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Define bonus issue with Example

A bonus issue also known as issue or Capitalization issue is when a Company distributes additional shares to its existing shareholders for free based on the number of shares they already hold. This increases the total number of shares in the market. Value Inverted the Price of each share typically decreases Proportionally as the Company equity is spread over more shares.

Example:

Suppose Company ABC Company announces 1:2 bonus issue. This means that for every 2 shares a share holder they will receive 1 additional share.

If you own 200 shares you will receive 100 additional shares (additional share for every 2 shares you own). Your total shareholding 300 shares. However the Price Per share will decrease Proportionally, so while you hold more shares the total value of your investment remains the same initially.

Example 2

In a 3.5 bonus share issue shareholders will receive 3 shares for every 5 shares they hold

If you own 200 shares you will get 120 new shares making your total 320 shares

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