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# Answers

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Section A

1	D	6	C	11	C	16	A
2	B	7	B	12	B	17	D
3	A	8	A	13	D	18	B
4	B	9	B	14	B	19	B
5	C	10	B	15	C	20	A

Workings

9	Ledger balance	\$76,961	Total listing	\$81,649
	Standing order	(\$1,606)		(\$1,606)
	Invoice			(\$4,688)
	Corrected totals	\$75,355		\$75,355

12 Cost of inventory \$38,750

Cost of damaged goods		\$3,660	
Selling price	\$1,500		
Repairs	<u>(\$450)</u>		
Net realisable value		<u>\$1,050</u>	
Write down			<u>\$2,610</u>
Inventory value			<u><u>\$36,140</u></u>

18	Profit	\$16,000		
	Salary	<u>(\$8,000)</u>		
	Residual profit	\$8,000	Albert 3/5	\$4,800

20 Receivables

	\$		\$
Opening balance	16,528	Cash	29,860
b.f. Sales	29,197	Closing balance	<u>15,865</u>
	<u>45,725</u>		<u>45,725</u>

**Section B**

**Marks**

- 1 (a)** The main purpose of a trial balance is to provide a basic check on the accuracy of postings.  
The trial balance checks the accuracy of postings by confirming whether the total value of the debit balances equals the total value of the credit balances. 1  
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- (b)** A bad debt is an amount which evidence shows cannot be collected.  
It is therefore written off by a debit entry (charge) to the income statement and a credit entry to the receivables account. 1  
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A doubtful debt is a debt which evidence suggests may not be collected.  
While the potential cost is recognised by a debit entry in the income statement, the debt remains in the customer's account. Therefore the credit entry is made in the allowance for doubtful debts account. 1  
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- (c)** Accounting policies are the basic rules which are used to reflect transactions in the final accounts. 2
- (d)** Both a debit and credit entry are used to reflect the dual aspect of each transaction. This means that the firm is affected in two equal but opposite ways by each transaction.  
For example, if goods for resale are bought for cash, the firm has been affected as follows: 2  
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Purchases have increased – therefore a debit entry is required  
Cash has reduced – therefore a credit entry is required 4
- (e)** The asset register and the physical presence of assets may be different due to:  
– the purchase of an asset not yet recorded in the register  
– an asset sold, but not removed from the register  
– an asset stolen  
– an error in the entries in the register  
1 mark per valid point, to a MAXIMUM of 3

- 2 (a)** The following corrections must be made, with the resulting balances as shown:

			<b>Revised balance</b>
(i)	Debit Carriage inwards	\$264	\$1,238 Dr
	Credit Returns inwards	\$264	\$111 Dr
(ii)	Debit Sales	\$90	\$90,470 Cr
	Credit Receivables	\$90	\$12,790 Dr
(iii)	Debit Telephone	\$297	\$1,150 Dr
	Credit Payables and accruals	\$297	\$6,858 Cr

Three errors: for each account correctly identified:  $2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$   
for each balance correctly calculated:  $2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$   
= 3 errors  $\times$  2 marks

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(b) (i)	\$	\$	Marks
Sales from (a) above	90,470		1/2
less Returns inward	<u>111</u>		1/2
		90,359	
Cost of Sales Opening inventory	12,560		1/2
Purchases	72,674		1/2
Carriage inwards	<u>1,238</u>		1/2
	86,472		
Closing inventory	<u>11,875</u>		1/2
		<u>74,597</u>	
Gross Profit		15,762	1/2
Expenses Telephone	1,150		1/2
Wages	4,684		1/2
Rent	3,200		1/2
Stationery	382		1/2
Travel	749		1/2
General Expenses	<u>753</u>		1/2
		<u>10,918</u>	
Net Profit		<u><u>4,844</u></u>	1/2
			<b>7</b>
(ii)		\$	
Opening capital		30,217	1/2
Profit		4,844	1/2
Drawings		(12,500)	1/2
Closing balance		<u><u>22,561</u></u>	1/2
			<b>2</b>

**3 (a) Machine traded in**

Cost		\$ 35,000	1/2
Depreciation to date (W1)		<u>20,664</u>	1
NBV		14,336	
Proceeds		<u>14,000</u>	1/2
Loss		<u>336</u>	1
			<b>3</b>

W1 Cost \$35,000	Deprn Year 1 \$7,000	(\$35,000 × 20%)
	Year 2 \$5,600	(\$28,000 × 20%)
	Year 3 \$4,480	(\$22,400 × 20%)
	Year 4 \$3,584	(\$17,920 × 20%)
	<u>\$20,664</u>	

(b) Cost of assets		\$155,900	1/2
Depreciation to date:			
Opening balance	(\$140,900 - \$94,570)	\$46,330	1/2
	eliminated	<u>\$(20,664)</u>	1/2
Balance before current year charge		<u><u>\$25,666</u></u>	
NBV = \$130,234	(\$155,900 - \$25,666)		
Depreciation = NBV × 20% = charge		\$26,047	1/2
			<b>2</b>

(c) (i) Machinery Cost Account			
	\$		\$
Balance brought forward	140,900	Disposal account (cost)	35,000
Disposal account (proceeds)	14,000		
Payables	36,000	Balance carried forward	155,900
	<u>190,900</u>		<u>190,900</u>

$\frac{1}{2}$ mark per entry	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Account balanced off	$\frac{1}{2}$	
Narratives for entries	<u>1</u>	4

(ii) Accumulated Depreciation Account			
	\$		\$
Disposal account	20,664	Balance brought forward	46,330
Balance carried forward	51,713	Depreciation charge account	26,047
	<u>72,377</u>		<u>72,377</u>

$\frac{1}{2}$ mark per entry	2	
Narratives for entries	<u>1</u>	3

(d) Depreciation	\$26,047	
Loss	\$336	
Total	<u>\$26,383</u>	1

(e) Non Current Assets		
Cost	\$155,900	
Accumulated depreciation (\$25,666 + \$26,047)	\$51,713	
Net book value	<u>\$104,187</u>	1

<b>Current liabilities</b>		
Payables	\$36,000	<u>1</u>
		2

**Note to candidates:** In parts (a), (b), (d) and (e) marks were awarded for other valid methods of calculation.

4 (a) Receivables control account			
	\$		\$
Balance as given	39,982	(ii) Discount omitted	9
(vi) Invoice error	178	(iii) Credit note: remove error	120
		correct entry	120
		(v) Direct payment	325
		Corrected balance	39,586
	<u>40,160</u>		<u>40,160</u>

<b>Mark allocation:</b>		
Opening/closing balances	$\frac{1}{2}$ mark each $\times$ 2	1
Correcting entries	1 mark each $\times$ 5	<u>5</u>
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			Marks
<b>(b)</b>	\$		
	39,614		
(i) Invoice omitted	288		
(ii) Discount omitted	(9)		
(iii) Credit note	(240)		
(iv) Addition error	27		
(vii) Credit balance	(94)		
	<u>39,586</u>		
 <b>Mark allocation:</b>			
	Total of listing as given	1	
	Errors corrected 1 mark each × 5	5	
	Total agreed to balance on ledger account	<u>1</u>	7
 <b>(c)</b>			
	The corrected ledger account balance of \$39,586 will be reported as a Current Asset	1	
		<u>1</u>	2