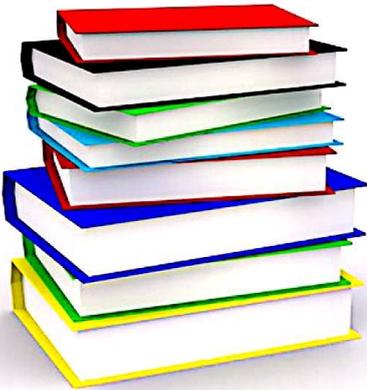


Accounting made easy

- *BEGINNER LEVEL*



Basic concepts

➤ Transaction

Any exchange activity in the business is called transaction.

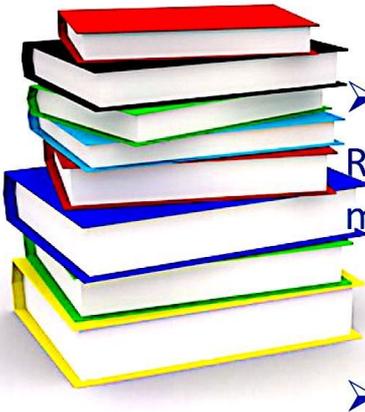
- Cash transaction and credit transaction. Cash transaction involves exchange of cash , credit transaction involves **deferment** of cash receipts and cash payments.

➤ Goods

The items which are a regularly purchased or sold in the ordinary course of business are called goods.

➤ Money measurement.

Record is made only of information that can be expressed in monetary terms



➤ **Entity**

Accounts kept for entities, are distinguished from the persons who associated with these entities

➤ **Going concern.**

Entity will continue to operate for an indefinitely period in the future

➤ **Cost concept**

The economic resources of an entity is ordinarily entered in the accounting records at the price paid to acquire it

➤ **Equity /capital**

Capital is the amount invested by the owner or promoter initially to start the business. It is a liability for the entity.

➤ **Debtors / Accounts Receivables**

Debtors are those who owe to the entity on account of credit sales

➤ **Creditors/Accounts Payables**

Creditors are those to whom the entity owe on account of credit purchases.



Accounting period

Accounting measures activities for a specified interval of time called accounting period. In India the accounting period starts from 1st of April of a year and ends on 31st March of next year. Some countries have calendar year as accounting period.

Balance Sheet (BS)

A financial statement that reports on all of a company's assets, liabilities, and equity. As suggested by its name, a balance sheet abides by the equation $\text{Assets} = \text{Liabilities} + \text{Equity}$.



Assets

Anything the company owns that has monetary value. These are listed in order of liquidity, from cash (the most liquid) to land (least liquid).

Liability

All debts that a company has yet to pay are referred to as Liabilities. Common liabilities include Accounts Payable, outstanding expenses and Loans.

Accrued Expense /Outstanding expenses

An expense that been incurred but yet to be paid.

Book Value

As an asset is depreciated, it loses value. The Book Value shows the **original value** of an Asset, **less any accumulated Depreciation**.

Current Assets

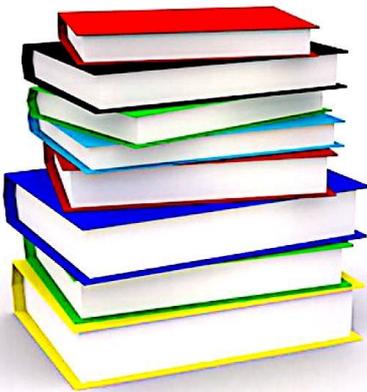
Those assets which are convertible into cash in a short period of time usually within 12 months from the balance sheet date.

Non Current assets

Those assets which are not purchased to be sold in the near future but are intended to be utilised in the production of goods. Examples are building, plant and machinery and vehicles.

Intangible assets

Assets which are not tangible . Example: goodwill, copyrights



Cost of Goods Sold (COGS)

Cost of Goods Sold are the expenses that directly relate to the manufacturing of a product or creation of the service.
Example: raw material, labour, direct expenses.

Depreciation

Depreciation is the term that accounts for the loss of value in an asset over time.

Inventory

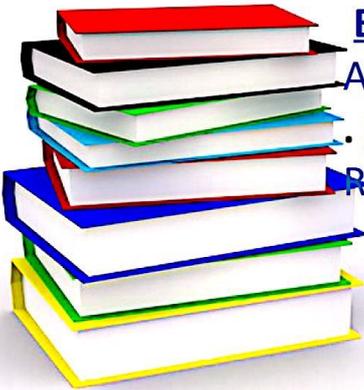
Those finished goods which remain unsold on the balance sheet date. They are valued at lower of cost or market value.

Expense (Cost)

An Expense is any cost incurred by the business.

Revenue (Sales) (Rev)

Revenue is any money earned by the business.



Gross Profit (GP)

Revenue minus cogs is gross profit

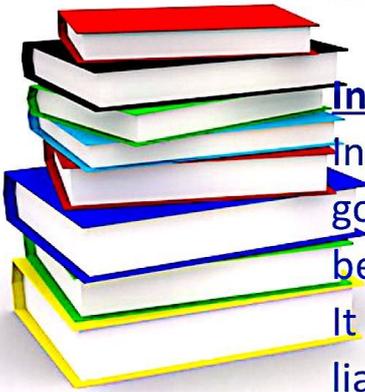
Net Profit (NP)

Gross profit minus indirect expenses

Prepaid Expenses

Expenses which are paid in advance for which the benefits are expected to be obtained in the period beyond the current accounting period.

It is treated as current asset and shown in the Balance sheet on asset side.



Income received in advance

Income received in advance is treated as liability as the benefits or goods related to the income so received would be delivered in a period beyond the current accounting period.

It is treated as current liability and shown in the Balance sheet on liability side.

Capital and Revenue Transactions

Capital transactions

- The effect of these transactions extends to a period of more than one year. **Examples** are Purchase of machine {including installation charges and any other direct cost to bring the asset to the location}, building investments etc.



- It includes capital work in progress.

Revenue transactions

- The effect of these transactions is only for a period of one year. Examples are sales, purchases of raw material, expenses to run the business smoothly.
- It includes depreciation { non cash expense} to reflect the usage of fixed assets in generating the revenue during the year.