

CERTIFIED ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN (CAT) STAGE 3 EXAMINATION S3.1 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING DATE: MONDAY, 23 AUGUST 2021

MODEL ANSWERS AND MARKING GUIDE

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SECTION A

Marking guide

Question Number	Answer
1	C
2	D
3	C
4	В
5	В
6	C
7	В
8	C
9	В
10	С

Marks

Question 1 to 10 2 marks for each correct answer

2

Total marks for the section

20

SECTION A -Detailed Answers

QUESTION ONE

The Correct answer is C

Only 1 and 3 are correct.

2 is not correct because Sole traders and companies both have capital invested in the business.

Option C is correct because it excludes 2

Options A, B and D are not correct include 2 which is not correct

QUESTION TWO

The correct Answer is D

The correct action is to create a provision for Item 1, and for item 2 to disclose by note only.

(For item 1, it is certain that the company will have warranty claims against them this year and the amount can be estimated accurately while for item 2 the amount cannot be estimated accurately and so only disclosure should be made.)

Option D is correct because it suggests creating a provision for item 1, and for Item 2 to disclose by note only

Option A is not correct because it suggests to only disclose item 1 and do nothing to item 2 while the correct action is to create a provision for Item 1, and for Item 2 to disclose by note only

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Option B is not correct because it suggests creating provision for item 2 while the correct action is to disclose it by note only

Option C is not correct because it suggests disclosing item 1by note only while the correct action is to create a provision for item 1

QUESTION THREE

The correct Answer is C

Depreciation	Year	Depreciation Amount on 20% reducing balance
	2015	2,400,000.0
	2016	1,920,000.0
	2017	1,536,000.0
	2018	1,228,800.0
	2019	983,040.0
	2020	786,432.0
	2021	157,286.4
Total acc. Deprec.		9,011,558.4
NBV at sale date		2,988,441.6
Proceeds on disposal		5,000,000
Profit on disposal		2,011,558.40

Option C is correct as it indicates a profit on disposal as calculated above

Option A is not correct since there was a profit on disposal and not a loss though the figure is correct Option B&D are not correct since they both provide a wrong figure and thus it does not matter whether it is a profit or a loss.

QUESTION FOUR

The correct Answer is B

Option B is correct since the purpose of amortizing an intangible asset is to spread the cost of the intangible non-current asset over its useful life.

Option A is not correct because the reduction is the result but not the purpose

Option C is not correct since amortization is not necessarily associated with cash flows

Option D is not correct since amortization is associated with measurement than recognition of an intangible asset

QUESTION FIVE

4. The correct Answer is B

Dr. Profit/loss account Frw 5 Million; Dr. Other Comprehensive Income Frw 34 Million; Cr. Building Frw 39 Million.

Option B is correct because IAS 16 requires that when an asset is measured under revaluation model and its value has reduced, the revaluation loss is recognized in the profit and loss account unless there is a

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previous related revaluation gain in which case the loss equivalent to the previous revaluation gain is recognized through other comprehensive income. In this case the current loss is Frw 39 million and the previous revaluation gain was Frw 34 million. A loss equivalent to Frw 34 million is thus recognized through other comprehensive income while the extra loss i.e., Frw 5 million should be recognized though the profit and loss account.

Option A is not correct because it assumes there is a revaluation gain with a previous loss of Frw 5 million on the same building.

Option C is not correct it assumes there is a revaluation gain with no previous loss on the same building. Option D is not correct because it assumes there is a loss with no previous gain on the same building

QUESTION SIX

The correct Answer is C

Right issue

Existing old shares=500,000shares

2 old shares=1 right issue

1 old shares=1/2 rights

500,000 old shares=1/2*500,000=250,000 rights

Dr. BANK (250,000*300) 75m

Cr. Share capital (250,000*250) 62.5m

Cr:Share premium (250,000*50) 12.5m

Share capital=125+62.5=187.5 Share premium=100+12.5=112.5

Bonus issue

Existing old shares =(500,000+250,000)750,000shares

5 old shares=1 bonus share

1 old shares=1/5 bonus share

750,000 old shares=1/5*750,000=150,000 bonus share

Dr. share premium=150,000 shares of Frw 250=37.5 Million

Cr. Share capital 37.5 Million

Share capital=125+62.5+37.5=225 Million

Share Premium=100+12.5-37.5=75 Million

Option C is correct as per the above calculation of the share capital and share premium after bonus issue Option A is incorrect since it does not consider the bonus issue.

Option B is not correct since it does not provide any of the correct value for share capital and share premium.

Option D is not correct since the correct values are wrongly interchanged for share capital and share premium.

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QUESTION SEVEN

The correct Answer is B

Option B is correct because all events from 1 to 4 are adjusting events as per IAS 10

Option A is incorrect because it excludes 3 which is an adjusting event

Option C is incorrect because it excludes 2 and 3 which are adjusting events

Option D is incorrect because it excludes 1 and 4 which are adjusting events

QUESTION EIGHT

The correct Answer is C

Cash flow from operating activities	FRW"000"
Net profit before tax	5,000
Adjustment for	
Depreciation	2,000
Interest expenses	<u>1,500</u>
Operating profit before working capital change	8,500
Increase accounts receivable	(500)
Decrease in inventory	200
Decrease in accounts payable	(300)
Cash generated from operations	7,900
Interest paid	(600)
Net cash-inflow from operating activities	7,300

Option C is correct as calculated above

Option A does not deduct the interest paid

Option B is not correct since it provides negative cash flow

Option D is not correct since it provides a negative cash flow

QUESTION NINE

The Correct Answer is B

Net Profit Margin= Net Profit After Tax/Sales=5,300/53,000=10% Return on Capital employed=PBIT/Total CE=10,200/42,500=24%

Option B is the correct answer since it provides the right ratios for Net Profit After Tax and Return on Capital Employed as calculated above.

Option A is incorrect since it uses the profit before interest and tax to calculate the net profit margin and it wrongly calculates the return on capital employed

Option C is incorrect since it uses the profit before interest and tax to calculate the net profit margin and it calculates the return on capital employed using the net profit margin

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Option D is incorrect because both the Net Profit Margin and the Return on Capital Employed are wrongly calculated.

QUESTION 10

The Correct Answer is C

Cost of investment 90 million

Share capital of GAMA LTD 15 Million Pre-acquisition earnings 22 Million

37 Million

Goodwill = FRW 90 Million - FRW 37 Million = FRW 53 Million

Option C is correct because it rightly calculates the goodwill as shown above

Option A is not correct since the cost of investment is not equivalent to the goodwill

Option B is a wrong calculation of the goodwill

Option D is incorrect since it only considers only share capital as part of the net asset

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SECTION B

QUESTION 11

Marking Guide

Total marks	10
Mentioning the recommendation to pay the casual workers	2
Properly quoting IAS 8 and mentioning that the corrections can be made	2
Properly quoting IAS 10 and mentioning that this is an adjusting event	2
Properly quoting IAS 10 and mentioning that it is an event after the reporting period	2
The correct indication of reporting date and the date of authorization for issue	2

Detailed answer

The financial statements have been prepared as per 31st December 2021 (Reporting Date) and submitted to the Chief Finance Officer. The Board of Directors will authorize them for issue on 30th March 2021 (Date of authorization for issue). The payment was submitted on 15th December 2020 and the claim was re-called On 15th January 2021

Thus, according to IAS 10: Events After the Reporting Date, this is an **event after the reporting date** because it occurred between the reporting date (31th December 2020) and the date of authorization for issue (30th March 2021).

It is also **an adjusting event** because it provides evidence of conditions that existed at the reporting date — adjust the financial statements to reflect those events that provide evidence of conditions that existed at the reporting date.

Again the Finance Unit can base their decision on IAS 8: Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors which allows retrospective adjustment of the financial statements. It reads "All material prior-period errors shall be corrected retrospectively in the first set of financial statements authorized for issue after their discovery, by restating comparative prior-period amounts or, if the error occurred before the earliest period presented, by restating the opening statement of financial position."

I would advise the management of BRALIMA LTD to make adjustment in the books of accounts and authorize the payment of these casual workers since the financial statements are not approved/authorized for issue.

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QUESTION 12

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Total marks	10
Linking the 3 Es to value for money	2
The explanation of Efficiency	2
The explanation of Economy	3
The explanation of Effectiveness	3

Detailed Answer

Public sector organizations are always expected to attain greater results and outputs with fewer resources in order to further their missions. The concept of 3 Es (EFFECTIVENESS, ECONOMY and EFFICIENCY) shows how government entities must exercise due care in disbursing government funds. Authorities are supposed to ensure high value for money and avoid wasteful expenditures.

- **EFFECTIVENESS:** Refers to the success or otherwise in achieving objectives and it is concerned only with outputs. A public entity will be regarded as effective, if it has achieved the objective as stipulated. e.g. if organisation objective is building a 250-bed hospital & it subsequently builds such a hospital, then it has achieved its objective and it has been effective. If fire regulations limit the number of beds to 150, then the organisation will of course have been less effective.....the degree of effectiveness says nothing about how much was spent to achieve it the hospital may have cost, it concentrates only on output.
- **ECONOMY:** Whereas effectiveness concerns only outputs, economy concerns only inputs. It aims at minimizing costs. Extending the above example, the question would be, did the organisation exercise due economy in building the hospital? This means, did the hospital cost more than it needed to? Economy is also a relative measure and, in practice, questions of economy will become:

Did the hospital cost more than the organisation said it would cost?

Did the hospital cost more than comparable hospitals?

• **EFFICIENCY:** This is a combination of effectiveness and economy. It is the most important and all-embracing of the three. It is measured by the ratio:

OUTPUT INPUT

The greater the ratio, the more output for input, the more efficient the organisation

Because efficiency is measured by a ratio, it can be improved in four ways:

By increasing output for the same input;

By increasing output by a greater proportion than the proportionate increase in input;

By decreasing input for the same output;

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By decreasing input for a greater proportion than the proportionate decrease in output.

In short

- Economy is about inputs;
- Effectiveness is about outputs.;
- Efficiency is about inputs and outputs.

Therefore, in the policy statement on disbursements, the persons entrusted with disbursing the State finances must underscore the principles of operational efficiency, economy, and value for money. This means that disbursements should be made without waste, funds should be utilized in the best possible way, and the expenditure should match the achieved performance objectives.

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SECTION C

QUESTION 13

Marking Guide

a)	XYZ's	Statement	of Pro	fit or	Loss f	or the	vear	ended	30	June	2020
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The correct presentation of the statement including company name and name of	
the statement	0.5
The correct presentation of the period	0.5
There are 18 figures for a complete statement of profit or loss - Each correct figure is awarded	0.5
marks, Maximum 9 marks	9
Maximum Marks	10
b) XYZ's Statement of financial position as at 30 June 2020	
The correct presentation of the statement including company name and name	
of the statement	2
The correct presentation of the period	0.5
There are 15 figures for a complete statement of financial position - Each correct	
figure is awarded 0.5 marks, Maximum 7 Marks	7.5
Maximum Marks	10
Total marks	20

Detailed Answer

XYZ LTD statement of profit or loss /10 Marks	
For the year ended 30 June 2020	

	FRW	FRW
Sales	608,000	
Returns in wards	8,000	
Net sales		600,000
Opening Stock	94,000	
Add: Purchases	314,000	
Add: Carriage In	600	
Less: Returns out	3,500	
Less: Closing Stock	8,800	
Cost of Sales		396,300

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Gross Profit	203,700
Other Incomes	
Commission income	60,000
Total Incomes	263,700
Other Expenses	
Shop wages	92,000
Light and Heat	5,200
Rent	85,000
Insurance	1,800
Total Expenses	184,000
Net Profit for the year	79,700

XYZ Statement of Financial Position				
As at 30 June 2020				
Assets	FRW	FRW		
Non current Assets				
Shop fittings		260,000		
Equipment		60,000		
Total Non Current Assets		320,000		
Current Assets				
Inventory	8,800			
Accounts Receivables	2,300			
Bank	12,200			
Cash	1,900			
Total Current Assets		25,200		
Total Assets		<u>345,200</u>		
Capital and Liabilities				
Share Capital at start	290,000			
Profit for the year	79,700			
Less: Loss from previous period	70,000			
Share Capital at the end		299,700		
Liabilities				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable		45,500		
Total Liabilities				
Total Capital &Liabilities		<u>345,200</u>		

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QUESTION 14

Marking Guide

a) Categories of ratios

Total marks	20
Maximum marks	15
8 Income statement figures: each correct figure is awarded 1 mark	8
7 Income statement figures: each correct figure is awarded 1 mark	7
b) Filling in missing figures in the income statement	
Maximum marks	5
Shareholders' investment ratios	1
Efficiency (turnover ratios) explained	1
Liquidity ratios explained	1
Long-term solvency and gearing ratios explained	1
Profitability and return ratios explained	1

Detailed Answer

- **A.** Basic ratios can be grouped into five categories.
- 1. **Profitability and return**: Profitability ratios measures the ability of the firm to make profit out of its operations. The profitability ratios include return on capital employed, net profit as a percentage of sales, gross profit as a percentage of sales.
- 2. **Long-term solvency and gearing:** long term solvency ratios are concerned with how much the company owes in relation to its size, whether it is getting into heavier debt or improving its situation, and whether its debt burden seems heavy or light. Gearing or leverage is concerned with a company's long-term capital structure.
- 3. **Liquidity ratios**: Liquidity is the amount of cash a company can put its hands on quickly to settle its debts (and possibly to meet other unforeseen demands for cash payments too).
- 4. **Efficiency (turnover ratios):** efficiency ratios measure the efficiency with which a company uses its assets. For example, the average collection period measures the average length of time it takes for a company's customers to pay what they owe.
- 5. **Shareholders' investment ratios**: these are measures used to assess the level of return received by the shareholders of a company.

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B. Financial statements of KAZI NIKAZI Ltd

Income statement for the year ended 31.03.2020

99,500	(510,000)	850,000 340,000
(149,000)	(510,000)	340,000
(149,000)	(510,000)	340,000
(149,000)	(510,000)	340,000
	(510,000)	340,000
	(510,000)	340,000
		340,000
30,000		
000		
135,000		
		175,000
		165,000
		(15,000)
		150,000
		(75,000)
		75,000
		(15,000)
		60,000

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Statement of financial position as at 31 March 2020

	FRW		FRW
Non- Current Assets		Issued share capital (20000 share of	200,000
		Frw10 each)	
Land and Buildings	250,000	Reserve	90,000
Plant & Machinery	80,000	Retained profit	60,000
	330,000	Total Equity	350,000
Current Assets		Long term liabilities	99,990
Inventory	149,000	Current liabilities.	130,000
Receivables	75,090		
Less: Provision	(4,000)		
Cash	29,900		
Total Current Assets	249,990	Total liabilities.	229,990
Total Assets	<u>579,990</u>	Total Capital & Liabilities	<u>579,990</u>

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WORKINGS

INCOME STATEMENT

1. Gross profit Margin:

Gross profit = 340,000 = 0.4

sales sales

salesx0.4 = 340.000

sales = 340,000/0.4 = 850,000

Sales = 850,000

2. Gross profit= sales - cost of sales

cost of sales= sales - gross profit = 850000-340000 = 510,000

cost of sales= 510,000

3. Purchases =

cost of sales + closing inventory-opening inventory

= 510,000+149,000-99,500 = 559,500

Purchases = 549,500

4. Total expenses= Gross Profit- EBIT

=340000-165000= 175,000

Total expenses= 175,000

5. Depreciation = 175,000-135,000-30,000 = 10,000

6. interest = EBIT-EBT

= 165,000-150,000 = 15,000

Interest = 150,000

7. net profit for the year = PBT-TAX

=150,000-75,000 = 75,000

Net profit for the year = 75,000

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

1. Current ratio

Current Assets = current assets =1.923:1

Current liabilities 130.000

Current assets = 130,000*1.923 = 249,990

Total current assets = 249,990

2. cash ratio:

 $\frac{\text{Cash}}{\text{cash}} = \frac{\text{cash}}{\text{cash}} = \frac{0.23:1}{\text{cash}}$

130,000

Current liabilities

3. Inventory = 149,000

4. Receivales= 249,990-29,900+4000-

149,000=**75,090**

- **5.** Total aseets = Non current + current assets
- = 330,000 + 249,990 = 579,990
- 6. Retained Profit = 350,000-90,000-200,000

Retained profit = 60,000

- 7. Total Capital Liabilities = 579,990
- 8. Total Liabilities = 579,990-350,000 = 229,990

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QUESTION 15

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Non-current assets	
Goodwill (2 Marks for each correct posting except final figure)	4
Property, plant and Equipment (75,000+11,000)	2
Total Non-current Assets	1
Current Assets (214,000+33,000)	2
Total Assets	1
Equity	
Share capital (AKIWACU LTD only)	1
Share premium (AKIWACU LTD only)	1
Retained Earnings (W3)	4
Total share capital	1
Current Liabilities (176,000+25,000)	2
Total capital and liabilities	1

Total marks 20

Detailed Answer

AKIWACU consolidated statement of financial position at 31 December 2020

	FRW "000"
Non-current assets	
Goodwill (W2)	15,000
Property, plant and Equipment (75,000+11,000)	86,000
Total Non-current Assets	101,000
Current Assets (214,000+33,000)	247,000
Total Assets	<u>348,000</u>
Equity	
Share capital (AKIWACU LTD only)	80,000
Share premium (AKIWACU LTD only)	20,000
Retained Earnings (W3)	47,000
Total share capital	147,000
Current Liabilities (176,000+25,000)	201,000
Total capital and liabilities	348,000
Total	

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(W1) Net assets of AKIWACU LTD

	At the acquisition date	At the reporting date
	FRW"000"	FRW "000"
Share capital	4,000	4,000
Share premium	6,000	6,000
Retained earnings	2,000	9,000
Fair value of net assets	12,000	19,000

(W2) Goodwill

	FRW "000"
Parent Investment at fair value	27,000
Less: Fair value of net assets	(12,000)
Goodwill at acquisition	15,000

There is no non-controlling Entity

(W3) Group retained earnings

	FRW "000"
AKIWACU LTS Retained earnings	40,000
Add: TITI LTD Retained earnings	7000
100%*(9,000-2,000)	
Group retained earnings (SOFP)	47,000

End of model answers and marking guide

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