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Introduction:

This training program aims to equip participants with fundamental skills and knowledge to understand financial statements, perform basic analysis, and make informed financial decisions.

Objectives:

By the end of the training, participants will be able to:

- · Understand key financial concepts and terminology.
- Analyze financial statements to assess business performance.
- · Apply basic financial ratios for analysis.
- Interpret cash flow statements and budgeting processes.
- · Gain insights into financial decision-making.

Target Audience:

- · Aspiring finance professionals
- · Small business owners
- Students in finance or accounting fields

Outlines:

Unit 1

Introduction to Financial Analysis:

- Definition and Importance of Financial Analysis
- Key Financial Terminology
- Overview of Financial Statements
- · Users of Financial Analysis
- Ethical Considerations in Financial Analysis



Unit 2:

Understanding Financial Statements:

- Income Statement: Structure and Components
- · Balance Sheet: Assets, Liabilities, and Equity
- · Cash Flow Statement: Understanding Inflows and Outflows
- Notes to Financial Statements
- · Limitations of Financial Statements

Unit 3

Financial Ratios and Analysis Techniques:

- Introduction to Financial Ratios
- Liquidity Ratios: Current and Quick Ratios
- Profitability Ratios: Gross Margin, Net Margin, and ROE
- Efficiency Ratios: Asset Turnover and Inventory Turnover
- Solvency Ratios: Debt to Equity and Interest Coverage

Unit 4:

Cash Flow Analysis and Budgeting:

- Importance of Cash Flow in Financial Analysis
- · Analyzing Cash Flow Statements
- Operating, Investing, and Financing Activities
- Budgeting Basics: Types and Purposes
- Variance Analysis: Comparing Budgeted vs. Actual Figures

Unit 5

Making Informed Financial Decisions:

- Introduction to Capital Budgeting
- Time Value of Money: Present and Future Value



- Break-Even Analysis
- Financial Forecasting and Projections
- Understanding Financial Risks and Returns