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LIST OF ABBREVIATION

| | | |
|-------|---|------------------------------------|
| BEP | = | Break Even Point |
| CM | = | Contribution Margin |
| CVP | = | Cost Volume Profit |
| FC | = | Fixed Cost |
| FY | = | Fiscal Year |
| MOS | = | Margin of Safety |
| NEROT | = | Nepal Rohin and Turpentine Limited |
| NPAT | = | Net Profit After Tax |
| NTC | = | Nepal Telecom Corporation |
| PPC | = | Profit Planning and Control |
| RDL | = | Royal Drug Limited |
| SD | = | Standard Deviation |
| SPPU | = | Selling Price Per Unit |
| T.U. | = | Tribhuvan University |
| VCPU | = | Variable Cost Per Unit |
| VMOH | = | Variable Manufacturing Overhead |
| WIPL | = | Western International Pvt. Ltd. |

CHAPTER - ONE

INTRODUCTION

1.1 General Background

Industrialization is an important factor for achieving the basic objective of a country's economic and social progress. Industrialization not only provides goods and services but also creates employment opportunities. It facilitates and effective mobilization of resources of capital and skill, which might otherwise remain unutilized. It also acts as a vehicle for fostering Innovation and technological improvement. Industrial development, thus, has a multiplier effect on the economy.

Industrialization is a comparatively new phenomenon in Nepal. The Biratnagar Jute Mills set up in 1936 marked the beginning of organized industry in the country. In the years that followed, industrial growth was accelerated. Industries like the Morang Cotton Mills (1941), the Morang Sugar Mills (1946), the Reghupati Jute Mills (1946), and the Juddha Match Factor (1946) were set up in Biratnagar in collaboration with Indian businessmen.

The outbreak of the Second World War gave added impetus to this trend. Due to extreme shortage of essential consumer goods in world market the promoters of these industries could reap windfall profits within a very short period of time. Within a period of 10 years, as many as 63 industrial units were opened in the country with a total capital investment of Rs. 72 million, of which only Rs.2 million was invested by Nepalese businessmen.

The early industrialization was thus the result of exogenous forces. Industrial units were founded in areas, which ensured an abundant supply of raw materials. With the return of business situation to normal after the War, most of these mills were liquidated. They could not sustain the post-war recessionary effects and much of the foreign capital was withdrawn. These

short-lived industries were thus war-time babies whose demise caused a big set back to the process of industrialization.

Industrialization development in Nepal, however, started getting regular attention of the Government under the aegis of development plans after the dawn of democracy in 1951. Several industries were established in the public sector mostly with the financial and technical assistance of the then USSR and China. This process continued till the end of the Sixth Plan. As a result, Nepal witnessed the development of quite a large number of manufacturing industries in the public sector, particularly in areas like leather, sugar, paper, cigarette, brick and tiles, agricultural tools, and textile. Also, the Government on its own investment set up factories in sectors like cement and sugar.

The industrial development strategy of the Government, however, changed after mid-1980s. The Government then shifted its development strategy from state-led development to market-led open economy. As a result, many of the public sector industrial units were privatized in the early 1990s and some of them were liquidated. The government moved toward liberalization, Globalization and competitive policy.

Privatization is a key factor for economy development of developing country like Nepal. It has positive impact to reduce regional imbalance and payments of payments, increased income level, resource utilization and economic growth etc. In this reference, the government has conducted the procedures of privatization some public enterprises such as Bansbari leather shoes factory, Bhrikuti Paper mill and Hari Siddhi Brick Factory in first phase other public enterprises were privatized in phase wise. Hence many public enterprises converted into private enterprises they are as follows:

Table No.1.1

The List of Privatized Public Enterprises is Given Below

| S.N | Name of PES | Year | Nature |
|-----|---|------|------------------------|
| 1 | Bhrikuti Paper Mills | 1992 | Sales of assets |
| 2 | Hari Siddhi Brick and Tile Factory | 1992 | assets and trade sales |
| 3 | Bansbari Leather and shoes Factory | 1992 | assets and trade sales |
| 4 | Nepal Film and Development Company | 1993 | sales of shares |
| 5 | Balaju Textile Industry | 1993 | sales of shares |
| 6 | Raw Hide Collection and Processing Co. Ltd. | 1993 | sales of shares |
| 7 | Nepal Bitumen and Bared Industry Ltd | 1994 | sales of shares |
| 8 | Nepal Lube Oil Ltd | 1994 | sales of shares |
| 9 | Nepal Jute Trade and Developed Co. | 1993 | Liquidation |
| 10 | Tobacco Development Co. | 1994 | Liquidation |
| 11 | Nepal Foundry Industry | 1996 | Sales of Shares |
| 12 | Ragupati Jute Mills Ltd. | 1996 | Sales of Shares |
| 13 | Biratnagar Jute Mills Ltd. | 2002 | Contract management |
| 14 | Nepal Band Ltd. | 1997 | Sales of Shares |
| 15 | Nepal Tea Development Corporation | 2000 | Sales of Shares |
| 16 | Agriculture Project Service Centre Ltd. | 2001 | Contract management |
| 17 | Cottage and Handicraft Emporium Ltd | 2002 | Sales of Shares |
| 18 | Nepal Coal Ltd. | 2002 | Liquidation |
| 19 | Hetauda Textile Industry | 2002 | Liquidation |
| 20 | Nepal Transport Corporation | 2002 | Liquidation |
| 21 | Bhupal Power Company | 2003 | Liquidation |
| 22 | Birgunj Sugar Factory Ltd | 2003 | Liquidation |
| 23 | Agriculture Tools Factory Ltd | 2003 | Sales of shares |
| 24 | Bhaktapur Brick Factory | 2004 | Liquidation |
| 25 | Lumbini Sugar Mills | 2006 | assets and trade sales |
| 26 | Nepal Roshin and Turpentine | 2006 | assets and trade sales |

Source: Ministry of Industry, Commerce & Industry (2006/007)

1.2 Budgeting System

Budgeting is a present planning to achieve future objectives of an organization. It involves planning for the various revenue producing and cost generating activities, Budgeting is also called profit, planning and control. Profit planning and control is a new term in the literature of business. The importance of budgeting is emphasized by an old saying: "Failing to plan is like planning to fail". It is an important approach mainly in profit oriented enterprises. It is a tool of management and It facilitates the managers to accomplish managerial goals in a systematic way. Budgeting helps to accomplish the objectives with minimum effort and cost through long range efficiency and effectiveness, Budgeting is therefore and integral part of management.

Budgeting is not a new concept. It has been in use for a very long time. Everyone is familiar with budget, knowingly or unknowingly people make plans for their revenue and expenses, simply to make plans for revenue and expenses in budgeting. Budgeting denotes a planning or the future. It is a formal business plan or future. It is a formal business plan for some future period. A budget is both 'plan' as well as control.

A budget is the detailed plan outlying the acquisition and use of financial and other resource over some given time period. It represents the plan for the future expressed in formal quantitative terms. The act of preparing a budget is called budgeting the uses of budget to control firm's activities are known as budgeting control. (Garrison, 1998; 13).

Budgeting as tools of planning is closely related to the broader system of planning is an organization of the basis objective that the organization will pursue and the fundamental policies that will guide it (Khan and Jain, 1993; 19)

Some definition given by various scholars are:

"The concept of comprehensive budget covers its use in planning, organization and controlling all the financial and operational activities of the firm in the forth coming period". (Lynch and Williamson, 1989; 21)

"Comprehensive profit planning & control is a systematic and formalized approach for accomplishing the planning co-ordination and control responsibilities of management" (Welsch, et. al., 2004:23)

"A Plan or budget is the formal expression of the enterprises plans and objective started in financial terms for a specified future period of time." (Pandey, 1999;27).

In the simple word, budget is statement showing the planned income and expenditure for a future period prepared in terms of money or quantity both.

Profit planning and control represents on overall plan of operations, providing guideline to management and acting as Singh lights for the management. It enables the management to correct its policy. Profit planning's and control covers a definite period of time and formulates the planning decision of management. It consists of three main budgets.

- ❖ **Operation Budget:** Operating budgets provides details about the firms operations i.e. production sales or purchase.
- ❖ **Financial Budget:** Financial budget includes profit and loss statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in financial position and cash budget.
- ❖ **Capital Budget:** Capital budget provide details of investment projects with amount of capital expenditure planned by the Firm.

1.3 Introduction of Western International Pvt. Ltd.

Western International (P). Ltd. is one of the private manufacturing industries in Nepal that were established in 2001. It was registered under private company Act no. 12829/056/057 on industry department. It was established by four investors, Hira Dhoj Shah, Narendra Sahi, Balendra Hamal and Ram Bahadur

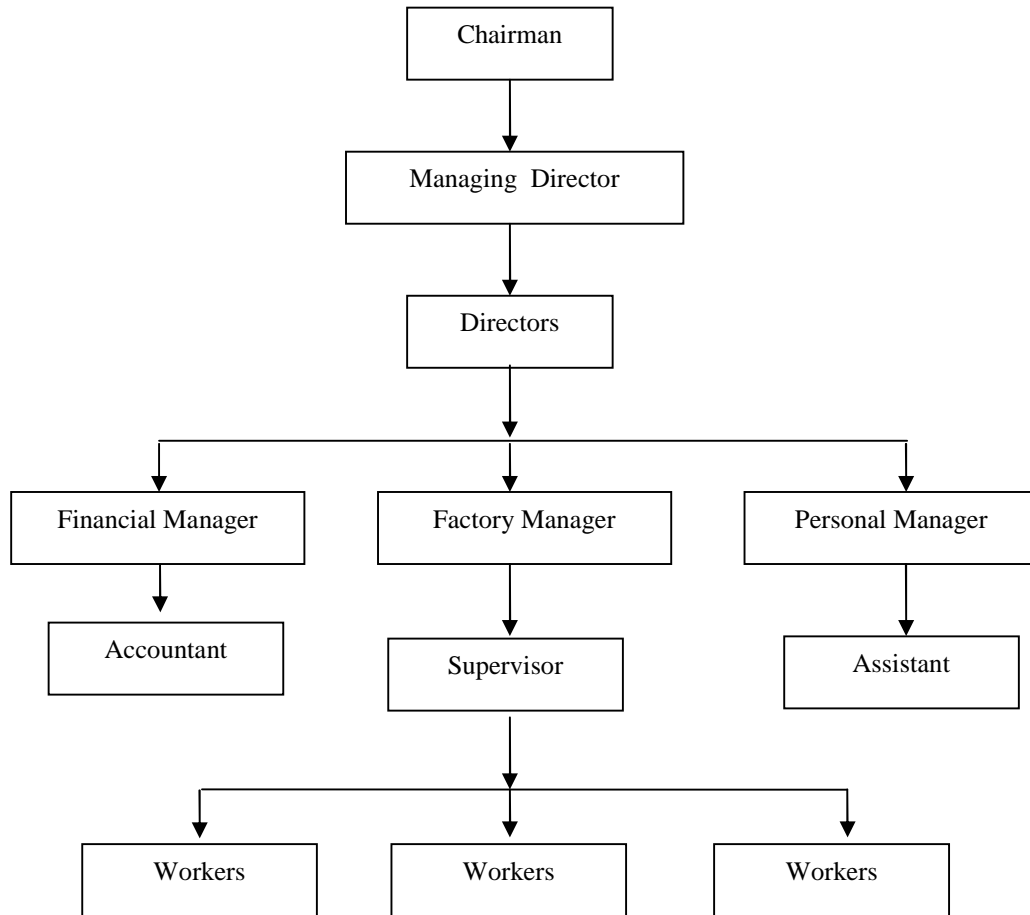
Chand. The initial period- authorized capital was Rs. 35,00,000, and issued and paid-up capital was Rs. 12,00,000. Due to the poor handling and poor performance by initial inventors company couldn't earn profit and after having continuous operating loss in business, initial promoters decided to quit their hands from the business. In 2004 they sold the company to M.B. Bishwokarma, Saroj Panthi, D.R. Sharma and Basanta Raj Khanal with total valuation of Rs.11,50,000. After purchasing W.I.P.L. new promoters decided to raise their paid up capital to Rs.16,50,000 with the aim of introduce new plant and techniques to survive long run in the market. The head office of W.I.P.L. has been located at chidiya khola-5, Butwal, Rupandehi and factory is also operating at same place. Currently it providing employment to 22 people among them 7 are in office and other are in factory state.

The Company manufactures mainly two types of Mineral water product i.e. 1 liter pet bottle and 20 liter jar with the brand name of Carolina Mineral Water. Company needs different kinds of raw material to produce its finished products. Company also produces quantity production with the demand of its customers. The main objective of W.I.P.L. is to maximize the profit with maximizing the sales. The company purchases all required raw material from Nepalese suppliers i.e. Card-Box, 20 liter Jar, 1 liter Pet Bottle, Bottle leads, Shrink label, lead cap and different types of chemical to lab department to purify its water. The Company purchases all these raw material as semi finished products and turns them as final with the brand name of Carolina Mineral Water and sold them to its different customer of western region of Nepal.

WIPL use simple organization structure, which makes effective communication and proper management of the related person's. The organization structural and the list of supplier and customer of the industry as follows'

Table no. 1.2

Organization Structural of WIPL



1.4 Focus of the Study

This research work focuses on the Master budgeting and its impact on profitability of WIPL. It is designed to describe different kind of functional budget used, how they are constructed and how they are assist in overall planning process, policy making and financial control.

Generally, two types of budget are used in any organization that are tactical and strategic profit plan. Both of them are equally important. However, this study is designed to give more consideration in long range planning such as sales budget production budget, material budget, labour budget, expenses budget and their uses for the planning of profit and theses uses for the planning

of profit. Budgeting is an accounting tool for making comprehensive profit planning and controlling. The period of study is 4 years i.e. from fiscal year 2004/05 to 2007/08.

1.5 Statement of the Problem

Most of the Nepalese manufacturing companies are suffering from poor performance that causes low profit or losses due to lack of effective planning and controlling system. They are also facing problem of poor management and lack of proper utilization of available resources and these problems lead the organization failing to meet their objectives.

Success of any business enterprise is measured in terms of profit earned by it, which is totally depends upon the systematic and comprehensive budgeting of an organization. Budgeting or financial plan is one of the important managerial devices that play a key role to achieve objectives of an organization. Budgeting details its financial plans and strategies to implement these plans. Budgeting therefore, is a means for effective formulation and implementation of strategic as well as tactical plan of an organization.

Profit planning system requires the effective co-ordination between various functional of budget such as sales plan, production budget, material requirement budget, labour cost budget, cash project & capital expenditure.

The study mainly conducts to solve above mentioned problems by taking into account of budgeting process. The budget or financial plan improves the financial performance of an enterprise. Further the study is designed to find out the following research questions:-

1. What is the process of preparing project planning & control system of WIPL?
2. What is impact of budget on profit of WIPL?
3. What is the situation of budgeted and actual performance?

4. What are the major problem faced by WIPL in developing and implementing budget?
5. What improvement is possible in budgeting system?

1.6 Objectives of the Study

The basic objective of the study is to analysis the budgeting: profit planning and control process of Western International Pvt. Ltd. This study is undertake to evaluate and measure the effectiveness budgeting and its impact on profitability of WIPL. The main objectives of the study are as follows.

1. To examine profit planning and control process applied by WIPL.
2. To compare between budgeted and actual performance so as to find their variances.
3. To draw a financial position of WIPL by ratio analysis.

1.7 Importance/ Significance of the Study

This research work has following importance:

1. It will be helpful to know the budgeting process used by WIPL.
2. The study will be useful for manufacturing industries in the area of budgeting process prevailing in Nepal.
3. This research will provide required information to various persons and parties such a general reader, employees, Investors, Shareholders, decision maker, businessman, customers, General public and Government.
4. The study can also used as pilot work for future research (as guidelines and reference)
5. In provides basis for proper acquisition and utilization of various resources to implement objectives.
6. It will be helpful to achieve desired profit thought effective profit planning and its implementation where profit is the heart of budgeting or financial planning.

1.8 Limitation of the Study

There are various limitations of this study. Such as:-

1. The study is concerned with only one industry i.e. Western International Pvt. Ltd.
2. Last five year data has been taken (i.e. 2004/05 to 2007/08)
3. The study is based on available secondary sources.
4. It only covers master budgeting: Profit planning and control. It does not deal other areas of Western International Pvt. Ltd.
5. The limited time and resources are the constraints of the study.
6. Specially, the result of the study is based on available data, tools and Techniques.
7. This study concentrated in accounting and financial aspect only.

1.9 Organization of the Study:

The study or research work will organize into five different chapters. They are as follows:

Chapter 1: Introduction:

This chapter includes background of study, Introduction, statement of problem, objectives, focus of study, significant of study, limitation of study and chapter plan itself.

Chapter 2: Review of Literature:

This chapter includes conceptual framework and related different studies and research gap.

Chapter 3: Research Methodology:

In this chapter research design, data collection, research variable methods of research methodology are included.

Chapter 4: Presentation and Analysis of data:

Data processing, Data analysis and interpretation are given in this Chapter.

Chapter 5: Summary, conclusion and recommendation This Chapter Includes summary, conclusion and recommendation of study.

CHAPTER - TWO

REVIEW OF LITERATURE

2.1 Conceptual Review

2.1.1 General Concept of Profit Planning and Control

The concept of budgeting was the originally established with the function of an accountant. At its origin the function of budgeting was assigned to the accountant but in modern days budgeting is given more importance and regarded as a way of management and in more important sense, it is regarded as a basic technique of decision making and is given the name "Profit planning and control"

Profit

Profit is the primary measure of the success of the organizations or business enterprises. Profit is the acid test of the individual firms

performance. Business firm is an organization designed to make profit. So profit is must needed for the survival of the business.

According to Henery Grayson, profit may be considered for making innovation, are wards for accepting risks and uncertainty and the result of imperfection in the market structure.

Honsen defined," Profit as the residual payment that is left to the producer's income after all other payment has been met."

Management thinks profit as,

1. A tangible expression of the goals it has set for the firm.
2. A measure or performance toward the achievement of its goals.
3. A means of maintaining the health, growth and continually of the company.

It is the ultimate objective of management to maximize profit over the long term and consistent with its social responsibility. To plan profit intelligent management needs to know,

-) The economic characteristics of the firm's operations.
-) The nature of the market for its products.
-) The nature and severity of its competition.
-) The cost of these functions of production. The material, the labour, the productive capacity, the capital etc.
-) The relationship of the price it can get for its goods for the expenses of producing and selling them (Lynch, and Williamson, 1989; 249).

By the discussion of the above definition, it can be conclude that profit is the ultimate goal of every business houses. They involve in business for making profit. profit cannot be achieved easily. It should be managed well with better managerial skills. So profit is the planned ad controlled output of management. The survival measure of how well a business performs economically. Profit is a signal for the allocation of resources and a yard stick for judging managerial efficiency (Kulkurni, 1985; 53).

Planning

Planning is the basic function of management. It may be defined the selection by which manger decides what goals are to be accomplish and now they are to be reached (Willsmore, 1971; 157).

Planning is the systematic way of perceiving how business industries or any organization will get where it should go by examining future alternative course of action open to any organization and choosing them. In choosing most feasible and desirable course of action, a perspective a frame of reference in establish for current decision. In this process, planning examining the involving chains of cause and effect likely to result. In the future and respectively exploit or combat them as the case may be (Verseny and Moheshwari, 1990; 189).

Planning is the specific process of setting goals and developing ways to reach them. Stated another way, planning represents the firm efforts to predict future event and be prepared to deal with them.

Planning is the continuous process. Business condition does not remain static. They change rapidly and therefore plans should be revised and reformulated to adapt to the changed condition. The planning process may be formal or informal. The formal plans are properly structured and are express in written form. Formal planning is certainly better than informal planning. No planning is of course, worse informal planning. It should be realized that too much over formalization is also dangerous. A reasonable balance should be struck between the formal and informal planning (Pandey, 1991; 325).

Planning is the process of developing enterprise objectives and selecting future course of action of accomplish them. It includes:

1. Establishing enterprises objectives.
2. Developing premises about the environment in which they are to be accomplished.
3. Selecting a course of action for accomplishing the objective.
4. Initiating activities necessary to translate plan into action.
5. Current re-planning to correct deficiency (Welsch, et.al., 1992; 127).

By the above, definition of planning is can be conclude that planning is a financial or quantitative statement prepared and approve prior to a definite period of time. Planning is the primary function of management activities without proper and efficient planning, any organization cannot accomplish its predetermined goals and objectives. Planning is predetermined course of action for achieving organization goals this is to be done within a predetermined time frame through the selection of various alternatives. There are two categories of plan these are tactical or short-term plan strategy or long-term plan.

Strategic Long-Range Planning

Long range planning five to ten years varying with the enterprise sometimes extended to ten years. Long range planning is one of the most difficult time span involved in planning as many problems in short range planning can be traced to the absence of clear sense of direction and the practices which comprehensive long range plan provides.

The long range plan covers all the key areas of anticipated activity; sales, expenses, research and development, capital expenditure, cash, profit and return on investment (Pandey, 1987; 92)

Basically it is more important for bread and long living enterprise. Long range planning is closely concerned with the concept of the corporation as a long living institution.

The main purpose of long range planning is:

1. To provide a clear picture of whether the enterprise is handled.
2. To focus on long term opportunities.
3. To keep enterprise strong.
4. To evaluate management personnel.
5. To bring attention to new techniques.
6. To expedite new financing.

Tactical Short-Range Planning

The short-term plan is synonymous with the classical budgetary period of one year. The short-range planning is made after a freeze is taken one the consideration of possible alternative course of action. Such course are outline for the medium range plan, which doesn't concern implementation; its aim is weeding out a plethora of possibilities, which are for the most part long on promised and short on feasible results.

Tactical short-range plans cover about a year and are less formal and detailed than long range plans. It usually covers more than three months. It is done at all levels and involves directing the organization activities, overall strategic objectives consisting with the organization mission and policies. Single plan are developed for unique situation so it provides consistency and efficiency for ongoing operations.

The main purpose of tactical planning is,

1. To acquire and facilitate resource, personnel and raw material.
2. To control cost through planned acquisition and avoid higher cost purchasing.
3. To create new opportunities through assessing the environment and evaluating resources.
4. To avoid problems related to red tape.

So, far successful planning, following conditions are required in the organization.

-) Effective Administration
-) Effective management information System (MIS)
-) Reliable statistical and other data
-) Central planning authority
-) Specific objective and targeted goal and their priority basis.
-) Strong and stable government and policy.

Profit Planning and Control

Profit planning and control is a new term in literature of business. Though it is a new term it is not a new concept in the management. It is also known as comprehensive budgeting. It can be defined as a management planning covering all phase of profit operation for a definite future period. A profit planning is a formal expression of policy, Plan, objectives and goals established by management for the concern as a whole and for each subdivision.

Profit planning means the development and acceptance of the objectives and goals and moving and organization the efficiency to achieve the objective and goals. Profit is not separate technique; that can be though and operate independently of the total management process. The broad concept of profit planning entails an integration of numerous managerial approaches and techniques that might be explicit, such as sales forecasting and techniques that might be exploited, such as sales forecasting, sales quota system, capital budgeting, cash flow analysis, cost volume profit analysis, variable budget, time and motion study, standard cost accounting, strategic planning management by objectives, organizational, planning, manpower planning and cost control (Welsch, et.al., 1992; 132).

Profit planning involves development and application of broad and long range objectives of the enterprise the major component of profit planning and control model are:-

1. Developing and application of broad and long-range objectives of the enterprise.
2. Specification of enterprises goal.
3. Development of strategic long-range profit plan in broad terms.
4. Specification of tactical short-range profit plan detailed by assigned responsibilities (division, department, project, etc.)
5. Establishment of system of periodic performance reports detailed by assigned responsibilities.
6. Development of follow-up procedures (Lynch and Williamson, 1989; 267).

The main purpose of profit planning and control are as follow:

1. To state the firm's expectations in clear and formal terms to avoid confusion and to facilitate their attainability.
2. To communicate expectations to concern with the management of the firms so that are understood, supported and implemented.

3. To provide a detailed plan of action for reducing uncertainty and for the proper direction of individual and group efforts to achieve goals.
4. To co-ordinate the activities efforts in such a way that the use of resource is maximized.
5. To provides the means of measuring and controlling the performance of the basis of which the necessary corrective actions can be taken (Pandey, 1987;125).

Glenn A. Welch summarizes the broad concept of profit planning and control in few words as, The PPC means the development and acceptance of objectives and goals and moving an organization efficiently to achieve the objective and goals (Welsch, et.al., 1992:142)

Requirements of effective profit planning

Development of effective profit planning is not easy. Some requirements for effective profit planning are to be fulfilled. They are as follows:

1. Support of top management while developing budget programme and implementing it.
2. Clearly defined organization with defined responsibility on each responsibility centre
3. Accurate and clear accounting system.
4. Unambiguous policy.
5. Preparation by responsible executives.
6. Logical and sequential process in preparation submission and review of budget.
7. Immediate action in variance between actual and budgeted results.
8. Continues budget education to employees of the undertaking on the objectives, potentials and techniques of budgeting.
9. Flexibility for both and unforeseen circumstances requires essentially in budgeting.

2.1.2 Fundamental Concept of Profit Planning and Control

The fundamental are concerned with the effective application of the theory of management process. Welsch, Hilton and Gordon include the underlying activities or tasks that must generally be carried out to attain maximum usefulness from PPC. The mechanics of PPC involves activities such as the design of budget schedules, routines and repetitive computations and clerical activities related to PPC program. They stated an outline of the fundamental concepts of PPC as the following.

1. A management process that includes planning, organizing, staffing, leading and controlling.
2. A managerial commitment to effective management participation by all levels in the entity.
3. An organization structure that clearly specifies assignments of management authority and responsibility at all organization levels.
4. A management planning process.
5. A management controlling process.
6. A continuous and consistent coordination of all the management functions.
7. Continuous feed forward, feedback, follow-up and re-planning through defined communications channels.
8. A strategic (long range) profit plan.
9. A tactical (short range) profit plan.
10. A responsibility accounting system.
11. A continuous use of these inception principles.
12. A behavioral management program (Welsch, et.al., 1992).

2.1.3 Basic Assumption and Limitation of PPC

Profit planning and control is an important tool for management. However, each tool suffers some limitation and its use is fruitful within these limits. Profit planning and control is also not a limitless tool, so it is essential

that the user of profit planning and control must be having a full knowledge of its limitations .The limitations of budgeting are as under.

1. Basic on Estimations

Profit planning is not an exact science; its sources depend upon precision of estimates. The success of profit planning and control depends to a large degree on the accuracy with which the basis estimate will be made. Therefore, estimates should be made on the basis if of all facts available. Using correct and modified statistical techniques and management can make accurate estimates.

2. Danger of Rigidity

Profit planning and control is an estimation and quantitative expression of all relevant data. So, there can be the tendency to attach some sort of rigidity or finality to them. However, rigidity makes profit planning and control useless. For usefulness, the profit planning and control must be flexible. Various techniques must be tried, improved or discarded and replaced with other. In other words, a profit planning and control programme must be dynamic in every sense of the word.

3. Application for Long Period

The installation of a complete profit planning and control is not possible in a short period. It should be continuously used in the business, and should be revised and modified with the change situation in the business.

4. Execution is not Automatic

A skill fully prepared profit planning and control will not itself improve the management of an enterprise, unless it is properly implemented. For the success of profit planning and control it is essential that all the related persons inside the enterprise should understand it. It is most required that each executive must feel the responsibility and should make efforts to attain the

budgeted goals. Departmental leader should seriously think that it is their individual responsibility to fulfill the target set up in their departmental budget. The success of a budgeting system totally depends upon the efficient management and administration.

5. Not a Substitute for Management

Profit planning and control is a management tool. It is not a substitute for the management. It is totally wrong to think that the introduction of profit planning and control is alone sufficient to ensure success and to guarantee future profits. It is only for achieving the end.

6. Costly Affairs

The installation of PPC system is an elaborated process involving to much time and costs. Normally it is so costly that small column cannot afford to it. Even for a large concern, it is suggested that there should be some correlation between the cost of operating a budgeting system and benefits derived from it. The system should be adapted only when benefit exceed the cost.

7. Proper Evaluation

For finding out the inefficiencies, proper evaluation should be made. In the absence of proper evaluation, budgeting will hide inefficiencies. so there should be continues evaluation of the actual performances, standards also should be re-examined regularly.

8. Lower Morale and Productivity

Unrealistic targets should not be set and used us a pressure tactic. By doing it PPC will lower morale and productivity. To some extent, PPC may be used as pressure device but its extent must be carefully determined.

2.1.4 Purpose of PPC

A comprehensive profit planning and controlling is a systematic and formularized approach for stating and communicating the firm expectation and accomplishing management in such a way to maximize the use of a profit plan and to achieve the maximum benefit from resource available to an organization over a particular span of time. It serves as tool for management control. The maximum objective of PPC is to assist in Systematic planning and in controlling the operations of the enterprise. In fact, it is the best sources of communication and an important tool in the hand of management the purpose of budgeting or PPC may be summarized as follows:

- a. To state the firm's expectation (goal) in formal terms clearly to avoid confusion and facilities their attainability.
- b. To communicate expectation to all concerned with the management to the firm so that they are understood, supported and implemented.
- c. To provide a detailed plan of action for reducing uncertainly and for its proper direction of individual and group efforts to achieve goals.
- d. To co-ordinate the activities and efforts in such a way that the use of resources is maximized.
- e. To provide a means of measuring and controlling the performance of individual and units and to supply information based of which the corrective action can be taken.

2.1.5 Budgeting: As a Tool of Profit Planning

The budget is a key tool for planning control and decision making in every organization. A budget is a detailed plan, expressed in quantitative a term that specifies how resources will be acquired and used during a specified period of time. It is called the budget because it explicitly states the goals in terms of time expectations and expected financial tests of each major segment of the entity.

A budget is a detailed, quantitative plan to guide its operations in the near future; the concept of a comprehensive budget covers its use in planning, organizing and controlling all the financial and operating activities of the firm in the forthcoming period (Lynch and Williamson, 1989:142)

Planning involves the specification of the basic objectives that the organization will ensure and fundamental policy that will guide it. In operational terms, it involves the steps of setting objectives, specifying goals, formulating strategies and expressing budgets. Planning should include qualitative narratives of goals, objectives and means of accomplishment. However, if plans were limited to qualitative narratives, the process of comparing actual results to expectations would only allow generalization, and trying to measure how well the organization met its specified objectives would be impossible. Therefore, management translates qualitative narratives into quantitative formats, or budgets (Raiboen, et.al., 1993; 161).

The various activities within a company should be coordinated by the preparation of plans of actions for future periods. These detailed plans are usually referred to as budgets (Drury, 2000;121).

A budget is a detailed plan outlining the acquisition and use of financial and other resources over a given period of time. It represents the plan for the future expressed in formal quantitative terms. The act of preparing a budget is called budgeting. The use of a budget to control a firm's activities are known as budgetary control (Garrison, 2000;97).

A budget is a detailed plan expressed in quantitative terms that specifies how resources will be acquired and used during a specified period of time. The procedures used to develop a budget constitute a budgeting system (Hilton, 2000;28)

A budget is the quantitative expression of a proposed plan of action by management for a future time period and is an aid to the coordination and implementation of plan (Horngren, et.al., 1999;123).

A budget is a numerical plan of action, which generally covers the area of revenues and expenditures. A budget is a quantitative expression of a plan of action and aid to co-ordination and control. A budget may be formulated for an organization as a whole or for its sub-units. Budgets, basically, are forecasted financial statements formal expression of managerial plans. They are targets that encompass all phases of operations including sales, production, purchasing and manpower and financing.

The main aim of budgeting is to present the future forecasting, numerically expressed in an appropriate format so as to properly control scarce resources. A budget must be prepared in advance of commencing operations, stating what and how things are to be done. It covers a definite period of time, usually one year.

2.1.6 Objective/Purpose of Budget

The main and most important purpose of the budget is to achieve the planned profit of the business enterprise. Thus, it is considered as a main tool for planning and controlling the profits.

The main purposes of a budget can be summarized in the following points.

- To provide a realistic estimate of income and expenses for a period and of the financial position at the close of the period, detailed by areas of management responsibility.
- To provide a coordinated plan of action, this is designed to achieve the estimates reflected in the budget.
- To provide a comparison of actual results with those budgeted and an analysis interpretation of deviations by areas of responsibility to

includes courses of corrective action and to lead to improvement in produces in building future plans.

- To provide a guide for management decision in adjusting plans and objectives as conditions change.
- To provide a ready basis for making forecasts during the budget period to guide the management in making day-to-day decisions.

2.1.7 Types of Budget

Budget can be classified into various functional budget with reference to planning and control. But in operations term, a comprehensive budget has several components. Normally it consists of three types of budgets.

- a. Operational Budget
- b. Financial Budget
- c. Special Decision Budget

Operational Budget

Operating budgets are related to the physical activities/operation of a firm such as sales, production, purchasing, debtor's collecting and creditor's payment schedules. In specific terms an operating budget has the following components.

- 1. Sales Plan**
 - a. Sales Plan
 - b. Selling and distribution cost plan
- 2. Production plan**
 - a. Raw material plan
 - b. Purchase plan
 - c. Labour hour and const plan
 - d. Inventory plan
 - e. Manufacturing overhead plan

3. Administrative overhead plan

Financial Budget

Financial budget are concerned with expected cash receipt/ distribution, financial position and result of operations. A financial budget has the following components.

1. Cash plan
2. Budgeted income statement
3. Budgeted statement of retained earning
4. Budgeted balance sheet, etc.

Special Decision Budget

Special decision budgets are related with the special and long-term decision, which may be controllable and uncontrollable of the firm. A special decision budget has the following components

1. Capital expenditure plan
2. Research and development cost plan
3. Plant utilization plan etc.

2.1.8 Budgetary Control

The term budgeting and budgetary controls are often used interchangeably to refer to a system of management control. Budgetary control implies the use of comprehensive system of budgeting to aid management in carrying out its function like planning, coordinating and control.

The objective of the budgetary control and standard costing is to enable management to conduct business in the most efficient manner. For this purpose it must show where and to what extent profits or losses, and why not they are being realized they system should supply the answer to the 'why' and 'how' of management.

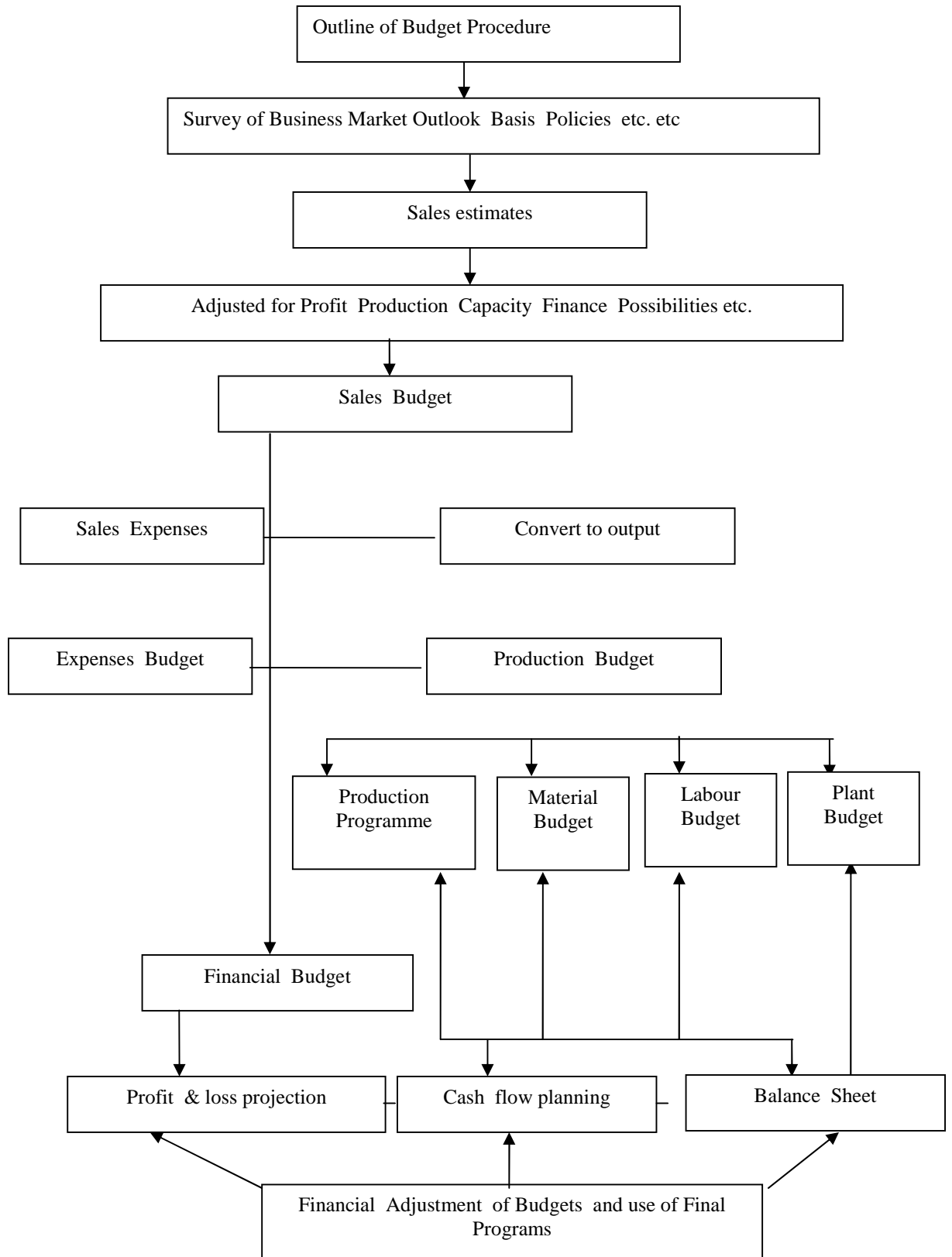
Budgetary control is not possible only by the owner of the enterprise. There should be various personnel of different levels for budgetary control purpose. The information will be suitable analyzed or summarized according to the use of which it is to be put. Details of information required would be varying from one type and size of organizations to another.

Budgetary control is system of controlling costs which includes the preparation of budgets coordinating the departments and establishing responsibilities, comparing actual performance with the budgeted and acting upon result to achieve maximum profitability (Sharma and Gupta, 1995;142).

2.1.9 Budget Procedure

A graphic outline of a budget , given by wills "Business budget and budgetary control" indicates quite clearly the extent to which the various estimates interlock on forming the basis for the other and so on (Wills more, 1971;68).

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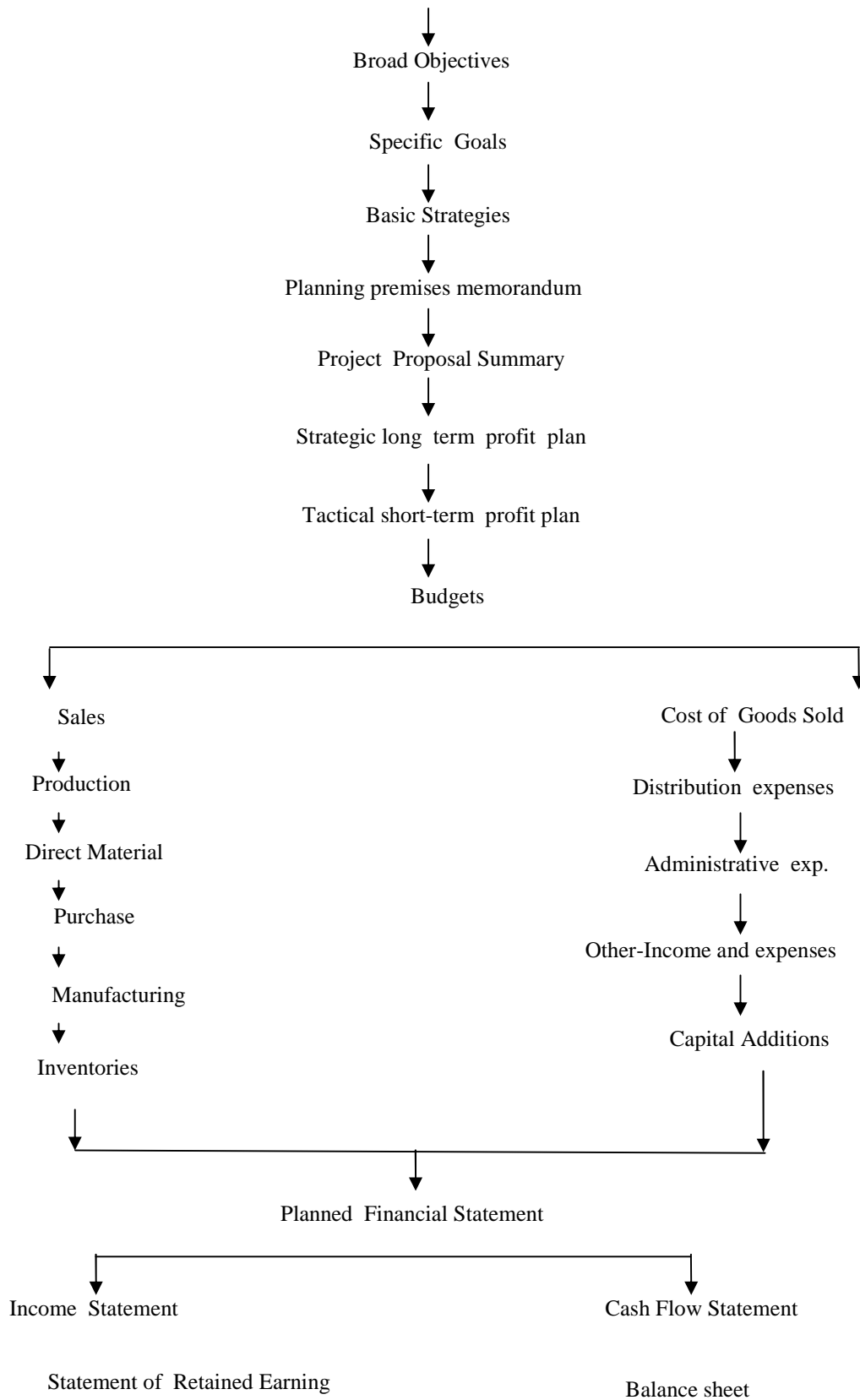
2.1.10 Development of Profit Plan through Functional Budget

"A budget helps a firm to control its costs by setting guidelines for spending money for unneeded items because they know that all costs will be compared with the budget. If costs exceed the budgeted costs an explanation will be required. Frequently exceeding the budget may even be grounds for dismissal. A budget helps to motivate employees to do a good job. This is particularly true when employees help in setting of the budget, the complete budget for a firm is often called the master budget consists of many functional budgets" (Horngreen, 2000;123).

Welsen, Hilton and Gordon presented the development of PPC plan on the graph as the following "(Welsch, et.al, 1992;247)

TableNo.2.2

Development of PPC Plan



2.1.11 Development of Profit Planning

Development of profit plan includes the preparation of various financial budgets, analysis of the variance and presentation of projected income statement and balance sheet. Top management with the participation of lower management involves in the development of profit plan. Developing profit plan begins with preparation of master budgets. For the development of sound profit planning certain steps that an enterprise should take to established a sound foundation. These steps are as follows (Welsch, et.al., 1992;59)

Step 1: There must be commitment by the top management to the broad concept of profit planning and control and a sophisticated understanding of its implications and operations.

Step 2: The characteristics of the enterprise and the environment in which it operates- including the controllable and non-controllable variables must be identified and evaluated so that relevant decision may be made about the characteristics of a profit planning and control program that would be effective and practical.

Step 3: There should be an evaluation of the organizational structure and assignment of managerial responsibilities and implementation of changes deemed necessary for effective planning and control.

Step 4: There must be an evaluation and reorganization of the accounting system to ensure that it is tailored to the organizational responsibilities (responsibility accounting) so that it can provide data particularly useful for planning and control purpose.

Step 5: A policy determination must be made about the time dimensions to be used to profit planning and control process.

Step 6: A program of budget education should be developed to inform management at all levels about,

- a. The purpose of its program
- b. The manner in which it will operate, including the basic management policies and guidelines for its administration.
- c. The responsibility of each level of management in the program and
- d. The way in which the program can facilitate the performance of each manager's functions.

2.1.11.1 Sales Budget or Plan

The starting point in preparing profit plan is the sales plan, which displays the projected sales in units and rupees. The sales planning process is an essential part of profit plan and control because, it provides for the basic management decisions about marketing and based on these decisions, it is an organized approach for developing a comprehensive sale plan. If sales plan is not realistic and relevant, most if not all of the other parts of overall profit plan are also not realistic.

A sales budget is a details schedule of expected sales for the coming period. It is usually expressed in both amount and units. Once the sales budget has been set, a decision can be made on the level of production that will be needed to support sales and the production budget can be set well. The sales budget is the starting point in preparing the master budget. The sales budget is constructed by multiplying the expected sales in units by the sales price. Generally, a sales budget is accompanied by computation of expected cash receipts for the forthcoming budget period. This computation is needed to assist in preparing the cash budget for the year. Expected cash receipts are composed of collections on sales made to customers in prior periods plus collection on sales made in the current budget period (Garrison, 2000;74).

The primary purposes of sales plan are:

- To reduce uncertainty about future revenues
- To incorporate management judgment and decisions into the planning process.

- To provide necessary for developing other elements of comprehensive profit plan.
- To facilitate management control of sales activities (Welsch, 1992;172).

Sales Planning and Sales Forecasting

Although sales planning and sales forecasting are usually used synonymously, they have distinctly different purpose. A forecast is not a plan; rather it is a statement and or quantified assessment of future conditions about a particular subject based of one or more explicit assumptions. A forecast should always state the assumption upon which it is based. A forecast should be viewed as only one input for the development of sale plan. The management of the company may accept, modify or reject the forecast. In contrast, a sales plan incorporates the management decisions that are based on the forecast, other inputs, and management judgments about such related items as sales volume, prices, sales, efforts, production and financing.

The sales budget is prepared from the sales forecast. A sales forecast is broader than a sales budget, generally encompassing potential sale for the entire industry, as well as potential sales for the firm preparing for forecast.

Sales plan begins where and when sales forecast end. Sales forecast is the input to sales plan; sales plan is the foundation to profit planning and control.

Strategic us Tactical Sales Planning

Comprehensive sales plan can be classified into two types

1. Strategic sales plan: - strategic sales plan is the long - range sales plan of an enterprise. Usually, it is of 5 to 10 years. It is broad and general. It is prepared by considering future market potentials, population changes, state of economy, industry projections, company objectives and long-terms strategic because they effect in such areas as pricing, development

of new product line, innovation of product, expansion or distribution channel, cast pattern, etc.

2. Tactical sales plan: - Tactical plan is a short-range sales plan. It is developed for a short period of time usually a year, initially by quarters and by months for the first quarter. The tactical sales plan includes a detailed plan for each major product and for groupings of minor products. Tactical sales plans are usually developed in terms of physical units and in sales rupees.

Table No. 2.3
Components of a Comprehensive Sales Plan

| Component | Strategic plan | Tactical Plan |
|--|--|---|
| Managerial Policies and assumptions | Broad and general | Detailed and specific for the year |
| Marketing plan (sales and service revenue) | Annual amounts; major groups | Detailed; by product, time and responsibility |
| Advertising and promotion plan | General; by year | Detailed and specific for the year |
| Distribution/selling expenses plan | Total fixed and total variable expenses; by year | Fixed and variable expenses; by month and by responsibility |

Developing a Comprehensive Sales Plan

- Step 1 Develop management guidelines for sales planning
- Step 2 Prepares sales forecast
- Step 3 Assemble relevant data
 - Manufacturing capacity
 - Source of raw materials and supplies
 - Availability of key people and labour force
- Step 4 Develop a strategic and tactical sales budget
 - Consideration of Alternatives
- Step 5 Development pricing policies

- Step 6 Developing pricing policies
- Step 7 Developing product line considerations
- Step 8 Price-Cost-volume Consideration

A Specimen of Sales Budget

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Sales budget

For.....

| Months | Product A | | | Product B | | | Total |
|--------------|-----------|-------|--------|-----------|-------|--------|-------|
| | Units | Price | Amount | Units | Price | Amount | |
| January | | | | | | | |
| February | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | |

2.1.11.2 Production Budget or Plan

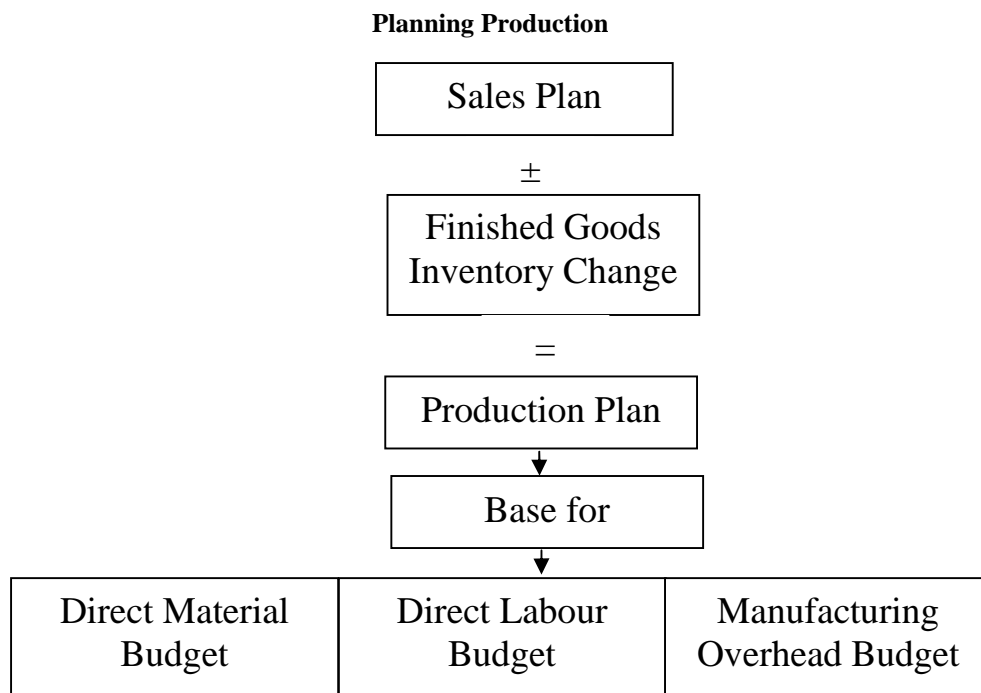
After the sales budget has been prepared, the production requirements for the forth coming budget period can be determine and organized in the form of a production budget. Sufficient goods will have to be available to meet sales needs and for the desired ending inventory. A portion of these goods will have already exited in the firm of beginning inventory. The remainder will be produced. Thus, production needs can be determined by adding the budget sales units to the desired ending inventory and deducting the beginning inventory from the total (Horngreen, et.al., 1999;164)

The production plan involves determining the number of units of each product that must be manufactured to meet planned sales and maintain the planned inventory levels of finished goods. Planning production requirements necessitates another decisional input that is the management decision about investor levels of finished goods that are to be planned (Welsch,et.al., 1992;270)

The production budget can be presented in the following formula.

$$\text{Production requirements} = \text{Sales Volume} \pm \text{Finished goods inventory change}$$

The planning process of production of manufacturing operations this reflected as the following:



A Specimen of Production Budget

COMPANY LTD.

Production budgets in (units)

For.....

| Particular | Sales units | Add: closing stock | Total | Less: opening stock | production |
|------------|----------------|-----------------------|-------|------------------------|------------|
| January | | | | | |
| February | | | | | |
| March | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | |

2.1.11.3 Material Purchase and Usage Budget

A comprehensive budget includes planning and controlling of raw materials and components/parts used in the manufacturing of finished products. Planning and controlling purchases and materials usages is the plan to maintain coordination between (1) factory requirements for raw materials, (2) raw materials inventory levels, and (3) Purchases of raw materials.

Sufficient raw materials will have to be available to meet production needs and to provide for the desired ending raw materials inventory. However, some quantity of material requirement will already exist in the form of beginning raw materials inventory. The remainder will have to be purchased from a supplier.

To assure that right amounts of raw materials will be on hand at the time required and to plan for the costs of such materials, it is essential that the tactical short-term profit plan include (1) detailed budget specifying quantity and cost of materials required and (2) a related budget for raw material purchases.

Components of Materials Budget

The following are the main components of material budget:

a. Material Consumption Budget

Once production needs are determined, a direct material budget is prepared to show the materials that will be required in the production process. This budget specifies the planned quantities of each raw material required for production of finished goods, by time, by product, and by responsibility. The material consumption is computed as:

Planned material consumption = Planned production units | Standard raw material usage per unit of output

**A Specimen of Raw material Consumption Budget by Product Material
& time**

| product and Month | Planned Production | Material A | | Material B | |
|---|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|
| | | Standard Usage rate | Consumption | Standard usage rate | Consumption |
| Product :1 January February March | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | |
| Product : 2 January February March | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | |

b. Cost of Material Used Budget

This budget specific estimated cost of the material that will be used in the production process. Note that, this budget cannot be completed until the planned cost of purchase is developed. The cost of material is computed as:

Cost of Material Used = Budgeted Production Units | Standard material usage per unit | Standard material usage unit | Price unit of raw material

A Specimen on Cost Material Usage Budget by Material, Product and Time

| Production | Material | | | Material 2 | | | Total Amount |
|------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Material Consumptions | Price (Rs.) | Amount (Rs.) | Amount (Rs.) | Material Consumptions | Price (Rs.) | |
| Ref. | MUM = 1 | Inp = 1 | 3= 1 \| 2 | MUB = 4 | Inp = 5 | 6= 4 \| 5 | 7= 3+6 |
| ProductA : | | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | | |
| February | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | |
| Product B: | | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | | |
| February | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | |

The four separate sub-budgets listed above are directly related. Collectively they can be viewed as the materials and purchase budget.

c. Material Purchase Budget

Direct materials are essential for production and must be purchased in each period in sufficient quantities to meet production needs and to conform to the company's ending inventory policies. The materials budget specifies the quantities and timing of each raw material needed. The purchases budget specifies the estimated quantities to be purchased, and the estimated cost for each raw material and the required delivery dates. It is computed as:

$$\text{Planned purchase units} = \text{Planned material consumption} + \text{Desired ending inventory of raw material} - \text{Beginning inventory of raw materials}$$

However, before developing a purchase budget, firms must establish an appropriate material inventory policy.

A Specimen of Material Purchase Budget by material & Time

| Material and Time | Material Consumption | Ending Inventory | Total Need | Beginning Investor | Planned Purchases | | |
|-------------------|----------------------|------------------|------------|--------------------|-------------------|--|--|
| Material :1 | | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | | |
| February | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | |
| Material :2 | | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | | |
| February | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | |
| Material : 1 & 2 | | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | | |
| February | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | |

d. Materials Inventory Budget

This budget specific the planned levels of raw material inventory in terms of quantities and cost for each product and in total.

A Specimen of Material Inventory Budget by Material & Time

| Particulars | Total Cost | Material -1 | | | Material-2 | | |
|--------------|------------|-------------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|
| | | Units | Unit cost | Total cost | Unit | Unit Cost | Total Cost |
| Ref. | 1 = 4+7 | 2 | 3 | 4 = 2 \| 3 | 5 | 6 | 7 = 5 \| 6 |
| January 1 | | | | | | | |
| January 32 | | | | | | | |
| February 28 | | | | | | | |
| March 31 | | | | | | | |
| End of Qtr 2 | | | | | | | |
| End of Qtr 3 | | | | | | | |
| End of Qtr 4 | | | | | | | |

2.1.11.4. Direct Labour Budget

The direct labour budget is also developed from the production budget. Firstly, direct labour requirements must be computed to that the comma will know whether sufficient laobur is available to meet production needs. By knowing in advance, the company can develop a plan to adjust the labour force as the situation may require. Direct labour requirements can be computed by multiplying product to be produced in each period by the number of direct labour-hours required to produce a unit. Many different types of labour may be involve involved. if so, then the computation should be made of the type of labour needed. The hours of direct labour resulting from these computations can then be multiplied by the direct labour cost per hour to obtain the budgeted total direct labour cost.

Components of Direct Labour Budget

Basically, there are three components of direct labour budget:

1. **Direct Labour Hour Budget:** Direct labour hour budget estimates the total direct labour hours required for each product by time and responsibility. It is computed as,

Total direct labour hours required = Planned production | Standard time required per unit of output

A Specimen of Direct Labour Hour Budget by Time, Product and Responsibility

| Department Product and Time | Total Budgeted DLH | Budgeted Production | Department 1 | | Department 2 | |
|--|--------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| | | | Standard DLH rate | Budgeted DLH | Standard DLH rate | Budgeted DLH |
| Ref | 4+6=1 | PB=2 | Inp=3 | 2 \| 3=4 | Inp=5 | 2 \| 5=6 |
| Product X January February March | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |
| Product Y: January February March | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |
| Product X and Y: January February March | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |

2. Manpower Budget: Manpower budget estimates the number of each kind of manpower by department and time.

Number of labors = Total labour hours required ÷ Working hours per person per month

Working hours per person per month = Normal working hours per person per day |

Working days in a month

3. Direct Labour Cost Budget

| Dept. Product and Time | Total Budgeted | | Department 1 | | | Department 2 | | |
|--|----------------|-------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | DLH | DLC | Budgeted DLH | Standard DLH rate | Budgeted DLC | Budgeted DLH | Standard DLH rate | Budgeted DLC |
| Ref | 3+6=1 | 5+8=2 | LHB=3 | Inp=4 | 3 \| 4=5 | LHB=6 | Inp=7 | 6 \| 7=8 |
| Product X January February March | | | | | | | | |
| Total of 1st Quarter | | | | | | | | |
| Product Y: January February March | | | | | | | | |
| Total of 1st Quarter | | | | | | | | |
| Product X and Y: January February March | | | | | | | | |
| Total for the company | | | | | | | | |

Direct labour cost budget estimates the total direct labour costs by product, time and responsibility. To get direct labour costs budget, first, estimate the average wage rates by department, cost center, or operation. Then multiplication of the standard time per unit of product by the average wage rates gives the labour cost per unit of production for the department, cost center, or operation. The multiplication of the department's, cost center's or operation's total units by the unit labour cost rate gives the total direct labour costs for each product.

A Specimen of Direct Labour Cost Budget by Time, Product and Responsibility

4. Approaches Used in Planning Direct Labour Time

Time and Motion Studies

Time and motion studies are usually made by industrial engineers. They analyze the operations required on a product, and determine a standard time for each specific operation. They also decide whether the fastest, slowest or average employee time should be used. Thus, time and motion studies provide reliable information about labour time needed to perform each specific operation.

5. Internal Performance Report

Control of direct labour costs is often problem for management. Effective control of direct labour depends on competent, direct observation, and performance reports. However, there is a definite need for standards by which the supervisor may gauge performance. Planning the workflow and arrangement of supplies and equipment has definite effects on direct labour costs. The two primary elements of control of direct labour cost are (1) day-to-day attention to such costs and (2) performance reporting and evaluation of results.

The direct labour standards in the direct labour budget are compared with actual results and are often reported in daily performance reports to supervisors. The report shows (1) actual hours worked, (2) standard hours for the actual output, and (3) variance in hours, such information may be expressed in terms of time only or in terms of both time and rupee costs, depending on the control elements that are vested in the supervisors. For effective control, budget amount may need to be revised to reflect events that have a major impact on labour costs beyond the control of the immediate supervisor. Examples are changes in labour contracts, modifications of plant, and rearrangements of workflow and production operations.

With respect to monthly reporting and control of direct labour, the internal monthly performance report should include actual direct labour data compared with planned labour hours and costs (adjusted to actual output), by responsibility. These reports are essential for management assessment of the effectiveness of control. They spur management actions directed toward higher operational efficiency. The performance reports on direct labour may be (1) separate reports or (2) included in the regular departmental performance reports.

2.1.11.5 Overhead Budget

Three types of budgets come under overhead budget. They are:

- a) Manufacturing Overhead Budget.
- b) Office and Administrative Overhead Budget.
- c) Selling and distribution Overhead Budget.

a) Manufacturing Overhead Budget

This budget presents in estimation of indirect expenses which are related with production. It represents the forecast of all the production overheads which have to be incurred during the budgeted period. While forecasting manufacturing overhead, three types of costs have to be estimated. They are

fixed, variable and semi-variable manufacturing overhead. Examples of such overheads are work manager's salary, factory rent, depreciation, insurance, light and fuel etc.

Manufacturing overhead budget serves the following purposes:

- ❖ It provides information for working out the pre-determined overhead recovery rates.
- ❖ It provides the behaviour of different types of costs required for preparation of overhead budget.
- ❖ It serves the level of activity attained in future so that the expenses are estimated accurately.

Information needed to prepare a manufacturing overhead budget.

- ❖ Behaviour for overhead costs.
- ❖ Budgeted production units.
- ❖ United variable manufacturing overhead rate and fixed manufacturing overhead for the budgeted period.

Manufacturing overhead budget = variable manufacturing overhead + Fixed manufacturing overhead

= Production units | VMOH Rate + (Given)

Manufacture overhead expenses budget for the 1st 3 months budgeted year

| Particular | Baishakh | Jestha | Ashad | Total |
|---|----------|--------|-------|-------|
| Production Units | | | | |
| Variable manufacturing overhead: | | | | |
| Indirect material @ Rs. | | | | |
| Indirect labour @ Rs..... | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Total variable manufacturing overhead 1 | | | | |

| | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Fixed manufacture overhead : 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Deprecation | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Rent | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Salaries | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | | | | |
| Total fixed manufacturing overhead | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| II | | | | |
| Manufacturing overhead budget I + II | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

b) Office and Administrative Overhead Budget

Office and administrative overhead represents forecast all administrative expenses. Administrative overheads are mostly fixed in nature, some of which are committed while others are discretionary in nature. This budget contains expenses like director's remuneration, legal chargers, audit fees, office lighting and heating, property taxes, postage etc.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Office and Administrative Expenses} &= \text{Variable Office \& Administrative} \\ &\text{expenses} + \text{fixed office \& Administrative expenses} \\ &= \text{Sales unit (or revenue)} \mid \text{Rate per unit (or... \%)} + \text{(given)}. \end{aligned}$$

Office and Administrative Budget for the first 3 months of budget year.....

| Particular | Baishakh | Jestha | Ashad | Total |
|--------------------------------------|----------|--------|-------|-------|
| Sales Units or revenue | | | | |
| Variable office and administrative | | | | |
| @ | | | | |
| @ | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Variable office and administrative I | | | | |

| | | | | |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Fixed office & administrative expenses : | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Fixed office & administrative expenses II | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Fixed office & administrative expenses I +II | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

c) Selling and Distribution Overhead Budget

A separate cost is required for selling and distribution of finished the task of estimating such cost accomplished in this budget. This budget is closely concerned with sales budget and presents the forecast of all costs relating to selling and distribution of products. Selling and distribution costs can be dividend into following:

- i) Direct selling expenses.
- ii) Distribution expenses.
- iii) Establishment expenses of various sales office.
- iv) Expenses of publicity and advertisement.

The sales manager is held responsible for selling and distribution overhead budget. For the correct estimation of the selling and distribution cost, the costs may be classified into fixed, variable and semi-variable selling and distribution overhead.

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❖ Behaviour of overhead costs.

- ❖ Budgeted production units and sales price of total budgeted sales revenue.
- ❖ Unit variable selling and distribution overhead rate or percentage of sales figure and fixed non-manufacturing overhead for the budgeted period.

Selling & Distribution Expenses = Variable Selling & Distribution expenses + fixed Selling & Distribution expenses
= Sales unit (or revenue) × Rate per unit (or....%) + (given).

Selling & Distribution Budget for the first 3 months of budget year

| Particular | Baishakh | Jestha | Ashad | Total |
|---|----------|--------|-------|-------|
| Sales Units or revenue | | | | |
| Variable Selling & Distribution | | | | |
| @..... | | | | |
|@..... | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Variable selling and distribution I | | | | |
| Fixed selling and distribution expenses : | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Fixed selling & distribution expenses II | | | | |
| Total selling & distribution expenses I +II | | | | |

2.1.11.6 Capital Expenditure Budget

Capital expenditures are investments because they require the commitment of resources today to receive higher economic benefits in the future. Capital expenditures become expenses in the future if their related

goods and service are in the future if their related goods and service are being used to earn higher future profits from future revenues or to achieve future cost saving.

Capital budget , is the firms formal; plan for the external corporate document that List the accepted investment projects for a given period (Peterson and Levles, 1995; 498).

Capital budgeting in the generation of investment proposals; the estimate of cash flows for the proposals; the evaluation of cash flow, the selection of project based upon accepted criterion; and finally continual revaluation of investment project offer their acceptance (Vance Horn, 1976).

A capital expenditure is the use of funds to obtain operational assets that will a) helps earn future revenue or b) reduce future costs. capital expenditure includes such fixed (i.e. operational) assets as properly, plant, equipotent, major renovations and patents. Taking capital expenditure projects involve large amount of cash, other resource and debt that are tiled up for relatively long period of time. Capital expenditure is investment because they require commitment of resources today to receive higher economic benefits (i.e. profit) in the future. Capital expenditure become expenditures are investment because they require commitment of resources today to receive higher economic benefits (i.e. profit) in the future. Capital expenditure become expenses in the future as their related goods and services are being used to earn higher future profits from future revenues or to achieve future cost savings (Welsch, et.al, 1992: 274).

Capital expenditure are made in order to reduce cost, increase output, expand new products or market and meet government regulation. In general capital expenditure is made until the rate of return on the lost dollar investment equals the marginal cost of capital (Paternal and Lewsis, 1995; 151).

Process of capital expenditure plan

The following procedure is to be followed for making a capital expenditure plan (Welsch, et.al., 1992;286).

1. Identify and generate capital addition projects and other needs.
2. Develop and refine capital addition proposals through the collection.
3. Analyze and evaluate all capital additional proposals and alternatives emphasizing the validity of the underlying financial and operational data.
4. Make capital expenditure decision to accept best alternative.
5. Develop capital expenditure decision to accept best alternative.
6. Develop capital expenditure budget.
 - a. Strategic long ranged and
 - b. Tactical short range plan.
7. Establish control of capital expenditure during the budget year by using
8. Conduct post-completion audits and follow up evolutions of actual results from capital expenditures in periods after completion.

2.1.12 Complication of Profit Plan

"The development of an annual profit plan ends with the planned incomes statement, the planned balance sheet, and the planned statement of cash flows. These three statements summarize and integrate the detailed plans developed by management for the planning periods. They also report the primary impacts of the detailed plans on the financial characteristics of the company. At this point in profit, planning the budget director has an important responsibility. Aside from designing and improving the overall system, the budget director has described as an advisor to the various managers to help develop plans for each responsibility center. Now, the plan assembled into a complete profit plan. This is the responsibility of the budget director. Other

essential sub-budgets not already discussed are the following. (Welsch, et.al., 2004; 156]

- i. Planned statement of cost of goods sold planned statement of cost of goods manufacturing.
- ii. Planned income statements
- iii. Planned statement of cash flows
- iv. Planned balance sheet

The planning process involves a long-range profit plan and a short-range profit plan. In developing these plans, many budget schedules are prepared to details plans for each phase of a company's operations. The final steps in the planning process are to complete the profit plan by combining the components schedules and preparing planned financial statements. Planned statements of financial positions, income, and cash flows are prepared in order to determine the implications of the company's plans for its future financial conditions.

2.1.12.1 Cost of Goods Manufactured Budget

To develop the budgeted financial statements, the first logical step is the preparation of the budgeted cost of goods manufactured. Budgets for materials and parts, direct labour, factory overhead applied and production provide data that can be assembled in schedule for budgeted cost goods manufactured. The budgeted cost of goods manufactured is detailed by product and time.

A Specification of Budgeted Cost of Manufactured, by Time and Product

| Time Product | Ref. | Annual total | Quarter 1 | | | Quarters | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----|-----|----------|---|---|---|
| | | | Jan | Feb | Mar | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Product X : | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Material used | Cost of MUB | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Direct labour | DLC budget | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Prime cost | 1 + 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Factory overhead applied | PCG mfg. budget | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Cost of goods manufactured | 3 + 4 | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Units produced | Product budget | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Unit cost | 5 ÷ 4 | | | | | | | | |
| Product Y : | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Material Used | Cost of MUB | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Direct Labour | DLC budget | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Prime cost | 1 ÷ 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Factory overhead applied | PCG mfg. budget | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Cost of goods manufactured | 3 ÷ 4 | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Units produced | Production budget | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Unit cost | 5 ÷ 6 | | | | | | | | |
| Product X and Y : | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Material Used | Cost of MUB | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Direct Labour | DLC budget | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Prime cost | 1 ÷ 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Factory overhead applied | PCG mfg. budget | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Cost of goods manufactured | 3 ÷ 4 | | | | | | | | |

Note:- MUB = Material Usage Budget, PCG = Planned cost goods,

2.1.12.2 Cost of Goods Sold Budget

The cost-of-goods sold budget clearly distinguishes the total cost of total costs of goods manufactured should be expensed this year and how much cost

should be carried to the next year with the inventory. The cost-of-goods-sold budget facilitates the making of the income statement and the balance sheet it is developed by product, time period and sales district. A spreadsheet is used for this purpose.

A Specimen of Budgeted Spreadsheet-Cost of Goods Sold, by Product, Time & Responsibility.

| | Total | | Eastern | | Western | |
|----------------------------|-------|------|---------|------|---------|------|
| | Units | Cost | Units | Cost | Units | Cost |
| Product X : | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | |
| Cost of goods manufactured | | | | | | |
| Add: Beginning inventory | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |
| Less: Ending inventory | | | | | | |
| Sales at cost | | | | | | |
| February : | | | | | | |
| Product Y: | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | |
| Cost goods manufactured | | | | | | |
| Add: Beginning inventory | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |

2.1.12.3 Cash Budget

The cash budget is a plan of future cash receipt and payment. The statement showing the estimated cash income (cash inflow) and cash expenditure (cash outflow) over a projected time period is known as cash Budget. A very helpful tool in cash management is the cash budget. It helps management in planning to avoid unnecessary idle cash balance. In the same

way it also helps to eliminate unneeded expensive borrowing. Thus, the cash budget helps management keep cash balance. In the same way it also helps to eliminate unneeded expensive borrowing. Thus, the cash budget helps management keep cash balances in reasonable relationship to its needs.

According to the Matz-curry-frank, a cash budget serves the following purposes:

- i) It indicates the effect on the cash position of seasonal requirements, large inventories, unseal.
- ii) It indicates cash requirement for a plan or equipment expansion programme.
- iii) It points to the need for additional funds from external sources such as bank loans, issue of securities.
- iv) It indicates the availability of cash for taking advantages of discount offered.
- v) It helps in planning redemption of preference share or redeemable debentures, payment pension etc.
- vi) it shows the availability of excess funds for short long term investment.

A cash budget includes no accrual items. For example, income earned or accrued but not received and expenses incurred or outstanding but not paid are not included in cash budget. Only the cash transactions are included in cash budget. The cash transactions for preparing this budget is obtained from various operating budget discussed above. For example, cash sale and collection from customers can be ascertained from sales budget. Monthly cash purchases cans payment to from labour budget, overhead cost from overhead budget, overhead Receipt and Payment method and its is a common method of proportion.

The cash budget consigs of following four major sections:

| | |
|------------|-----------------|
| Section :1 | Receipt Section |
|------------|-----------------|

| | |
|------------|---------------------------------|
| Section :2 | Disbursement Section |
| Section :3 | Cash Surplus or Deficit Section |
| Section :4 | Financing Section |

Cash budget serves the following purposes:

- ❖ It provides instruments of cash planning and control.
- ❖ It serves prior information regarding preserve liquidity.
- ❖ It provides details of when and where additional cash borrowings necessary.
- ❖ It assists in sound investment policy for both long-term and short-term by revealing excess of cash balances.

A Specimen of Cash Budget, By time Receipts and Disbursement Approach

Cash Budget

For three months ending March

| Items | January | February | March | Total |
|--|---------|----------|-------|-------|
| 1. Beginning Balance | | | | |
| 2. Planned cash receipts : | | | | |
| Cash sales | | | | |
| Collection of account receivables | | | | |
| Notes receivables | | | | |
| Borrowings and issues of bonds | | | | |
| Receipts from dividend, interests, royalties, commission, etc. | | | | |
| Issue of share capital | | | | |
| Disposal of assets | | | | |
| Disposal of assets | | | | |
| Any other likely cash inflows | | | | |
| 3. Total available cash (1+2) | | | | |
| 4. Planned cash disbursement | | | | |

| | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Cash purchase | | | | |
| Payments for accounts payable | | | | |
| Payments for wages, salaries and commission, Royalties etc. | | | | |
| Payments for dividends and interest. | | | | |
| Purchase of new assets | | | | |
| Loan redemption | | | | |
| Other cash expenses and payments | | | | |
| Total planned cash disbursement | | | | |
| 5. Minimum cash balance | | | | |
| 6. Total cash need | | | | |
| 7. Cash balance before financing | | | | |
| 8. Financing: | | | | |
| Borrowing (short term loan) | | | | |
| Repayment Principle | | | | |
| Interest | | | | |
| Total cash under financing | | | | |
| 9. Investment of excess | | | | |
| 10. Ending balance of cash after financing | | | | |

2.1.12.4 Planned Income statement

The planned income statement is one of the key schedules in the completion of the profit plan. It is the document that tells how profitable operations are anticipated to be in the forth-coming period. After it has been prepared, it stands as a benchmark against which subsequent company performance can be measured. The income statement will be complete after addition of the interest expenses, which is computed after the cash budget, has been prepared. It can be developed by time period, sales district and product by assembling appropriate budget amounts from schedules already developed.

A specimen of planned income statement

Budgeted income statement (consolidated) for the 1st 3 months of budgeted year

| Particulars | RS |
|---|-------|
| Sales revenues | |
| (-)cost of gold sold | |
| Gross margin | |
| (-) Selling, distribution & administrative expenses | |
| Net profit before interest and tax | |
| (-) interest (paid and outstanding) | |
| Net profit before tax | |
| (-) Income tax | |
| Net income after tax | |
| (-)Dividend | |
| Retained earnings | |
| | |

2.1.12.5 Planned balance sheet

Beginning with the current balance sheet and adjusting it for the data contained in the other budgets, the planned balance sheet is developed .The balance sheet is the final document in the master budget and even in financial record keeping . The balance sheet shows the final or ending balances of all the account titles. So it can be said a list of the remainder balances of all assets, liabilities and equities. The budgeted balance sheet is developed by beginning with the current balance sheet and by adjusting it for the data contained in the other budgets.

A Specimen for Budgeted Balance Sheet at the End of 3rd month (last day of 3rd month) of budgeted year.....

| Liabilities | Rs. | Assets | Rs. |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------|
| <i>Ownership Capital :</i> | | <i>Fixed Assets:</i> | |
| Share Capital | | Plant & Machinery | |
| P & L a/c (Retained earnings) | | Furniture & Fixture | |
| <i>Long Term Loan:</i> | | (-) Deprecation (....) | ..... |
| Debenture | | <i>Current assets:</i> | |
| Long term debt | | Inventory | |
| <i>Current liabilities:</i> | | Raw material | |
| Creditors, Account payable | | Finished goods | |
| Outstanding wages, expenses etc. | | Debtors, a/c receivable ..... | ..... |
| Bank overdraft (Short term bank loan) | | Cash at bank or in hand | ..... |
| | | | |
| Total | | Total | ..... |

2.1.13 Types of Ratio

Several ratios can be calculated from the accounting data contained in the financial statement. In general, following ratios are on practices:-

- Liquidity Ratios
- Leverage Ratios
- Activity Ratios
- Profitability Ratios

A. Relation with Profit Planning

The ratio analysis can be of invaluable aid to management in the discharge of its basic function of forecasting, planning, Co-ordination, communications and control. By an analytical study of the past performance of the business, it helps in predicting and projecting the future. It assists of communication by conveying information, which is pertinent and purpose to those for whom it is meant. It promotes co-ordination by a study of the

efficiency of the business and paves the way for effective control of business operations by undertaking and appraisal for both the physical and monetary targets. Hence, ratio analysis becomes an integral part of targets. Hence, ratio analysis becomes an integral part of profit planning system.

2.1.13. 1 CVP Analysis

A. Concept of CVP Analysis

The relationship between cost, volume, and profit under constant underlying conditions is known as cost-volume profit analysis. It is an analytical tool for studying the relationship between volume, cost price and profit. CVP analysis is the extension of the built in relationship provided by variable costing. It assumes that under constant underlying condition, CVP analysis can be used for the analysis of break-even volume analysis and contribution margin analysis for profit planning.

Many authors have criticized this assumption of constant underlying condition and the many authors of financial management and accounting have criticized the short-term relationship. Cost volume and profit analysis is a powerful tool in the hands of management for profit planning. The contribution margin analysis provides the best possible answer to the management is many questions. Most management requires a careful analysis of cost behavior in relationship to out put volume and which is possible only through CVP analysis. Besides, CVP analysis deals with how, profit and cost changes in an organization's volume.

CVP summarizes the effect of changes in an organization's volume of activity on its costs, revenue, and profit. The managers of profit seeking organization usually study the relationship of revenue, Expenses and net income.

B. Role and Need of CVP Analysis in Profit Planning

Mostly, planning depends on past and present happening . So profit planning also depends on the past performance and existing present situation. Usually, profits do no-happen, profit are managed and planned. Profit planning for future is possible if the selling price, unit variable cost, fixed cost, and sales volume of the required period can be estimated. For such estimation, CVP analysis is greatly helpful in management decision -making especially in cost control and profit planning. Therefore, CVP analysis provides a lot of information and alternative to have the strategies and utilization of resources. Because CVP analysis answers the following questions and it is very important in profit planning.

For example;

- What sales volume is necessary to produce an X amount of operating profit?
- What will be the operating profit or loss at X sales volume?
- What profit will result if X % increase 'n sales volume?
- What profit will result if X % increase's sales volume?
- What are the additional sales volumes required to make good on X% reduction in selling prices so as to maintain the current profit level?
- What will be the effect in income be the firm achieves a reduction in variable cost.
- What will the effect on profit be if the company's fixed cost have increased or decreased?
- What is the required sales volume to cover the additional fixed charges from the proposed new project?
- What will new project?
- What will be the effect on operating of the firm if sales mixed are changed?
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- What will be the effect on income if there is an increase in FC by an 'X' amount due to new plant but will decrease the labor cost by 'y' volume per unit?
- What Sales volume will be needed to achieve the budgeted profit?

C. Break Even Point Analysis (BEP Analysis)

The cost-volume profit (CVP) analysis is a management accounting tool to show the relationship between these ingredients (Price, Variable cost, fixed cost, Volume) of profit planning. It is the study of the effects of output volume on revenue (sales), expenses (cost) and net income (net Profit). A widely used technique to study CVP relationship is Break Even point analysis.

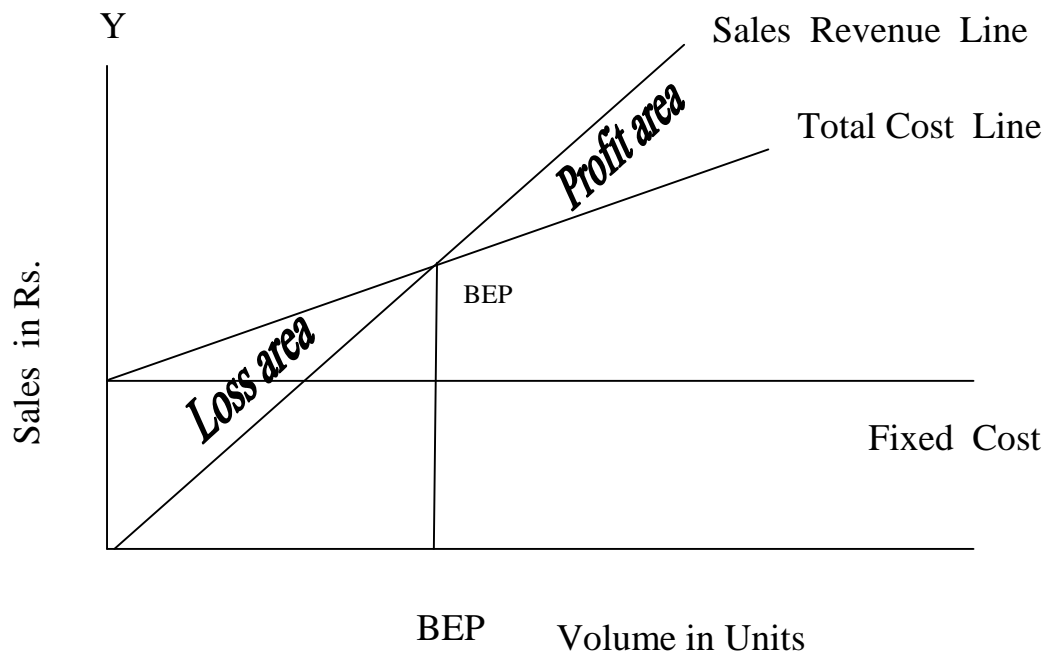
BEP can be computed into rupee value as well as in terms of unit. We can apply three techniques to determine the Break Even point they are as follow:

- Graphic technique
- Equation technique
- Contribution margin technique

Whichever be the technique, all give same information regarding the BEP. The graphic approach is more precise in pictorial form whereas the equation techniques and contribution technique provide mathematically accurate information for managerial decision-making; however, the accuracy of cost and revenue information determines the reliability of BEP analysis.

Break Even Point analysis shows the relationship between the cost and profit with sales volume. Under BEP analysis, we study Break Even Point, which is that point at which sales at such total sales revenue generated is equal to total costs incurred for the particular products for a specific period. It indicates no profit no loss condition in sales range. In other words, the company break even sales at which sales revenue equals expense and it neither gains nor losses from sales of that production quantity.

Graph No. 2.1



Like in the figure, BEP is that sales point which recovers its total cost at which the company breaks the state of loss and enters into profit region. After BEP point, the contribution margin portions of sales turn out the profit. There after the company starts, making profit from sales. Therefore, this analysis gives in-depth insight to management into profit planning.

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2.1.14 Analysis of Budget Variances

Variance analysis is an important tool that can increase the usefulness of performance reports. Rather than taking action only on the basis of difference between actual and planned or budgeted costs or sales, variance analysis

enables management to decompose such differences into smaller sub-variance. Each of these variance relates to a particular type of cause for the overall variance. Variance decomposition helps management to better understand the cause variances from planned performance and take corrective active action through management by exception (Welsch, et.al., 1992; 292)

In studying and evaluating a variance to determine the underlying causes, the following possibilities should be considered (Welsch, et.al, 1992;293)

1. The variance is immaterial
2. Reporting errors causes the variance
3. The variance is caused by specific management decision. To improve efficiency or to meet certain contingencies, management will often make decision that creates variance.
4. Many variance are explained in term of the effect of uncontrollable factors that are identifiable.
5. Those variance for which the underlying causes are not-known should be of primary concern and should be carefully investigated.

There are numerous ways to study or investigate variance to determine the underlying causes. Some of the primary approaches are the following.

1. Conferences with responsibility center managers and supervisors and other employees in the particular responsibility center involved.
2. Analysis of the work including the flow of work, coordination of activities, effectiveness of supervision and other prevailing circumstances.
3. Direct observation.
4. On the spot investigation by the managers
5. Investigation by staff groups.
6. Internal audits.
7. Special studies.

8. Variance analysis (Welsch, et.al., 1992; 302)

Variances are analyzed in the following areas:

1. Sales variance
2. Production variance
3. Raw material variance
4. Labour variance
5. Overhead variance
6. Profit variance

For analysis the variance, following steps are followed:

1. Setting standards
2. Measurement of Performance
3. Analysis variance
4. Taking correcting action

2.1.15 Performance Report

Performance evaluation and management control is mainly focus on the fundamental of establishing a co-ordinate set of performance reports. It is an important part of comprehensive profit planning and control procedures. "These reports have to motivate managers to perform in conformity with expectations. Moreover, they signal upper management when operations are not proceeding according to plans. To be effective performance reports should be, 1 tailored to the organizational structure, 2 simple accurate and timely and 3 used of facilitate management by expectation.

Performance reporting system provides a continuing evaluation of actual results compared with plan. So, many of the company based on reports. Plan goals permit the evaluation of performance as the business moves through the planning periods. It should be, 1 includes all significant aspects of operation, 2 be consistent with assigned responsibilities, 3 implement the management by exception principle.

There are different types of financial reports that are special external reports and internal reports. Performance reports are usually prepared on a monthly basis and follow standard format from period, it is designed to facilitate internal control by management. Finally, the actual results compared with goal and budget plans. Then point out both efficient and inefficient performance.

2.2 Review of previous thesis

These are many research works made on the topics of profit planning and control or budgeting systems in manufacturing company private as well as public enterprise in the context of Nepal. Not all of those previous theses had emphasized the effect of planning in overall profitability. Those previous research have been made on both manufacturing a non-manufacturing concern. An attempt made here to review some of the researches, which have been submitted "Budgeting system, profit planning, and control in the context of Nepal.

2.2.1 Mr. Khagandra Prasad Ojha (1995) has conducted a research, "Profit planning in manufacturing public enterprise, a case study of Royal Drug and Herbs production and processing company's limited", Submitted to faculty of management, center department of TU in particular fulfillment of master degree in management.

Mr. Ojha has tried to point out some objective and major findings to highlight the current practices of profit planning and its effectiveness in research. It was six year from FY 2046/47 to 2051/052 and nature of data used was primary as well as secondary sources.

Objective

- a. To highlight the current practice of PPC and its effectiveness in Nepalese public enterprises.

- b. To analysis the various functional budgets adopted in these enterprises
- c. To analysis the variance between target and actual figures on the enterprises.
- d. To draw a picture of profit planning process adopted in these two enterprises.

Major findings

- a. Inadequate planning of profit to lack of skilled expert planners.
- b. Failure in achievement due to inadequate internal and external variables.
- c. Failure due to inadequate forecasting system.
- d. Lack of entrepreneurship and commercial concepts in overall operation of the enterprise.

Recommendations

- a. It seems necessary to develop, implement, and improve the process of profit planning.
- b. The industry should taken CVP analysis.
- c. Systems of performance report should be strictly followed.
- d. A systematic approach to comprehensive profit planning should be adopted.
- e. Sales forecasting should be made in realistic ground.
- f. The industry should careful from external variables.

2.2.2 Mr. Rajan Raj Ojha (1999) Mr. Rajan Raj Ojha has conducted a research work in the topic, "Planning process and its impact on profitability" in manufacturing private company of Nepal, Roahin and Turpentine Limited. Mr. Ojha mainly centered with current practice of profit planning and its is effectiveness in GRIT. The study covers only five-year periods from FY 2058/059 to 2062/063. The data with other information's were taken from both

primary and secondary sources. Finally, the objectives finding of that research work as follows,

Objectives

- a. To analysis profit planning applied in GRIT.
- b. To analysis the variance between budgeted and actual achievement of the authority.
- c. To analysis the major functional and financial plan formulated and implemented in GRIT.
- d. To give possible suggestion and recommendation to GRIT according to the study of it's planning system.

Major finding

Mr. Ojha has point out some major finding measures based on his study as follows;

- a. The industry has not utilized full capacity.
- b. Actual sales of rosin are more fluctuating than budgeted sales. In addition, budgeted production of rosin is more fluctuating than actual production.
- c. GRIT has earned profit it from the starting FY.
- d. GRIT has no practice of preparing but strategic and actual plan.
- e. The net profit and gross profit are increasing trends in every year.
- f. Net profit is very low than the gross profit.
- g. GRIT was able to meet its BEP sales.
- h. GRIT has no practice of cost segregation.
- i. Investment in every current asset is being higher than necessary.

Recommendations

- a. GRIT has in dept of industry strength and weakness. Therefore, it should try to overcome it is weakness by going the strength..
- b. They utilize full capacity to increase more incomes.

- c. It should develop its specific goals for the coming year.
- d. GRIT should make search of market of production third country.
- e. CVP relationship should be considered.
- f. It should make sales promotion.
- g. The cost control programme should be introduced.
- h. Cost should be classified.

2.2.3 Mr. Pradip Poudel (2000) has been conducted a research on the topic of profit planning in Nepalese manufacturing enterprise. He was done a case study of Royal Drugs Limited."

The main objectives of this research were as

- 1. To examine the existing practice of profit planning.
- 2. To analysis the different functional budget adopted by RDL.
- 3. To evaluate the deviations between planned and actual.
- 4. To sketch the trend of profit and loss.

Major Findings

- 1. Authority, duty, responsibility and accountability are not identified between various levels of management.
- 2. Reward and punishment system is not systematic and employees of RDL are not careful of their duties and responsibilities.
- 3. Budgeted sales and actual sales have positive correlation.
- 4. The top level management does not involve lower level management in planning and decision making.
- 5. The actual production is high in two than target production, which indicates the unsound combinations of plan and actual.

Recommendation

- 1. The company should analyze, its strengths and weakness.
- 2. To operate company efficiently, employers motivation should be considered.

3. The company should increase their production and sales volume to utilize of available capacity.
4. RDL should prepare the sales and production budgets.
5. Management should be given full authority, responsibility and accountability for a daily routine and operations.
6. The necessary arrangement should be over viewed to increase the production capacity.

2.2.4 Mr. Bhushan Shakya (2000) has been conducted a research on the topic "profit planning and control in public utility enterprises in Nepal". He was done a case study of NTC. The main objective of the study was to examine the current practice of profit planning and control and its effectiveness in NTC. The study covers five year period of time form 1999 to 2003.

Other objectives area follows:

1. To examine the practice and effective ness of budgeting and profitability of NTC.
2. To examine NTC's sales budgeting system and its relationship with production budget and expenses budget.

Major findings

1. NTC prepares only short range sales budget classifying the service type (consumer type). It does not prepares long term sales budget in detail.
2. The budgeted sales in not adequate.
3. Positive relationship between budgeted and actual achievement.
4. There is not any practice of preparing flexible budget.

Recommendations

1. There should be proper communication of plan from top level to the lower level of management.

2. NTC should conduct training on professional development to every level of staffs. At least every officer at decision making level and departmental managers must be familiar with the process of profit planning and control.
3. Emphasis should be given to variance analysis so that corrective actions could be taken in time.
4. Budgets should be prepared on realistic ground and efforts should be made to minimize the gap between the target and achievement.
5. The controllable and non-controllable expenses should be clearly stated.

2.2.5 Mr. Nur Nath Subedi (2002) conducted a research in the topic, "Profit Planning in Mfg Company in Nepal. A case study of Nepal Rohin and Turpentine Ltd" this research was mainly focused on profit planning system and drawbacks of NEROT. The study covers only four years period from FY 2051/052 to 2055/056. The main objective of the study as follow.

Objectives

- a. To analyses the profit planning system applied in NEROT.
- b. To analyze the plans applied and effectiveness of this plans.
- c. To highlight the objective of the enterprises.
- d. To examine actual achievement and plans met or not.
- e. To provide the possible suggestions to NEROT.
- f. Wrong pricing decision.
- g. Lack of skilled planners.
- h. Lack of sufficient market strategy.

Mr. Nur Nath subedi was also some recommendation to point-out the NEROT weakness and inefficient in the planning process.

Recommendation

- a. To try to overcome it's weakness by using and knowing the strengths.

- b. To utilize its full capacity to increase its production and reduce its cost.
- c. To manage from a democratic style.
- d. To fix price by considering its cost production.
- e. To allow periodical performance reports strictly.
- f. To make sales promotion by different media.
- g. To search product market in a third country.
- h. to increase its liquidity position.

2.2.6 Ms Indira Ghimire (2005)

Ms Ghimire has made a research on the topic, "Profit Planning in a Manufacturing Company of Nepal: a case study of NLL". She has pointed out some features and problems of profit planning, prevailing practices, and a premise for implementing profit planning in NLL. Both primary as well as secondary data used in the study covers only a seven-year period from 1997/98 to 2003/04. Ms Ghimire pointed out some objective and major findings based upon her analysis. Some of them were as follows;

Objective

- a. To analyze the various functional budgets adopted by NLL.
- b. To analyze the profit planning system applied in NLL.
- c. To assess the financial performance analysis of NLL.
- d. To analyze the variance between budgets and actual achievements of profit plans.
- e. To examine the practice and effectiveness of profit plans.
- f. To examine the practice and effectiveness of profit planning.

2.3 Research Gap

All the research studies mentioned above want to focus on overall profit planning of the organization and have pointed out that there is no proper

planning system and has recommendation for effective implementation of profit planning system.

This study is different from previous studies. This study focused only one specific area of overall budgeting taking the special references of WIPL. This study is mainly focused on budgeting and actual achievement. It also tries to identify the cause of deviation in WIPL and role of budgeting in the effective formulation and implementation of profit planning system. Similarly, the study attempts to measure the effectiveness of budgeting and controlling the performance. Furthermore Most of the previous studies had emphasized to public or government owned enterprise but they had no attempted analysis the profit planning of partner or sole conducted industry therefore, this study designed to highlight the budgeting process of WIPL and its impact on profitability the study has been at more emphasizing the effects of planning on the profitability. This study is trying to do something new on the field of regular research related to profit planning and control.

CHAPTER - THREE

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

3.1 Introduction

Research is systematic and organized effort to investigate a specific problem that needs a solution. This process of investigation involves a series of well -thought –out activities of gathering, recording, analyzing and interpreting the data with the purpose of finding answers to the problem. Thus, Research methodology refers to the techniques that the researchers use in performing research program in the specific field. It should be properly and systematically use in order to achieve designed objectives of the study.

This case study concerned to the “ Western International Pvt. Ltd.” and its profit planning and controlling system. To fulfill defined objectives of the study appropriate research methodology has to be followed .So this chapter is related with the research methodology applied in this study. It is the most important part of the study. Therefore, it helps us to find out accuracy, validity, & suitability. Research methodology covers research design, research variables, period covered, data collection procedures, sources of data, types of data used and data analysis tools systematically use in this study.

3.2 Research Design

Research design means an overall framework or plan for the activities to be undertaken during the course of research study.

According to Kerlinger(1986) “Research design is the plan, structure, and strategy of investigation conceived so as to obtain answers to research questions and to control variance.”

This research design of this study is analytical as well as descriptive approach. The main objective of this study is an examination and evaluation of

the budgeting procedure in the process of profit planning and controlling the activities of WIPL. This study is closely related with the various functional budget and other accounting statement as well as actual results over budgeted. So analytical approach has been considerably adopted to present data properly and effectively. Similarly, the descriptive approach is used on effectiveness of profit planning & controlling system of WIPL, dealing with problems of formulating & implementing the profit plan and theoretical prescriptions etc.

3.3 Time Period Covered

This study is undertaken for a period of four years i.e. from the fiscal year 2004/05 to 2007/08. For the purpose of short-term profit analysis, data has been taken from fiscal year 2007/008. Strategic or long-term profit plan analysis, data has taken from previous four years i.e. 2004/05 to 2007/08.

3.4 Nature and Sources of Data

Data and information is main sources of research. For this study different techniques and procedures have been used to collect necessary information and data. Mainly secondary data and information used for this study. The sources of secondary data are:

-) Published and unpublished relevant documents of WIPL.
-) Official records and publications of WIPL.
-) Publications of Ministry of industry, commerce and supplies.
-) Magazines and booklets published by WIPL on relevant matters.
-) Similar previous thesis / dissertations.
-) Other reports, journals, and periodicals related to this topic.

3.5 Research Variables

The research variables of the study are sales, production, purchase, labour expenses, profit & loss, total assets, total capital employed, cash flow that related to short-term as well as long-term period of WIPL.

3.6 Data Analysis Tools

Data collected from various sources should be managed, analyzed, and presented in proper and systematic way for sound research study. To analyze the collected data, basically two types of tools have been used. They are statistical tools and financial tools.

) Statistical tools includes mean, standard deviation, coefficient of variance, variance, correlation analysis, regression analysis, time series, percentage, graph, diagram etc. and

Financial tool includes ratio analysis. Ratio analysis is a financial device to measure the financial positions, major strength and weakness of firm.

CHAPTER - FOUR

PRESENTATION AND ANALYSIS OF DATA

4.1 Introduction

The basic objectives of the study are highlighted in the first chapter. To meet these basic objectives of the study the collected data should be presented and analyzed according to the research methodology as mentioned in the third chapter.

The data presentation and analysis is the most important chapter. This chapter deals with the presentation, analysis and interpretation of relevant data of 'Western International Pvt. Ltd.' to obtain the objective of the study. A report can be worthless if interpretation is faulty, even if valid reliable data have been collected. The purpose of this chapter is to match data analysis and interpretation. After collection of data has to be processed and analyzed in accordance with the outline laid down for the purpose at the time of developing the research plan. The presentation, analysis and these interpretation of collected data of Western International Pvt. Ltd. are as follows:

4.2 Operating Budget

4.2.1 Sales Budget

Sales budget is the primary steps in the budgeting process. It is also inputs to developing other functional budget.

The sales budget shows the quantities of each product that the company plans to sell provides the prediction of total sales revenue. It also provides the basic data for constructing budgets for production budget, selling and distribution budget/expenses and administrative expenses. The sales budget is therefore the foundation of all other budgets, since all expenditure is ultimately dependent on the volume of sales. If the sales budget estimates will be unreliable.

Sales budget includes strategic (long-term) sales plan, which covers the periods of 5 or more year and tactical (Short-term) sales plan which covers the

period of one fiscal year. To achieve defined objective, WIPL had prepared only sales plan, WIPL prepared budgeted sales budget for ten year.

Sales budget is prepared by products, by times and by sales territory in amount as well as in volume or quantity..

$$\text{Sales budget in Rs} = \text{Sales units} \times \text{SPPU}$$

Table: No. 4.1

Sales Budget for the budgeted year 2007/08

| Particular | 1 st Qtr. | 2nd Qtr. | 3rd Qtr. | 4th Qtr. | Total |
|---------------|----------------------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| Sales (units) | 12000 | 8500 | 9500 | 16000 | 46000 |
| SPPU | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 |
| Sales in Rs. | 1320000 | 935000 | 1045000 | 1760000 | 5060000 |

Long term sales plan

The following table represents the budgeted and actual sales for the period covering of F.Y. 2004/05 to 2007/08.

Table No. 4.2

Sales budgeted and Actual Sales

| Fiscal year | Budgeted sales in cartoons | Actual sales in cartoons | Achievement % |
|-------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| 2004/05 | 32000 | 30000 | 93.75 |
| 2005/06 | 40000 | 35000 | 87.5 |
| 2006/07 | 50000 | 45000 | 90.00 |
| 2007/008 | 50000 | 46000 | 92.00 |
| Total | 172000 | 156000 | - |

Source: Annual Report of WIPL

The table no. 4.2 shows the comparison between budgeted sales with actual sales of WIPL. It shows the satisfactory sales achievement of cartoon through the actual sales figures have not met the budgeted figures but the achievement is very near or average budgeted sales. The lowest achievement is in F.Y. 2005/06, which is 87.5 of budgeted sales and greatest achievement is in F.Y. 2004/05, which is very close to budgeted or 93.75% of budgeted sales.

To find out the nature of validity of actual and budgeted sales of different FY, it is necessary to find-out the different statistical calculation which are arithmetic mean standard deviation and co-efficient of variation of

actual and budgeted sales figure of WIPL for the FY 2004/05 to 2007/08. The calculation of these statistical tools are presented in appendix-II.

Table no. 4.3

Different between Budgeted Sales and Actual Sales

| Tools | Budgeted sales in Cartoons (X) | Actual sales in Cartoons (Y) |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Mean (\bar{X}) | 43000 | 39000 |
| Standard deviation \dagger_{xy} | 239 | 213 |
| Coefficient of variation (C.V) | .55% | .55% |
| Correlation r_{xy} | 99.16% | |

Sources: Appendix- II

The table no. 4.3 shows that the result of statistical calculation. Above table represent that the average budgeted sales is greater than the average actual sales. It also shows that the coefficients of variation of budgeted sales and actual sales are equal, it means the actual sales are more flexible to the budgeted sales. C.V. measure the level of risk. Lower the C.V. is said to more homogeneous or less variable than other. Therefore, the sales manager should be conscious about reducing budgeted sales fluctuation.

The correlation coefficient is used to analyze the relationship between budgeted and actual sales. For this purpose, Karl Pearson's correlation coefficient is used and it is denoted by (r). Correlation coefficient measures the degree of association between budgeted and actual sales figures. If budgeted sales and actual sales flows the same direction. There is positive correlation. But, it flows the opposite direction, there is negative correlation. To find out the correlation between budgeted and actual sales (r_{xy}), budgeted sales has assumed as independent variable (x), and actual sales as dependent variable (y). From the above the calculated value of correlation(r_{xy}) is 0.9916. It provides that the budgeted and actual sale flow in the same direction and there is high degree of positive correlation between budgeted and actual sales.

Another statistical tool is least square. Method or time series .It shows the relationship between actual sales and time factor of the relevant year, which is an important factor for the study of trend of actual sales. To fit straight line

trend, the time factor should be considered as an important factor and actual sales is considered as independent factor.

The equation of straight line trend as follows:

$$Y_c = a + bx$$

Where , Y = Actual sales

X = Time

a = Fixed value

b = variable value

... Y_c : 1259059+ 66346x from (Appendix-II)

$$\dots Y_c = 1259059 + 66346x$$

The above equation shows that sales will increase by 60346 cartoons yearly. This is the past trend and continues in the future with the help of above equation, we estimate the actual sales for the fiscal year 2064/065.

..Actual sales for FY. 2064/065

$$\begin{aligned} Y_c \text{ 2064/065} &= 1259059 + 603346 \times 3 \\ &= 1440097 \text{ Cartoons} \end{aligned}$$

The budgeted and actual sales have also shown on the following graphical form.

Graph no.4.1
Budged and actual Sales

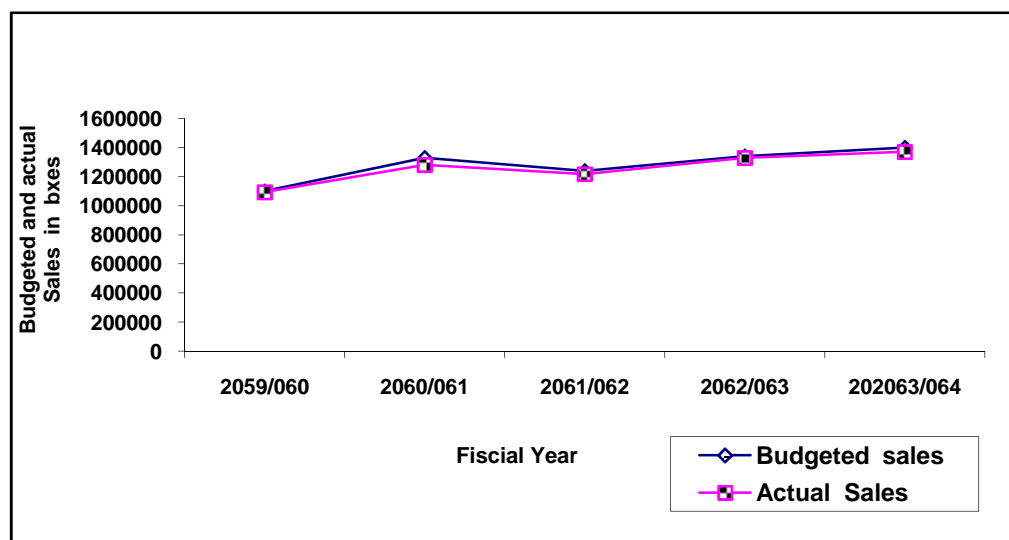
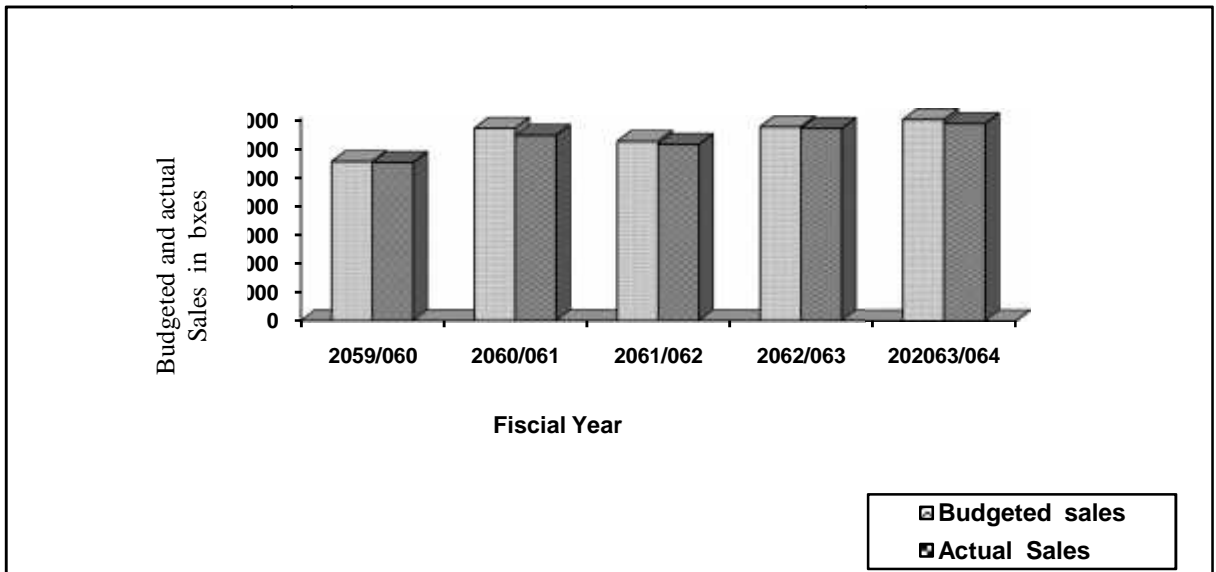


Diagram no.4.1
Budged and actual Sales



The above graphical presentation shows that the actual sales do not meet the budgeted sales. However, both lines are in approximately parallel from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08.

4.2.2 Production Budget

Production budget is the second steps of profit planning or Budgeting system. Production budget is prepared based on sales budget. On the other hand, sales requirement is to be translated into production budget to fulfill the objective of the sales plan requirement. Production plan always depends upon the budget sales and desire inventory level. If sales volume and inventory level is high, production plan also be high. The responsibility of preparation and operation of production budget lies with production manager. Normally, production budget will be prepare long and short range periods. But in respect of WIPL only long range production plan is prepared but short-range production plan prepare only adhoc basis.

WIPL is a private manufacturing industry, which produce single product name Carolina Mineral Water. It is sales based organization mainly it produces goods to spread its market and also produces after demand from customer. Therefore, the finished goods inventory has no proper planning and it maintain

stable inventory policy. The details production plan has shown in the following table.

The following table shows the actual and budgeted production budget from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08.

Table no. 4.4
Budgeted and Actual production of WIPL

| FY | Budgeted production in (Cartoons) | Actual production in (Cartoons) | Achievement in (%) |
|---------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| 2004/05 | 35000 | 33500 | 95.71 |
| 2005/06 | 45000 | 42700 | 94.89 |
| 2006/07 | 60000 | 51200 | 85.33 |
| 2007/08 | 60000 | 51700 | 86.16 |

Source: annual report of WIPL 2007/08.

The above table 4.4 shows that the production is fluctuating but the fluctuation ratio is not significant. To find out the nature of validity of budgeted and actual production of different years, we have to calculate the arithmetic mean, standard deviation, and coefficient of variation. The detail calculations of these variables have presented in appendix-III.

Table no. 4.5
Budgeted and Actual Production Relationship

| Statistical Tools | Budgeted production in cartoons(X) | Actual production in Cartoons (Y) |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Mean (\bar{X}) | 50000 | 44775 |
| Standard deviation \dagger_{xy} | 335 | 235 |
| Coefficient of variation (C.V) | .67% | .52% |
| Correlation r_{xy} | 99.33% | |

Source: Appendix -III

The above table no. 4.5 shows that the validity of budgeted and actual sales. It shows that the average budgeted production is greater than that the average actual production. The coefficient of variation of budgeted production .67% and actual production is .52%. It means C.V of budgeted production is

greater than C.V of actual production. That cause, the actual production is less variable than that of budgeted production.

The value of r is positive which 99.33%. It shows that the co-relation between budgeted and actual production is very high positive. It means, both of them flow in same direction.

Least square method can also be used to analyze the trend of actual production and to estimate the possible future production for a given period or year. A straight line trend will show the relationship between actual production a period of the relevant year. To fit this straight line trend, the time factor has considered as an independent variable and production has considered as a dependent factor. So, the straight line of actual production (Y) is express as following way.

$$Y_c = a+bx$$

Where , Y_c = Straight line trend

X = Independent

Y = Dependent factor

a = Fixed value

b = variable value

$$\dots Y_c = 39000 - 6500x$$

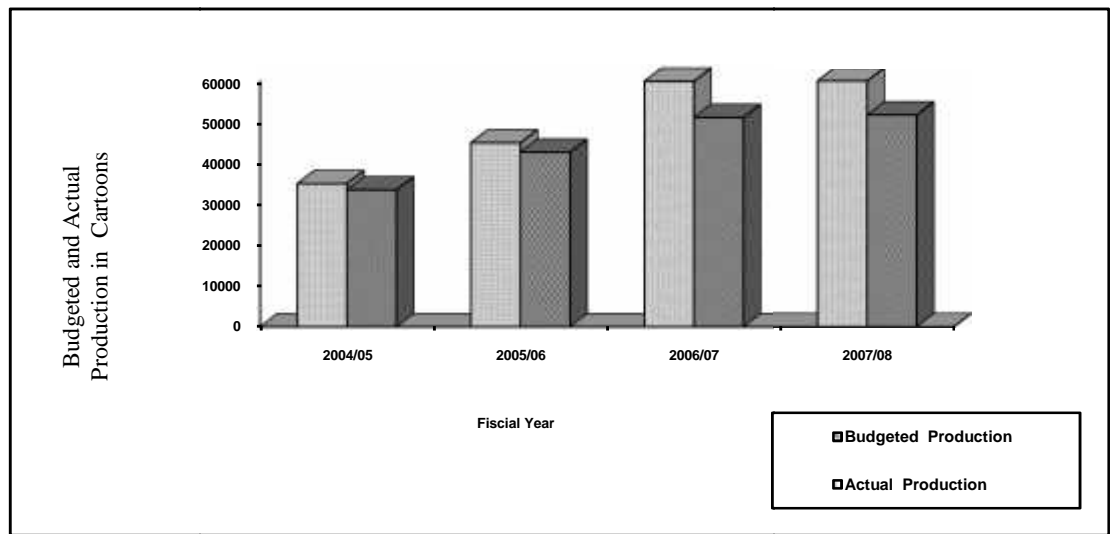
This above equation shows that the actual production will be decrease by 6500 in every year. In addition, trend of the past years continuous in the future also other wise it is not possible. By the help of this equation, we estimate the value of actual expected production for fiscal year 2008/09.

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{2008/09} &= 39000 - 6500x \\ &= 39000 - 6500 | 2 \end{aligned}$$

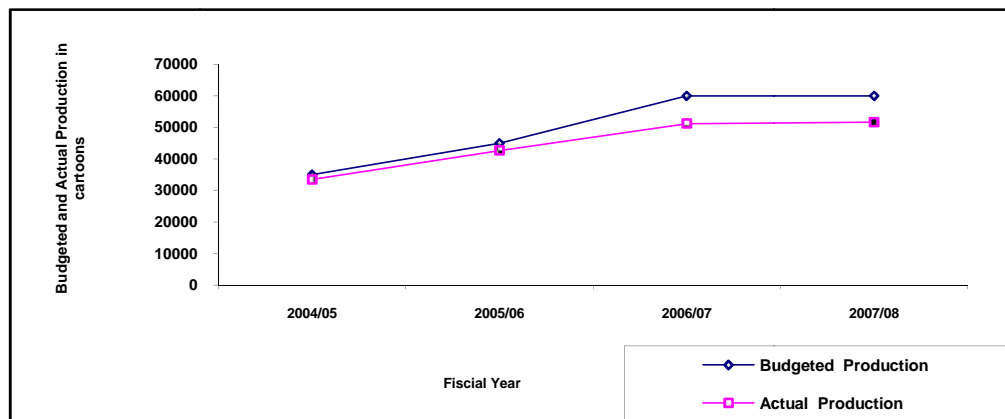
$$Y_{2008/09} = 26000 \text{ cartoons.}$$

If the trend does not change, the possible production for FY 2008/09 will be 26000 cartoons. The budgeted and actual production has shown by graphical presentation, which has presented below.

Diagram no. 4.2
Budged and actual Production



Graph no. 4.2
Budged and actual Production



The above graphical presentation shows that the actual and budgeted production flows same direction upto FY 2005/06. So the lines are parallel upto FY 2005/06. In FY 2006/07 production flows the same direction but actual production is greater than the budgeted production. Thus, budgeted and actual lines are crossing on this point.

The production budget always depends upon sales budget. production budget is prepared based on sales budget. So it is necessary to examine whether production meets sales or not. It is important to analysis the relationship between actual production and actual sales. The correlation between them should be analysis with the help of following table:

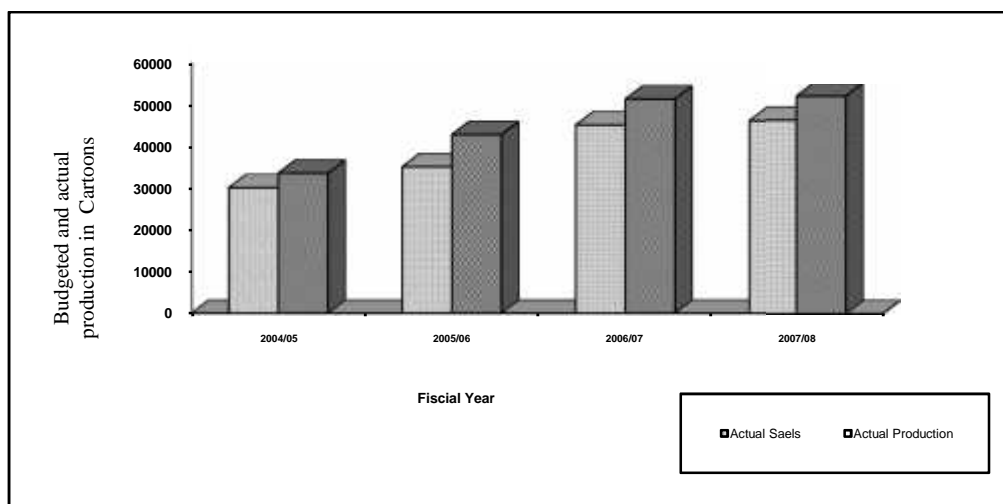
Table no. 4.6
Actual sales and Actual production of WIPL

| FY | Actual Sales (X) | Actual Production (Y) | Achievement (%) |
|---------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 2004/05 | 30000 | 33500 | 89.55 |
| 2005/06 | 35000 | 42700 | 81.97 |
| 2006/07 | 45000 | 51200 | 87.89 |
| 2007/08 | 46000 | 51700 | 88.97 |

Source: annual report of WIPL

The above table no. 4.6 shows that the actual sales and actual production of WIPL. The actual sales is less than actual production from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08. The actual achievement of production on sales is higher than 100% in every year. It can be presented in the following diagram,

Diagram no. 4.3
Actual Sales and actual Production



The above diagram has also presented the relationship between actual sales and production of WIPL. To find-out the nature validity of actual sales and actual production, we have to calculate different statistical results. The detail calculation has presented in appendix-IV.

Table no. 4.7

Actual sales and actual production relationship

| Statistical Tools | Actual Sales (X) | Actual Production (Y) |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Mean (\bar{X}) | 39000 | 44775 |
| Standard deviation \dagger_{xy} | 213 | 235 |
| Coefficient of variation (C.V) | .55% | .52% |
| Correlation r_{xy} | 98.20% | |

Sources: Appendix- IV

From the above table no. 4.7 average actual sales is less than average actual production $39000 < 44775$. It means deviation occurred on actual production is high than the deviation of actual sales . C.V. of actual sales .55% and C.V of actual production is .52% that why the actual production is more variable than that the actual sales.

The correlation between actual sales and actual production is 0.9820 or 98.20%. It denotes that there is very high positive correlation between actual sales and production.

Another statistical tools regression analysis also uses to measures the relationship between actual sales and production. It also helps to estimate the possible future figure .For this, we assumed actual sales is dependent and actual production is independent variables,

Actual sales (X) = dependent variable

Actual production (Y) = independent variable

The regression equation, X on Y is as follows;

$$f_X \bar{X} \pm r_{xy} \left| \frac{\dagger_x}{\dagger_y} \right| f_Y \bar{Y}$$

$$\dots X = 0.89Y - 850 \text{ (From Appendix-IV)}$$

From the above equation, we estimate the actual sales. For 2007/08

If actual production (Y) = 51700

$$X = 0.89 | 51700 - 850$$

$$X = 45163 \text{ cartoons.}$$

4.2.3 Material purchase budget

After preparation of sales and production budget, we prepare purchase or material purchase budget. Material is essential for production of finished goods. Generally, purchase budget based on production budget. First, we calculate material consumption based on consumption rate than inventory level is determined with the help of inventory and consumption. We find-out every year material purchase in units and rupees.

Therefore, ending inventory and production level plays vital role for this budget. WIPL has no systematic purchase budget. WIPL has used different kinds of material use to produce its product. They purchase all raw materials from Nepalese suppliers at different price. WIPL uses only rupees basis purchase budget. The purchase budget of WIPL has presented as following table from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08.

Table no. 4.8
Budgeted and Actual purchase and Achievement

| FY | Budgeted Purchase Rs. (X) | Actual Purchase Rs (Y) | Achievement in (%) |
|---------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2004/05 | 2800000 | 2646500 | 94.52 |
| 2005/06 | 3000000 | 2765000 | 92.16 |
| 2006/07 | 4000000 | 4044800 | 101.12 |
| 2007/08 | 4200000 | 4084300 | 97.25 |

Source: annual report of WIPL 2007/08.

We have;

Material consumption = Production | Standard rate

Material Purchase = consumption + ending inventory - beginning
inventory of Raw material

The above table no. 4.8 shows that the actual purchase and budgeted purchase of material. It indicates that there was satisfactory achievement of purchase. The highest achievement of purchase is 101.12% to FY 2006/07 and lowest achievement is 92.16% in FY 2005/06.

4.2.4 Actual Overhead Expenses

After preparation of material purchase of purchase budget, WIPL has prepaid overhead expenses budget. WIPL has included different expenses items under overhead. These are administrative expenses, selling expenses, interest and depreciation expenses. The main objective of this budget is to control over the administrative expenses. WIPL has no prepared systematic overhead plan. The trend of past FY overhead expenses shown as following table;

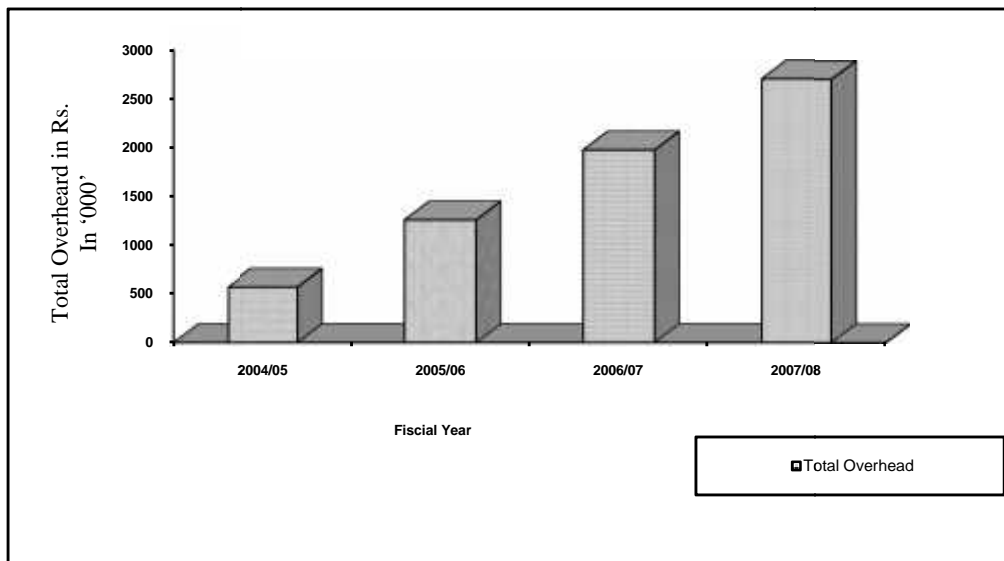
Table no. 4.9
Actual overhead budget of WIPL

| FY | Administrative Expenses | Selling expenses | Interest on Loan | Depreciation of FA | Total overhead |
|---------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 2004/05 | 378782.15 | 17829.32 | 48000 | 122719.17 | 567330.64 |
| 2005/06 | 437117.07 | 21932 | 48000 | 180420.69 | 1254800.4 |
| 2006/07 | 447918.02 | 33911 | 48000 | 187521 | 1972150.42 |
| 2007/08 | 437427.81 | 34102 | 48000 | 209264.82 | 2700945.05 |

Source: annual report of WIPL 2007/08

Above table no. 4.9, shows that the total overheads expenses of past fiscal year from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08. WIPL has paid continuous stable amount of interest for a long-term loan. Selling and administrative expenses has been increasing continuously. However the higher Selling and distribution expenses was Rs. 34102 in FY 2007/08, and the least was Rs. 17829.32 in FY 2004/05. and was Rs. 378782.15 in FY. 2004/05 for administration. It can be presented in the following diagram;

Diagram no. 4.4
Total Overhead Expenses



The above diagram shows that the total overhead budget of WIPL. The diagram shows that total expenditure increasing continuously up to 2007/08. In conclusion, there was increasing overhead expenditure every year on the effect of high fluctuating in administrative expenses and the management has not adequate policy for overhead expenditure.

4.2.5 Labour Budget

After preparation of production budget, WIPL has prepared labour budget or labor budget. Labour budget always based upon production budget. Based on man-hour needed to produce 1 unit product, it determine total man-hour and total no of manpower to produce total requirement. WIPL has no systematic labor budget. Therefore, onthe study we presented total actual labour expenses in an every FY. The actual labour expenses budget shows the following table.

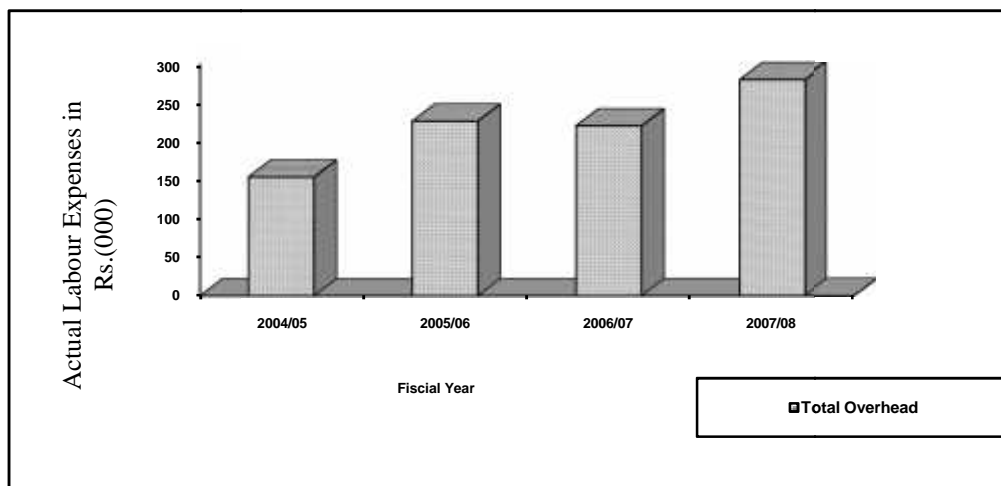
Table no. 4.10
Actual labour expenses budget

| FY | Actual labour expenses (Rs) | Chage % |
|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
| 2004/05 | 154927 | - |
| 205/06 | 227894 | 47.09 |
| 2006/07 | 221746 | (2.77) |
| 2007/08 | 282116 | 21.40 |

Source: Annual Report of WIPL 2007/08

The table no. 4.10 shows that the labour expenses budget in rupees. In FY 2004/05, a labour expenses was Rs 154927 that was increasing upto FY 2005/06. However, It means there was fluctuation into labour expenses because WIPL has not determined the labour to produce its product. The management has also not considered on proper planning of labour expenses. The above labour expenses budget can be shown by following diagram;

Diagram no. 4.5
Actual Labour Expenses



The above graphical presentation shows that the actual labour expenses have fluctuated from FY 2004/05 upto 2007/08. In FY 2007/08 labour expenses was comparatively high than other year. It represent that the management of WIPL has no conscious under labour plan. It is needed to improve it's planning in coming years due to lack of planning of required level of labour. The labour expenses have fluctuated in every year.

4.2.6 Capital Expenditure Budget of WIPL

Capital expenditure budget has also called capital budgeting. It is the process of planning and controlling of capital expenses. It deals with the fund to obtain operating assets, which will be help to increase future revenue and reduce future costs. It is the expenditure for land, building, equipment, and permanent additional working capital associated with sales growth. Mainly, Capital expenditure budget concern with cash outlay , net present value, IRR, ARR, PI, WIPL has also spent on capital expenditure i.e. plant and equipment or fixed assets.

4.3 Financial Budget

4.3.1 Cash Budget of WIPL

Cash budget shows the planned cash inflows, outflows and the ending position by interim period for a specific time span. Most company most develop both long term and short-term plans about their cash flows. A cash budget basically includes two parts

- i) The planned cash receipts
- ii) Planned cash payment

Planning of cash inflows and outflows gives the planned ending cash positions for the budget period and this will indicate

- a) The need for financing probable cash deficits.
- b) The need for investment planning to put excess cash to profitable use.

Cash budget shows the details of cash receipts cash disbursement and the balance cash. The cash budget is the composed of four sections:

- 1. The receipt section
- 2. The disbursement section
- 3. The cash excess or deficiency section
- 4. The financing section.

4.3.2 Budgeted Income Statement

The budgeted income statement is one of the key schedules in the budget generally prepared at consolidated form. A budgeted income statement

shows the expected revenue and expenses for the budget period, assuming that document that tells how profitable operations are anticipated for the forthcoming period.

Table 4.11
Income Statement of WIPL For the year ending 2004/05

| particulars | | Amount (Rs.) |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Sales revenue | | 3300000 |
| -Mfg. expenses | | 2646500 |
| Gross Profit | | 653500 |
| -Non-Mfg. expenses | | |
| Administration | 378782.15 | |
| Selling and distribution | 17829.32 | |
| Interest | 48000 | |
| depreciation | 122719.17 | |
| | | 567330.64 |
| | | 86169.36 |
| Net profit before tax | | |
| +Interest received | | |
| Net profit | | 86169.36 |

The above tables 4.11, shows the total Net profit of FY 2004/05 is Rs. 86169.36.

Table 4.12
Income Statement of WIPL For the year ending 2005/06

| particulars | | Amount (Rs.) |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Sales revenue | | 3850000 |
| -Mfg. expenses | | 2765000 |
| Gross Profit | | 1085000 |
| -Non-Mfg. expenses | | |
| Administration | 437117.07 | |
| Selling and distribution | 21932 | |
| Interest | 48000 | |
| depreciation | 180420.69 | |
| | | 687469.76 |
| Net profit before tax | | 397530.24 |
| +Interest received | | |
| Net profit | | 397530.24 |

The above tables 4.12, shows the total Net profit of FY 2005/06 is Rs. 397530.24.

Table 4.13
Income Statement of WIPL For the year ending 2006/07

| particulars | | Amount (Rs.) |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Sales revenue | | 4950000 |
| -Mfg. expenses | | 4044800 |
| Gross Profit | | 905200 |
| -Non-Mfg. expenses | | |
| Administration | 447918.02 | |
| Selling and distribution | 33911 | |
| Interest | 48000 | |
| depreciation | 187521 | |
| | | 717350.02 |
| Net profit before tax | | 187849.98 |
| +Interest received | | |
| Net profit | | 187849.98 |

The above tables 4.13, shows the total Net profit of FY 2006/07 is Rs. 187849.98

Table 4.14
Income Statement of WIPL For the year ending 2007/08

| particulars | | Amount (Rs.) |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Sales revenue | | 5060000 |
| -Mfg. expenses | | 4084300 |
| Gross Profit | | 975700 |
| -Non-Mfg. expenses | | |
| Administration | 473427.81 | |
| Selling and distribution | 34102 | |
| Interest | 48000 | |
| depreciation | 209264.82 | 764794 |
| | | 210905.37 |
| Net profit before tax | | |
| +Interest received | | |
| Net profit | | 210905.37 |

The above tables 4.14 shows the total Net profit of FY of 2007/08 is Rs.210905.37

4.4 Variance Analysis

The terms variance means, the deviation of the actual figure from the budgeted figure due to various causes. It is the process of calculating the deviation of actual figure from budgeted figure and interpreting the result. Variance analysis helps to ascertain the magnitude of each variance and cause of variance, So that corrective action can be taken. In the case of variance analysis when actual figure is greater than budgeted figure, variance was favorable. When actual result not better than budgeted figure. Unfavorable variances arises. Normally, we have been analyzed the following variance of WIPL for four fiscal year.

Table no. 4.15
Sales, Production variance of WIPL

| FY | Budgeted | Actual | Variance | Remark |
|------------|----------|--------|----------|-------------|
| 2004/05 | 32000 | 30000 | 2000 | unfavorable |
| 2005/06 | 40000 | 35000 | 5000 | unfavorable |
| 2006/07 | 50000 | 45000 | 5000 | unfavorable |
| 2007/08 | 50000 | 46000 | 4000 | unfavorable |
| Production | | | | |
| 2004/05 | 35000 | 33500 | 1500 | unfavorable |
| 2005/06 | 45000 | 42700 | 2300 | unfavorable |
| 2006/07 | 60000 | 51200 | 8800 | unfavorable |
| 2007/08 | 60000 | 51700 | 8300 | unfavorable |

Source: Annual Report of WIPL 2007/08

Above table no. 4.15 shows that the sales, production variances of WIPL. The variance of sales and production in all fiscal year was unfavorable. Therefore, the responsibility department should be held accountable for this unfavorable sales and production variance and take corrective action. It is clear that the production manager cannot success to estimate rightly. So, the purchase manager should take corrective action to minimize the adverse impact of such unfavorable variances.

4.5 Introduction of cost Behavior

Identification of the validity of cost is necessary in planning and controlling of cost. Thus, the knowledge of cost behavior is very important. Generally, cost behaviors in two ways with relation to volume of output. Some cost does not change with output. But unlike that some changes proportionately with the change in output.

According to the behavior of the cost , cost can be classified in two categories: 1) Fixed cost, it remains constant in total period of time and 2)Variable cost, It change in total directly with changes in output or volume of operation but remains constant in per unit basis.

Classification of costs into variable and fixed is very important to plan cost. It helps to determine the volume of operation desired to maintain the industry's profitability. However, WIPL has not made systematic classification

of cost into fixed and variable. The classification of expenses in fixed and variable component of WIPL is presented below in table.

Table no. 4.16
Cost classification of WIPL

| Items | FC | Variable costs | Proportion | Total costs |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|
| a. Variable costs | | | | |
| Selling expenses | - | 34102 | 100 | 34102 |
| b. Fixed costs | | | | |
| interest on loan | 48000 | - | 100 | 48000 |
| depreciation | 209264.82 | - | 100 | 209264.82 |
| c. Semi- variable costs | | | | |
| mfg. expenses | 1225290 | 2859010 | 30:70 | 4084300 |
| adm. expenses | 118356.95 | 355070.86 | 25:75 | 473427.81 |
| Total | 1600911.77 | 3248182.86 | - | 4849094.63 |

The above table no. 4.16 shows the cost classification of WIPL. The cost is classified on the basis of variable, semi-variable and fixed cost. This table also showed that there is no clear-cut vision for classification of costs adopted by WIPL. The fixed cost expenses are less than variable cost. This costs classification is helpful for analyzing cost volume profit of WIPL. The classification of cost expenses of other fiscal years has been presented into appendix- V.

4.6 Cost Volume Profit analysis of WIPL

Cost volume profit analysis is an analytical technique used to study the relationship among cost (fixed and variable), volume and profit. It is the devise used to determine the usefulness of the profit planning process of the firm. In fact, the entire field of profit planning has become associated with CVP interrelationship. So, cost volume-profit analysis is another name of profit planning. It helps to achieve the short term profit planning objectives. CVP analysis shows the level of activity to stay at break-even or gain a certain profit. Breakeven point is the point of sales volume at which sales revenue equals to total costs. CPU is the important tool for cost control, CVP helps to determine the minimum sales volume to avoid losses an sales volume at which the profit goal of the firm will be achieved. It helps management to seek the

most profitable of WIPL. CVP helps the accountant to present facts, figures, and intelligible chart to management for action.

Table no.17
Cost volume profit analysis

| FY | Total sales (Rs.) | TVC | TFC | MOS(Rs.) | PVR | BEP(Rs) | CM |
|---------|-------------------|----------|-----------|------------|-------|------------|------------|
| 2004/05 | 3300000 | 17829.32 | 170719.17 | 249712.9 | .3473 | 3050287.1 | 1146074.07 |
| 2005/06 | 3850000 | 21932 | 228420.69 | 1017677.85 | .4121 | 2832322.15 | 1586662.2 |
| 2006/07 | 4950000 | 33911 | 235521 | 531827.06 | .3533 | 4418172.94 | 1748790.48 |
| 2007/08 | 5060000 | 34102 | 492785.82 | 589428.18 | .3581 | 4470571.82 | 1811817.14 |

Source: Appendix (V)

4.6.1 Profit Volume Ratio (PVR)

A ratio between contribution margin and sales is known as profit volume ratio. It is also known as contribution margin ratio. Profit volume ratio can be computed by

$$PVR = \frac{\text{Sales Revenue} - \text{Variable Cost}}{\text{Sales Revenue}} \times \frac{\text{Contribution Margin}}{\text{Sales Revenue}}$$

On the basis of single unit

$$PVR = \frac{SPPU - VCPU}{SPPU} \times \frac{CMPU}{SPPU}$$

$$\text{or, } 1 - \frac{VC}{SR} \quad \text{or, } 1 - \frac{V}{S}$$

The PVR of WIPL for year 2004/05 to 2007/08 were 34.73%, 41.21%, 35.33% and 35.81% respectively. It shows maximum sales in year 2007/08 and minimum sales in year 2004/05. Maximum P/V ratio in year 2005/06 indicates that proportion of sales revenues was higher than the proportion of variable cost and vice-versa.

4.6.2 Break Even Analysis (BEP)

The break even analysis established a relationship between revenues and costs with respect to volume. It indicates the level of sales at which costs and revenues are in equilibrium. The equilibrium point commonly known as the

breakeven point (BEP). BEP is that point of sales volume at which the total revenue equals to the total cost, can be expressed as follows:

$$\text{BEP (in units)} = \frac{\text{Total Fixed Cost}}{\text{SPPU} - \text{VCPU}}$$

$$\text{BEP (in Rs.)} = \frac{\text{Total Fixed Cost}}{\text{PVR}}$$

4.6.3 Margin of Safety (MOS)

Margin of safety (MOS) is the excess of budgeted (or actual) sales over the break even sales volume. It is different between the budgeted or actual sales revenue and the break even sales revenue. It is the position of breakeven point, the margin of safety can be expressed as units, rupees, and percentage. Margin of safety can be calculated by the following formula.

Margin of safety (MOS):

MOS in Rs. = Actual Sales in Rs. - Break even sales in Rs

MOS (in unit) = Actual sales in unit - Break even sales in unit

$$\text{MOS in \%} = \frac{\text{MOS in Rs or units}}{\text{Actual sales in Rs unit}}$$

The amounts of margin of safety in WIPL from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08 are mentioned in above table or Appendix VI. Here amount of MOS were positive. The higher MOS is the greater chance for the firm to earn profit or vice-versa.

4.6.4 Contribution Margin (CM)

The difference between sales revenue and variable cost is known as contribution margin. Conceptually this is a contribution made by the sales of any period, after coverage of all applicable variables. The contribution margin can be calculated by applying following formula:

Contribution Margin = Sales - Variable cost

or CMPU = SPPU - VCPU.

Above table shows the CM was sufficient to cover all fixed costs and WIPL was on the profit position.

The above CVP analysis of WIPL based on following assumptions:

- CVP analysis is based on data from 2004/05 to 2007/08.
- It is based only rupees but not units.
- The proportion of semi-variable costs allocation is constant in each fiscal year.
- A selling and distribution expenses assumed as variable.
- An interest expenses assumed as fixed costs every FY.

4.7 Financial Analysis of WIPL

Financial analysis is the financial tools, which measures the financial strength and weakness of the firm. Ratio analysis is used to identify the strength and weakness of the industry which shows the arithmetic relationship between two figures. It measures one items divided by another concerned items. Ratio is calculated, based on balance sheet and profit and loss account. It shows the actual situation of the industry. Mainly, financial analysis can be undertaken by the internal concerned of the industry and external concerned parties in outside the industry (i.e. owners, creditors, investors and others). Mostly it measures liquidity, profitability, solvency and leverage or turnover position of the industry. It also shows the present and future expectation of the industry.

Ratio analysis is one of the powerful tools of financial analysis. So, it is use as an index for evaluating the financial position and performance and predict future condition of the industry. The table below shows the financial ratio of WIPL of different FY. Details calculation of all ratios has presented in appendix- VI.

Table no. 4.18
Financial Ratios of WIPL

| FY Ratio | 2004/05 | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 |
|-----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1.Liquidity ratio | | | | |
| Current ratio | 3.64:1 | 2.86:1 | 2.34:1 | 1.96:1 |
| Quick ratio | 2.67:1 | 1.62:1 | 1.39:1 | 1.1:1 |
| 2.Leverage ratio | | | | |
| Total debt ratio | 0.28:1 | 0.19:1 | 0.21:1 | 0.20:1 |
| 3. Assets management ratio | | | | |
| Inv. turnover ratio | 11.93:1 | 6.33:1 | 10.11:1 | 11.24:1 |
| Total assets turnover ratio | 1.54:1 | 1.27:1 | 1.72:1 | 1.73:1 |
| Fixed assets turnover ratio | 2.99:1 | 2.37:1 | 2.93:1 | 2.69:1 |
| 4.Profitability ratio | | | | |
| GPAT | 19.8% | 28.18% | 18.29% | 19.28% |
| NPAT | 1.76% | 7.36% | 2.52% | 2.81% |
| ROA | 2.71% | 9.38% | 4.33% | 4.87% |
| ROCE | 3.23% | 12.59% | 5.56% | 5.69% |

Source: Appendix-VI

4.7.1 Liquidity ratio

Liquidity ratio measures the availability of the firm to show the current obligation. Liquidity ratio is establishing the relationship current assets to the current obligation. A firm should ensure that it does not suffer from the lack of liquidity and that it is not too much highly liquid. Most of the company is failure due to lack of sufficient liquidity.

Current ratio shows the relationship of current assets and current liability. Higher the current ratio is better. If the ratio is less than 2:1, sufficient cash sufficient cash may not be available to pay current liability. WIPL has minimum current ratio 1.96:1 in FY 2007/08. The current ratio from FY 2004/05 to 2006/07 is greater than 2. It shows that there was sufficient liquidity to pay liability and WIPL can be success to maintain current ratio efficiency because the company current assets is greater than current liabilities.

Quick ratio is refined measurement of WIPL liquidity. This ratio establishes a relationship between quick assets and current liabilities. It is used to measure or test the short-term solvency position of the firm. So, it is more strength measure of liquidity than that of current ratio. Quick ratio is considered better. It is 1:1. WIPL has more than 1:1 in different years. It shows that better condition in every FY.

4.7.2 Debt ratio

The debt management ratio is analysis the long-term financial position of the firm. It is also called long-term solvency ratio. It implies that the ability of a company to meet the payment associated with its long-term debts.

Total debt ratio shows the relationship between total debt and total capital of WIPL. It is called debt-turnover ratio. Above table 4.15 shows that the debt ratio of WIPL. Debt ratio is satisfactory, if it is 2:3 levels. WIPL has satisfactory debt ratio in any fiscal year. All fiscal year can maintain its satisfactory ratio.

4.7.3 Assets Management Ratio

Assets management ratios are also called turnover ratio. It evaluates the efficiency with the relation between sales and other various assets that exit an appropriate balance between sales and the various assets. Normally, WIPL has calculated inventory turnover, total assets turnover and fixed assets turnover. High inventory turnover is indicates of good inventory management. The inventory turnover was more than 10 times in every FY which indicates that very good inventory management of WIPL.

Total assets turnover ratio establishes the relationship between the amount of sales and total assets. This ratio indicates how well the WIPL's total assets are being used to generate it's sales. Above table, no. 4.15 shows that total assets turnover ratio of WIPL. This ratio is significant ratio since it shows that WIPL's availability of generating sales from all the financial resources committed to firm. In every fiscal year total assets turnover is more than 1 times. Its proved that WIPL's total assets are utilized properly increasing generated more revenue.

Higher the ratio of fixed assets turnover indicates the more efficient management on utilization of fixed assets. Fixed assets turnover ratio indicates the adequacy of sales in relation to the investment in fixed assets. It calculates sales divided by fixed assets.

In any organization, Profit is the life blood of the firm. It is necessary to survive and grow over a long period. Profitability measures or shows that the overall efficient of the firm. Therefore, each any every action initiated by management of a company should be aimed at maximizing profit. Generally, profitability ratio can be calculated in term of the company's sales. From the profitability ratio WIPL profit position can be found. The important profitability ratios has calculated and shown into the appendix -VI

$$\text{Net Profit Margin} = \frac{\text{NPAT}}{\text{Sales}}$$

Net profit margin shows the relationship between sales and net profit after tax. It shows this overall performance of the firm. It is measured by net profit after tax divided by sales. Net profit is calculated when operating expenses subtracted from the gross profit. The above table shows that net profit margin of WIPL from FY 2004/05 to 207/08 . In every fiscal year, net profit margin lies between 1.76% to 7.36% which is not satisfactory. Therefore, WIPL will have to be reduce unnecessary expenses to increase its profit.

$$\text{Gross Profit Margin} = \frac{\text{Gross Profit}}{\text{Sales}}$$

Gross profit margin is calculated, gross profit divided by sales. The gross profit margin is lies 18.29% to 28.18%, which is satisfactory than net profit margin.

$$\text{ROTA} = \frac{\text{NPAT}}{\text{Total Assets}}$$

The relation between net profit and total assets of the firm is known as return on assets. It calculated. NPAT divided by total assets. ROA determine how efficiently and effectively the funds supplied by the total asset have been used by the management. The above table no. 4.15 shows that ROA ratio of WIPL. The ratio between 2.71% to 9.38% from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08 that is satisfactory.

$$\text{ROCE} = \frac{\text{NPAT}}{\text{Total Capital}}$$

Return on capital employed shows that the relationship between capital and net profit after tax. It indicated that how well management has used the fund supplied by creditors and owners. Higher ROCE ratio indicates the efficient of fund utilization of the company. The above table no. 4.15 shows that the ROCE ratio of WIPL from FY 2004/005 to 2007/08. WIPL has used a small amount of current liabilities than long-term debt. Therefore, the profit margin is not satisfactory. WIPL capital employed is fluctuating and increasing every year. It means capital employed seems better. Capital employed ratio positive every year.

4.8 Major Finding

The various functional budgets is of WIPL have presented along with achievement by comparing budgeted and actual results. The analysis of various functional budget and application financial tools made basis to draw some internal and external problems exist on in the company's profit planning and controlling. The major findings after analysis of budgeting of WIPL are presented below;

1. The trend of budgeted and actual sales flows same direction. However, the fluctuation of budget sales is more than actual sales of WIPL.
2. Since budgeted and actual sales flows same direction, there is high degree of positive correlation.
3. Actual production of WIPL is more fluctuating than budgeted production
4. WIPL has practice of preparing both strategic and tactical sales plan. Only strategic plan was prepare systematically.
5. WIPL has earned profit from FY 2004/05 to 2007/08.
6. There are high profit correlation between actual and budgeted production and sales.
7. There is positive correlation between budgeted and actual sales and production.
8. Actual material purchase budget are more fluctuating than budgeted purchase of material.

9. The overhead expenses are not classified systematically, which create difficulty to analysis expenses effectively.
10. The actual labour expenses are increasing every FY.
11. WIPL has no practice of cost segregation and no proper allocation of manufacturing costs that create difficulty to analysis expenses effectively.
12. Actual production is always greater than actual sales.
13. WIPL was able to meet its BEP sales therefore it earns profit every year.
14. MOS all four years was positive which led the WIPL to maintain normal profit.
15. WIPL has sufficient contribution margin (CM) to cover all fixed costs.
16. WIPL has not maintained its periodic performance report systematically.
17. Financing in debt is being lower than necessary, which may reduce the profitability of industry in future.
18. WIPL, other ratio, liquidity assets, management ratios profitability etc. were satisfactory.
19. The company has not maintained the broad and long-rang objective and periodic report and objectives are limited to the high- ranking official only.

Variance analysis shows the variance between budgeted and actual sales and productions were unfavorable.

CHAPTER - FIVE

SUMMARY, CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION

5.1. Summary

Industrialization is a comparatively new phenomenon in Nepal. The Biratnagar jute mills set up in 1936, marked the beginning of organized industry in the country. The industrial development strategy of the government, however changed after the mid 1980s. The government then shifted its development strategy from state led development to market led open economy. As a result, many of the public sector industrial units were privatized. Hence, there were 26 privatized public enterprises running end of 2006 to 2007.

Budgeting is a present planning to achieve future objective of an organization. The primary purpose of budgeting is profit planning and control. It is also said as the key to productive financial planning and control. Profit planning and control is one of the most important tools, which has used to plan and control business operations. Profit planning in short is the planning activities in such a way that helps in increasing the income at a minimum possible cost or optimum cost . It serves basically as a tool for management control. Therefore , the main objective of it is to increase the profit to the business organization. The effective operation of a business concern resulting into the excess of income over expenditure fully depends upon what extent the management follows proper planning effective co-ordination and dynamic control. PPC plays a vital role in measuring and controlling the performance of all organizations (manufacturing and non-manufacturing) without proper planning of profits and their implementation, no organization can achieve its goals and objectives effectively. Therefore, these days, profit planning and controlling or budgeting has become one of the most important management tools.

Western International Pvt. Ltd. company is one of the private sector companies, which established on Jestha 2057 B.S. It was registered under private company act no 12829/056/057 on industry department. The head

office of a company has located at Chidiya Khola, Butwal. It produces mineral water product with brand name of 'Carolina'. Specially, WIPL sold its product to different customers of western region of the country.

The present study has examined the application of profit planning and control or budgeting system in Nepalese private manufacturing industry, Western International Pvt. Ltd. It analyzed and examined the practice of PPC of WIPL. It consists of five chapters consulting of introduction, literature review, research methodology, data presentation and analysis and summary, conclusion and recommendation.

The basic objective of the study is to examine the impact of budgeting system of Nepalese private manufacturing industry. In addition, sub budgets and laid down with consistent to the basic objective for the fulfillment of this objective various functional budgets are analyzed in details. For analyzing a short term, budget data of 2004/05 to 2007/08 has taken and only four years trend have analyzed with the help of various statistical and financial tools. Analytical as well as Description approaches have equally used to analyze the quantitative data wherever necessary.

Mainly secondary data used, statistical tools like mean, S.D. coefficient of variance, correlation, regression, trend line, diagram etc have been used to analyzed the data. Similarly, financial tools i.e. financial ratio has been used.

5.2 Conclusions

The data, which are provided by WIPL, the above analysis or major findings have been made. In addition, based upon this analysis, the following conclusion can be drawn:

-) The actual sales revenue is always minimum than budgeted sales but it is satisfactory in each fiscal year.
-) WIPL has prepared short-range profit plan rather than long -range profit plan. The period covered by the budget is only one year.
-) WIPL has gap between actual sales and actual production. It proves that WIPL has not success to sales all it is available production.
-) The using statistical tools represent that there is very high positive correlation between. Actual and budgeted sales, production as well as

actual sales and production. But, low positive correlation in actual and budgeted material purchase.

-) The company is bearing a huge amount of FC and administrative costs. So, gross profit and net profit always positive but net profit is very low.
-) Analysis shows WIPL has not maintain inventory policy, budget shows stable inventory policy but in actual not so.
-) There is a not clear-cut boundary to separate cost into fixed and variable. The cost classification is not systematic.
-) The plan are prepared at top level; lower level participation in planning is not encouraged
-) There is no effective system in recording of essential documents and budget is preplanned just to fulfill the formalities.
-) CVP analysis has not considered while developing the sales plan and pricing strategic. WIPL can meet its break-even point sales in every FY.
-) The actual overhead expenses of WIPL have not maintained required or proper level. The increasing trend of overhead costs was very fast and in FY 2007/08, it is maximum high due to high level of FC.
-) The variance of WIPL is unfavorable condition.
-) WIPL has not prepared various functional budgets in systematic way budget. There is no system of taking corrective action for preplanning.
-) WIPL has not get complete success to analysis it's strength and weakness, opportunity and threat because it has earn profit and meet BEP every FY but not satisfactory level in current situation.

5.3 Recommendations

Based upon the above-mentioned issues, some recommendations have made. These recommendations are presented below:

-) WIPL must formulate clear cut goals, objectives policies, long-term plan or strategic program etc. and there should be continuous flow of information among various level of management and various group of employees.
-) WIPL should look for confident sources of material and focused on timely purchase.

-) All functional budget should develop properly to meet short -term (tactical) as well as long-term (strategic) profit plan.
-) A systematic approach should be taken towards comprehensive profit planning, WIPL should focus on the relationship between revenues and expenditure. Performance measuring and controlling is necessary to obtain organization's goal. This can contribute to increase the profitability of WIPL.
-) Effective program such as motivation, participations, decision making right should be initiated to improve the productivity of labours, employees, Employees morale should be increased. Incentive plans should be started for rewarding and punishing purpose according to work performance.
-) WIPL should have an effective as well as scientific record system of performance for controlling purpose.
-) WIPL should have in depth analysis of the industry's strength and weakness. It should try to overcome it's weakness by using the strength.
-) It should reduce operating costs to increase net profit.
-) Cost should be clearly classified into fixed and variable.
-) CVP relationship should be considered while formulating profit plan and the industry should be accustomed with flexible budget system.
-) System of periodical performance report should be strictly followed.
-) The cost control program should be introduced to control the overhead costs.
-) These should be the proper co-ordination the different types of personnel in regard of objectives, goals and strategic of the company.

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