

Revitalizing Revenue: Data-Driven Strategies for stable growth in a Small-Town Stationery Business.

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Business Analysis Report for Sanwariya Seth Stationary



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Business Introduction



- Business name: Sanwariya Seth Stationary
- > Business type: Retail and wholesale stationary store
- ➤ Location: Rath, Hamirpur district, Bundelkhand region
- Owner: Mr. Rahul
- Years in operation: Since 2014

Problem Statement

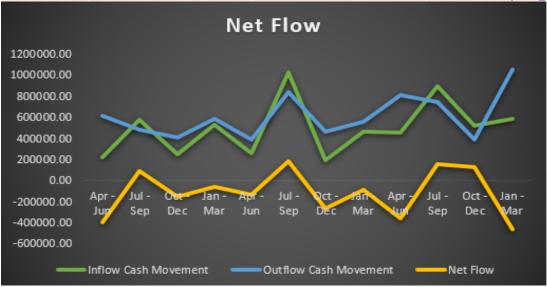
- ➤ Wholesale business: High book sales in April-July, but sales decline for the rest of the year.
- ➤ Retail business: Sales of other products (art supplies, project material) dip during August-November.

Results & findings

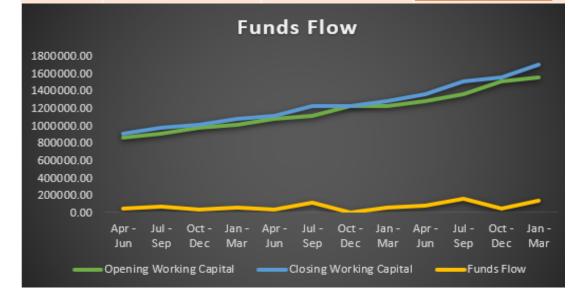
Financial Flows



Particulars •	Inflow Cash Movement 🔻	Outflow Cash Movement 🔻	Net Flow ▼
Apr - Jun	216730.53	615289.09	-398558.56
Jul - Sep	574575.06	484584.06	899 <mark>91.</mark> 00
Oct - Dec	249503.46	407076.74	- <mark>1575</mark> 73.28
Jan - Mar	524450.52	583591.52	-59 <mark>1</mark> 41.00
Apr - Jun	252583.95	384653.95	-1 <mark>320</mark> 70.00
Jul - Sep	1021537.07	839979.07	1815 <mark>58.00</mark>
Oct - Dec	191688.75	459010.75	-267322.00
Jan - Mar	465445.01	552647.01	-8 <mark>72</mark> 02.00
Apr - Jun	448901.20	805300.20	-356399.00
Jul - Sep	892849.26	742179.02	150670.24
Oct - Dec	518077.06	388725.14	1293 <mark>51.9</mark> 2
Jan - Mar	587854.06	1053206.06	-4653 <mark>52.00</mark>



Particulars	Opening Working Capital	Closing Working Capital	Funds Flow
Apr - Jun	864870.47	908393.95	43523.4
Jul - Sep	908393.95	977331.16	68937.2°
Oct - Dec	977331.16	1009524.52	32193.3
Jan - Mar	1009524.52	1071855.32	62330.8
Apr - Jun	1071855.32	1104843.12	32987.8
Jul - Sep	1104843.12	1222600.77	117757.6
Oct - Dec	1222600.77	1223487.58	886.8
Jan - Mar	1223487.58	1274581.02	51093.4
Apr - Jun	1274581.02	1354822.27	80241.2
Jul - Sep	1354822.27	1511811.08	156988.8
Oct - Dec	1511811.08	1557189.77	45378.69
Jan - Mar	1557189.77	1694746.37	137556.60



Sales Analysis

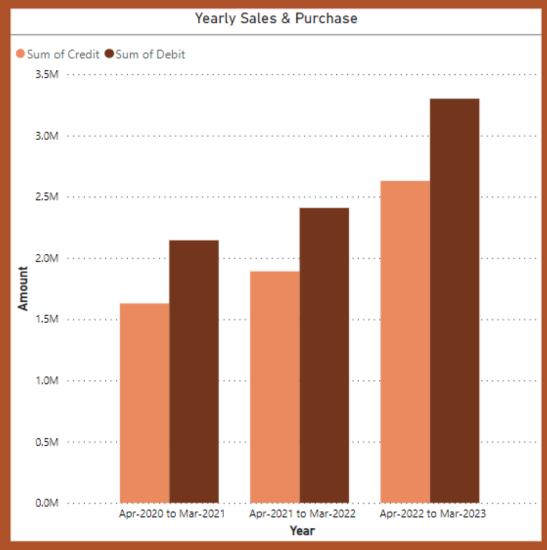


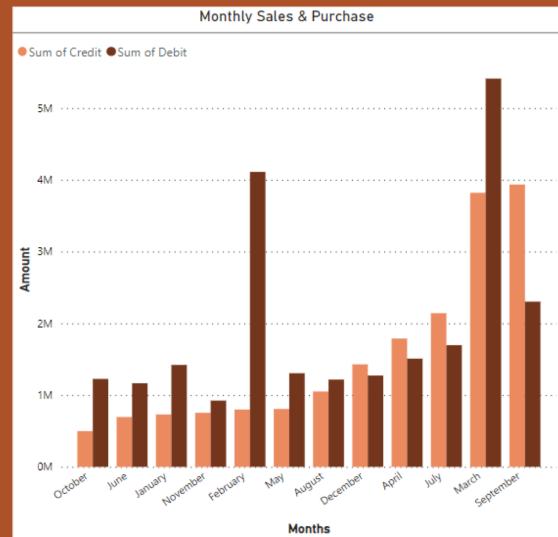


First FY 🔻	Sales ▼	First FY 2020-2021
April	1440.00	1113011 2020 2021
May	158780.00	300000.00
June	182264.25	250000.00
July	79032.00	
August	121689.00	
September	284141.00	150000.00
October	128617.00	100000.00
November	29070.00	50000.00
December	138553.00	0.00
January	79565.00	their was the the the tage that over the the they they
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March	249558.00	

Third FY 💌	Sales ▼	Third FY 2022-2023
April	374552.00	71111 d 1 1 2022 2023
May	74558.00	700000.00
June	49254.00	600 000.00
July	479630.00	500000.00
August	80036.24	400000.00
September	346588.00	300000.00
October	33798.00	200000.00
November	81573.00	100000.00
December	293104.00	0.00
January	124816.00	port pret the try was the open the tree the tree the
February	90529.00	Roul Way I'me I'my British the October Bushings, Burger, Burger, Wasque
March	600428.00.	

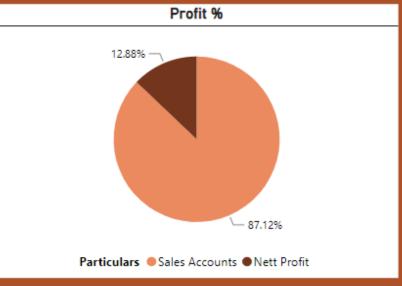
Sales & Purchase Analysis

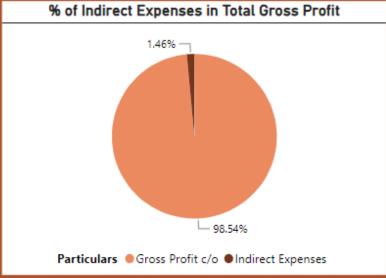


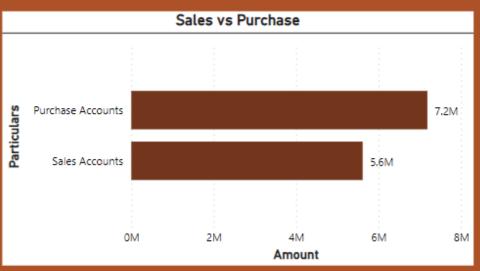


Profit &Loss Analysis

Financial Report Purchase Accounts 7,183,896.79 Sales Accounts 5,613,899.77 Closing Stock 5,316,719.44 Opening Stock 2,904,390.74 Gross Profit c/o 842,331.68 Nett Profit 829,875.90 Indirect Expenses 12,455.78







Retail vs. Wholesale Channel Profitability Analysis



1. Gross Profit Distribution:

- 1. Retail: Generates ~82% of total gross profit.
- 2. Wholesale: Contributes ~18% of total gross profit.

2. Selling Rate Insight:

- 1. Retail: Selling rate of 38%.
- 2. Wholesale: Selling rate of 12%.

3.Inventory Management Strategy:

1. Unsold items returned for exchange, reducing inventory wastage.

4. Retail Channel Dominance:

- 1. Retail is the dominant contributor to profitability.
- 2. Higher selling rate and gross profit share.

5.Wholesale Channel Growth Potential:

- 1. Started in 2017, expanding through school contracts.
- 2. Promising growth trajectory, expected to balance revenue distribution as contracts mature.



POSITIVE

NEGATIVE

STRENGTH

- Diverse product range and services
- Dual sales channels (wholesale and retail)
- Strong local reputation
- Customer-centric service
- Robust financial performance

OPPORTUNITY

- Introduce new products and services.
- Increase online presence.
- Improve marketing and promotional efforts.
- Improve inventory management.
- Increase tie ups with more schools and local stores for wholesale channel.

WEAKNESS

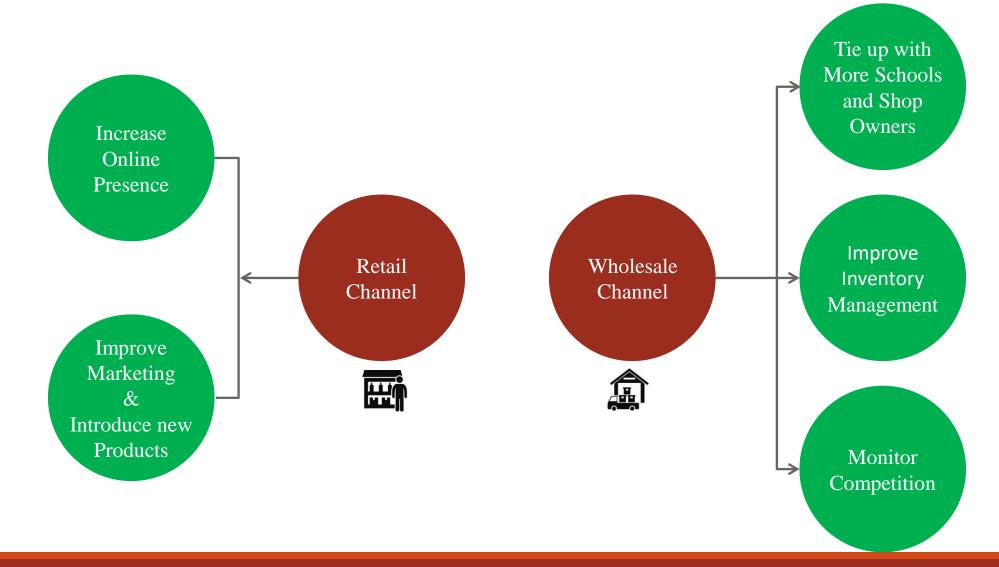
- Absence of online presence
- Limited marketing and promotional activities
- Limited staff availability
- Lack of proactive preparation for competitors.

THREAT

- Increasing competition from online retailers
- Economic uncertainties and market fluctuations
- Shifting consumer preferences and trends
- Potential supply chain disruptions

Recommendations









Thank You