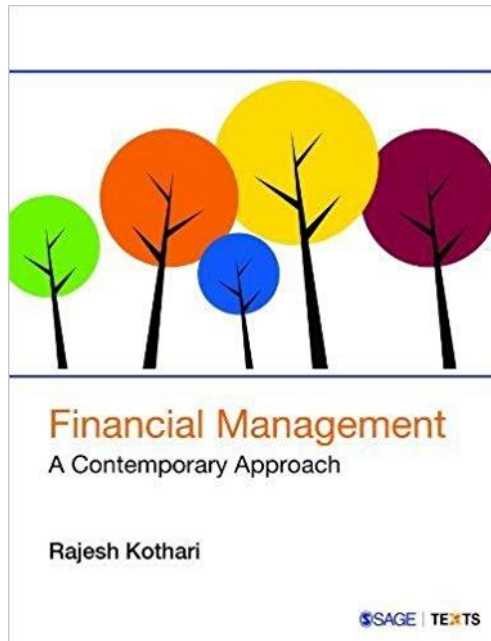


Financial Management: A Contemporary Approach

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The fundamental responsibility of Chief Financial Officers (CFO's) and financial managers is financial management where every penny spent needs to be reflected in good returns. Moreover, it is now proactive for students, practioners and professionals to search for financial management strategies to cope with turbulence, vibrancy and dynamism in the global financial system.

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Financial Management: A Contemporary Approach is divided into 6 parts and 25 chapters as follows:

Part I: An Overview of Financial Management

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1. Introduction to Financial Management: A Contemporary Approach
2. Contemporary Financial Environment
3. Financial Statement Analysis
- Part II: Foundation of Financial Management
4. Concept of Time
5. Concept of Risk and Return
6. Concept of Value
- Part III: Strategic Financial Decision
7. Capital Structure Decisions
8. Leverage
9. Cost of Capital
10. Capital Budgeting Decision
11. Estimating Cash Flows
12. Risk Analysis in Capital Budgeting
13. Dividend Decisions
14. Corporate Restructuring
- Part IV: Operating Financial Decisions
15. An Overview of Working Capital Management
16. Inventory Management
17. Receivables Management
18. Cash Management
19. Financing Current Assets
- Part V: Long-term Financing
20. Sources of Long-term Finance
21. Lease and Hire purchase
22. Venture Capital Financing
- Part VI: Contemporary Issues in Financial Management
23. Foreign Exchange Management: An Introduction
24. Derivatives
25. Share Value and Corporate Governance



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Financial Management: A Contemporary Approach is a comprehensive textbook that deals with the financial management from a contemporary perspective, analysing emerging trends and issues. The book builds concepts and strengthens understanding with simple illustrations, case studies, practical examples, and reference to Microsoft Excel application for financial statistical computations. Moreover, its Glossary written in simple, lucid language provides a good and understandable descriptions of terms and concepts in financial management. Furthermore, its Appendix contains Time Value Tables for both Futures Value Interest Factor as well as Present Value Interest Factors for financial decision purposes.

The book is recommendable for graduate students and professionals in the field of financial management.