

SIMPLYFYING LTCG

Applicability to Equity Shares and Equity Oriented Mutual Funds

Part A		
Scenario	Amount	Tax Liability
Sold before 31st March 2018		Nil
Purchased before 31st January 2018		
& Sold after 31st March 2018		
Purchase Price	100	1.5
Highest Price on 31st Jan,2018	125	
Sale Price	140	
Total LTCG	40	
Exempt LTCG	25	
Taxable LTCG	15	
Purchased after 1st February 2018		10%
(Held for 12 Months)		

Note - Gains upto ₹1 Lakh every year exempted from LTCG

PWC's Gautam Mehra Explains the Applicability of LTCG Tax in Various Scenarios

Part B			
Scenario 1	Amount	Tax Liabilty	
Stock Bought on January 15, 2017	₹100	•	
Closing Price on January 31, 2018	₹ 200	LTCG: ₹50	
Price on April 01, 2018	₹ 250		
Scenario 2			
Stock Bought on January 15, 2017	₹100	LTCG: ₹50	
Closing Price on January 31, 2018	₹ 50		
Price on April 01, 2018	₹150		
Scenario 3			
Stock Bought on January 15, 2017	₹ 200	LTCG: Nil	
Closing Price on January 31, 2018	₹100		
Price on April 01, 2018	₹ 200		
Scenario 4			
Stock Bought on January 15, 2017	₹100	LTCG: Nil (Loss ₹50)	
Closing Price on January 31, 2018	₹ 200		
Price on April 01, 2018	₹ 150		
Scenario 5			
Stock Bought on January 15, 2017	₹200	LTCG: Nil (Loss ₹150	
Closing Price on January 31, 2018	₹100		
Price on April 01, 2018	₹ 50		
Scenario 6			
Stock Bought on January 15, 2017	₹ 200	LTCG: Nil	
Closing Price on January 31, 2018	₹200		
Price on April 01, 2018	₹150		

Note *The way the law is written in the last case. The sale consideration (₹150) is deemed to be the acquisition cost