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GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always whole marks (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- · marks are not deducted for errors
- · marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

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Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

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Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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Question	Answer								Marks
1(a)						Book of prime (origi	nal) entry		2
		Returns by credit of	customers		Sales re	turns journal	(1)		
		Bad debts written	off		Journal		(1))	
1(b)			P	Ly urchases ledge	dia er control a	account			!
	Date 2018	Deta	ils	\$	Date 2018	Deta	ails	\$	
	Apl 30	Returns Discount received Contra/SLCA *Bank Balance c/d	(1) (1) (1) (1)OF	113 95 250 4 685 4 237 9 380	Apl 1 30	Balance b/d Purchases Carriage inwards Balance c/d	(1) (1) (1)	4 215 4 855 210 100 9 380	
	May 1	Balance b/d	(1)	100	May 1	Balance b/d	(1)	4 237	

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Question	Answer	Marks
1(c)	Overpayment of amount owing to credit supplier Return of goods to credit supplier after payment made Cash discount not deducted when payment was made to credit supplier Payment made to credit supplier in advance Any 2 reasons (1) each	2
1(d)	Ensures that the profit for the year is not overstated by anticipating losses (1) Ensures that the trade receivables are shown at a realistic level in the statement of financial position (1)	2
1(e)(i)	Liquidity If trade receivables take up the offer Lydia will receive the money earlier This money could then be used within the business Will receive a lower amount than previously Or other relevant point Any 2 relevant points (1) each	2
1(e)(ii)	Profitability Profit for the year will decrease because of the extra cash discount This policy may reduce bad debts so may increase profit Or other relevant points Any 2 relevant points (1) each	2

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Question	Answer						Marks
2(a)		Nabil Journal					5
	Date 2017 Mar 1	Premises Fixtures and fittings Inventory Bank Loan – AB Loans Capital Assets, liabilities and capital at this date	} }(1) } (1) (1) (1) (1)	Debit \$ 200 000 22 000 5 500 7 500	Credit \$ 80 000 155 000 235 000		

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Correction of errors Purchase/sale of non-current assets on credit Year-end transfers Fransactions not entered in any other book of prime (original Accept other relevant points. Any 2 uses (1) each Corrected Trial Ba	al) entry Nabil		
	Jabil		
		uary 2018	1
	\$	\$	
Revenue		119 100 }	
Purchases	72 000	_	
Capital		155 000	
Loan – AB Loans		80 000	
Premises	200 000		
Fixtures and fittings	22 000		
Trade receivables (7 500 – 140)	7 460	(1)	
		4 160 (1)	
•			
	10 000		
	4.40		
Petty cash	100	(1)	
	365 110	<u>365 110</u> (1) ***	
	Purchases Capital Loan – AB Loans Premises Fixtures and fittings	Purchases	Purchases 72 000 }(1)

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Question				Ans	wer				Marks	
3(a)				Amina a	account				12	
	Date 2017	De	tails	\$	Date 2018	·	Details	\$		
	April 1	Balance b/d		160	Mar 1	Bank/cash Bad debts	(1) (1)	120 40		
				160			. ,	160		
				Bad debt	s accoun	t				
	Date 2018		tails	\$	Date 2018		Details	\$		
	Feb 28 Mar 1	Total written off Amina (1)OI	=	135 40 175		Income state	ement (1)OF	175 175		
	Fixtures and fittings account									
	Date 2017	De	tails	\$	Date 2018		Details	\$		
	<i>April 1</i> 2018	Balance b/d		4 000	Mar 31	Balance c/d		6 000		
	Jan 4	Office Traders	(1)	2 000 6 000				6 000		
	2018 April 1	Balance b/d	(1)	6 000						

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Question			Ans	wer				Mar		
3(a)		Provision f	or depreciation o	f fixtures	and fitting account					
	Date 2018	Details	\$	Date 2017	Deta	ils	\$			
	Mar 31	Balance c/d	2 800	<i>April 1</i> 2018	Balance	b/d	1 600			
				Mar 31	Income statement	(1)	1 200			
			2 800	2010			2 800			
				2018 April 1	Balance b/d	(1)OF	2 800			
				•		. ,				
	Date	Details	Discount allo	Date	ount Deta	ils	\$			
	2018	Total to data	2500	2018						
	Feb 28 Mar 31	Total to date Total from cash book (1)	<i>3590</i> 55		Income statement	(1)	3645			
		()	3645			()	3645			
	Discount received account									
	Date 2018	Details	\$	Date 2018	Deta	ils	\$			
	Mar 31	Income statement (1)	4 198	Feb 28	Total to date		4 130			
			4.400	Mar 31	Total from cash boo	k (1)	68			
			4 198				4 198			

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Question		Answer	Marks
3(b)	February 1 Motor	vehicles	8
	Explanation Double entry	Original cost of the motor vehicle disposed of/sold (1) Credit motor vehicles account (1)	
	February 1 Provis	sion for depreciation of motor vehicles	
	Explanation	Total depreciation written of the motor disposed of/sold up to the date of sale (1)	
	Double entry	Debit provision for depreciation of motor vehicles account (1)	
	February 1 M6Va	ns	
	Explanation	Price M6Vans agreed to pay for the motor vehicle (1) Double entry Debit M6Vans account (1)	
	March 31 Income	statement	
	Explanation Double entry	Loss on disposal of motor vehicle (1) Debit income statement (1)	

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Question	Answe	r		Marks			
4(a)	Asim Income Statement for the year ended 31 January 2018						
	Fees from clients (28 350 (1) + 2 400 (1)) Rent receivable (5 600 – 800) Wages General expenses Motor expenses (970 (1) + 110 (1) \times 3 / ₄ (1)) Rates & Insurance (2 280 (1) \times 12/15 (1)) Provision for doubtful debts (2% \times 2 400) Depreciation Motor vehicle (20% \times (15 000 – 5 400)) Office equipment (6 180 – 5 500) Profit for the year	\$ 19 000 } 1 358 }(1) 810 1 824 48 (1) 1 920 (1) 680 (1)	\$ 30 750 4 800 (1) 35 550 25 640 9 910 (1)OF				
4(b)	$\frac{\text{Profit for the year}}{\text{Capital employed}} \times \frac{100}{1} \text{ whole formula (1)}$		3310 (1)01	1			

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Question	Answer	Marks
4(c)	$\frac{9910}{120000}$ OF $\times \frac{100}{1}$ (1)OF whole formula = 8.26% (1)OF	2
4(d)	Higher profit for the year Lower capital employed Or other suitable reason Any 2 reasons (1) each	2
4(e)	Financial statements only include information which can be expressed in monetary terms (1) This means that many important factors which affect the performance of a business are not included in the financial statements (1)	2

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Question		Answer			Marks		
5(a)	Ravi Income Statement (Trading Account section) for the year ended 31 March 2018						
	Revenue (8 750 + 34 450) Cost of sales Opening inventory Purchases Less Purchase returns	\$ 38 400 }(2)CF }(1)OF 950 (1)	\$ 2 900 (1) 37 450	\$ 43 200 (1)			
	Less Closing inventory Gross profit		40 350 4 350 (1)	36 000 (1) OF 7 200 (1) OF			
5(b)	Cost of sales Average inventory (1)				1		

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Question	Δ	Answer					
5(c)	Higher inventory levels Lower sales activity Or other suitable reason Any 2 reasons (1) each						
5(d)	Lower of cost and net realisable value (1)				1		
5(e)	Prudence (1)	e (1)					
5(f)			Overstated	Understated	4		
	current assets at 31 March 2018		✓		4		
	cost of sales for the year ended 31 March 201	cost of sales for the year ended 31 March 2018					
	gross profit for the year ended 31 March 2018	gross profit for the year ended 31 March 2018					
	cost of sales for the year ending 31 March 20	cost of sales for the year ending 31 March 2019					
	profit for the year ending 31 March 2019			√(1)			
5(g)		Increase	Decrease	No effect	2		
	Reduce the rate of trade discount allowed to credit customers	√ (1)					
	Reduce the rate of cash discount allowed to credit customers			√(1)			

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Question	Answer	Marks
5(h)	Increase in selling price so possibility of greater gross profit (1) Customers may go to cheaper suppliers, so sales and profit may decrease (1)	2
	Accept other valid points	

Question	Answer		
6(a)	Debentures	Ordinary shares	4
	Receive interest	Receive dividends	
	Receive fixed interest	Receive variable dividends	
	Interest paid irrespective of profit	Dividends depend on profit	
	Do not carry voting rights	Carry voting rights	
	Are lenders/loans/(non-current) liabilities/creditors	Are members of the company/equity/capital	
	Priority for repayment in winding-up	Last to be repaid in winding-up	

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Question	Answer	Marks
6(b)	Transfers made in the statement of changes of equity from the retained earnings (1)	1
6(c)	In situations where there is not enough cash to pay a dividend To retain cash within the business rather than using it for dividends To use in future when the profits may be low/there may be a loss Or other acceptable comments Any 2 acceptable comments (1) each	2

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Question	Answer					Marks
6(d)		Income statement	Statement of changes in equity	Statement of financial position	No entry	
	1 September 2017 Repayment of long term loan				✓	
	1 November 2017 Payment of half year interest on debentures	√(1)				
	31 December 2017 Payment of interim ordinary share dividend		√(1)			
	30 April 2018 Half year interest on debentures accrued	√(1)		√(1)		
	30 April 2018 Proposed ordinary share dividend				√(1)	
6(e)	Will not dilute their stake in the company Will not dilute their voting power If expansion profitable, potential for higher of Or other acceptable comment Any 1 comment (1)	dividend as debe	enture holders rece	eive fixed interest		1

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Question	Answer				
6(f)	Annual profit reduced because of debenture interest Reduced profit available for ordinary shareholders Prior claim on assets in a winding-up Or other acceptable comment Any 1 comment (1)				1
6(g)	Current assets : current liabilities(1)				1
6(h)		Increase	Decrease	No effect	5
	Sell surplus non-current assets for cash	✓			
	Sell goods on cash terms only			√ (1)	
	Obtain a further long-term loan	√(1)			
	Buy additional non-current assets on credit rather than paying immediately		√(1)		
	Persuade trade receivables to pay half of their debts immediately in return for 3% cash discount		√(1)		
	Pay trade payables after 2 months instead of after 1 month			√(1)	

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