## Lowe's Companies, Inc. Consolidated Balance Sheets (In millions, except par value)

		January 31, 2020	February 1, 2019
Assets	Average Inventory = (Beginning +		
Current assets:	Ending) / 2		
Cash and cash equivalents		716	\$ 511
Short-term investments	(\$12,561 + \$13,179) / 2 = \$12,870	160	218
Merchandise inventory - net		13,179	12,561
Other current assets		1,263	938
Total current assets		15,318	14,228
Property, less accumulated depreciation		18,669	18,432
Operating lease right-of-use assets		3,891	_
Long-term investments		372	256
Deferred income taxes - net		216	294
Goodwill		303	303
Other assets		702	995
Total assets	5	39,471	\$ 34,508

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**Consolidated Statements of Earnings** 

(In millions, except per share and percentage data)

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	January 31, 2020			Fe
Current Earnings	A	Amount	% Sales	Am
Net sales	\$	72,148	100.00%	\$ 1
Cost of sales		49,205	68.20	4
Gross margin		22,943	31.80	:
Expenses:				
Selling, general and administrative		15,367	21.30	:
Depreciation and amortization		1,262	1.75	
Operating income		6,314	8.75	
Interest - net		691	0.96	
Loss on extinguishment of debt		_	_	
Pre-tax earnings		5,623	7.79	
Income tax provision		1,342	1.86	
Net earnings	\$	4,281	5.93%	\$

## Inventory Turnover = COGS or Cost of Sales / Average Inventory

49,205 / 12,870 = 3.8 times

Lowes sells its inventory on average 3.8 times per year. That equals 96 days on average to sell the inventory.