

2013 Accounting Intermediate 2 – Special Instructions Finalised Marking Instructions

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2013 ACCOUNTING

MARKING CONVENTIONS

CONVENTION	EXPLANATION	MARK(S) ON CANDIDATE PAPER
Extraneous	Item entered which should not be in the answer or section – for example Fixed Assets entered in the Profit and Loss Account or Income and Expenditure Account	-2E
Consequential	If a figure in the question is wrong, any further calculations are awarded marks if correct, as a consequence of using that figure	С
Nomenclature	The details in an account are wrong/missing	-1N
Dates	The date for an entry is wrong/missing	-1D
Complete Reversal	All the ledger entries are made the wrong way round	R
	The question is marked as if correct and then the total mark is divided by 2	eg Total Mark = 12 Divided by 2 Mark awarded = 6
Plus/Minus Rule	If an entry is shown correctly it is awarded the mark (+). If the same entry then appears again	eg Correct entry £60,000 Sales in the
	in another part of the question the mark is deducted (-)	Trading Account Mark awarded 1 (+-)
	ie no mark is gained and there is no penalty	Wrong entry £60,000 Sales also entered in the Profit & Loss Mark deducted -1 (+-)
Penalty	The answers given are more than required (4 given instead of 3) and one of them is wrong.	-1P
	A heading is wrong/missing from a final account.	
	The answer is correct but not given in the format requested ie question asks for an account or a statement	
Arithmetical error	Error made in addition/subtraction etc	-1A/E

General

- 1 Assess pencil figures and working. If the script is predominantly in pencil refer to the Principal Examiner.
- Work which has been deleted gains no marks even if it is correct. Exceptional cases may be drawn to the attention of the Principal Examiner.
- 3 Consequential errors MUST NOT be penalised, subject to the marking instructions for each question.
- 4 Mark workings whether or not they are incorporated in the final answer. Deduct a penalty of -2 marks per question for working which is not incorporated in the final answer.
- Incorrect figures, supported by adequate workings award marks for any correct operations performed.
- Incorrect figures, not supported by adequate workings lose awards, unless the marking instructions specify otherwise. If arithmetic error lose 1 mark.
- 7 EXTRANEOUS ITEMS: see instructions for specific questions.
 - Penalties should be shown beside the figure and encircled, eg -1P -1E -1 +/-
- If right and wrong ie in 2 sections, give value of award where right, deduct value of award where wrong (cross reference +/- against relevant figures).
- 9 Indicate awards given for each item, eg £2,500 1

In essay type questions indicate marks awarded beside the point made by candidate – NOT IN THE MARGIN.

Sub-totals for sections should be indicated and encircled, eg (4/6)

Final total should be clearly indicated and easy to check, eg Q1 = 31/40

	Award Marks Lost	Penalties
PART A		
Calculation of Accumulated Fund (4 marks)		
Additional items ie extraneous		-2E (max -4)
If no answer, check Balance Sheet – implied 4		
PART B		
Calculation of Closing Bank Balance (3 marks)		
If no answer, check Balance Sheet – implied 3		
Extraneous items		-2E once
PART C		
Profit or Loss on Raffle (3 marks)		
Heading wrong/omitted – ignore		
Extraneous items ie Balance Sheet items/Opening Balance		-2E once
No Profit or Loss label		-1P
No answer, check Income and Expenditure Account may be implied 3		
PART D		
Income and Expenditure Account (19 marks)		
Heading wrong/omitted		-1P
Income		
Subscriptions entered as 5300 Subscriptions entered as 5800/4800	2	
Do not accept Subs owing/prepaid detached		
Profit on Competitions omitted/wrong – however accept figures detached for 1 mark each	2	
Profit on Raffle omitted/not consequential	1	
If individual items for Profit on Raffle repeated, as well as		-1P

	Award Marks Lost	Penalties
If individual items for Profit on Raffle repeated, and no Profit figure entered, ignore but lose Profit award	1	
If individual figures for Profit on Raffle entered only in I/E Ac and no prior calculation done in (c) give awards but lose Profit award	1	
Expenditure		
Depreciation on Equipment entered as 500 Depreciation on Equipment – any other wrong figure	1 2	
Electricity/General Expenses carry 2 marks – if omitted If included but prepayment or accrual omitted wrong effect	2 each 1 each	
Surplus omitted/not labelled	1	
Extraneous items		-2E (max 4)
PART E		
Balance Sheet – 11 marks		
Heading wrong/omitted		-1P
Fixed Assets		
Equipment depreciation is consequential on I&E Ac - if wrong/omitted/not consequential	1	
Accumulated Fund not consequential on (a), omitted/wrong	1	
Surplus of Income – not consequential	1	
Extraneous items ie I/E items		-2E (max 4)

		Award Marks Lost	Penalties
	PART A		
(a)	Manufacturing Account – 17 marks		
	There is no award for Main Heading BUT wrong (ie as at or omitted) apply Penalty		-1P
	If Manufacturing Account includes Sales and adjusted with any Manufacturing Account figure		-3P
	Cost of Raw Materials Consumed not labelled		-1P
	Prime Cost/Factory Cost of Production not labelled	1 each	
	Any Factory Overhead entered in Prime Cost give award but lose Prime Cost award	1	
	If any Prime Cost figure entered in Factory Overheads lose award	1	
	If Direct Wages subtracted from Cost of Raw Materials Consumed lose Prime Cost award	1	
	Accept Insurance £100 for one mark £80 or £75 for 2 marks	2	
	Salaries 90	1	
	Factory Overheads subtracted BUT If it says ADD and then subtracted treat as arithmetical slip		-2P
	Extraneous ie Balance Sheet items		-2E each Max -4

Question 2 (continued)

		Award Marks Lost	Penalties
(b)	Trading, Profit and Loss and Appropriation Account – 17 marks		
	There is no award for Main Heading BUT wrong (ie as at or omitted) apply Penalty but ignore if penalty applied in (a)		-1P
	Extraneous ie Balance Sheet items		-2E each Max -4
	Cost of Sales added to Sales treat as arithmetical slip		-1A
	Expenses added to Gross Profit treat as arithmetical slip		-1A
	Gross Profit not labelled	1	
	Net Profit not labelled	1	
	Unappropriated Profit not labelled	1	
	Factory Cost of Production will be consequential on (a)		
	Ignore Purchases in place of Factory Cost of Production – do not apply +/- rule unless Factory Cost of Production also entered	1	
	Salaries will be consequential on (a)		
	Insurance will be consequential on (a)		
	Accept Profit and Loss Account Balance as final label		
	PART B		
	Work in Progress – no mention of value but mention of part made	1	

		Award Marks Lost	Penalties
	PART A		
(a)	Appropriation Account – 10 marks		
	Heading wrong/omitted		-1P
	EXTRANEOUS ITEMS ie Capital, Drawings		-2E once
	Interest on Capital correct but added	1 each	
	Share of Profit not 3/5 and 2/5 respectively of any Residual Profit	2 each	
(b)	Current Account Paterson – 6 marks		
	Total reversal of entries – award half the total candidate's marks	Max 3	
	Extraneous - Capital		-2E once
	Interest on Capital and Share of Profit will be consequential on answers to (a)		
	If done as a list ie not in account form, award marks and apply penalty		-2P
(c)	Financed By Section – 4 marks		
	Current Account Balance for Paterson will be consequential on candidate's answer to (b)		
	Final total omitted		-1P
	Extraneous items		-2E
			Max -4
	PART B		
	All entries are worth 1 mark but Account Name and amount must both be correct to gain award	1 or 2	
	In Error 5 if Discounts shown only as £100 award 1 mark	1 or 2	
	All items are right/wrong apart from Electricity/Bank £1,000 gains 1 mark each	2	

Question 4 FORMARTINE VALLEY PRODUCERS – DECISION MAKING 40 MARKS

		Award Marks Lost	Penalties
	WATCH CONSEQUENTIALITY THROUGHOUT		
(a)	Machine hour calculation (5 marks)		
(b)	Contribution/contribution limiting factor (24 marks)		
(c)	Order of Production (1 mark)		
	Order right or wrong (watch consequentiality).	1	
(d)	Units to Maximise Profits (4 marks)		
	Right or wrong - consequential on (b) and (c)	1 or 2 each	
(e)	Contribution per product/total contribution/total profit (6 marks)		
	No profit shown/labelled		-1P

		Award Marks Lost	Penalties
	PART A		
(a)			
(i)/(ii)	For each item missing	1	
(b)	Total Operating Cost		
	Reasonable heading not shown		-1P
	Wages from (ii) not entered		-1P
	Electricity and Shampoo Costs will be consequential on candidate's answer to (i)	2 each	
	Hairdressing Equipment entered lose depreciation award	2	
	Final total not shown		-1P

		Award Marks Lost	Penalties
	PART B		
	WATCH CONSEQUENTIALITY THROUGHOUT THIS QUESTION		
	Mark as per solution		
(a)	Contribution is consequential on Variable cost calculation		
(b)	Break-even point is consequential on (a)		
(c)	Profit or Loss is consequential on (a) and (b)		
	Answer must state profit or loss, if not apply penalty		-1P
(d)	Answer is consequential on (a)		

				Award Marks Lost	Penalties
PART A					
Heading wrong or omitted	(must include	months)			-1P
For Credit Sales award or	ne mark each fo	or:		3	
Credit sales without discount OR Credit sales without	£48,000	£50,400	£55,200		
delay period	£45,360	£49,680	£44,280		
August and September va on the deposit in July.		gure is cons	sequential		
All other figures are right of	or wrong				
Closing Balance omitted/o	clearly not cons	equential			-2P
However if implied in oper	ning balances f	or Aug and	Sept		-1P
If only one balance missing	ng			40	-1P
If no attempt to distinguish marks to Receipts only	10	20			
If Receipts and Payments identified as Receipts/Pay					-3P

	Award Marks Lost	Penalties
PART B		
Baking Process Account (14 marks)		
If a list, treat all as inputs, but award 4 marks to "price per kg" £9.00	4	
Unit values only necessary where mark awarded ie showing final good output value per kg		
Watch out for consequentiality for scrap/waste/CPU		