

Glossary: Double Bottom Line Analysis (DBL)

Business Cost

Any ordinary business expense that would occur regardless of your social mission

Example: Inventory storage cost, materials

Contributed Revenue

Philanthropic income donated by individuals, corporations, foundations, or other charitable sources

Example: fundraised, grant from foundation

Earned Revenue (AKA sales revenue)

Income generated from the sale of goods and services made or delivered by your program participants

Example: Revenue from mowing lawns, selling coffee, contract placement of staff

Income Statement

- AKA Profit and Loss Statement (P&L)
- AKA Statement of Financial Activities

This statement is the clearest documentation of ALL enterprise revenue and expenses.

- NOT used to value the business (Balance Sheet)
- NOT used to manage cash (Cash Flow statement)

Social Cost

An expense that occurs **because of** your social mission

Example: Wraparound services