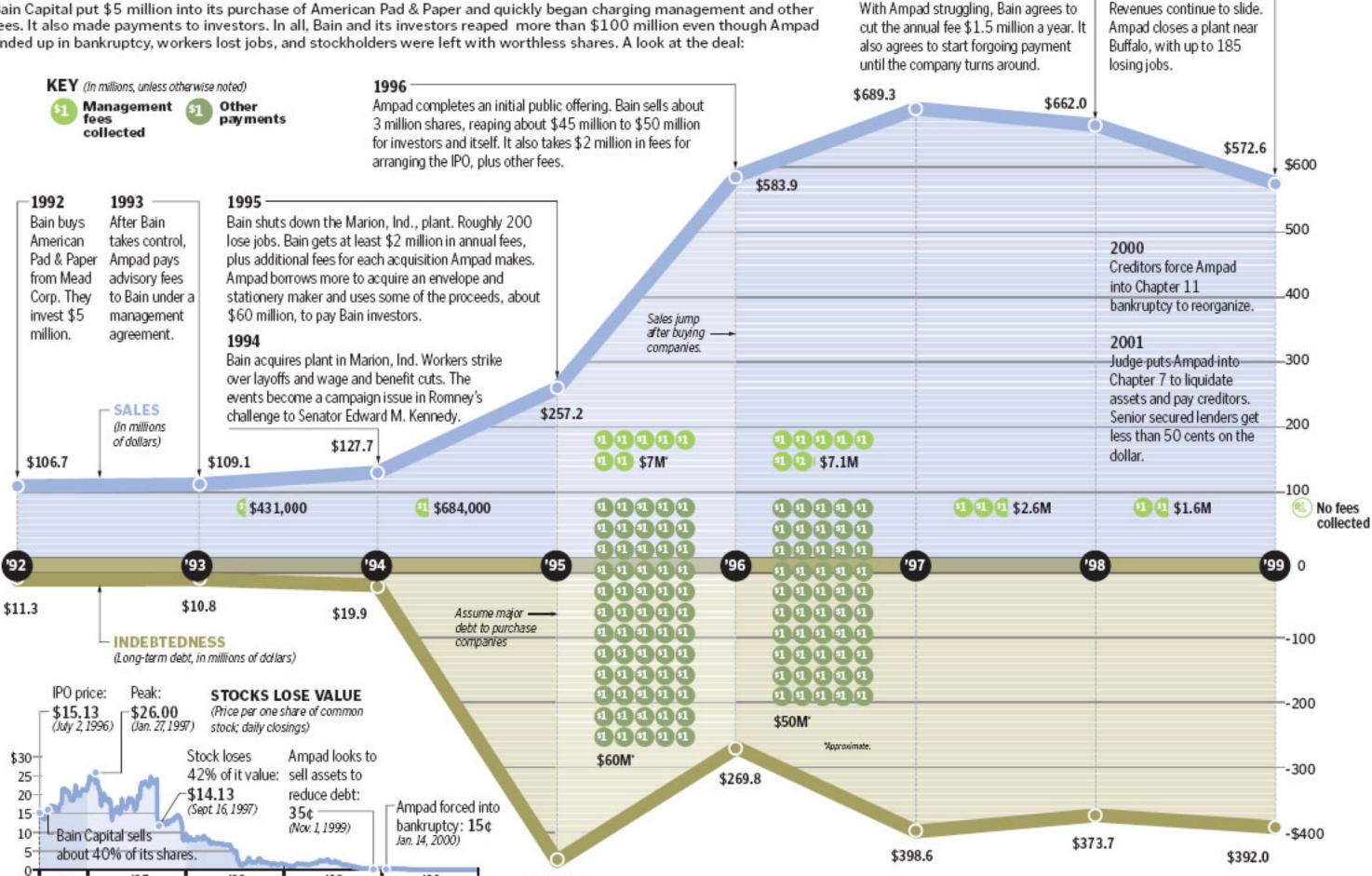
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Bain Capital put \$5 million into its purchase of American Pad & Paper and quickly began charging management and other fees. It also made payments to investors. In all, Bain and its investors reaped more than \$100 million even though Ampad ended up in bankruptcy, workers lost jobs, and stockholders were left with worthless shares. A look at the deal:



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