# **LESSON PLAN**

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(1)WEEKSEVEN_(2)DATE23ttil-29tti October 2021 (3)CLA333.3.3.1WO					
(4)SUBJECT: FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING					
(5)LESSON TITLE: CONTROL ACCOUNT AND SELF BALANCING LEDGER					
(6)SUBTITLE (IF ANY): Meaning of Control Account, reasons for control account limitations of Control Account and types of control account.					
(7)PERIOD: <u>1st &amp; 2nd</u> (8)DURATION: <u>80 Minutes</u>					
(9) LEARNING OBJECTIVES: By the end of the lesson, the learners should be able to					
(1). Define Control Account  (2). State the reasons for control account  (3). Outline the limitations of Control Account .					
(4). Write out the Types of Control Account and describe sales and Purchases ledger control account.					
(10)KEY VOCABULARY WORDS: Control Account, Sales Ledger Control Account,					
Purchases Ledger Control Account, discount allowed, discount received, bad debt, Customers,					
<u>Debtors</u> .					
(11)RESOURCES & MATERIALS:Simplified and Amplified Financial accounting and book keeping by femi Longe					
(12)BUILDING BACKGROUND/CONNECTION TO PRIOR KNOWLEDGE:					
<u>Learners have prior knowledge on the preparation of individual Debtors and Creditors ledgers</u> being the Account for Sales and Purchases ledger.					

(13)CONTENT: CONTROL ACCOUNT: Control account is a memorandum account into which are transferred in totals, the various amounts of the transactions which have been debited or dited in detail to individual ledger accounts. A control account in respect of a particular ledger therefore operates as a control account for the ledger and provides a check on the accuracy of specified ledgers. They make use of total figures of items posted individually into the ledger account and are normally prepared for sales and purchases ledger i.e. debtors and creditors

### **USES OF CONTROL ACCOUNT**

- i. Location of errors: Control account aids the location of errors.
- ii. Prevention of fraud: Through control account, fraud cannot be easily perpetrated.
- <u>iii.</u> Aids management control: Management control is aided as a result of the speed at which information is obtained.
- iv. Internal check on ledgers clerk: Control account operates as internal check on ledger clerk
- v. Easy detection of missing figure: Missing figures can be easily detected
- <u>vi. Ascertainment of debtors and creditors balances: The amount owed to suppliers and money</u> owed by customers can be readily ascertained.
- vii. Preparation of interim final account: Control accounts facilitate easy preparation of interim final account
- viii. Saves time: It saves time, money and labour
- ix. Grouping of accounts: It allows similar account to be grouped together.

## CLASSIFICATION OF CONTROL ACCOUNTS

- 1. Sales ledger control account
- 2. Purchases ledger control account

# SALES LEDGER CONTROL ACCOUNT

The Sales Ledger Control account is sometimes called Total Debtors control account. It is the control account for sales or debtor's ledger. This will represent all the entries posted to the sales ledger as if only one debtor existed.

#### Sales ledger control account

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Balance b/f	Х	Cash received from debtors	Х
Sales[Credit]	X	Cheque from customers	Х
Interest charges	X	Discounts allowed	Χ
Dishonoured bill	X	Bills receivable	Х
Carriage outwards	Х	Allowances	Х
Discounts disallowed	X	Bad debts	Х
Debit note issued	Х	Returns inwards	Х
Payment to debtors for claims		Credit note issued	Χ
Service charges	Х	Contra settlement/entry	Χ
-		Balance c/d	<u>X.</u>
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illustration1: You are required to prepare a sales ledger control account from the following:

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Sales ledger balances

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Discounts allowed	1,000
Cash received from debtors	13,000
Cheque received from debtors.	3,000
Bad debts written off	150
Sales journal	30,000
Returns inwards	550
Bills receivable	1,340

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Balance b/f	2,000	Discounts allowed	1,000
Sales Journal	30,000	Cash received from debtors	13,000
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	- 7	Bad debt written off	150
		Returns inwards	550
	- 1	Bills receivable	1,350
	7	Balance c/d	<u>12,960</u>
	<u>32,000</u>	The state of the s	32,000
Balance b/d	12.960	1007	1.10

# (14) STRATEGIES & ACTIVITIES:

ACTIVITY I: The teacher uses the divide and conquer methods dividing the Learners into small groups to discuss the control account

ACTIVITY II: The teacher uses the chunk and Chew method to explain the reasons for control account. The teacher in turn asks the learners to explain reasons for control account.

ACTIVITY III: The learners are given the meaning of Sales ledger control account and Purchases ledger control account with a worked exercise on sales ledger control account.

ACTIVITY IV: The Learners are allowed to ask further questions for clarity sake. The teacher asks the Learners to copy their notes.

- (18) HOD/VP'S COMMENTS & ENDORSEMENT:\_\_\_\_\_