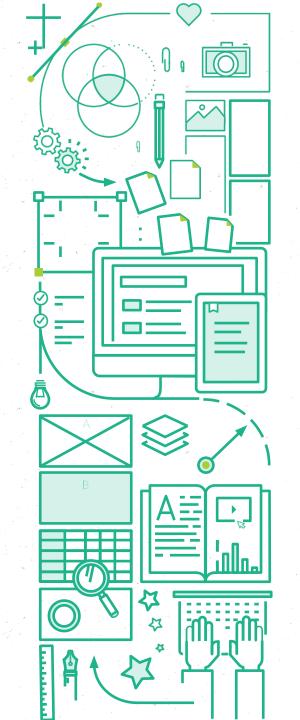




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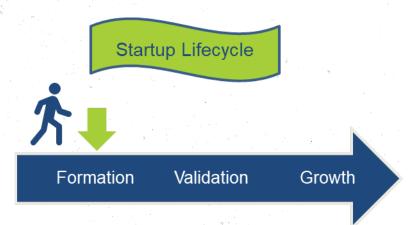
March 13th Session



AGENDA (60 min)



- 1. Introduction
- 2. Product Costing
- 3. Pricing Strategies
- 4. Understanding Key Financial Statements
- 5. Questions



Introduction



Story: Mike Hipp

- Married 14 years and have 2 kids
- From Michigan, lived in Milwaukee for 4 years
- Family Interests: Traveling, sports and spending summer weekends in Northern Wisconsin



Kettering University

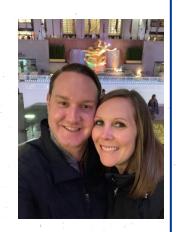


Career:

- Mechanical Engineering, Finance
- Design Engineer, Manufacturing Engineer, Advanced Manufacturing Engineer, Product Financial Manager, Global Costing Director
- Knowledge Based Sourcing costing lead





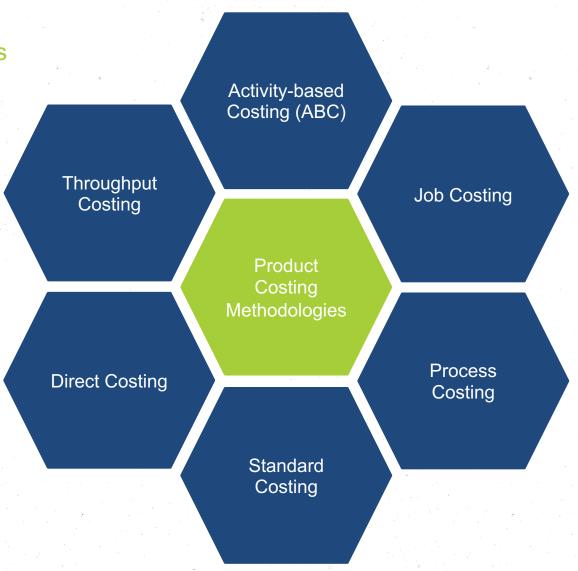


Product Costing



Product Costing Definition: The accounting process of determining all business expenses pertaining the creation of company products or delivery of services.

Prior to selecting a methodology, it is important to deep dive the cost drivers that impact your business.





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Typical Examples of Cost

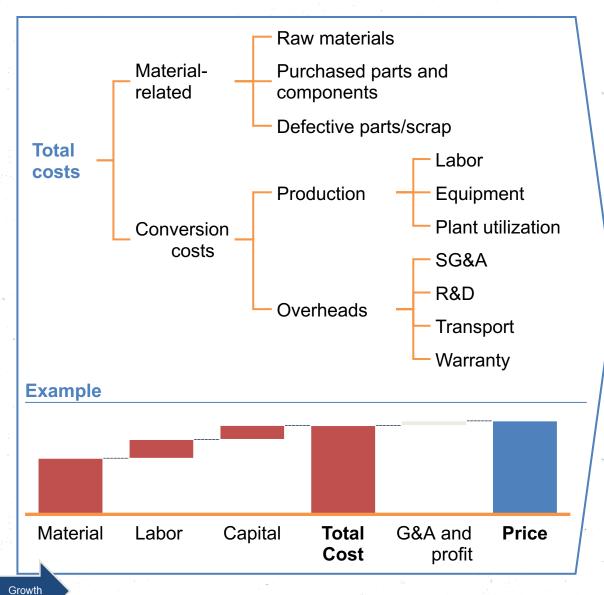


	Product	Service
	Raw materials (e.g., paper)	Direct labor
Direct	■ Parts	Materials
costs	Other materials	Capital equipment
	Manufacturing costs	
	Packaging & transportation	■ Indirect labor
Indirect	■ R&D	IT, rent, and utilities
costs	■ SG&A	■ SG&A
	Other overhead (e.g., licensing costs)	Other overhead
	■ Margin	■ Margin
Other	 Company specific costs (e.g., sample units for client testing) 	Company specific costs



Costing Tree

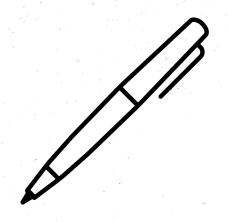


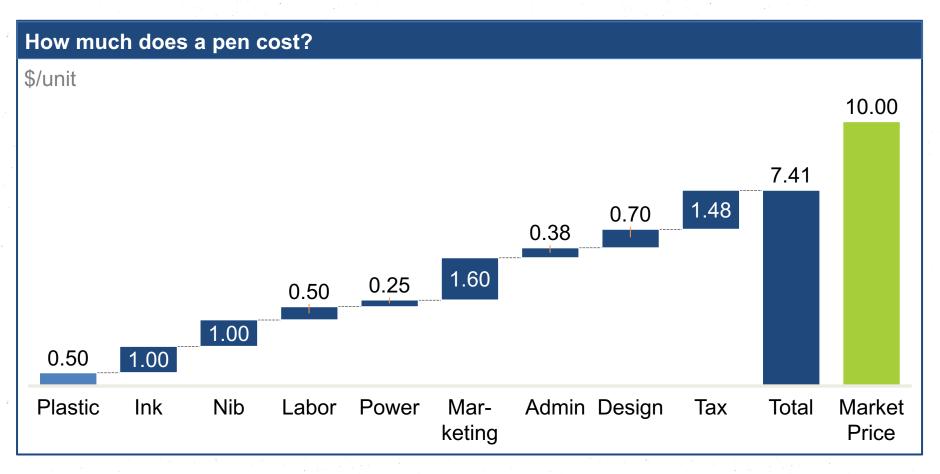


- Bottom-up calculation to go as deep as needed
- Structure can be adapted to the situation (purchased parts, complex or simple assembly, etc)
- Level of details must be adjusted based on the objectives (e.g. business plan, sizing cost reduction ideas, initial target cost, etc)

Product Costing Example









Pricing Strategies



COST DOES NOT NECESSARILY DETERMINE PRICE!

However....

Understanding costs is instrumental in determining minimum prices to ensure profitability and expected return on investment (ROI)

Factors that influence Pricing Strategy

- Market conditions
- Competitor actions
- Input costs
- Distribution channels
- Variable costs
- Legal and regulatory requirements
- Pricing objective

Cost-plus pricing

Penetration Pricing

Price Skimming

Bundle pricing

Economy pricing

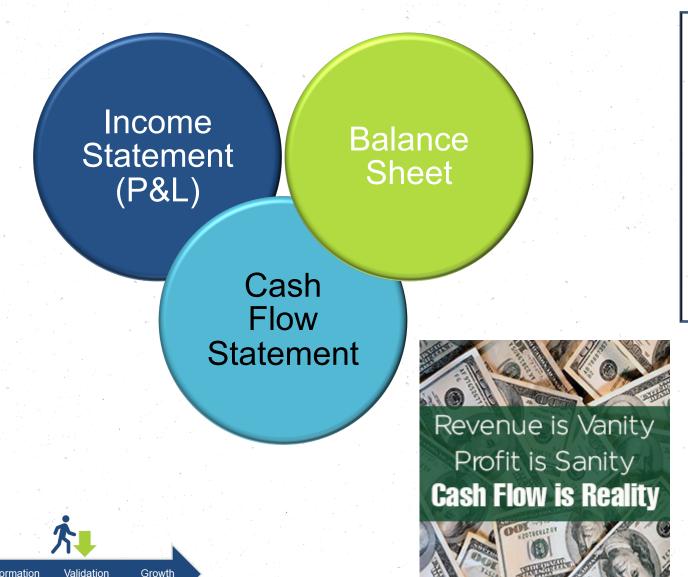
Premium pricing



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Key Financial Statements





Income Statement (P&L – Profit & Loss Statement)

Ability to generate profit

Balance Sheet

 Amount of Investment needed to support the sales & profits shown on the Income Statement

Cash Flow Statement

Clear view of cash inflows & outflows

Income Statement



Income Statement or Profit & Loss Statement (P&L)



The Income Equation

Net Income = Revenue - Expenses

The Income Statement

Simply a detailed version of the Income Equation showing revenue & expenses by category

Created for a specific time period – Month, Quarter or Year

Used to Evaluate and Manage Financial Performance

Balance Sheet



Balance Sheet **Measured at a moment in time**

Assets

Current Cash

Accounts
Receivables*

Inventory*

Prepaid Expenses

Long Term
Fixed Assets

Liabilities

Current
Accts
Payable*

Interest Payable
Payroll

Long Term Notes Payable

Owner's Equity

Capital Stock

Retained Earnings

The Balance Sheet gives Investors an idea as to what the company:

Owns (Assets)

Owes (Liabilities)

Amount invested by Shareholders

(Equity)

Working Capital

Current Assets minus Current Liabilities
Measure of efficiency & short term
health

Trade Working Capital (TWC)

Accounts Receivable + Inventory –
Accounts Payable = TWC
Measure of current cash required to run
the day-to-day operations.





Cash Flow



Small Business Cash Flow Projection

Starting date

Jan-21

	Beginnir	ıg	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	De c-21	Total
Cash on hand (beginning of		g													
month)	- 1	100	100	-479	-501	-366	29	664	1,299	1,934	2,569	3,204	1,839	2,474	

CASH RECEIPTS		Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	De c-21	Total
Collections on accounts receivable		400	1,000	1,600	2,200	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	26,000
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS		400	1,000	1,600	2,200	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	26,000
Total cash available	100	500	521	1,099	1,834	2,629	3,264	3,899	4,534	5,169	5,804	4,439	5,074	

CASH PAID OUT		Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	De c-21	Total
Advertising		10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	.10	10	10	120
Commissions and fees		5	_ ~ 5	5	5	5	5	5	5	. ~ 5	5	5	5	60
Insurance (other than health)		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	24
Materials and supplies (in COGS)		420	780	1,140	1,440	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	16,260
Office expense		1	1	- 1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Rent or lease		50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	600
Rent or lease: vehicles, equipment		5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	60
Taxes and licenses		,1	1	. 1	1	1	1	1	. 1	1	1	1	1	12
Utilities		2	4	6	. 6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	66
Wages (less emp. credits)		80	160	240	280	320	320	320	320	320	320	320	320	3,320
Miscellaneous		3	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	57
SUBTOTAL		579	1,022	1,465	1,805	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	20,591
CASH PAID OUT		Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	De c-21	Total
Capital purchases		400			25						2,000			2,400
TOTAL CASH PAID OUT		979	1,022	1,465	1,805	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	1,965	3,965	1,965	1,965	22,991
Cash on hand (end of month)	100	-479	-501	-366	29	664	1,299	1,934	2,569	3,204	1,839	2,474	3,109	

OTHER OPERATING DATA	Jan-21	Fe b-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	De c-21	Total
Accounts receivable balance	700	1,300	1,900	2,400	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	27,100
Inventory on hand	551	903	1,255	1,501	1,525	1,525	1,525	1,525	1,525	1,525	1,525	1,525	16,412
Accounts payable balance	600	960	1,290	1,500	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	1,560	16,830
Depreciation	10	. 13	13	13	13	13	13	. 13	13	13	13	13	153
Change in Working Capital	651	592	622	537	164	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

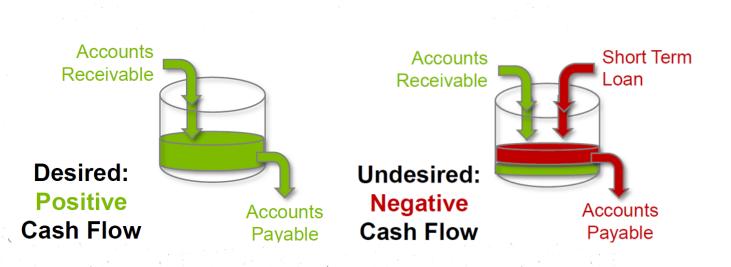


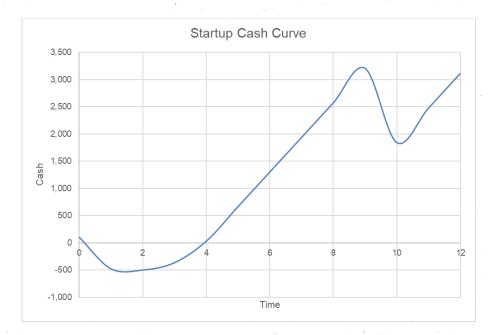
Cash Flow Forecasting



Accurate cash flow forecasting enables the business to:

- 1. Make informed investment decisions that align to organization financial needs.
- 2. Ensure short term liquidity goals are achieved.
- 3. Organize short and long term financing arrangements.





Financial Definitions



Hurdle Rates set the minimum acceptable rate of return for a project

Measure	Description							
Payback Period	Time in years to recover the investment (not discounted)							
Internal Rate of Return (IRR)	Measure of financial attractiveness and should exceed hurdle rate. IRR considers cash inflows and outflows along with timing. It is the discount rate required to achieve a Net Present Value of 0 on future cash flows. Higher is better!							
Net Present Value (NPV)	Uses the discount rate to calculate the present value of cash outflows and inflows with the consideration of timing.							

Internal Rate of Return (IRR)



IRR: The discount rate that generates a zero net present value

Using future year cash flow projections, based on cost and price assumptions. You can calculate IRR%

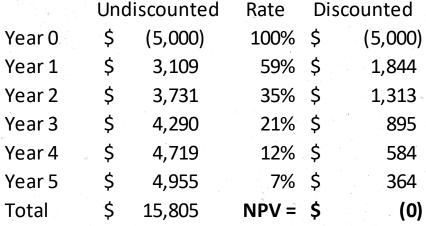


Total cost: \$7.41/unit

Premium price: \$20.00/unit

Cash Flow Projections





Internal Rate of Return (IRR%)

68.6%



Higher is better!



Net Present Value (NPV)



NPV: The total present value of a time series of cash flows

Discount Rate: Typically, the weighted average cost of capital, cost of debt + cost of equity (including risk factor). The minimum expected return by investors can also be used.



Total cost: \$7.41/unit

Minimum price: ?/unit



Cash Flow Projections @ price solved for 25% IRR: \$9.41/unit

	Unia	iscounted	Rate	DISCO	unted
Year 0	\$	(5,000)	100%	\$ 1	(5,000)
Year 1	\$	1,463	80%	\$	1,170
Year 2	\$	1,755	64%	,\$	1,123
Year 3	\$	2,018	51%	\$	1,033
Year 4	\$	2,220	41%	\$	909
Year 5	,\$	2,331	33%	\$	764
Total	\$	4,787	NPV =	\$	- '
Internal F	Rate c	of Return (IF	RR%)	25.0%	

Rate

Discounted

Discounted

(5,000)

2,487

Year 0 \$ (5,000) 100% \$ Year 1 \$ 3,109 80% \$

Undiscounted

 Year 2
 \$ 3,731
 64% \$ 2,388

 Year 3
 \$ 4,290
 51% \$ 2,197

 Year 4
 \$ 4,719
 41% \$ 1,933

Year 5 \$ 4,955 33% \$ 1,624 Total \$ 15,805 **NPV = \$ 5,628**

Internal Rate of Return (IRR%) 25.0%

NPV @ Premium Pricing: \$20/unit



Best Practices



- Assessing all elements of cost in your business is critical to building financial projections.
- Assumptions are part of the process. Document them and perform sensitivity analysis.
- Investors expect business projections in terms of the 3 key financial statements.
- You should be comfortable interpreting financial results and use financial analysis to make business decisions.



Questions