



2011 Administration

Intermediate 1

Finalised Marking Instructions

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TASK 1a

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

2A 1C

Accommodation	Town	Telephone Number	Star Rating	Price
Bosville Guest House	Portree	01478611030	4	£42.00
Dualchas B&B	Broadford	01471820204	5	£40.00
Dunvegan Loch B&B	Dunvegan	01470521466	3	£25.00
Glenconon B&B	Uig	01470542432	3	£28.00
Goldendale Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521154	4	£38.00
Herepost Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521733	5	£35.00
Kilt Rock House	Staffin	01470562445	4	£32.00
Kiltara House	Portree	01478612545	3	£30.00
Penifiler House	Portree	01478612459	5	£45.00
Stonefield Hotel	Portree	01478612723	3	£58.00

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AWARD:

Create 5 fields as required	C	1
Accurate field names – one mark per error	A	2
Format fields appropriately	F	1
Enter records accurately - one mark per record		10
Sort by Accommodation	S	1
Print complete table on one page	P	1
Total		16 marks

NOTES:

- If telephone number has a space do not award accuracy mark in the first instance
- When marking accuracy of records - if capitalisation is inconsistent do not award accuracy mark in first 2 instances only
- Accept any alignment for any of the fields
- Price field must show 2 decimal places
- If telephone numbers do not show 0 at the beginning do not award **1F**
- Accept Bed and Breakfast, B and B, B&B – do not accept B & B

Task 1a - Unsorted

Accommodation	Town	Telephone Number	Star Rating	Price
Stonefield Hotel	Portree	01478612723	3	£58.00
Bosville Guest House	Portree	01478611030	4	£42.00
Dualchas B&B	Broadford	01471820204	5	£40.00
Dunvegan Loch B&B	Dunvegan	01470521466	3	£25.00
Glenconan B&B	Uig	01470542432	3	£28.00
Goldendale Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521154	4	£38.00
Herepost Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521733	5	£35.00
Kiltara House	Portree	01478612545	3	£30.00
Penifiler House	Portree	01478612459	5	£45.00
Kilt Rock House	Staffin	01470562445	4	£32.00

If no Task 1a printout 12 marks as follows:

Create 5 fields as required	C	1
Accurate field names – one mark per record	A	2
Format fields appropriately	F	1
Enter records accurately - one mark per record		8
Total		12 marks

TASK 1b

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

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Accommodation	Town	Telephone Number	Star Rating	Price	Miles from the Skye Bridge
Penifiler House	Portree	01478612459	5	£45.00	36
Bosville Guest House	Portree	01478611030	4	£42.00	38
Dualchas B&B	Broadford	01471820204	5	£40.00	11
Goldendale Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521154	4	£38.00	53
Herepost Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521733	5	£35.00	48
Kilt Rock House	Staffin	01470562445	4	£32.00	55
Kiltara House	Portree	01478612545	3	£30.00	38
Glenconon B&B	Uig	01470542432	3	£28.00	50
Dunvegan Loch B&B	Dunvegan	01470521466	3	£27.00	50

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1E

1F 3A 1P

AWARD:

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Delete record (Stonefield Hotel)	D	1
Amend record (Dunvegan Loch B&B - £27.00)	E	1
Additional field (Miles from the Skye Bridge):		
• Accurate field name	N	1
• Formatted as number	F	1
• Correct entries (-1 per error)	A	3
Sort by Price (descending)	S	1
Print complete table using landscape orientation	P	1
Total		9 marks

Task 1b – Unsorted

Accommodation	Town	Telephone Number	Star Rating	Price	Miles from the Skye Bridge
Bosville Guest House	Portree	01478611030	4	£42.00	38
Dualchas B&B	Broadford	01471820204	5	£40.00	11
Dunvegan Loch B&B	Dunvegan	01470521466	3	£27.00	50
Glenconan B&B	Uig	01470542432	3	£28.00	50
Goldendale Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521154	4	£38.00	53
Herepost Guest House	Dunvegan	01470521733	5	£35.00	48
Kiltara House	Portree	01478612545	3	£30.00	38
Penifiler House	Portree	01478612459	5	£45.00	36
Kilt Rock House	Staffin	01470562445	4	£32.00	55

TASK 1c

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

Accommodation	Town	Star Rating
Penifiler House	Portree	5
Bosville Guest House	Portree	4
Kiltara House	Portree	3

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1R

AWARD:

Print correct fields	F	1
Search Portree (3 records)	R	1
Total	2 marks	

TASK 1d

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

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Accommodation	Telephone Number	Town
Dualchas B&B	01471820204	Broadford
Dunvegan Loch B&B	01470521466	Dunvegan
Glenconan B&B	01470542432	Uig
Goldendale Guest House	01470521154	Dunvegan
Herepost Guest House	01470521733	Dunvegan
Kiltara House	01478612545	Portree
Kilt Rock House	01470562445	Staffin

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AWARD:

Print correct fields - (all or nothing)	P	2
Fields in correct order	F	1
Search Price £40 or less (7 records)	R	1
Total	4 marks	

NOTES

- Even if fields are wrong, if these 3 fields are shown a mark can be awarded if they are in correct order **1F**

TASK 2a – Printout 1

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

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	A	B	C	D	E
1	Commission for the Month of April	1H			
2	Bed and Breakfast Accommodation			1C	1C
3	1B Star Rating Category	Accommodation	Number of People	Commission per Person	Total Commission
4	5 Star Rating	Dualchas B&B	15	2 1F	=C4*D4
5		Herepost Guest House	16	1.75	=C5*D5
6		Penifiler House	20	2.25	=C6*D6
7	Totals		=SUM(C4:C6)	1A	=SUM(E4:E6) 1F
8	4 Star Rating	Bosville Guest House	30	2.1	=C8*D8
9		Kilt Rock House	45	1.6	=C9*D9
10	Totals		=SUM(C8:C9)	1A	=SUM(E8:E9) 1F
11	3 Star Rating	Dunvegan Loch B&B	43	1.25	=C11*D11
12		Glenconon B&B	55	1.4	=C12*D12
13		Kiltara House	28	1.5	=C13*D13
14	Totals		=SUM(C11:C13)	1A 1R	=SUM(E11:E13)1F

1B

1P

AWARD:

Main heading: formatted to size 14 and bold	H	1
Sub heading: embolden	B	1
Delete the column headed Price per Person	D	1
Add column headed Commission per Person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in correct place and accurately data correctly entered in each category 1 mark per category – all to be correct to award mark	C A	1 3
Add column headed Total Commission in correct place and accurately	C	1
Accurate formulae used in Total Commission	F	1
Replicated to other accommodation	R	1
Accurate formulae used in C7/E7 – must be specified cells	F	1
Accurate formulae used in C10/E10 – must be correct cells	F	1
Accurate formulae used in C14/E14 – must be correct cells	F	1
Total Commission figures in each star rating category: Increased font size and embolden (both in cells E7, E10, E14 only)	B	1
Printing instruction carried out correctly: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> formula view on one page row and column headings and gridlines landscape 	P	1
Total	15 marks	

Marked in Task 2b:

- Column headings right aligned/wrapped
- All cells formatted appropriately

NOTES:

- If a formula for Commission per Person is entered do not award formula mark in the first instance only
- If all Total Commission figures are embolden do not award embolden mark

If no Task 2a printout 9 marks as follows:

Main heading: formatted to size 14 and bold	H	1
Sub heading - embolden	B	1
Delete the column headed Price per Person	D	1
Add column headed Commission per Person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in correct place and accurately data correctly entered in each category 1 mark per category – all to be correct to award mark	C A	1 3
Add column headed Total Commission in correct place and accurately	C	1
Total Commission figures in each star rating category: Increased font size and embolden (both in cells E7, E10, E14 only)	B	1
Total	9 marks	

TASK 2b

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

Commission for the Month of April				
Bed and Breakfast Accommodation				1F
Star Rating Category	Accommodation	Number of People	Commission per Person	Total Commission
<i>5 Star Rating</i>	Dualchas B&B	15	£2.00	£30.00
	Herepost Guest House	16	£1.75	£28.00
	Penifiler House	20	£2.25	£45.00
Totals		51		£103.00
<i>4 Star Rating</i>	Bosville Guest House	30	£2.10	£63.00
	Goldendale Guest House	42	£1.90	£79.80
	Kilt Rock House	45	£1.60	£72.00
Totals		117		£214.80
<i>3 Star Rating</i>	Dunvegan Loch B&B	43	£1.25	£53.75
	Glenconon B&B	55	£1.40	£77.00
	Kiltara House	38	1E £1.50	£57.00
Totals		136		£187.75

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AWARD:

Amendment to number of people at Kiltara House: data correctly entered - 38	E	1
New property - Goldendale: • accurate (max one error per cell) • in correct place • update Totals £79.80 and £214.80	A I U	2 1 1
Column headings: • right aligned/wrapped	F	1
All cells formatted appropriately	F	1
Printing instruction carried out correctly: • value view • on one page • show gridlines only	P	1
Total		8 marks

TASK 2c – Printout 1

All data must be *accurate* and *visible* to be awarded marks.

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Commission for the Month of April		
Bed and Breakfast Accommodation		
Star Rating Category	Accommodation	Total Commission
<i>5 Star Rating</i>	Dualchas B&B	£30.00
	Herepost Guest House	£28.00
	Penifiler House	£45.00
Totals		£103.00
<i>4 Star Rating</i>	Bosville Guest House	£63.00
	Goldendale Guest House	£79.80
	Kilt Rock House	£72.00
Totals		£214.80
<i>3 Star Rating</i>	Dunvegan Loch B&B	£53.75
	Glenconon B&B	£77.00
	Kiltara House	£57.00
Totals		£187.75

5 Star Accommodation - Commission Received in April

Accommodation	Commission (£)	Percentage
Dualchas B&B	£30.00	29%
Herepost Guest House	£28.00	27%
Penifiler House	£45.00	44%

1H

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1CH

AWARD:

Hide columns C-D	H	1
Chart:		
• type - pie	CH	1
• chart title - accurate	H	1
• correct source data	D	1
• meaningful labels (accept % or values or both) accommodation names or legend must be shown	L	1
Printing instruction carried out correctly:		
• chart and data on same sheet		
• all information visible	P	1
Total		6 marks

TASK 3 – Printout 1

ITINERARY OF CECILIA AND KURT BERGER

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1B

Trip to Skye

23 July to 24 July 2011 1D

1M

Although Skye is the largest of the¹ Hebridean islands, it is relatively small. You can visit almost anywhere² and use Portree as your base for exploring the entire island.³

Saturday 23 July 2011

1000 hours Talisker Distillery
1130 hours⁴ The Cuillins, Glen Brittle and Loch Brittle Beach
1430 hours⁵ Dunvegan Castle and Gardens 1M

Sunday 24 July 2011

1000 hours Skye Serpentarium,⁶ Broadford
1200 hours Knock Castle (also known as Castle Camus) 1M
1330 hours⁷ Armadale Castle Gardens and Museum of the Isles

Suggested Accommodation

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Accommodation	Town	Star Rating
Penifiler House	Portree	5
Bosville Guest House	Portree	4
Kiltara House	Portree	3

Please mention Blue Skye Travel⁸ when you book. We wish you a safe trip and a happy holiday!⁹

1L

1P

TASK 3

AWARD:

Itinerary heading completely accurately		
• names must include surname – accept initial capitals	N	1
• dates (must include year)	D	1
• bold – all 3 lines	B	1
Manuscript corrections:		
• uc	M	1
• trs	M	1
• stet	M	1
Keying in: One mark for accurate text in each flagged section (9 sections) Excludes manuscript corrections		9
Database search:		
• inserted	I	1
• correct DB search used	S	1
• appropriate and in correct place	P	1
Presentation, layout and consistency	L	1
Print on one page	P	1
Total		20 marks

NOTES:

- accept any of the following date formats
 - 23 July 2011 to 24 July 2011
 - 23 July to 24 July 2011
 - Saturday 23 July to Sunday 24 July 2011
 - Saturday 23 July 2011 to Sunday 24 July 2011
 - 23/7/2011 to 24/7/2011 or 23/07/2011 to 24/07/2011 or 23.7.11 etc
 - 23/7/11 to 24/7/11
 - 23/7 to 24/7/2011
 - 23/7 to 24/7/11
 - Any of the above with dash in place of to (if a dash is used do not award mark for first flagged section as they have omitted the word **to**)
- If search title is included it must be meaningful or blank or do not award **1P** for place

Presentation/layout/consistency

- Incorrect or inconsistent spacing
 - after Itinerary heading
 - between paragraphs
 - between times and details
 - inconsistent borders if table format used ie one with borders and other without
 - before and after the DB insert
 - Do not award if memo headings, complimentary close or yours truly are used

TASK 4

Question 1

a Identify one area of training that Alistair's line manager should arrange. **1**

- *[Awareness of] security [measures]*
- *[Procedures and methods of] filing*

Either area - one mark

b Alistair is required to find documents using a manual filing system. Today Sandy Carmichael from the Human Resources Department asks for the file for Staff Induction.

Study the following Out Card and update it using the above details. **3**

OUT CARD			
Name of file:		<i>Staff Induction</i>	
Borrowed by	Department	Date borrowed	Date returned
<i>M Beaton</i>	<i>Administration</i>	<i>23/04/2011</i>	<i>29/04/2011</i>
<i>S Carmichael</i>	<i>Human Resources</i>	<i>12/05/2011</i>	

One mark for 'Borrowed by'; one mark for 'Department'; one mark for both 'Date borrowed' completed AND 'Date returned' left blank

c During busy periods, Alistair is required to cover Reception.

List 3 steps that should be taken when dealing with visitors to the organisation who do not have an appointment.

3

- *Ask visitor who they want to see*
- *Try to find someone who is available*
- *If someone available -*
 - *Enter the visitor's details in the Reception Register*
 - *Ask the visitor to take a seat in the waiting area*
 - *Ensure that the visitor is comfortable (offer tea/coffee/etc)*
 - *Issue the visitor with a security pass*
 - *Escort them / give directions to destination*
- *If no one available -*
 - *Try to arrange an appointment for a later date*
 - *Take the caller's details and arrange for someone to contact them later*
- *Explain that it is not normal procedure*

NOTES:

- Any three, one mark per step – 3 marks
- Steps should be logical/related if not **2 marks max**
- If there is no reference to someone being available or not **2 marks max**

TASK 4 (continued)

Question 2

a State the name of one of the above items of equipment used in the mailroom of Blue Skye Travel. 1

- *Franking Machine*
- *Scales*

b The following items of equipment are also used by Blue Skye Travel.

Suggest one appropriate use for 2 of the above items of equipment. Your examples must relate to Blue Skye Travel. Use a different example for each item. 2

i Photocopier

- *Make copies of booking forms*
- *Make copies of brochures*
- *Make copies of itineraries*

ii Laminator

- *Put a protective cover on the organisation chart at Reception*
- *Put a protective cover on health and safety posters*

iii Scanner

- *Make an electronic copy of accommodation pictures for use in a brochure*
- *Make an electronic copy of staff pictures for use in the organisation chart*

One mark per use – 2 marks max

NOTES:

The suggested use must indicate that the candidate understands why the item of equipment is used and which machine they are referring to.

c Outline 2 security measures that can be taken to protect equipment. 2

- *Careful handling and issue of keys*
- *Strict procedures for the movement of staff and visitors*
- *Intercom/security doors/locked doors/combination locks*
- *CCTV to monitor building*
- *Identity marking*
- *Record serial numbers*
- *Use of specialist security firm*
- *Secure equipment to desk*

One mark each – 2 marks

TASK 4 (continued)

Question 3

a Outline 2 flexible working practices, other than home-working and hot-desking. **2**

- *Part-time where less than full week is worked*
- *Flexi-time where start and finish times can vary*
- *Job-share more than one person does one job*
- *Teleworking – away from the office using ICT*

One mark each outline – 2 marks

b Suggest 2 benefits to the employee of flexible working practices. **2**

- *Time to focus on life outside work*
- *More satisfied and motivated at work*
- *Happier, healthier, they have improved concentration at work*
- *Reduction in stress from improved skills and experience*

One mark each different benefit for the employee – 2 marks

c Describe 2 ways mobile technologies can be used by home-workers to keep in touch with the office. **2**

- *Mobile telephone – phone or text colleague for help*
- *Laptop with Internet access – send/receive e-mails/attachments*
- *PDA –send/receive information*
- *Pager – contact colleagues*

In order for description to make sense, mobile technology must be identified.

One mark each – 2 marks

d Describe 2 disadvantages of using e-mail. **2**

- *Tone difficult to manage*
- *Lack of personal interaction*
- *Open to personal misuse*
- *Not always answered (immediately)*
- *May not be secure*
- *SPAM or junk mail can clog inbox*
- *Viruses can damage computer/software/files*
- *Technical difficulties can be time consuming/waste time*

One mark each – 2 marks

(20 marks)

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]