Risk management & Treasury

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To recap

- Human resources
 - Marketing
 - Compliance

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Please remember and think of impact in SxD, Costs, Revenues (!!!)

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- Currency exchange rate fluctuations
 - Commodities fluctuations
 - Interest rate changes
 - Credit shortage

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5y EUR x USD



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Hedging, from a business perspective, is a risk management strategy used by corporations to protect themselves from price fluctuations or adverse market movements in areas such as foreign exchange (FX), commodities, and interest rates. By hedging, companies seek to ensure greater financial stability and predictability, allowing them to focus on their core business activities without being overly exposed to volatile market conditions.

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Commodity: an airline company may hedge against rising fuel prices by purchasing oil futures. By locking in prices ahead of time, they avoid being affected by market volatility, allowing them to plan their operating costs more effectively.

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Cash flow management helps ensure that companies have enough liquidity to meet their short-term obligations.

In many businesses, cash inflows and outflows don't always align perfectly. For instance, a company may receive revenue in foreign currency months after making purchases in its home currency.

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- Negative publicity or social media backlash
 - Ethical lapses

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- Natural disasters affecting suppliers
- Geopolitical events impacting transportation routes
 - Supplier bankruptcies

To come:

Strategy

See you on next session:)