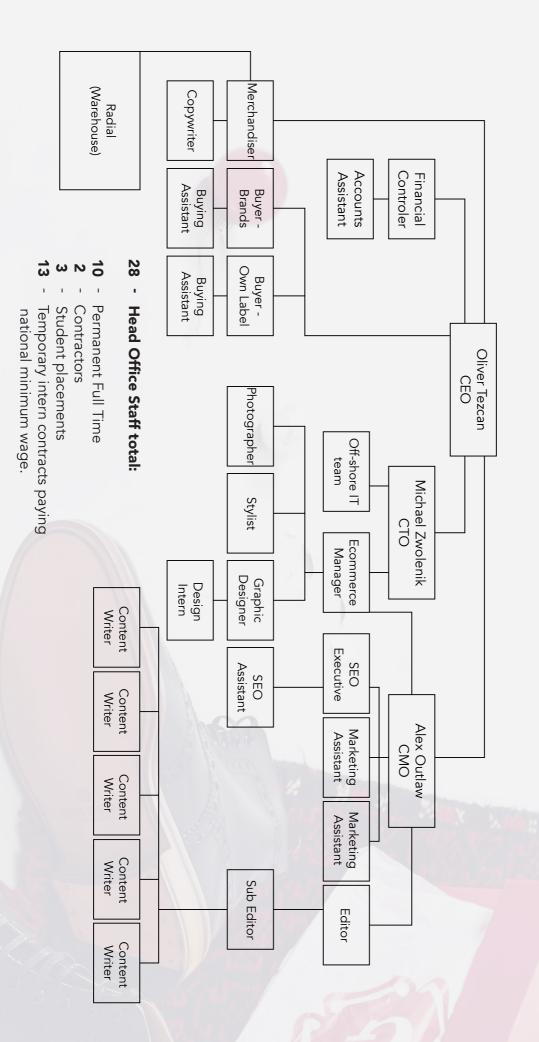
Non Exec FD — Cedric Pereira

**Ex Finance Director Jack Wills and Office Shoes** 

Investor Director – Rodney Appiah
Ex non-exec Oliver Sweeney

### **Experienced Team**

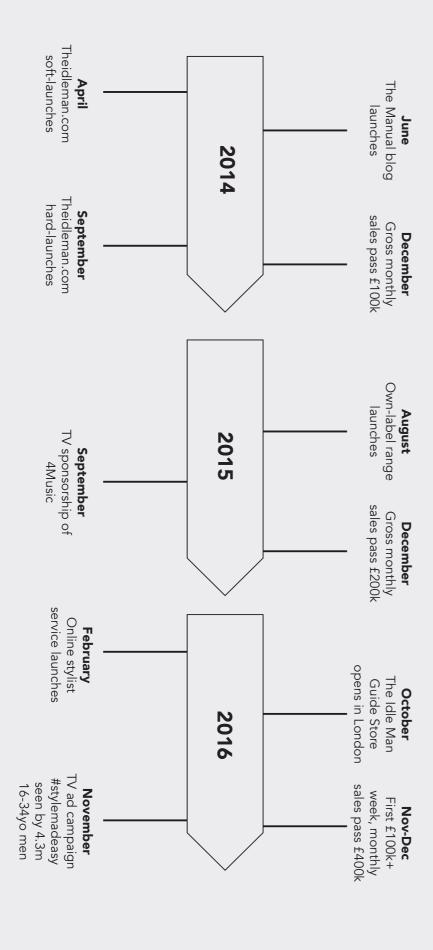
**Head Office Team** 



Average salary is £20,500

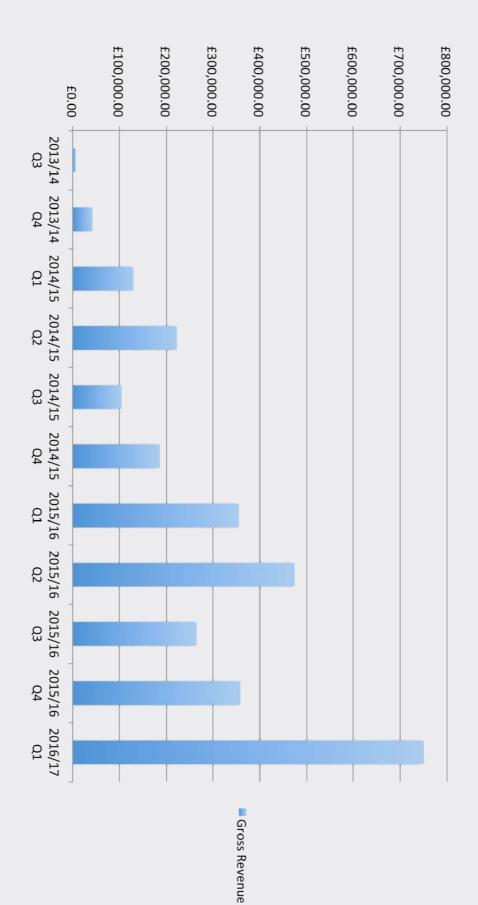
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Key Milestones to date



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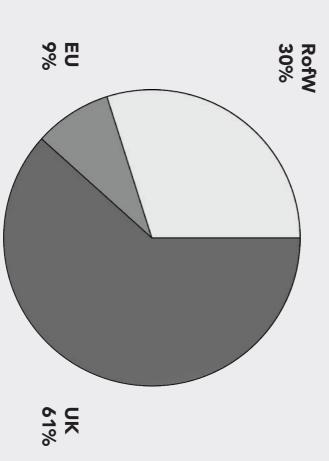
Company is growing fast > 100% YonY Growth Overheads remaining level



Fiscal year-end is Aug, so Q1 represents Sept-Nov, Q2 Dec-Feb etc. This is retail best practice so Nov/Dec peak falls in Q1/2.

# Significant Financial Opportunit

Large mix of international sales from UK site



### Now (FY16/17 YTD):

- 39% of Sales come from outside UK
- International transactions through UK site in local language and £ as base currency
- International fulfillment from UK
- International returns at customer's cost

### Pillars for Growth:

- Launch international ecommerce stores: US, DE, FR, AU – local language and currency
- Replicate content marketing strategy for global markets – local blogs
- Use existing logistics partner to provide local hubs – free returns

Attractive opportunities to drive growth:



Expand core business in UK



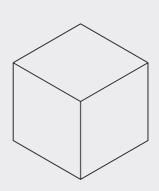
Stores as cost-neutral marketing opportunity, brandbuilding TV campaigns, get blog to no.1 in UK Build brand penetration: Grow Guide



Expand international markets: US, AU, DE, FR



personalisation loyalty scheme, annual delivery charge, Greater share of wallet:



Technology

In-house team

Multi-shop

Multi-country

### **Business Intelligence**

Scalable

- Data Warehouse
- CRM
- Segmentation



### **Processes**

- ERP
- 3PL Integration
- End-to-end



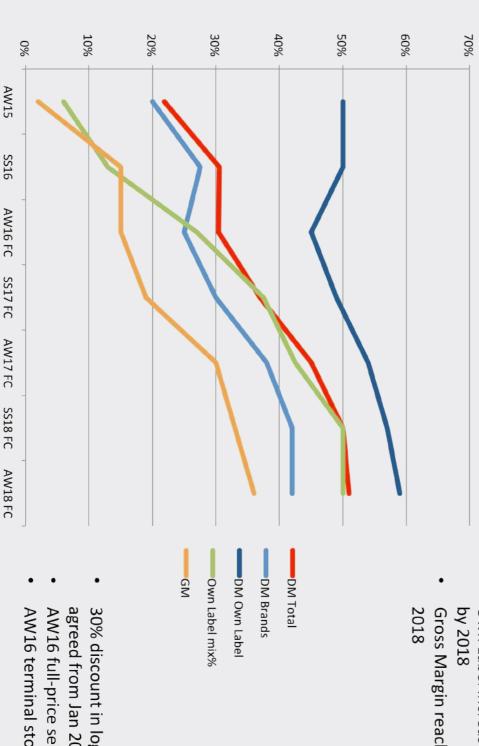
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Theidleman.com is on a great growth track > 100% YonY, £20m+ t.o. by 2020

Current funding round gets company to break-even:

	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Net revenue	496,051	998,499	2,159,483	4,362,625	8,293,497	15,879,710
cogs	537,630	923,701	1,814,597	3,036,663	5,269,402	9,789,087
Gross Margin %	-8%	7%	16%	30%	36%	38%
Marketing costs	553,830	525,795	481,282	448,476	448,476	448,476
Staff costs	425,266	434,671	546,232	535,392	535,392	535,392
Other costs	599,475	546,566	501,126	550,997	680,926	934,348
Total Overheads	1,578,572	1,507,031	1,528,640	1,534,865	1,664,795	1,918,216
EBITDA	(1,620,151)	(1,432,234)	(1,620,151) (1,432,234) (1,183,753)	(208,903)	1,359,300	4,172,406

Margin improvement drives profit



- Own Label increases to 50% mix
- Gross Margin reaches **35**% by 2018

- 30% discount in logistics fees agreed from Jan 2017
- AW16 full-price sell-thru: 70%
- AW16 terminal stock < 5%

### **Growth Strategy** Increased spend on CRM to gain greater share of wallet Marketing spend to support C4 TV campaign Significant increase in buying budget to support growth investments areas are: The Idle Man will raise £1-1.5m of new equity, key

Further improving technology to enable greater scale

Strengthen product team to expand own-label

Launch of international sites: US, FR, DE

Shareholder	% Stake
Foresight	37%
Management*	24%
Angel investors	20%
Nottinghamshire Pension Fund	19%

\*Not including option pool (capped at 10% of total equity)

