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for the guidance of teachers

9706 ACCOUNTING

9706/21

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

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	Income Statement (Trading and Profit and Loss Ac	<u>count)</u>		
	For the year ended 31 March 2011			
		\$	\$	\$
Revenue (sales) (85 000 - 7 200 (1) + 8 300 (1) + 1 400 (1) + 24 000 (1))	Ŧ	•	111 500
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Opening Inventory	(Stock)	8 000		
	urchased (Purchases)			
(37 000 – 3 400 (1	I) - 2 400 (1) + 3 700 (1) + 500 (1))	35 400		
		43	400	
Less Closing Inve	ntory (Stock)	9	200	
Cost of Sales				34 200
Gross Profit				77 300
Discounts receive	d		500 (1)	
				500
			_	77 800
Less Expenses				
Motor expenses		3	800 (1)	
Rent			800(1)	
Rates		1	700(1)	
Wages		18	000(1)	
Discounts allowed	l	1	400 (1)	
Loan interest			700 (1)	
Provision for doub			249 (1)	
Depreciation – Fix	-		000 (1)	
Depreciation – De	livery van	2	<u>500</u> (1)	
			_	42 149
Profit for the year	(Net Profit)		_	35 651
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(b)						
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	<u>Iqb</u> Statement of Einensiel Desition (P		a at) at 21	March 20		
	Statement of Financial Position (B				<u> </u>	
		\$	\$	\$		
	Non-Current (Fixed) Assets					
	Fixtures			68 000		
	Delivery van			7 500	(4)	
				75 500	(1)	
	Current Assets					
	Inventory (stock)		9 200 (1)			
	Trade receivables (debtors)		8 051 (1)			
	Rent		600 (1)			
	Rates		300 (1)			
	Cash and cash equivalents (bank)		<u>31 350 (1)</u>)		
			49 501			
(Current Liabilities					
	Trade payables (creditors)	3 700 (1)				
	Loan interest	<u> 700</u> (1)				
			4 400			
	Working Capital			45 101		
	Total Assets less current liabilities			120 601		
	Non-Current (long term) Liabilities	S				
	Loan		<u>14 000 (1)</u>)		
				14 000		
				106 601		
	Financed by					
	Capital			98 350	(1)	
	Profit for the year (Net Profit)			<u>35 651</u> (
	- 、 ,			134 001		
	Drawings			27 400	(1)	
	Ŭ			106 601		
						[12]

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[Total 30]

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2 (a) 16 800 12 600 (7 100 – 1 300	$ \begin{array}{rcl} & \times 1\% &=& 168 \ \textbf{(1)} \\ & \times 2\% &=& 252 \ \textbf{(1)} \\ & \times 3\% &=& 192 \ \textbf{(2)} \\ & \times 10\% &=& \underline{130} \ \textbf{(1)} \\ & & \underline{742} \ \textbf{(1)} \end{array} $		[6	
(b) (i) Mu	st have correct narrative to gain marks. Provision for Doubtful Debts			
Income Sta Balance c/	\$ atement 58 (1of) Balance b/d d <u>742</u> (1of)		(1)	
		800	[3]	
(ii)	Bad Debts			
Debbie Harvey Others	\$ 700 (1) 450 (1) 1500	\$ 1500 <u>1500</u>	(1)	
(iii)	Harvey		[5]	
Balance b	\$	\$ 150 450 600	(1) (1) [3]	
	Balance Sheet (extract) at 31 December 2010 \$ eceivables 37 100 ovision for doubtful debts <u>742</u> (1of) <u>36 358</u> (1of)		[2]	

- (d) (i) $(\$37\ 100 \times 4\%) = \$1484 \$742 = \742
 - (ii) Reduce net profit for the year (1) Reduce trade receivables/current assets/balance sheet total (1) [2]

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(iii) Prudence concept (1) Current provision \$742 is 2% of the debtors (1) Actual bad debts are \$1500 (1) This may suggest the provision is insufficient. (1) [4]

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(e) Past experience
 Specific knowledge about a customer
 The state of the economy
 Consistency concept
 Industry average
 Length of time
 Size of debtors
 Comparing with previous years or with competitors.
 (3 × 1 mark) [3]

[Total 30]

3 (a)

	Machining		Assembly		Maintenance		Canteen		
Brought forward	143 500		154 700		165 800		176 900		
Maintenance	99 480	(1)	49 740	(1)	(165 800)	(1)	16 580		
Canteen	77 392	(1)	116 088	(1)			(193 480)	(1)	
Total	320 372	(1)	320 528	(1)					
				_				[2	8]

(b) Machining Department = 320 372 (1of) / 18 845 (1) = \$17.00 (1of) per machine hour (1)

Assembly Department = 320 528 (1of) / 20 350 (1) = \$15.75 (1of) per labour hour (1) [8]

(c)

	\$	
Materials	12.00	(1)
Labour	56.00	(1)
Overheads – machining (17.00×3)	51.00	(1of)
Overheads – assembly (15.75×4)	63.00	(1of)
Cost per unit	182.00	(1of)

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[3]

(d) 182 (1of) × 1.25 (1) = \$227.50 (1of)

(e) $640\ 900\ (1)\ /\ (227.50\ (1of)\ -\ 68.00\ (1of)\) = 4019\ (accept\ 4018.18)\ units\ (1of)$ [4]

(f) Assumes:

Everything produced is sold. Selling price is linear. Variable costs are linear. Fixed costs remain unchanged. A single product firm. Product mix remains constant. No semi variable costs. No external factors. Is based on estimates.

(2 × 1 mark) [2]

[Total 30]