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EBITDA stands for Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization. It can be calculated as *Net Profit + Company's Taxes + Interest Expenses + Depreciation and Amortization Expenses*. It is an approximation of operational cash flow and it offers more valuable information than Net Profit due to the differences between accrual accounting and cash basis accounting. To asses the business risk, you can see the evolution or volatility of EBITDA over time. To evaluate the company's ability to pay its debts, you can calculate *EBITDA divided by Interest Expenses* (the higher, the better). One way to check the solvability risk is to calculate the payback period as *Total Debts divided by EBITDA* (the shorter, the safer).

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Business is the art of extracting money from another man's pocket without resorting to violence. | Max Amsterdam

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Friday, November 16th 2007

Before-Close Alert

MONEY MARKET

Currency	Central Bank Rate	Base Rate	
RON	≻ 7.5%	BUBOR 6m 3m	▲ 8.18% 8.03%
EUR	▶ 4%	EURIBOR 6m 3m	▶ 4.59% 4.58%
USD	≻ 4.5%	LIBOR 6m	▶ 4.79%

FOREX MARKET

Quotation	Bid	RON Official Rates		
EURUSD USDCHF	▲ 1.4605 ▼ 1.1221	Today (16-Nov-2007)	EUR ≽ 3.4615 USD ≽ 2.3683	
GBPUSD XAUUSD NY Crude Oil - Dec 07 (\$)	 ✓ 2.0407 ▲ 789.90 ▲ 94.12 	Tomorrow (17-Nov-2007)	EUR \land 3.4764 USD \land 2.3818	

CAPITAL MARKET

Index	Level	Change %	Change
BET	∀ 9,095.01	-1.13%	-104.34
BET-C	▼ 6,333.12	-0.49%	-31.13
BET-FI	▼ 71,509.76	-0.65%	-470.24
ROTX	▼ 20,119.04	-1.24%	-251.64

MARKET SNAPSHOT | Most Traded Stocks | 15 minutes ago:

ALR	▲ 9.0000	4.65%	0.4000
AMO	⋎ 0.0799	-0.37%	-0.0003
ART	Ƴ 53.5000	-0.19%	-0.1000
ATB	∀ 1.8000	-2.17%	-0.0400
BIO	∀ 0.5700	-0.87%	-0.0050
BRD	¥ 23.6000	-2.48%	-0.6000
BRK	▲ 2.5100	0.80%	0.0200
CMF	∀ 6.0000	-1.64%	-0.1000
CMP	∀ 1.5100	-2.58%	-0.0400
IMP	> 0.9700	0.00%	0.0000
PCL	▲ 4.2000	2.44%	0.1000
PPL	▲ 4.1000	2.50%	0.1000
PTR	∀ 1.5500	-0.64%	-0.0100
RRC	∀ 0.1000	-0.99%	-0.0010
SCD	▼ 1.2100	-1.63%	-0.0200
SIF1	▼ 3.2200	-0.31%	-0.0100
SIF2	▼ 3.2200	-0.92%	-0.0300
SIF3	▼ 2.1300	-0.93%	-0.0200
SIF4	▲ 2.1400	1.42%	0.0300
SIF5	▼ 4.0000	-0.25%	-0.0100
SNP	▼ 0.4960	-0.80%	-0.0040
TBM	⋎ 0.6450	-2.27%	-0.0150
TEL	Ƴ 33.5000	-0.89%	-0.3000
TLV	▶ 0.8500	0.00%	0.0000
VNC	∀ 0.1600	-1.84%	-0.0030

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