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GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level and GCE Advanced Level

MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2013 series

9706 ACCOUNTING

9706/22 Paper 2 (Structured Questions – Core), maximum raw mark 90

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1 (a) X manufactures computers, Y is a food wholesaler **(1)**

1 mark for ratio or suitable figure and 1 mark for development.

For example:
Gross profit/net profit ratio **(1)** – computers have a much higher mark-up than food **(1)**
Long term loan **(1) –** higher capital investment for a computer manufacturer **(1)**
Trade receivables **(1)** – higher for a computer manufacturer **(1)**
ROCE **(1)** – lower ROCE for a computer manufacturer **(1)** **[3]**

(b) Income Statements for businesses X and Y

	Business X $	Business Y $
Revenue	540 000 (**2cf 1of)**	(1 500 000 (**2cf 1 of)**
Less Cost of sales	248 400	1 050 000
Gross profit	291 600	450 000
Expenses	194 400	360 000
Profit for year	97 200 **(2cf 1 of)**	90 000 (**2cf 1of)**

[8]

(c)

Statements of Financial Position for businesses X and Y

	Business X $	$	Business Y $	$
Non-current assets		1 752 000	824 500	
Current assets				
Inventory	38 000		48 000	
Trade receivables	60 000 **(2cf 1of)**		12 500 **(2cf 1of)**	
Cash and cash equivalents	30 000	128 000	14 000	74 500
Total assets	1 880 000			899 000
Current liabilities				
Trade payables		80 000 **(2cf 1of)**		149 000**(2cf 1of)**
Net assets		1 800 000		750 000
Capital		800 000		700 000
Non-current liabilities				
Loan		1 000 000		50 000
Capital employed		1 800 000 **(2cf 1of)**		750 000**(2cf 1of)**

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(d) (i) The ability of current assets **(1)** to meet current liabilities **(1)**

(ii) Y **(1)**

(iii) Current ratio **or** acid test ratio **(1)**
Well below expected rate **(1)**. This means that Y does not have sufficient liquidity **(1)** and if creditors demanded swift payment **(1)** then Y would not have sufficient funds **(1)** to make payments. **Maximum 3 marks for development.** **[4]**

[Total: 30]

2 (a) Statement of corrected net profit

	+	-		
	$	$	$	
Draft profit for the year			30 000	**(1)**
Depreciation		3 500 **(1)**		
Inventory		7 500 **(1)**		
Loan interest		1 000 **(1)**		
Purchase invoice		2 000 **(1)**		
Sales invoice	4 000 **(1)**		(10 000)	
Corrected profit for the year			20 000	**(1of)** **[7]**

(b) Calculation of capital

	$		
Capital	90 000		
Add net profit	20 000	**(1of)**	
	110 000		
Less drawings	2 000	**(1cf)**	
Capital	108 000		**[2]**

(c) Profitability **or** turnover of Grosz's business
Reputation **or** customers returning to Grosz's business
Location of Grosz's business
Quality of workforce
Quality of products **[4]**

(d)

Capital accounts

	Grosz $	Kayal $		Grosz $	Kayal $	
Goodwill	24 000 **(1of)**	16 000 **(1of)**	Balance b/d	108 000 **(1of from b)**		
Balance c/d	124 000	98 000	Goodwill	40 000 **(1of from a)**		
			Bank/Cash		30 000	**(1)**
			Equipment		60 000	**(1)**
			Inventory		24 000	**(1)**
	148 000	114 000		148 000	114 000	

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(e) Appropriation account for the year ended 30 June 2013

		$		$	
Net profit				88 600	**(1)**
Add interest on drawings					
	Grosz	2 000	**(1)**		
	Kayal	1 000	**(1)**	3 000	
				91 600	
Less interest on capital					
	Grosz	6 200	**(1of)**		
	Kayal	4 900	**(1of)**	11 100	
				80 500	
Salary – Kayal		10 500	**(1)**	70 000	
Share of profit (first 40%)					
	Grosz	14 000	**(1of)**		
	Kayal	14 000	**(1of)**		
Share of profit					
	Grosz	25 200	**(1of)**		
	Kayal	16 800	**(1of)**	70 000	

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Combined share of profits in the correct ratios:
Grosz 39 200 (2of)
Kayal 30 800 (2of)

[Total: 30]

3 **(a)** Contribution = \$45.50 – \$35.00 = \$10.50 **(1)**

Breakeven point = \$23 100 **(1)** / \$10.50 **(1of)** = 2200 units **(1cf)**

(b) 4000 units – 2200 units = 1800 units **(1of)** × \$45.50 **(1)** = \$81 900 **(1of)** **[3]**

(c) Bond \$52.00 – \$44.00 = \$8.00 **(1)**

Cord \$67.50 – \$55.00 = \$12.50 **(1)** **[2]**

(d) Apex 4000 × 3.5 m = 14 000 m **(1)**

Bond 6000 × 4 m = 24 000 m **(1)**

Cord 2000 × 5 m = 10 000 m **(1)**

Total required = 48 000 m **(1)** **[4]**

(e)

	Apex	Bond	Cord
Contribution	$10.50	$8.00	$12.50
Metres of direct material	3.5 m	4 m	5 m
Contribution per metre	$3.00 **(1of)**	$2.00 **(1of)**	$2.50 **(1of)**
Ranking	1	3	2 **(1of for all 3)**

Optimum production plan

Apex	4000 × 3.5 m	=	14 000 m
Bond	4000 × 4 m	=	16 000 m **(1)**
Cord	2000 × 5 m	=	10 000 m **(1)**
Total material			40 000 m **(1)**

	$
Contribution Apex 4000 × $10.50	42 000 **(1of)**
Contribution Bond 4000 × $8.00	32 000 **(1of)**
Contribution Cord 2000 × $12.50	25 000 **(1of)**
Total contribution	99 000 **(1of)**
Fixed overheads	46 200 **(1)**
Profit for the year	52 800 **(1of)**

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(f) Fixed overheads are treated as a period cost under marginal costing **(1)** but as part of the cost of production under absorption costing **(1)**. As a result, the fixed overheads are written off in the period's income statement **(1)** rather than being carried forward as part of the inventory as is the case in absorption costing **(1)**. **[4]**

[Total: 30]