STABLE OPERATION OF FOOD ENTERPRISES IN THE CONDITIONS OF FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC INSTABILITY

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The majority of economic paradigms of the postindustrial society, as one of the basic axioms, are built on the stability and on the financial-economic prosperity of industrial manufacturing. There is no doubt that the enterprises of food production are in the first lines of economic development reports analyzed by economists of all countries for the year. Perhaps, these circumstances are the main reason why the innovative development of industry in these countries is not as acute as in Russia. The acuteness of this problem has intensified in recent years in connection with the so-called "economic sanctions" and objectively overdue issues of the development of new territories for the effective replenishment the main developing industrial manufactures with raw materials.

In the proposed work, the authors made attempts to analyze the responsibility of the state and the administration of food production, a large part of which belongs to the present private business. They act for maintaining the stability of the financial and economic position of enterprises and, thereby, preventing the emergence of conditions for social unrest. As the main indicator of economically responsible for the solution of the task, the authors chose the volume of break-even production. Formulating the task for the computational and graphical analysis of its solutions as the most significant variable parameters, the authors selected: the volume of production of \( X(n) \) in the current period, own reserve funds \( C_{срс}(n) \), borrowed loans \( C_{кр}(n) \), proceeds from the sale of previously manufactured products, as well as variable costs \( U(n) \), falling on the one product, from the sale of products manufactured in the current period and sold during this period. Conducted calculation and graphical analysis of one of the bakeries located in the regions of the Arctic made it possible to draw very important conclusions: a certain reduction by the state of the value-added tax allows market mechanisms to establish a price of the commodity in which the financial and economic stability of food enterprises will be ensured.

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Recent years many domestic industrial enterprises have found themselves in unusual conditions of economic activity. The reason for this was the most different unfriendly steps from foreign partners, dictated by certain political steps of their governments. Firstly this enterprise of food production suffered from it, which in the conditions of the global globalization of the economy became very dependent on the supply of certain types of raw materials and technological equipment. These circumstances have brought additional difficulties for enterprises, whose activities are related to the provision of areas of the Arctic coast of Russia.

In the conditions of stationary conduct of financial and business activities, enterprise management models were usually divided into models that provide planning for the activity of the enterprise, and models that ensure the adoption of decisions on the management of the operation of the enterprise. The planning tasks were solved when determining the output plan, selecting the product range, coordinating the planned indicators with the resources. When analyzing the tasks of the enterprise's operation, the issues of optimizing costs, setting prices, distributing profits, determining sources of financing, accelerating the sale of products, etc., were solved [1-2].

Under the new conditions, with some economic uncertainty of enterprises, one of the main requirements for managing the functioning of an enterprise is to ensure its financial stability, which consists from current solvency and a high level of self-financing. These new requirements need to be taken into account in the structure of economic models of enterprises' interaction in the form of financial and monetary relationships between the economic categories of the objects being modeled. Models should reflect the specifics of the financial and monetary mechanisms of enterprises, the sources of their formation, the feedback between output and sales of products (output of the production model) and production resources (input of the production model). In view of the fact that the sale of products, as a rule, occurs with a shift (time lag) in time (and in some cases is sometimes significant), this feedback reflects the effect of the enterprise's functioning in previous periods of time on its functioning in the current period of time [3].
The tasks of the enterprise management in the new conditions were complicated by the need to study the dependence of the volume of financially - secured output on the price of products and the costs of their production in the event of possible fluctuations in the price of raw materials and components.

Classical models of the functioning of enterprises suggest that the definition of the volume of production of products in a particular enterprise depends on the existing taxation conditions, available financial resources, and the availability of production capacities. The type developed for this purpose of the model depends on the specified conditions, limitations and on accepted assumptions [4].

Let us consider the model of functioning of the enterprise for the sample case: the enterprise produces and releases only one type of products (the same as in the previous year). The production capacity is sufficient to continue the work, and the realization of the produced products takes a considerable time (up to four periods), while the market is studied, stable and there is statistics on the specific weight of sales of products in time after manufacture. The main factor limiting the possible volume of production is the volume of own available reserve funds available at the beginning of the planned period and loans received. The planned interval of time is the one period.

Let us suppose that at the beginning of the period under consideration n the enterprise does not have previously paid stocks of raw materials, materials, components, there are no reserves of products. Payments for goods come after it is sold by the buyer. During the period n, payments for previously sent and sold products will be received.

For the enterprise there is its own reserved finances \( C_{срс}(n) \) and given loans \( C_{кр}(n) \) with payment periods \( (n + 1), (n + 2), (n + 3)... (n + \tau) \). In the period \( n \) the enterprise is obliged to repay certain part of loans. Material consumption, energy intensity, fuel intensity of production of one product, salary costs, tax rates and mandatory payments to the budget are known [5-7].

When compiling the model for the planned volume of production, the cost of producing products is divided into two groups:

- variable costs, depending on the volume of production, including costs for raw materials, materials, components, electricity, fuel, wages of production personnel, including taxes and mandatory payments to it:

- fixed costs that do not depend on the volume of produced products (rent for land, premises and equipment overheads, telephone charges, security costs, payments for repayment of previously received loans, payments for electricity, fuel used in the non-productive sphere, wages to non-productive personnel, taking into account taxes and payments to it, the costs of marketing, sales, etc.).

With such division of costs, the financially-secured output of \( \mathbf{X}(n) \) in the period \( n \) is a fraction of which the numerator is its own reserve funds \( C_{срс}(n) \), attracted loans \( C_{кр}(n) \), plus receipts in \( Z(n) \) in the period \( n \), and the denominator is the variable costs \( U(n) \) per one product, minus the proceeds from the sale of products manufactured during the period \( n \) and the realized ones in the same period, per one product.

Mathematical formalization of the ratio for the volume of production \( \mathbf{X}(n) \):

\[
\mathbf{X}(n) = \frac{C_{срс}(n) + C_{кр}(n) + \sum_{r=1}^{m} X(n - r) \cdot a_r \cdot \mathbf{I}^{(1)} - Z(n)}{U(n) - a_0 \cdot \mathbf{I}^{(0)}}
\]

This dependence is obtained without taking into account the tax on profit, the norm which is denoted by the symbol \( (\beta_{пр}) \). Here, in addition to the notations indicated earlier, the following notation is also used:

\( \mathbf{w} \) - the relative relative weight of the products sold in the period \( (n - d) \), the proceeds from which are transferred to the accounts of the enterprise in the accounting period;

\( \mathbf{I}^{(0)} \) - wholesale selling price of one product;

The recorded ratio follows from the equation of the balance of financial assets, which the enterprise expects to have in the billing period:

\[
\mathbf{X}(n) \cdot U(n) + Z(n) =
\]

\[
= C_{срс}(n) + C_{кр}(n) + \sum_{r=1}^{m} X(n - r) \cdot a_r \cdot \mathbf{I}^{(1)} + a_0 \cdot \mathbf{I}^{(0)} \cdot \mathbf{X}(n)
\]
The left part of this equation is the required costs, and the right part is the available funds for the calculation period.

The financial balance equation characterizes the company’s ability to purchase all material resources necessary for production of \( X(n) \) products, pay the labor of the enterprise's personnel, make deductions for compensation of spent basic production assets (for depreciation of equipment and buildings), pay fixed costs enterprises, payments to extra-budgetary funds [8-9].

In the new conditions, an additional study of the model in question is required in cases where it operates at a specific time (actions of sanctions) or for a particular location (for example - Arctic).

Thus, in addition to the traditional task of determining the financially-secured production volume and determining (at the found values of the unit price for variable costs per unit of constant costs) income from sales of products produced during the accounting period, it is necessary to determine total costs, profit, derived from production and futures-accurate volume.

The formulated problem is convenient to study graphically, for which purpose we will construct graphs of the break-even volume of production for the following cases:
- with usual statement of \( Z(n)=U(n) \) and changing \( \zeta(1) \) in the limits \( 0.5^* \zeta(1) \) до \( 2^* \zeta(1) \) with step \( \Delta \zeta=0.1^* \zeta(1) \).
- with \( Z(n)= \text{const} \) and \( \zeta(1)= \text{const} \) and changing \( U(n) \) in the limits from \( 0.5^* U(n) \) to \( 2^* U(n) \) with step \( \Delta U=0.1^* U(n) \).

Besides let us define financially secured volume of production with considering VAT, income tax, and both VAT and income tax [10].

**Table 1 - Calculation of the break-even volume of production**

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>( X(n) )</th>
<th>Income</th>
<th>Consumption</th>
<th>Profit</th>
<th>Volume without damages</th>
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<td>1342910</td>
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<td>303081921</td>
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**Table 2 - Calculation of break-even production with a change in the selling price of the product**

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<th>( \zeta(1) )</th>
<th>1</th>
<th>1.2</th>
<th>1.4</th>
<th>1.6</th>
<th>1.8</th>
<th>2</th>
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<td>453947</td>
<td>282787</td>
<td>205357</td>
<td>161215</td>
<td>132692</td>
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**Figure 1 - Change in the break-even volume of production when the wholesale price of a product changes**

**Table 3 - Calculation of loss-free production with variable costs**

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<th>( U(n) )</th>
<th>0.1</th>
<th>0.2</th>
<th>0.3</th>
<th>0.4</th>
<th>0.5</th>
<th>0.6</th>
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<td>X0(2)</td>
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The analysis shows that during the operation of food production in special conditions, it is necessary to apply measures of state regulation, in particular, the reduction of VAT (Fig. 2). This will help to keep the break-even of production at a level sufficient to meet the needs of the population. On the other hand, stable work of enterprises establishes a certain level of production (Fig.1), in which it quite stably works (Fig. 3).

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