

Welcome to my dear Rotarians

Wor(king) Capital

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Introduction to the subject

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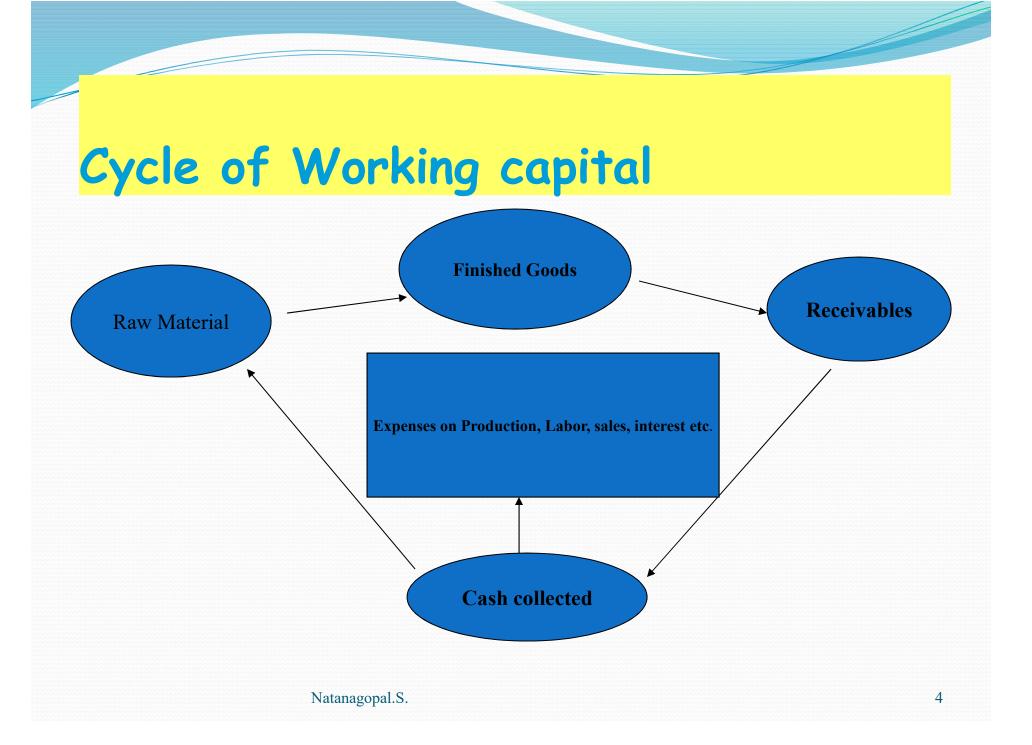
Why understanding this subject is essential for any business?

□Who should know about the subject?

What is the benefit?

Objective of Effective Working Capital Management

Maximize return on Investment
ROI depends on Turnover and realization
Managing the Gap
How to monitor the Gap and lead time?
How to understand the Cycle of Working Capital?



Different forms of Working Capital needs

Needs of Manufacturer
Needs of Wholesaler
Needs of Retailer
Needs of Service Provider
Needs of Financier

Types of Working Capital Permanent Working Capital Temporary Working Capital Cyclic Working Capital Emergency Working Capital

Optimum Working Capital

- Should be neither Excessive nor inadequate
- Should not hamper production or sales
- •Estimation should be need based and dynamic
- Source of funds should be clearly defined and structured

Estimation of Working Capital

oFactors to be considered are: oNature of Business oProduction Policy oLength or lead time oCredit Policy oTurnover frequency Estimation of Working Capital Contd.. oEffect of seasonal fluctuations oAvailability of finance oStock requirements oProduction schedule oLabour availability oAllied factors affecting Production/ Sales

Components of working Capital contd..

- *Receivables
- *Cash and Bank Balances
- Creditors
- Bank finance
- Private funds
- Owner's funds

Balancing the Needs

Dangers of Excessive Working Capital Inadequate Working Capital Utilization of Working funds for Long term needs Debt servicing Excessive borrowings *Excessive credits

Ratios as a Tool for Working Capital management

Profitability ratios ✓ Turn over ratio ✓ Debtors ratio ✓ Creditors ratio ✓ Collection lead time ✓Liquidity ratio ✓ Current ratio

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Financing for Working Capital

Trade Creditors

Bank Finance - Inland Banking

Cash Credit/ Bill discounting/ Cheque purchase/ Over draft/ Supply Bills/ Bills purchase/ Inland Letter of Credit

Financing for Working Capital contd..

Pre-shipment credit

- Packing credit- Clean, Hypothecation, Against Pledge of goods
- Post-shipment credit
- Usance bills discounting
- Advance against export bills

Cash Management

✓To meet cash collection and disbursement

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✓ Managing surplus and invest the funds