Module 6 Case Study

Near the end of 2013, the management of Simid Sports Co., a manufacturing company, prepared the following estimated balance sheet for December 31, 2013.

SIMID SPORTS COMPANY Estimated Balance Sheet December 31, 2013	
Assets	
Cash	\$ 18,000
Accounts receivable	262,500
Inventory	75,000
Total current assets	355,500
Equipment \$270,000	
Less accumulated depreciation	236,250
Total assets	\$591,750
Liabilities and Equity	
Accounts payable \$180,000	
Bankloan payable	
Taxes payable (due 3/15/2014) 45.000	
Total liabilities	\$232,500
Common stock	
Retained earnings 123,000	
Total stockholders' equity	359,250
Total liabilities and equity	\$591,750

To prepare a master budget for January, February, and March of 2014, management has gathered the following information:

- Simid Sports' single product is purchased for \$30 per unit and resold for \$55 per unit. The expected inventory level of 2,500 units on December 31, 2013, is more than management's desired level for 2014 which is 20% of the next month's expected sales (in units). Expected sales are:
 - o January, 3,500 units;
 - February, 4,500 units;
 - o March, 5,500 units; and
 - April, 5,000 units.

- Cash sales and credit sales represent 25% and 75%, respectively, of total sales. Of the credit sales, 60% is collected in the first month after the month of sale and 40% in the second month after the month of sale. For the December 31, 2013, accounts receivable balance, \$62,500 is collected in January and the remaining \$200,000 is collected in February.
- Merchandise purchases are paid for as follows: 20% in the first month after the month of purchase and 80% in the second month after purchase. For the December 31, 2013, accounts payable balance, \$40,000 is paid in January and the remaining \$140,000 is paid in February.
- Sales commissions equal to 20% of sales are paid each month. Sales salaries (excluding commissions) are \$30,000 per year.
- General and administrative salaries are \$72,000 per year. Maintenance expense equals \$1,000 per month and is paid in cash.
- Equipment reported in the December 31, 2013, balance sheet was purchased in January 2013. It is being depreciated over eight years using the straight-line method with no salvage value. The following amounts for new equipment purchases are planned in the coming quarter: January, \$18,000; February, \$48,000; and March, \$14,400. This equipment will be depreciated using the straight-line method over eight years with no salvage value. A full month's depreciation is taken for the month in which equipment is purchased.
- The company plans to acquire land at the end of March at a cost of \$75,000, which will be paid for with cash on the last day of the month.
- Simid Sports has a working arrangement with its bank to obtain additional loans as needed. The interest rate is 12% per year, and interest is paid at each month-end based on the beginning balance. Partial or full payments on these loans can be made on the last day of the month. The company has agreed to maintain a minimum ending cash balance of \$12,500 each month.
- The income tax rate for the company is 40%. Income taxes on the first quarter's income will not be paid until April 15.