

ROUND 1 – RAISING FUNDS

Once you have decided upon the Houses you wish to ally with, you need to

GET YOUR FINANCES IN ORDER.

As a Trading Partner, you have been allotted the following initial resources:

- **20,000** Soldiers
- **1,000,000** square yards of land that can generate **275,000** Gold Dragon Coins (GDC) annually
- **350,000** Gold Dragon Coins
- Revenues that you'll be receiving as the trading partner of the House

But all Noblemen must **Expand the Economic Activity** and **Maximize Revenue** of their respective Houses. For fulfilling this purpose, Analysts at the Iron Bank estimates that you will have to **Raise an additional amount of 1,350,000 GDCs.**

Following sources can be used to raise funds:

Sources		Type of Source	Rate of Interest/Return	Maximum Amount Available	Characteristics
1. Noble Lord	Lannister Family	Debt	12%	575,000 GDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual payments Military power up by 25% Can't borrow from Tyrells & Martells
	Tyrell Family	Debt	14%	375,000 GDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual payments Provide operational support - raw materials cheaper by 5% Military power up by 5% Won't lend if associated with Lannisters
	Martell Family	Debt	13%	375,000 GDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual payments Provide operational support Efficiency up by 10% Won't lend if associated with Lannisters
	Petyr Baelish	Debt	16%	375,000 GDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual payments Lends to everyone Military power up at a cost (0.5% for 10,000 GDC)
2. Iron Bank of Braavos		Debt	9.5%	250,000 GDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Auto interest deduction If unable to pay loss of assets Unused cash borrowed from bank gets 3.5% p.a. return
3. Slave Masters		Equity	17%	NA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To raise equity, minimum capital of 600,000 GDC has to be raised from the other sources No limit of raising funds Equity means transfer of ownership to the tune of the investment No payment necessary

Note: You can even raise more than 1,350,000 GDC

Objective: Meet your **Minimum Cash Requirement** using these multiple sources of funds and at the same time **Minimize your Cost of Capital (WACC)**

Your performance shall be judged using a parameter **Supremacy Factor (S_F)** which is a mixture of your **Economic Power (E_P)** and **Military Power (M_P)**

Caution: The Source of the Funds can have an effect on your sovereignty.

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