

**Money  
Matters**

## **IND AS 23 – BORROWING COSTS**

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# CORE PRINCIPLE

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- ❑ Borrowing costs that are directly attributable
  - ✓ Acquisition
  - ✓ construction or
  - ✓ Production
- of a qualifying asset  
form part of the cost of that asset.

A qualifying asset is an asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale.

# NEW CONCEPT

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- ❑ Ind AS 23 recognize the concept of "group borrowings Costs" by stating in Para 15 that
  - “In some circumstances, it is appropriate to include all the borrowings of the parent and its subsidiaries (the Group) when computing a weighted average of the borrowing costs;
  - in other circumstances, it is appropriate for each subsidiary to use a weighted average of the borrowing costs applicable to its own borrowings.”

# EXAMPLE

## ✓ Parent Co. “A”

Liabilities		Assets	
Equity	50 Cr.	FA	50 Cr.
Loan	100 Cr.	Investment Subsidiary B	100 Cr.

Profit & Loss Account	
Finance Costs	4.47 Cr.

## ✓ Subsidiary Co. “B”

Liabilities		Assets	
Equity	100 Cr.	CWIP	131.63 Cr.
Loan	50 Cr.	Bank	10 Cr.
Reserve & Surplus *	1.63 Cr.	Advance	10 Cr.
CWIP is Qualified Asset			

Profit & Loss Account	
Finance Costs	1.05 Cr.

Weighted Average of  
Borrowing costs is 14.52%

# EXAMPLE

## ✓ Consolidation Parent Co. “A” (Ind AS 23)

Liabilities		Assets	
Equity	50 Cr.	FA	50 Cr.
Loan	150 Cr.	CWIP	136.17 Cr.
Reserve & Surplus *	6.17 Cr.	Bank	10 Cr.
		Advance	10 Cr.
* Tax effect not considered			

Profit & Loss Account	
Finance Costs	0.98 Cr.

Weighted Average of Borrowing costs is 13.46 %

# EXAMPLE

## ✓ Consolidation Parent Co. “A” (AS 16)

Liabilities		Assets	
Equity	50 Cr.	FA	50 Cr.
Loan	150 Cr.	CWIP	131.63 Cr.
Reserve & Surplus *	1.63 Cr.	Bank	10 Cr.
		Advance	10 Cr.

Profit & Loss Account	
Finance Costs	5.52 Cr.

# MAJOR DIFFERENCE INDIAN GAAP (16) VS. IND AS (23)

## ➤ New Disclosure :- Capitalisation Rate

Indian GAAP (Old AS)	Ind AS
No separate disclosure required	Ind AS 23 require an entity to disclose separately the <b>capitalization rate used</b> to determine the amount of Borrowing Costs eligible for capitalisation.



# DISCLOSED BY IFRS COMPLIED CO.

## ➤ Disclosure :- Capitalisation Rate

### 1) Optics Valley Union Holding Co. Ltd (Hong Kong, KPMG) - Under Finance Costs note

- ✓ The borrowing costs have been capitalised at rates ranging from 6.0% to 12.0% (2013: 5.4% to 12.0%) per annum for the year ended 31 December 2014.

### 2) Vedanta Resources plc (UK, Deloitte) – Under Finance Costs note

- ✓ All borrowing costs are capitalised using rates based on **specific borrowings**.

### 3) Samsung Heavy Industries Co. Ltd. (Korea, PwC) – Under PPE note

- ✓ Acquisition of construction-in-progress includes capitalized borrowing costs amounting to ~~₩~~198 million (2013: ~~₩~~ 676 million). Borrowing costs were capitalized at the weighted average rate of **general borrowings** of 3.37% (2013: 3.37%).

# DISCLOSED BY IFRS COMPLIED CO.

✓ Under Accounting Policies disclosed by Vedanta Resources plc (UK, Deloitte)

➤ **Borrowing costs:**

Borrowing costs directly relating to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying capital project under construction are capitalised and added to the project cost during construction until such time that the assets are **substantially ready for their intended use** in accordance with the Group policy which is when they are capable of commercial production. Where funds are borrowed specifically to finance a project, the amount capitalised represents the actual borrowing costs incurred. Where surplus funds are available out of money borrowed specifically to finance a project, the income generated from such short-term investments is also capitalised to reduce the total capitalised borrowing cost.

# DISCLOSED BY IFRS COMPLIED CO.

✓ Under Accounting Policies (Continued..)

➤ Borrowing costs (Continued..):

All other borrowing costs are recognised in the income statement in the period in which they are incurred.

**Capitalisation** of interest on borrowings related to construction or development projects **ceases** when substantially all the activities that are necessary to make the assets ready for their intended use are complete or when delays occur outside of the normal course of business.

# FIRST TIME ADOPTION CHALLENGES & PERSPECTIVE

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- ✓ Ind AS 101 does not contain any exemption / exception with regard to Borrowing Costs.
- ✓ Basic principle of AS 16 & Ind AS 23 are similar, however differences may arise in practice with regards to amount of Borrowing Cost eligible for capitalisation. Due to:
  - The application of effective interest method under Ind AS 109
  - Classification of preference shares as liability under Ind AS 32

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# THANK YOU