

Mark Scheme (Results)

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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

1(a) **AO1 (4)**

AO1: Four marks for explaining the difference

| Revenue Expenditure | Capital expenditure | |
|---|---|--|
| Day to day running expenses | Purchasing non-current assets | |
| | | |
| Costs appear in the income statement | Cost appears in the financial position | |
| | statement | |
| Cost charged against income for one | Cost spread over several years by charging | |
| year | depreciation | |

Note: do not accept examples only.

2 x 2 x **(1)** AO1

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(b) **AO1 (3)**

AO1: Three marks for stating whether expense is revenue expenditure or capital expenditure

| Redecoration | Revenue (1) AO1 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Additional computer equipment | Capital (1) AO1 |
| Advertising refurbished premises | Revenue (1) AO1 |

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(c) **AO2 (4)**

AO2: Four marks for preparing journal entries

Journal

| | Dr | Cr |
|---|--------|------------------|
| | £ | £ |
| Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive | 12 600 | (1) AO2 |
| Income /Redecoration /Refurbishment | | Both |
| Bank | | 12 600 |
| | | |
| Computer equipment | 6 000 | |
| | | |
| JK Computers | | 6 000 (1) |
| | | AO2 Both |
| Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive | 2 400 | |
| Income /Advertising | | |
| Bank | | 1 800 (1) |
| | | AO2 |
| Northtown newspapers | | 600 (1) |
| | | AO2 |

(d)(i) AO1 (6) AO2 (5) AO3 (5)

AO1: Six marks for transferring balances or calculating appropriation

AO2: Five marks for calculating and inserting entries

AO3: Five marks for two stage calculations and inserting entries

Linda and Rishi Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income and Appropriation for the year ended 30 April 2022

| , | £ | £ |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Revenue | L | 570 000 |
| | | 370 000 |
| Less Chaning inventory | 61,000 | |
| Opening inventory | 61 000 | |
| Purchases | 390 000 | |
| Carriage inwards | 3 600 | |
| | 454 600 | |
| Closing inventory | (72 000) | (222 222) (4) 122 |
| Cost of sales | | (382 600) (1) AO3 |
| Gross profit | | 187 400 |
| Other income | | |
| Commission receivable | 6 750 (1) AO1 | |
| Decrease in allowance for irrecoverable debts | 600 (1) AO3 | |
| | | 7 350 |
| | | 194 750 |
| Less expenses: | | |
| Carriage outwards | 8 100 (1) AO1 | |
| Staff wages | 57 500 (1) AO1 | |
| General expenses | 9 200 (1) AO1 | |
| Management salaries | 38 000 (1) AO1 | |
| Rent and insurance (4 800 + 450 – 800) | 4 450 (1) AO3 | |
| Irrecoverable debts | 2 850 (1) AO1 | |
| Advertising (7 950 + 2 400) | 10 350 (1) AO3 | |
| Premises refurbishment (12 600) | 12 600 (1) AO2 | |
| Depreciation: | | |
| Computer equipment | 7 000 (1) AO3 | |
| Fixtures and fittings | 4 200 (1) AO2 | |
| | | (154 250) |
| Profit for the year | | 40 500 |
| Interest on drawings: | | |
| Linda | 1 200 (1) AO2 | |
| Rishi | 1 600 both | |
| | | 43 300 |

| Interest on capital: | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Linda | (2 000) (1) AO2 | |
| Rishi | (3 000) both | |
| | | <u>38 300</u> |
| Share of profit/loss: | | |
| Linda | (19 150) (1of) AO2 | |
| Rishi | (19 150) both split | |
| | equally | |
| | | <u>38 300</u> |

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(d)(ii)

AO1 (1) AO2 (3)

AO1: One mark for balances

AO2: Three marks for correctly inserting entries

Current accounts

| | Linda | Rishi | | Linda | Rishi |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| | £ | £ | | £ | £ |
| | | | Balance b/d | 2 000 | 450 |
| Drawings | 15 000 | 20 000 | Int on capital | 2 000 | 3 000 |
| Int on drawings | 1 200 | 1 600 | Share of profit | 19 150 | 19 150 |
| Balance c/d | <u>6 950</u> | <u>1 000</u> | | | |
| | <u>23 150</u> | <u>22 600</u> | | <u>23 150</u> | <u>22 600</u> |
| | | | Balance b/d | 6 950 | 1 000 |

Drawings/interest on drawings, Int on capital, Share of profit 3 x (1 of) AO2

Balances c/d brought down on 1 May 2022 1 x (1 of) AO1 No aliens

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(e) AO1 (2) AO2 (8) AO3 (2)

AO1: Two marks for transferring balances

AO2: Eight marks for calculating and inserting entries

AO3: Two marks for two stage calculations and inserting entries

Statement of Financial Position at 30 April 2022

| Assets | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Non-current assets | | | |
| | Cost | Accumulated | Carrying |
| | | depreciation | value |
| | £ | £ | £ |
| Computer equipment | 56 000 | (28 000) | 28 000 (1of) AO3 |
| Fixtures and fittings | <u>28 000</u> | (13 200) | <u>14 800 (1of) AO2</u> |
| | <u>84 000</u> | <u>(41 200)</u> | 42 800 |
| Current assets | | | |
| Inventory | | 72 000 (1) AO1 | |
| Trade receivables | 8 000 | | |
| Less Allowance for irrecoverable | <u>(400)</u> | 7 600 (1) AO3 | |
| debts | | | |
| | | | |
| Other receivables: | | | |
| Insurance prepaid | | 800 (1) AO2 | |
| Bank (17 350 - 12 600 – 1 800) | | 2 950 (2) AO2 | |
| [1] [1] | | | <u>83 350</u> |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | | <u>126 150</u> |
| | | | |
| Capital and Liabilities: | | | |
| | Linda | Rishi | |
| Capital accounts | 40 000 | 60 000 | 100 000 (1) AO1 |
| | | | |
| Current accounts | 6 950 | 1 000 | 7 950 (1 of) AO2 |
| | | | |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Trade payables (11 150 + | | 17 750 (2) AO2 | |
| 6 000 [1] + 600 [1]) | | | |
| Other payables: | | | |
| Rent owing | | <u>450 (1) AO2</u> | |
| | | | <u>18 200</u> |
| TOTAL CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES | | | <u>126 150</u> |

(f) AO1 (1) AO2 (1) AO3 (5) AO4 (5)

Positive points in favour of selling cash only

Improves the cash flow of Linda and Rishi as cash is received immediately.

Eliminates irrecoverable debts as customers are not receiving credit.

Less book-keeping for Linda and Rishi with no trade receivables ledger to prepare. Less demand for book-keeping services.

No cash discounts to pay improved profit

No credit control, telephone calls and letters

Negative points against selling cash only

Not everybody has cash to purchase with, therefore, sales will be lost. Many customers will need to sell the goods before making their payment.

Some **customers will go to rival sellers** rather than purchase from Linda and Rishi. Smaller market share.

Competitors will be able to grow their businesses and provide greater competition to Linda and Rishi.

Security issues with a large amount of cash on hand will make Linda and Rishi a target for thieves.

Possibility of fraud as cash is being paid into the business. The temptation for fraud will be higher.

Decision

Candidates may conclude that it is/or is not better to trade on a cash only basis. Candidates should support that decision with an appropriate rationale.

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|---------|---------|--|--|
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| Level 3 | 7 - 9 | Accurate and thorough understanding, supported throughout by relevant application to the scenario. Some analytical perspectives are present, with developed chains of reasoning, showing causes and/or effects. An attempt at an assessment is presented, using financial and non-financial information, in an appropriate format and communicates reasoned explanations | |
| Level 4 | 10 - 12 | Accurate and thorough knowledge and understanding, supported throughout by relevant and effective application to the scenario. A coherent and logical chain of reasoning, showing causes and effects. Assessment is balanced, wide ranging and well contextualised using financial and non-financial information and makes informed recommendations and decisions. | |

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| Q1 | Total marks | 55 |
|----|-------------|----|
|----|-------------|----|

AO2 (12)

AO2: Twelve marks for calculating and inserting correct entries

| Ratio | Calculation | Answer |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| (i) Inventory turnover (in | 90 000 | 6 times (1) AO2 |
| times per year) | (12 000 + 18 000)/2 (1) AO2 | |
| (ii) Gross profit as a | 150 000 x 100 (1) AO2 | 62.50% (1) AO2 |
| percentage of revenue | 240 000 | |
| (iii) Profit for the year as a | 40 000 x 100 (1) AO2 | 16.67% (1) AO2 |
| percentage of revenue | 240 000 | |
| (iv) Percentage return on | 40 000 + 4 000 x 100 (1) AO2 | 25.88% (1) AO2 |
| capital employed | 120 000 + 50 000 | |
| (v) Trade payables | <u>15 000 x 365 (1) AO2</u> | 57.03 days (1) AO2 |
| collection period (in days) | 96 000 | |
| (vi) Trade receivables | 18 000 x 365 | 30.42 days (1) AO2 |
| collection period (in days) | 216 000 (1) AO2 | |

Accept reasonable rounding

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(b)(i) **AO2 (2) AO3 (2)**

AO2: Two marks for a qualitative comment about the movement of the ratio.

AO3: Two marks for development of a possible reason for the movement.

OWN FIGURE RULE APPLIES

Gross profit as a percentage of revenue has **improved (1)** AO2 this may be due to reducing costs of purchasing or increasing selling prices. **(1)** AO3

Profit as a percentage of revenue has **improved (1)** AO2 although expenses appeared to have increased in the year they have been controlled. **(1)** AO3

The return on capital employed has **deteriorated**, **(1)** AO2 this is probably due to the increased capital employed through the bank loan. **(1)** AO3

The return on capital employed is still at a **high level** of 25.9%, **(1)** AO2 well above an acceptable return level of 10-15%. **(1)** AO3

MAX 2 points x (1) AO2 plus 2 x (1) AO3 for development.

(ii) AO2 (2) AO3 (2)

AO2: Two marks for a qualitative comment about the movement of the ratio.

AO3: Two marks for development of a possible reason for the movement.

OWN FIGURE RULE APPLIES

The current ratio has **improved (1)** AO2 this is probably due to increasing the level of inventory over the period. **(1)** AO3

The current ratio **improvement above the accepted level** of 1.4-2:1(1) AO2 has led to idle funds in the current assets. (1) AO3

The rate of inventory turnover has **deteriorated (1)** AO2 this may be due to increasing the level of inventory by the end of the period. **(1)** AO3

The liquid ratio is **fairly constant** over the period **(1)** AO2 and within the accepted levels of 0.7-1:1. **(1)** AO3

Trade payables payment period has **deteriorated** substantially. **(1)** AO2 Possibly may cause problems with future credit purchases. **(1)** AO3

Trade receivables collection period has **improved** marginally **(1)** AO2 and is around the accepted 30 days /showing good credit control procedures. **(1)** AO3

MAX 2 points x (1) AO2 plus 2 x (1) AO3 for development.

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(c)(i) **AO1 (4)**

AO1: Four marks for explaining the difference.

Fixed costs **do not change (1)** AO1 with the **level of activity. (1)** AO1 Variable costs change in **direct proportion (1)** AO1 to the **level of activity. (1)** AO1

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(ii) **AO1 (4)**

AO1: Four marks for explaining the difference.

Semi-fixed costs are **constant over a range of activity (1)** AO1 The cost will then increase and then remain **constant over the next range of activity. (1)** AO1

Semi-variable costs include an element of **fixed cost regardless of the level of activity**. **(1)** AO1 As activity increases the variable element will **increase in proportion to the increase in activity**. **(1)** AO1

(d) **AO2 (4)**

AO2: Four marks for interpreting behaviour of costs.

| Fixed cost | Rent | (1) AO2 |
|--------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Variable cost | Purchases or Cost of sales | (1) AO2 |
| Semi-fixed cost | Depreciation | (1) AO2 |
| Semi-variable cost | General expenses | (1) AO2 |

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(e) **AO2 (3) AO3 (2)**

AO2: Three marks for calculating and inserting entries.

AO3: Two marks for two stage calculations and inserting entries.

Forecast Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income for the year ended 30 April 2023

| Tot the year ended 50 April 2025 | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | £ | £ | |
| Revenue | | 300 000 (1) AO2 | |
| Less | | | |
| Cost of sales (90 000 +25%) - 10%) | | (101 250) (1) AO3 | |
| Gross profit | | 198 750 | |
| Less | | | |
| Depreciation | 19 000 (1) AO2 | | |
| Rent | 25 000 | | |
| Expenses (including bank loan | <u>75 000 (1) AO3</u> | | |
| interest) | | | |
| | | <u>(119 000)</u> | |
| Forecast profit for the year | | <u>79 750 (1 of) AO2</u> | |
| | | +W | |

No aliens

(5)

(f) AO1 (3) AO2 (3)

AO1: Three marks for identifying social accounting issues.

AO2: Three marks for developing the issues.

| Social accounting | Development |
|-------------------|---|
| Local community | Support the local community with an appropriate level of |
| | paid employment. |
| Environment | Non-polluting process/transport which limits emissions to |
| | stay within legal limits. |
| Workforce | Ensure that workforce is appropriately trained and is |
| | developed to better meet objectives. |
| Health and safety | Ensure that the process and practices do not injure or |
| | adversely affect the health of employees. |
| Use of natural | Use sustainable materials ensuing the future supply of |
| resources | materials. |

3 x (1) AO1 for identification PLUS 3 x (1) AO2 for development. (6)

(g) AO1 (1) AO2 (1) AO3 (5) AO4 (5)

Positive points in favour of judging a business solely on profitability ratios

Ratios **enable comparison** to be made between Syed's business and other similar businesses.

There are 'yardsticks' that can be used to assess progress of the business, most commonly the businesses comparison with its previous year's results.

Return on capital employed percentage is directly comparable across all businesses and can be comparable with alternative investments.

Profit is the main driver for the businessman

Negative points against judging a business solely on profitability ratios

Non-financial factors are ignored but these are critical for future prospects of Syed's business. Factors such as the innovation of the management, skill of the workforce, product development are critical but ignored if only financial considerations are considered.

Social factors are ignored, such as the businesses impact on the workforce, the environment, the community, this will have a detrimental effect on the image of Syed's business.

Liquidity and use of assets also needs to be considered.

Ethical factors needs to be considered.

Decision

Candidates may conclude that the use of profitability ratios as the way of judging the success of a business is or is not appropriate. Candidates should support that decision with an appropriate rationale.

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|---------|---------|--|
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| Q2 Total marks 55 |
|-------------------|
|-------------------|

3(a) **AO1 (7) AO3 (2)**

AO1: Seven marks for transferring balances

AO3: Two marks for two stage calculations and inserting entry

Hillside Sports Club Trial Balance at 30 April 2022

| | Dr | Cr |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | £ | £ |
| Subscriptions received | | 2 950 |
| Trade payables | | 1 850 |
| Rent payable | 1 500 | |
| Telephone charges | 320 | |
| Equipment (cost) | 4 510 | |
| Equipment- provision for depreciation | | 1 100 |
| Bank overdraft | | 70 |
| Equipment repairs | 600 | |
| Disposal account (profit on sale) | | 150 |
| Sale of dance tickets | | 2 100 |
| Catering cost for dance | 390 | |
| Hire of band for dance | 500 | |
| Donations received | | 300 |
| Sundry expenses | 1 450 | |
| Accumulated fund | | 750 |
| | | |
| | <u>9 270</u> | <u>9 270</u> |

7 x (1) AO1 for each 2 correct entrie

(2/1of) AO3 for accumulated fund on **credit** side.

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(b) **AO2 (5)**

AO2: Five marks for calculating total figures

| Income | | | £ |
|-----------------|--------------------------|---|---|
| Sale of tickets | 2 100 + 580 | = | 2 680 (1) AO2 |
| Expenditure | | | |
| Catering | 390 + 910 (1) AO2 | = | (1 300) (1of) AO2 own figure if adjusted |
| Band hire | 500 + 750 | = | (1 250) (10f) AO2 own figure if adjusted |
| | | | (2 550) |
| | | | |
| Profit of dance | | | <u>130</u> (1of) AO2 |

(5)

(c) AO1 (2) AO2 (7) AO3 (1)

AO1: Two marks for transferring balances

AO2: Seven marks for calculating and inserting entries

AO3: One mark for multiple stage calculation

Income and Expenditure Account For the year ended 30 April 2022

| For the y | year ended | d 30 April 202 |
|-----------|------------|----------------|
| | £ | £ |
| | | |

Income

4 190

Expenditure

Rent payable 1 500 **(1)** AO2 Telephone charges 320 **(1)** AO1

Equipment repairs 600 - 250 350 **(1)** AO2

Sundry expenses 1 450 + 420 - 130 1 740 **(1)** AO2

Depreciation on equipment 350 **(1)** AO3

(4510 + 250 - 1100 - 3310) (4260)

(d) AO1 (1) AO2 (1) AO3 (5) AO4 (5)

OWN FIGURE RULE APPLIES

Positive points for the club

The Hillside Club made a **profit on the dance**.

The Hillside Club was **close to breaking-even** on its activities with only a small deficit.

Negative points against the club

The Hillside Club made a small **deficit which will need addressing** over time to retain the funds to maintain the activities and club growth.

There are still £860 of **subscriptions due** for the last year which could result in some irrecoverable debts.

The Hillside Club should assess whether these are likely to be paid and should improve its **subscription collection process**.

The Hillside Club has **not allowed for any possible irrecoverable debts**.

The Hillside Club has an overdraft and a shortage of cash.

Decision

Candidates may conclude that the club is favourably or unfavourably placed. Candidates should support that decision with an appropriate rationale.

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|---------|------|--|
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| | | Weak or no relevant application to the scenario set. |
| Level 2 | 3-4 | Elements of knowledge and understanding, which are applied to the scenario. |
| | | Some analysis is present, with developed chains of reasoning, showing causes and/or effects applied to the scenario, although these may be incomplete or invalid. |
| | | An attempt at an evaluation is presented, using financial and perhaps non-financial information, with a decision. |
| Level 3 | 5-6 | Accurate and thorough knowledge and understanding. Application to the scenario is relevant and effective. A coherent and logical chain of reasoning, showing causes and effects is present. |
| | | Evaluation is balanced and wide ranging, using financial and perhaps non-financial information and an appropriate decision is made. |

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| Q3 | Total marks | 30 | |
|----|-------------|----|--|
|----|-------------|----|--|

4(a) **AO1 (4)**

AO1: Four marks for stating reasons.

- Checks **accuracy** of the double entry system.
- Identify arithmetical errors.
- Locate/localize errors.
- **Totals of ledgers** can speed up the preparation of the trial balance and financial statements.
- **Internal control**, the prevention of fraud.
- To **reconcile** trade receivables to control account.

NOT

Aids decision making

Correct errors.

Determine credit purchases and sales

4 x (1) AO1 (4)

(b) AO1 (2) AO2 (5) AO3 (3)

AO1: Two marks for balancing account

AO2: Five marks for correct insertion of entries

AO3: Three marks for multiple stage calculation and posting.

Trade Receivables Ledger Control Account

| Date | Details | £ | Date | Details | £ |
|---------|------------------|----------------------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| 2022 | | | 2022 | | |
| 1 April | Balance b/d | 8 700 | 1 April | Balance b/d | 250 |
| April | Sales | 8 900 (1) AO3 | April | Bank | 8 350 (1) |
| | | | | | AO2 |
| | Bank | 420 (1) AO2 | | Sales returns | 550 (1) |
| | (dishonoured | | | | AO3 |
| | Cheque) | | | Discount Allowed | 350 (1) |
| | | | | | AO2 |
| | Interest charged | 80 (1) AO3 | | Contra | 50 (1) |
| | | | | | AO2 |
| | | | | Irrecoverable | 730 (1) |
| | | | | debts | AO2 |
| 30 | Balance c/d | 400 | 30 April | Balance c/d | <u>8 220</u> |
| April | | | | | |
| | | <u>18 500</u> | | | <u>18 500</u> |
| 1 May | Balance b/d | 8 220 (1of) | 1 May | Balance b/d | 400 (1) |
| | | AO1 | | | AO1 |

(10)

(c) AO1 (2) AO2 (1)

AO1: Two marks for heading and transferring balances AO2: One mark for netting debit and credit balances

Statement of Financial Position (extract) at 30 April 2022

Current assets £

Trade receivables 8 220 **(1of)** AO1
Less Credit balance (400) **(1)** AO1
7 820 **(1of)** AO2

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(d) **AO1 (1) AO2 (6)**

AO1: One mark for transferring balances

AO2: Six marks for calculating and inserting entries

B. Luck Account

| Date | Details | £ | Date | Details | £ |
|----------|-----------------|----------------|----------|---------------|----------------|
| 2022 | | | 2022 | | |
| 1 April | Balance b/d | 420 | 18 April | Bank | 420 (1) |
| | | | | | AO2 |
| 20 April | Sales | 120 (1) | | | |
| | | AO2 | | | |
| | | | | | |
| 28 April | Bank | 420 (1) | 30 April | Irrecoverable | 540 (1) |
| | (dishonoured) | AO2 | | debts | AO2 |
| | | <u>960</u> | | | <u>960</u> |
| 25 May | Irrecoverable | 135 (1) | 25 May | Bank | 135 (1) |
| | debts recovered | AO2 | | | AO2 |
| | (1) AO1 | | | | |
| | | <u>135</u> | | | <u>135</u> |

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(e)

AO2 (1) AO3 (2) AO4 (3)

Points for being able to avoid irrecoverable debts

Marvin **could only make cash sales.** However, a proportion will need to be made on credit or sales will decline substantially. The proportion on credit runs the risk of irrecoverable debts.

Marvin should ensure the **careful financial vetting of customers** to whom he intend to sell goods on credit this should reduce irrecoverable debts.

Speedy invoicing and credit control will pressure debtors to pay regularly.

Points for not being able to avoidable irrecoverable debts

Marvin will have to sell some goods on credit running the risk of debts being irrecoverable.

Marvin should ensure that **sufficient resource** are applied to the collection of debts through credit control procedures.

Regular **customers circumstances may change** making it more likely that they could become bankrupt and their debt will be irrecoverable.

Decision

Candidates may conclude that all recoverable debts can be avoided or not avoided. Candidates should support that decision with an appropriate rationale.

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| Level 3 | 5-6 | Accurate and thorough knowledge and understanding. Application to the scenario is relevant and effective. A coherent and logical chain of reasoning, showing causes and effects is present. Evaluation is balanced and wide ranging, using financial and perhaps non-financial information and an appropriate decision is made. |
| | | (6) |

| Q4 | Total marks | 30 | |
|----|-------------|----|--|
|----|-------------|----|--|

5(a) **AO1 (2)**

AO1: Two marks for explaining

• Overhead allocation

Charging costs to a cost centre where the total costs **(1)** AO1 are completely associated with that cost centre. **(1)** AO1

• Overhead apportionment

Sharing of costs between two or more cost centres **(1)** AO1 on the most appropriate and reasonable basis. **(1)** AO1

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(b)(i) AO1 (3) AO2 (10) AO3 (3)

AO1: Three marks for transferring entries

AO2: Ten marks for correct insertion of entries

AO3: Three marks for multiple stage calculation and posting.

Manufacturing Account for the year ended 30 April 2022

| | £ | £ |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Raw materials: | | |
| Opening inventory | 20 500 | |
| Purchases | 134 250 | |
| | 154 750 | |
| Closing inventory | <u>(18 900)</u> | |
| Cost of raw materials | | 135 850 (1) AO3 |
| Production wages | | 165 750 (1) AO1 |
| Production expenses | | 5 400 (1) AO2 |
| Royalties | | 10 200 (1) AO1 |
| Prime cost | | 317 200 (1of) AO3 +w No aliens |
| Overheads: | | |
| Rent and rates | 21 000 (1) AO2 | |
| Electricity and power | 4 800 (1) AO2 | |
| Production expenses | 3 600 (1) AO2 | |
| Management salaries | 45 000 (1) AO2 | |
| Canteen costs | 10 800 (1) AO2 | |
| Non-current asset | 21 000 (1) AO2 | |
| depreciation | | |
| | | <u>106 200</u> |
| | | 423 400 (1of) AO3 No aliens |
| Work in progress: | | |
| Opening WIP | 42 100 | |
| Closing WIP | (38 700) | |
| | | <u>3 400</u> (1) AO2 |
| Cost of production | | 426 800 (1of) AO1 |
| Profit on manufacture | | <u>64 020 (1of) AO2</u> + w |
| Transfer to trading account | | 490 820 (1of) AO2 + w No aliens |

(b)(ii) AO1 (2) AO2 (2)

AO1: Two marks for description and opening balance on credit side.

AO2: Two marks for correct transfer and balancing sum

Provision for Unrealised Profit Account

| Date | Details | £ | Date | Details | £ |
|-------|------------------|--------------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|
| 2022 | | | 2021 | | |
| 30 | Income statement | 400 (1) AO2 | 1 May | Balance b/d | 6 700 (1) AO1 |
| April | (1) AO1 | | | | |
| | Balance c/d | <u>6 300</u> | | | |
| | | <u>6 700</u> | | | <u>6 700</u> |
| 2022 | | | 2022 | | |
| | | | 1 May | Balance b/d | 6 300 (1of) |
| | | | | | AO2 |

Cr No aliens

Working

Unrealised profit £48 300 x $\underline{15}$ = £6 300

115

(c)AO2 (1) AO3 (2) AO4 (3)

Positive points for day work/ negative points for group bonus scheme

Day work is a **lot simpler to operate** for Harptree Manufacturing. No standard times to complete goods required as would be the case with a bonus scheme.

Quality can be more accurately controlled by Harptree Manufacturing with day work as production workers have no incentive to 'cut corners' when producing work.

Slower workers will not feel that they are unable to keep up with the pace of other workers.

Negative points for day work/ positive points for group bonus scheme.

Day work does not **motivate** the production staff of Harptree Manufacturing to be efficient with their time, but group bonus scheme will. This will increase cost per unit.

Group bonus scheme should result in production workers **working faster and as a team**, but this may result in a higher accident rate.

Group bonus scheme will **reduce cost per unit** of goods produced by Harptree Manufacturing.

Decision

Candidates may conclude that the proposed change is/is not beneficial. Candidates should support that decision with an appropriate rationale.

| Level | Mark | Descriptor |
|---------|------|---|
| | 0 | A completely incorrect response. |
| Level 1 | 1-2 | Isolated elements of knowledge and understanding which are recall based. Generic assertions may be present. Weak or no relevant application to the scenario set. |
| Level 2 | 3-4 | Elements of knowledge and understanding, which are applied to the scenario. Some analysis is present, with developed chains of reasoning, showing causes and/or effects applied to the scenario, although these may be incomplete or invalid. An attempt at an evaluation is presented, using financial and perhaps non-financial information, with a decision. |
| Level 3 | 5-6 | Accurate and thorough knowledge and understanding. Application to the scenario is relevant and effective. A coherent and logical chain of reasoning, showing causes and effects is present. Evaluation is balanced and wide ranging, using financial and perhaps non-financial information and an appropriate decision is made. |

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| Q5 | Total marks | 30 | ì |
|----|-------------|----|---|
|----|-------------|----|---|

6(a) **AO1(3) AO2(3)**

AO1: Three marks for stating the basic concept

AO2: Three marks for explaining concepts application

- (i) All non-current assets must be **recorded at their cost price** (1) AO1 although the replacement/ **market value** may have increased or decreased. (1) AO2
- (ii) Once a depreciation method has been chosen it should be used **consistently over the life** of the asset. **(1)** AO1 This will ensure that **profits are not distorted** over the years. **(1)** AO2
- (iii) It is assumed that the business will continue with **perpetual/indefinite life**. **(1)** AO1 The non-current asset should therefore be **depreciated over its full economic life**. **(1)** AO2

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(b) AO2 (1) AO3 (3)

AO2: One mark for calculating depreciation owned for a full year AO3: Three marks for multiple stage calculation of depreciation.

Asset sold on 1 Aug 24 000 x 15% = 3 600 multiplied by 3/12 = 900 (1) AO3
Assets purchased on 1 November 32 000 x 15%=4 800 multipliedby 6/12 = 2 400 (1) AO3
Asset purchased on 1 January 16 000 x 15% x 4/12 = 800 (1) AO3
All other assets 216 000 x 15% = 32 400 (1) AO3
Total depreciation charge = 36 500
(4)

(c) (i) AO1 (2) AO2 (9)

AO1: Two marks for balancing and bringing down the balance

AO2: Nine marks for correct insertion of entries

Equipment Account

| Date | Details | £ | Date | Details | £ |
|-------|---------------|---------------------------|----------|-------------|--------------------------|
| 2021 | | | 2021 | | |
| 1 May | Balance b/d | 240 000 | 1 Aug | Disposal | 24 000 (1) AO2 |
| 1 Nov | CT & Partners | 32 000 (1) AO2 | | | |
| 2022 | | | 2022 | | |
| 1 Jan | Bank | 16 000 (1) AO2 | 30 April | Balance c/d | <u>264 000</u> |
| | | <u>288 000</u> | | | <u>288 000</u> |
| 2022 | | | | | |
| 1 May | Balance b/d | 264 000 (1) AO1 | | | |

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Equipment- Provision for Depreciation Account

| Date | Details | £ | Date | Details | £ |
|-------|-------------|--------------------------|----------|-------------|---------------------|
| 2021 | | | 2021 | | |
| 1 Aug | Disposal | 16 900 (1) AO2 | 1 May | Balance b/d | 45 000 |
| 2022 | | | 2022 | | |
| 30 | Balance c/d | <u>64 600</u> | 30 April | Income | 36 500 (1of) |
| April | | | | Statement | AO2 |
| | | <u>82 700</u> | | | <u>82 700</u> |
| | | | 1 May | Balance b/d | 64 600 (1of) |
| | | | | | AO1 |

(3)

(iii)

Disposal Account

| Date | Details | £ | Date | Details | £ |
|-------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--------------|-----------------------|
| 2021 | | | 2021 | | |
| 1 Aug | Equipment | 24 000 (1) AO2 | 1 Aug | Depreciation | 16 900 (1) AO2 |
| 2022 | | | | | |
| 30 | Income | <u>1 900</u> (1) AO2 | | Cash | 9 000 (1) AO2 |
| April | Statement | | | | |
| | | <u>25 900</u> | | | <u>25 900</u> |

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(d) **AO1 (3)**

AO1: Three marks for stating disadvantages.

- Valuation is **just a judgement** and difficult to get accurate.
- Considerable work in revaluing non-current assets every year.
- Requires input from **specialist valuers**.
- Can **distort profits** as valuations fluctuate.
- Brings the use of the **historic cost concept into question**.
- Does **not comply with equal use** same depreciation
- Revaluation usually used on small items only.

3 x (1) AO1 (3)

(e) AO2 (1) AO3 (2) AO4 (3)

Positive points for straight line method/ negative points for an alternative method Charges the same depreciation to Highgate Construction income statement each year representing even usage over the years.

Does **not distort the profits** of Highgate Construction by depreciation charges being high in the early years and lower in the later years.

The use of a **revaluation method would require annual input from a professional valuer** to assess current values. Straight line does not require that input or incur that cost.

Straight line is **based on historic cost concept**, re-valuation is subjective and may go against that concept.

Negative points for straight line method/positive points for alternative method Many non-current assets lose a high proportion of their value in the early years. This is particularly common with equipment such as that are owned by Highgate Construction as evidenced by the market value of the digger.

Non-current assets such as **equipment will be over-valued in the books** of Highgate Construction in the early years using straight line method.

As the years progress the straight-line method will **increase the costs of Highgate Construction when depreciation and maintenance** are considered.

Decision

Candidates may conclude that the straight-line method is appropriate/is not appropriate. Candidates should support that decision with an appropriate rationale.

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| Q6 | Total marks | 30 | |
|----|-------------|----|--|
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