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Cambridge International Diploma in ICT
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CORE MODULE

5181/A

Core Module: Practical Assessment

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TASK A - COMMUNICATION

You work for an international company called *Hothouse Design*. You are going to carry out a range of administrative activities using ICT.

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| 1 | Read the message in your mailbox and follow the instructions. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1.1.1
2.1.1
2.2.1
2.3.1 |
| 2 | Prepare a message to send to design.h@ucles.org.uk which has the subject ICTCOREX

The message should say I have saved the files. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1.2.1 |
| 3 | Add your name and today's date to the end of the message. | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 4 | Print a copy of this e-mail. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 11.1.1 |
| 5 | Send the message. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1.2.1 |

TASK B – DOCUMENT PRODUCTION

You are now going to edit a letter.

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|----|---|-------------------------------|----------------|
| 6 | Using a suitable software package, load the file FCA5LET.TXT | ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> | 3.1.1 |
| 7 | Replace:
<Date> with today's date
<Company Name> with Aus-style Publications
<Address> with 195 Howard Road
Mount Eliza
Melbourne
Victoria 3765
Australia
<Name> with your name | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3.2.1 |
| 8 | Delete the following text from the third paragraph:
<i>These are the figures that you requested.</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4.1.1 |
| 9 | Move the paragraph that starts: <i>We value your custom and are pleased that you selected...</i> so that it becomes the last paragraph. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4.2.1 |
| 10 | Make the body of the letter left aligned. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.1.1 |
| 11 | Select the whole document and change it to a 10 point sans-serif font (e.g. Arial). | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.3.1 |
| 12 | Set the line spacing of all the text to 1.5 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.4.1 |
| 13 | Spell-check and proof-read the letter and make any necessary corrections.
Make sure that all spacing between sentences and paragraphs is consistent throughout the document. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6.1.1
6.2.1 |
| 14 | Save with a new filename and print the letter. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 11.1.1 |
| 15 | Make the body of the letter fully justified. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.1.1 |
| 16 | Select the whole document and change it to a 12 point serif font (e.g. Times New Roman). | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.3.1 |
| 17 | Make the words
<i>Demographic Study Brochure</i>
centre aligned. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.1.1 |
| 18 | Make the words
<i>Demographic Study Brochure</i>
a 24 point sans-serif font (e.g. Arial). | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.3.1
5.3.2 |
| 19 | Make the words
<i>Demographic Study Brochure</i>
italic. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.2.1 |
| 20 | Set all the text to single line spacing. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.4.1 |
| 21 | Proof-read the letter and make any necessary corrections. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6.2.1 |
| 22 | Save with a new filename and print the letter. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 11.1.1 |

TASK C – DATA MANIPULATION

You are going to manipulate and extract some data on population.

23 Using a suitable software package, load the file **FCA5POP.CSV** 7.1.1

24 The data in the *Population* column needs to be added. Enter the following data: 7.3.1

Continent	Region	Population	Area	Density	Urban
Africa	Northern	188	3286031		0.45
Africa	Western	256	2370015		0.35
Africa	Eastern	263	2456184		0.2
Africa	Middle	104	2553151		0.33
Africa	Southern	50	1032730		0.5
America	North	323	7699508		0.79
America	Central	144	957452		0.68
Caribbean		38	90653		0.62
America	South	358	6898579		0.79
Oceania		32	3306741		0.69
Asia	East	1519	4546050		0.45
Europe	Northern	95	675794		0.83
Europe	Western	185	427702		0.78
Europe	Eastern	301	7264035		0.68
Europe	Southern	147	508337		0.7
Asia	Western	204	1823873		0.62

25 Add the following data: 7.2.1

Continent	Region	Population	Area	Density	Urban
Asia	South Central	1563	4157320		0.3
Asia	South East	544	1735448		0.37

26 In the *Density* column: 8.1.1

- enter a formula which calculates the *Density* ($Population \times 386103 / Area$)
- make sure that this *Density* is calculated for each region.

At the bottom of the *Population* column:

- enter a formula which adds up all values in the *Population* column.

✓

- 27 Change the width of all columns so that the contents of all cells are visible. 10.2.1
- 28 Format all cells in the *Density* column to 0 decimal places. 10.3.1
Format all cells in the *Urban* column to percentage with 0 decimal places.
- 29 Change the alignment of the *Continent* column so the contents of all cells are right aligned. 10.1.1
- 30 Save this data with a new name and print a copy of all the data. Make sure that your name is printed. 11.1.2
- 31 Print another copy of the file to show all the formulae used. Make sure that:
- the contents of all cells are visible
 - row and column headings are visible
 - your name is printed
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- 11.1.2
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- 10.4.1
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- 10.5.1
- 32 Revert to data view. Select only the items where *Continent* = *Asia* and show all details of these items. 9.2.1
- 33 Sort this data in ascending order of *Density* (with 43 at the top). 9.1.1
- 34 Print a copy of the selected data. Make sure that the contents of all cells are visible and that your name is printed. 11.1.2
- 35 From all the data, select only the items where the *Urban* is less than **0.35** and show all the details of these items. 9.2.1
- 36 Print a copy of the selected data. Make sure that the contents of all cells are visible and that your name is printed. 11.1.2

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| 16 | Select the whole document and change it to a 14 point serif font (e.g. Times New Roman). | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.3.1 |
| 17 | Make the words
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centre aligned. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.1.1 |
| 18 | Make the words
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an 18 point sans-serif font (e.g. Arial). | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5.3.1
5.3.2 |
| 19 | Make the words
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