

**Section A****Concepts and Skills****150 marks**

Answer **any five questions** from this section.

**Question 1****(30 marks)**

- (a) Seán is buying a power bank and a USB-C cable.

- (i) One power bank costs €30 **before** VAT at 23% has been added.  
Find the cost of the power bank **after** VAT has been added.

- (ii) Seán is going to buy a different power bank that costs €26, and a USB-C cable that costs €9.  
Seán sees a special offer to buy the power bank and USB-C cable together for €28.  
Work out the percentage discount of this special offer.