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2022 NSC CHIEF MARKER'S REPORT

SUBJECT	ACCOUNTING	ACCOUNTING		
QUESTION PAPER	1	2	3	
DURATION OF QUESTION PAPER	2 HOURS			
PROVINCE	EASTERN CAPE			
DATES OF MARKING	8 – 22 DECEMBI	ER 2022		

SECTION 1: (General overview of Learner Performance in the question paper as a whole)

The Accounting Paper 2 was well balanced and it covered a wide range of topics. The paper was fair, but of a very high standard and many questions were asked in a new and unfamiliar way.

The time allocated to complete the paper was enough for candidates who were well prepared and understood what was expected of them. A lot of comments were expected, (29% of the paper) and comments often take more time to complete than calculations. Therefor the allocated two hours proved to be a challenge for many candidates.

The first sub question of Questions 1 and 4 was of a lower order. In Question 1.1 candidates had to match examples of costs (4 marks) and Question 4.1 was True or False (3 marks). In Question 2 the first sub-question 2.1 was on VAT (9 marks) which candidates should be familiar with and although there were two calculations to be made, it was still possible to score a few easy marks. In Question 3 the first sub-question 3.1 was a Creditor's Payment Schedule (7 marks) which is also a question that should be expected.

Most candidates attempted these questions and a fair number of marks were scored. Questions with interpretations, comments and advice followed. Most candidates attempted most questions and even though many did not do well in the more challenging questions, we saw few blank spaces.

Question 4, the last question, (Bank Reconciliation) was not answered well. This might have been due to a time constraint. Some grade 11- topics were not properly covered in 2021 and time is too limited in grade 12 to cover all these important topics.

There was a clear content gap for many of the 2022 grade 12 candidates.

Candidates especially struggled to grasp what was expected of them in Question 2.2.2, Question 2.2.7 and Question 3.3.2.

Even though the results may not be very good for this paper, it was good to see that a few candidates performed very well in answering this question paper.

The 100 scripts which were used for the Rasch analysis were spread over a wide variety of centres and districts and the 100 scripts were compiled of 15 scripts each of Levels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10 scripts of Level 7. The average results per question were as follows:

- Question 1 \rightarrow 56%
- Question 2 \rightarrow 55%
- Question $3 \rightarrow 46\%$
- Question 4 \rightarrow 55%
- Total → 53%

The paper contained an appropriate balance of easy, medium and difficult questions. It also included a number of questions which required open-ended problem solving and comments.

Unfortunately, many educators and candidates did not make enough use of previous years' question papers and recommendations made by previous reports compiled by Chief Markers and Marking Moderators.

SECTION 2: Comment on candidates' performance in individual questions

QUESTION 1: COST ACCOUNTING (35 MARKS)

(a) General comment on the performance of learners in the specific question. Was the question well answered or poorly answered?

Sub	Торіс	Maximum	Average	%	Range
Question		marks	mark		
1.1	Match production costs	4	3.26	82%	0 – 4
1.2.1	Production cost	17	10.69	63%	0 – 17
1.2.2	Increase in fixed costs	4	1.27	32%	0 - 4
1.2.3	Comments on staff bonus	6	3.41	57%	0-6
1.2.4	Additional units to achieve	4	1.14	29%	0 – 4
	extra profit				
	Sample of 100 scripts	35	19.77	56%	0 - 35

Being the first question in the paper, this question was answered by most candidates and they did moderately well. From the sample of 100 scripts the highest average of 56% was scored for Question 1. Q Question 1.1 scored the highest marks (82%) of all the questions in the paper. Candidates struggled to answer Question 1.2.1 (b) on Factory overhead costs. Question 1.2.3 on the staff bonus also proved to be a challenge.

(b) Why the question was poorly answered? Also provide specific examples, indicate common errors committed by learners in this question, and any misconceptions.

Candidates found the calculation for the correct Factory overhead costs (Question 1.2.1) very challenging. Candidates were unfamiliar with the term "economies of scale" and did not know when to use cost per unit (Question 1.2.2). In Question 1.2.3 it became clear that many candidates did not understand the use of a break-even point. Question 1.2.4 where candidates were expected to calculate the additional units to be produced to show an extra profit of R50 000 proved to be challenging and of the sample of 100 scripts an average of only 29% was scored.

(c) Provide suggestions for improvement in relation to Teaching and Learning Candidates should be made aware of the term "economies of scale" as it plays an important role in evaluating production costs.

Working through previous years' exam papers should be encouraged and they should become familiar with different styles of questions.

(d) Describe any other specific observations relating to responses of learners and comments that are useful to teachers, subject advisors, teacher development etc.

Examiners are requested to state clearly in the questions when they want candidates to use unit cost/percentages in their comments.

In questions requiring comments learners should be encouraged to use words like "because/ therefore/resulting" to write extended sentences in order to score 2 marks.

English as the language of instruction is imperative to enable candidates to master the terminology of Accounting.

QUESTION 2: VAT AND INVENTORY VALUATIION (45 MARKS)

(a) General comment on the performance of learners in the specific question. Was the question

well answered or poorly answered?

Sub	Торіс	Maximum	Average	%	Range
Question		marks	mark		
2.1	VAT calculations	9	4.91	55%	0 – 9
2.2.1	Calculate closing stock	9	6.32	70%	0 – 9
	(Specific ID)				
2.2.2	Examples of division of duties	4	0.87	22%	0 – 4
2.2.3	Show that customers are	4	3.04	76%	0 – 4
	satisfied with product				
2.2.4.	Calculate closing stock (FIFO)	6	3.38	56%	0-6
2.2.5	Calculate stock holding period	3	2.14	71%	0 – 3
2.2.6	Comments on stock holding	4	2.16	54%	0 – 4
	period				
2.2.7	Products exceeding shelf life	2	0.18	9%	0 – 2
2.2.8	Advice on selling outdated	4	1.74	44%	0 – 4
	stock				
	Sample of 100 scripts	45	24.74	55%	2 - 43

From the sample of 100 scripts an average of 55% was scored for Question 2. VAT should be an expected question, but candidates could not differentiate between input and output VAT.

Candidates did not understand what was required by examples of division of duties, nor did they grasp the concept of stock exceeding the shelf life. The many comments that were expected in Question 2 proved to be a challenge.

(b) Why the question was poorly answered? Also provide specific examples, indicate common errors committed by learners in this question, and any misconceptions.

In Question 2.1 candidates could not differentiate between input and output VAT.

In Question 2.2.2 candidates did not understand what was required by examples on division of duties.

In Question 2.2.4 candidates fail to include carriage when calculating stock value.

In Question 2.2.7 candidates failed to grasp the concept of stock exceeding the shelf life. VERY FEW candidates scored marks in this question. From the sample of 100 scripts Question 2.2.7 scored the lowest average of only 9%.

In Question 2.2.8 candidates did not grasp the concept of outdated stock.

Many candidates fail to use figures in their comments and lost marks unnecessarily.

(c) Provide suggestions for improvement in relation to Teaching and Learning More emphasis should be put on VAT from Grade 11. Candidates should familiarize themselves with the different styles of questioning. Candidates should be encouraged to read questions properly and make sure of what is required before they start answering the questions.

(d) Describe any other specific observations relating to responses of learners and comments that are useful to teachers, subject advisors, teacher development etc.

Teachers should try to finish the syllabus as early as possible and do more revision through old examination papers. Candidates should answer the questions as asked and not necessarily in the way content were taught. More attention should be paid to stock valuation systems.

QUESTION 3: BUDGETING (45 MARKS)

(a) General comment on the performance of learners in the specific question. Was the question well answered or poorly answered?

Sub Question	Торіс	Maximum marks	Average mark	%	Range
3.1	Creditors payment schedule	7	4.62	66%	0 – 7
3.2	Calculate figures in Cash budget	10	5.11	51%	0 – 10
3.3	Deposit on vehicle and effect on Cash budget	11	3.99	36%	0 - 11
3.4	Effect of mark-up % and advertising	4	1.68	42%	0 – 4
3.5	Control over maintenance, delivery, packing material	10	3.17	32%	0 – 10
3.6	Additional payments for on- line shopping	3	2.03	68%	0 – 4
	Sample of 100 scripts	45	20.6	46%	2 - 44

From the sample of 100 scripts the lowest average of 46%, was scored for Question 3.

The Creditors Payment Schedule in Question 3.1 was answered fairly well with an average of 66%.

In Question 3.2 (iii) the calculation of salaries was not answered well.

Candidates found Question 3.4 and Question 3.5 very challenging and 8 marks to comment on two expenses in Q 3.5.2 might have been a bit steep.

Candidates failed to grasp the relation between expenses and sales and they did not use percentages or unit costs in their comments.

(b) Why the question was poorly answered? Also provide specific examples, indicate common errors committed by learners in this question, and any misconceptions.

Question 3 expected a lot of comments and many candidates found this very challenging.

In Question 3.2 (ii) candidates failed to add the new rent.

Question 3.3.1 required quite a difficult calculation to determine the deposit on the new vehicle.

In Question 3.3.2 candidates were expected to adjust the Cash position and it seemed as if they did not realise which items should be entered.

Candidates found Question 3.5 very challenging and very few scored good marks on the comments on expenses. Candidates failed to grasp the relation between expenses and sales and they did not use percentages or unit costs in their comments.

Question 3.6 (on-line shopping) was an unfamiliar concept to many candidates, especially those from rural areas.

(c) Provide suggestions for improvement in relation to Teaching and Learning More emphasis should be put on calculations of percentages and unit costs when comparisons are required. Candidates should be taught to familiarize themselves with what is expected in a question e.g. impact/ advice/ comments/ comparisons/ explain.

(d) Describe any other specific observations relating to responses of learners and comments that are useful to teachers, subject advisors, teacher development etc.

Candidates should be made aware of how method marks can be scored during marking. Good revision of trial exams is a necessity. Candidates should be made aware of the difference between "under budget" and "under budgeted" as these are of opposite meaning.

QUESTION 4: BANK RECONCILIATION (25 MARKS)

(a) General comment on the performance of learners in the specific question. Was the question well answered or poorly answered?

Sub Question	Торіс	Maximum marks	Average mark	%	Range
4.1	True/False	3	2.26	75%	0 – 3
4.2.1	Cash journals	10	5.24	52%	0 – 10
4.2.2	Bank account balance	4	2.88	72%	0 - 4
4.2.3	Bank reconciliation	8	3.39	42%	0 – 8
	Sample of 100 scripts	25	13.77	55%	0 - 25

From the sample of 100 scripts an average of 55% was scored for Question 4. The performance in Question 4 ranged for good to very poor. It was a relatively easy question and candidates who knew this topic did very well, but many were clearly not prepared or did not have enough time for the last question.

(b) Why the question was poorly answered? Also provide specific examples, indicate common errors committed by learners in this question, and any misconceptions.

Candidates could not differentiate between entries in the Cash Journals and the Bank reconciliation statement. In the Bank reconciliation statement, many amounts were entered on the wrong side of the statement. Many mistakes were made in a simple calculation of the balance of the Bank account.

(c) Provide suggestions for improvement in relation to Teaching and Learning More emphasis should be put on Bank reconciliation from Grade 11.

Candidates should know the format and the details of a Bank recon.

Candidates should be made aware of the difference between under cast and over cast.

(d) Describe any other specific observations relating to responses of learners and comments that are useful to teachers, subject advisors, teacher development etc.

The alternative method of Bank reconciliation statement with only one column should be discouraged as candidates confused the signs. The Education department should provide teachers with a variety of exercises with the new Bank reconciliation statement (without cheques).

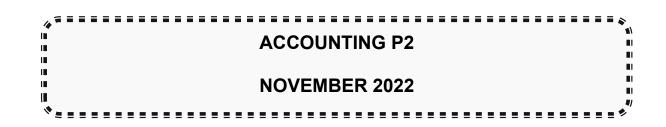


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GRADE 12





TIME: 2 hours

This question paper consists of 13 pages, a formula sheet and a 10-page answer book.





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INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

Read the following instructions carefully and follow them precisely.

- 1. Answer ALL questions.
- 2. A special ANSWER BOOK is provided in which to answer ALL questions.
- 3. A Financial Indicator Formula Sheet is attached at the end of this question paper.
- 4. Show ALL workings to earn part-marks.
- 5. You may use a non-programmable calculator.
- 6. You may use a dark pencil or blue/black ink to answer questions.
- 7. Where applicable, show ALL calculations to ONE decimal point.
- Write neatly and legibly. 8.
- 9. Use the information in the table below as a guide when answering the question paper. Try NOT to deviate from it.

QUESTION	ΤΟΡΙϹ	MARKS	MINUTES
1	Cost Accounting	35	30
2	VAT and Inventory Valuation	45	35
3	Budgeting	45	35
4 Bank Reconciliation		25	20
TOTAL		150	120



QUESTION 1: COST ACCOUNTING

(35 marks; 30 minutes)

1.1 Choose an example from COLUMN B that matches a cost category in COLUMN A. Write only the letter (A–E) next to the question numbers (1.1.1 to 1.1.4) in the ANSWER BOOK, e.g. 1.1.5 F.

	COLUMN A		COLUMN B	
1.1.1	Administration	А	carriage on raw material purchased	
1.1.2	Direct material	В	salary of the factory foreman	
1.1.3	Selling and distribution	С	rent expense for the office building	
1.1.4	Factory overhead	D	workers in production	
		Е	commission paid to sales staff	
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1.2 WEZA STITCHES

Weza Stitches, owned by Annie Brown, manufactures bathroom towel sets. Anne buys fabric from local suppliers. The information relates to the financial year ended 30 June 2022. Note that there were no work-in-progress stock balances.

REQUIRED:

- 1.2.1 Calculate the following for the financial year ended 30 June 2022:
 - Direct labour cost (7)
 - Factory overhead cost (6)
 - Total cost of production
- 1.2.2 Annie is concerned that fixed costs increased to R806 400. Explain why she should not be concerned. Provide TWO points. Quote figures.

1.2.3 **Refer to Information C.**

Comment on whether the production staff deserves the production bonus that they received. Provide THREE points, with figures. (6)

1.2.4 Annie wants to improve her profit by R50 000 during the next financial year while maintaining costs. Calculate the additional units that must be produced to achieve this target.

(4)

(4)



INFORMATION:

A. Direct labour cost:

- Six workers were employed in production in 2021 and 2022.
- Each of them worked 1 840 hours normal time during the year at R40 per hour.
- The overtime register reflected a combined total of 230 hours worked at 1,6 times the normal time rate.
- Production staff received a production bonus of 8% of the normal time wages.

B. Factory overhead cost:

The bookkeeper calculated the factory overhead cost as R541 600.

However, he made the following errors, which must still be adjusted:

- He included the entire insurance expense of R32 500 to the factory overhead cost, instead of only 60% of this expense.
- He allocated R54 000 to factory water and electricity using the ratio 3:2:2 for factory, sales and office respectively. This expense should have been split in the ratio 2:1:1.

	30 JUN	E 2022	30 JUN	E 2021
	Total	Per unit	Total	Per unit
Variable costs:	R1 561 600	R244	R1 317 750	R251
Direct material	R652 800	R102	R672 000	R128
Direct labour	?	?	R498 750	R95
Selling and distribution			R147 000	R28
Fixed costs:	R806 400	R126	R792 750	R151
Factory overheads				
Administration				
Number of units produced and sold	6 400 units		5 250 units	
Break-even point	6 156 units 6 954 units		units	
Selling price per unit	R3	75	R3	65

C. Additional information: (after taking all corrections into account)



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QUESTION 2: VAT AND INVENTORY VALUATION (45 marks; 35 minutes)

2.1 **VAT**

The information relates to Nomhle Traders. The business is registered for VAT. The standard VAT rate is 15%. Nomhle also sells zero-rated goods.

REQUIRED:

Calculate the VAT amount that must be paid to SARS for the VAT period ended 31 May 2022.

(9)

INFORMATION:

A. Harry, the clerk, calculated the VAT amount due to SARS as R55 785.

However, he did not take the following into account:

(i)	VAT on goods returned to suppliers	R5 070
(ii)	VAT on expenses paid	R6 240
(iii	VAT on goods taken by Nomhle for personal use	R5 400

- **B.** VAT on discount allowed must also be taken into account. The total discount allowed amounted to R18 860.
- **C.** VAT on sales was incorrectly recorded. Certain goods with a selling price of R31 200 (excluding VAT) should have been recorded as zero-rated items.



2.2 STOCK VALUATION

Pitten Sports Shop is owned by Milo Slav. The financial year ended on 28 February 2022.

The stock records of the following two products are provided:

- Mountain bikes
- Powdered energy drinks (1 kg tubs)

MOUNTAIN BIKES

The stock of mountain bikes is valued using the specific identification stock valuation method.

REQUIRED:

2.2.1 Calculate the value of the closing stock on 28 February 2022, using the specific identification method.

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(4)

2.2.2 A whistle-blower (informant) reported to Milo that he has evidence to prove that the purchasing manager is stealing mountain bikes purchased by the business.

An investigation revealed that 40 units of the King model, missing from the stock records, was supplied to Easy Rides, a competitor. There were no other stock shortages.

Explain TWO different examples of how the division of duties could prevent an incident such as this from occurring again in the future.

2.2.3 Provide TWO points that show that Milo and his customers are happy with the guality of the Gama Bikes. Quote figures.

INFORMATION:

Stock records of mountain bikes:

	KING	PALO	GAMA
Units on hand: 1 March 2021	128	62	40
Units purchased during the year	400	250	220
Units returned to suppliers	54	2	0
Units sold	286	245	242
Units on hand: 28 February 2022	148	?	18
Cost price per unit	R4 500	R5 200	?
Value of closing stock	R666 000	?	?
Selling price per unit	R6 750	R7 800	R9 600
Total sales amount (in rands)	R1 930 500	R1 911 000	R2 323 200
Mark-up %	50%	50%	60%



(6)

(4)

(2)

POWDERED ENERGY DRINKS (1 kg TUBS)

The periodic inventory system and the first-in first-out (FIFO) stock valuation method is applicable. These items have a shelf life of 66 days.

REQUIRED:

- 2.2.4 Calculate the value of the closing stock on 28 February 2022, using the FIFO stock valuation method.
- 2.2.5 Calculate the stockholding period (in days) on 28 February 2022. Use the closing stock figure. (3)
- 2.2.6 Comment on your findings above. Provide TWO points, with figures. Note that the stockholding period for 2021 was 58 days.
- 2.2.7 Milo has noticed that some of the stock of energy drinks has exceeded the shelf life (sell-by date). Identify the value of stock that Milo is referring to.
- 2.2.8 Milo wants to sell the outdated stock at half the cost price. What advice would you offer him about this proposal? Provide TWO points. (4)

INFORMATION:

A. Stock of powdered energy drinks balances:

	NUMBER OF TUBS
1 March 2021	130
28 February 2022	235

B. Purchases of powdered energy drinks during the financial year:

	NUMBER OF UNITS	UNIT PRICE R	CARRIAGE R	TOTAL R
AprSept. 2021	550	420	4 400	235 400
Nov. 2021	330	460	2 640	154 440
Jan. 2022	180	475	1 440	86 940
TOTAL	1 060		8 480	476 780

C. Carriage on purchases:

The business pays MTY Transport a fixed rate of R8 per tub delivered to the store.

D. Returns to suppliers:

30 damaged tubs from the January 2022 purchases were returned to the supplier. The supplier reversed the total cost price paid, excluding carriage on purchases.

E. Sales and cost of sales:

- 925 units were sold.
- Cost of sales amounts to R404 140, after all adjustments were taken into account.



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QUESTION 3: BUDGETING

(45 marks; 35 minutes)

The information relates to JR Sanitisers (Pty) Ltd. The CEO is Juanita Rose. James Peter is the bookkeeper.

REQUIRED:

- 3.1 Complete the Creditors' Payment Schedule for December 2022. (7)
- 3.2 Calculate missing figures (i) to (iii) in the Cash Budget.

3.3 **Refer to Information E and G.**

- 3.3.1 Calculate the deposit that will be paid for the purchase of the company vehicle during December 2022. (5)
- 3.3.2 Juanita is concerned about the cash position for December 2022. She proposes moving the purchase of the vehicle to January 2023.

Use the table in the ANSWER BOOK to show the effect of this proposal to the December 2022 Cash Budget. (6)

3.4 **Refer to Information H.**

Juanita is concerned about her decisions in October 2022 to adjust the mark-up % and the amount actually spent on advertising. Provide TWO points to indicate whether these were wise decisions or not. Quote figures and/or calculations.

3.5 **Refer to Information H.**

- 3.5.1 Explain why Juanita should be concerned about the actual amount spent on repairs and maintenance during October 2022. Quote a figure and/or a calculation.
- 3.5.2 James feels that there has been a lack of control over the amounts spent on delivery expenses and packing material. Explain whether James' opinion is correct or not. Provide calculations.
- 3.6 Juanita wants to use social media to create an on-line shopping platform to increase her sales from January 2023. Name THREE additional payments that must be included in the January 2023 budget. (3)

(2)

(8)

(4)

(10)



INFORMATION:

A. Sales, cost of sales and debtors' collection:

	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Total sales	R584 100	R643 500	R432 300
Cost of sales	R354 000	R390 000	R262 000

- Cash sales comprise 30% of total sales.
- Debtors settle their accounts in the month following the month of sales.

B. Purchases of stock and payment to creditors:

- A base stock is maintained. Stock sold is replaced in the same month.
- Cash purchases comprise 15% of total purchases.
- Creditors are paid according to the following trend:
 - 80% are paid in the month of purchases to receive a 5% discount.
 - 20% are paid in the month after purchases.

C. Rent income:

- Storage space is rented at a fixed rate per square metre.
- An existing tenant occupies 60 m². His lease expires on 30 June 2023.
- A new tenant has signed a lease agreement for the period 1 December 2022 to 30 November 2023. She will occupy a 75 m² storage area.

D. Salaries:

- A new employee will be appointed from 1 December 2022. He will earn R14 840 per month.
- All other employees will receive an increase of 4,5% p.a., effective from 1 December 2022.

E. Purchase of company vehicle for the CEO and insurance:

- A new company vehicle will be purchased on 1 December 2022. A deposit of 25% of the cost of the vehicle, excluding interest, will be paid on this date.
- The remaining balance will be paid in equal monthly instalments of R20 800 over 24 months, including interest, with effect from 31 December 2022.
- Interest calculated for the full two-year period is R45 600.
- The existing insurance premium will increase by the amount applicable to the new company vehicle. It will also be payable at the end of each month, from 31 December 2022.

F. Delivery expenses:

Deliveries are outsourced to Aldo Deliveries. Delivery expenses are budgeted at a fixed percentage of the monthly sales.



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G. Extract from Cash Budget:

RECEIPTS	NOV. 2022 (R)	DEC. 2022 (R)	
Cash sales	193 050	129 690	
Collections from debtors	408 870	(i)	
Loan	400 000	(')	
Rent income	15 000	(ii)	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		(-7	
PAYMENTS			
Cash purchase of stock	58 500	39 330	
Payments to creditors	312 120	?	
Salaries	(iii)	55 595	
Purchase of vehicle: deposit	-	?	
Purchase of vehicle: monthly instalments	-	20 800	
Repairs and maintenance	30 000	30 000	
Advertising	40 000	40 000	
Delivery expenses (Aldo Deliveries)	38 610	25 938	
Packing material	25 740	17 280	
Insurance	6 500	9 700	
Fuel for company vehicle	-	7 500	
Interest on loan	6 000	6 000	
Dividends		190 000	
Telephone, water and electricity			
Sundry expenses			
TOTAL PAYMENTS			
CASH SURPLUS/DEFICIT	174 000	(120 000)	
BANK (BEGINNING)	(66 000)	108 000	
BANK (END)	108 000	(12 000)	

H. Budgeted and actual figures for October 2022:

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE
Number of units sold	7 080 units	11 470 units	+ 4 390 units
Mark-up %	65%	45%	-20%
Sales	R584 100	R831 546	+ R247 446
Cost of sales	354 000	573 480	+ 219 480
Gross profit	230 100	258 066	+ 27 966
Repairs and maintenance	30 000	8 000	- 22 000
Advertising	40 000	28 000	- 12 000
Delivery expenses (Aldo Deliveries)	35 046	42 896	+ 7 850
Packing material	23 364	37 850	+ 14 486



(25 marks, 20 minutes)

QUESTION 4: BANK RECONCILIATION

- 4.1 Indicate whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. Write only 'true' or 'false' next to the question numbers (4.1.1 to 4.1.3) in the ANSWER BOOK.
 - 4.1.1 Debit card fees form part of bank charges.
 - 4.1.2 Interest on overdraft is recorded in the Cash Receipts Journal.
 - 4.1.3 A debit balance on the Bank Statement reflects a favourable balance.

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4.2 BANK RECONCILIATION

The information provided relates to Surprise Stores. The business is owned by Themba Zwane.

- Themba receives the official Bank Statement on the 26th day of each month. He uses this to do the bank reconciliation.
- EFTs are renumbered according to date order.

REQUIRED:

- 4.2.1 Use the table provided in the ANSWER BOOK to calculate the final totals of the Cash Journals on 31 July 2022. (10)
- 4.2.2 Calculate the correct bank balance in the ledger on 31 July 2022. (4)
- 4.2.3 Prepare the Bank Reconciliation Statement on 31 July 2022. (8)

INFORMATION:

- **A.** On 1 July 2022, the Bank Account in the ledger reflected a favourable balance of R53 800.
- **B.** The Bank Reconciliation Statement prepared on 30 June 2022 showed the following outstanding deposits and EFTs:

•	Deposit dated 15 June 2022	R19 500
•	Deposit dated 29 June 2022	R12 800
•	EFT 297	R9 600
•	EFT 298	R12 300

NOTE:

- (i) The deposit on 15 June 2022 appeared on the July Bank Statement as R15 500. An investigation revealed that the cashier at that time has resigned. The outstanding amount must be written off.
- (ii) EFT 297 was correctly reflected as R6 900 on the July Bank Statement.
- (iii) The other outstanding amounts from the previous month appeared on the July Bank Statement.



C. Before receiving the July 2022 Bank Statement, the Cash Journals reflected the following provisional totals:

CASH RECEIPTS JOURNAL	CASH PAYMENTS JOURNAL
R101 200	R135 215

- **D.** The following items on the July Bank Statement must still be recorded:
 - A debit card payment of R1 400 for petrol for the business vehicle. Themba neglected to submit the transaction document to the bookkeeper.
 - (ii) The direct deposit received from debtor D Singwane, R5 800, in settlement of his account of R6 000.
 - (iii) A debit order to Palm Insurers for the business insurance, R1 800.
 - (iv) A direct deposit of R72 000 from Unitech College. This is an error on the statement as it does not apply to Surprise Stores. The bank was notified of this error.
 - (v) Total bank charges, R825
 - (vi) Interest earned on savings account, R260
- E. Entries in the Cash Journals after 26 July 2022:
 - Deposit on 29 July 2022
 R29 500
 - EFT 350 to PN Stationers, dated 28 July 2022 R 4 200
 - EFT 351 to PF Couriers, dated 30 July 2022 R 3 800
- **F.** Bank Statement balance on 31 July 2022: R?

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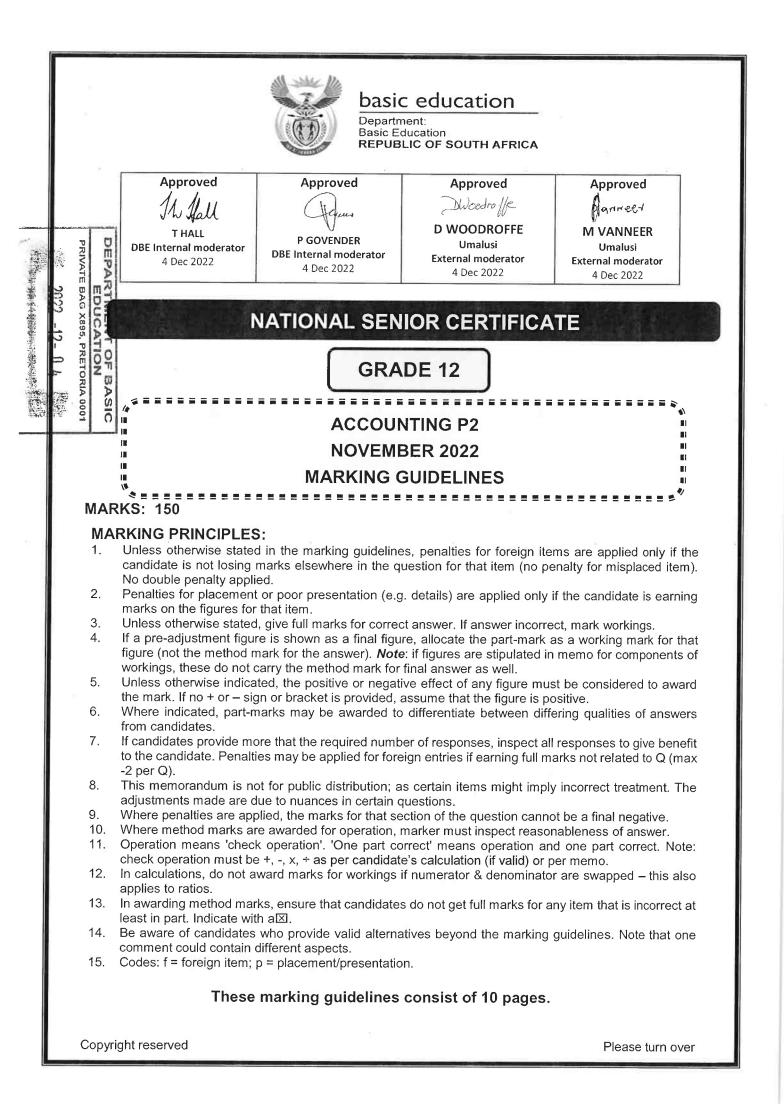
TOTAL: 150



GRADE 12 ACCOUNTING FINANCIAL INDICATOR FORMULA SHEET				
<u>Gross profit</u> x <u>100</u>	<u>Gross profit</u> x <u>100</u>			
Sales 1	Cost of sales 1			
<u>Net profit before tax</u> x <u>100</u>	<u>Net profit after tax</u> x <u>100</u>			
Sales 1	Sales 1			
Operating expenses x 100	Operating profit x <u>100</u>			
Sales 1	Sales 1			
Total assets : Total liabilities	Current assets : Current liabilities			
(Current assets – Inventories) : Current liabilities Non-current liabilities : Shareholders' equity				
(Trade & other receivables + Cash & cash equivalents) : Current liabilities				
<u>Average trading stock</u> x <u>365</u>	<u>Cost of sales</u>			
Cost of sales 1	Average trading stock			
<u>Average debtors</u> x <u>365</u>	<u>Average creditors</u> x <u>365</u>			
Credit sales 1	Cost of sales 1			
<u>Net income after tax</u> x <u>100</u> Average shareholders' equity 1	<u>Net income after tax</u> x <u>100</u> Number of issued shares 1 (*See note below)			
Net income before tax + Interest on loans x 100 Average shareholders' equity + Average non-current liabilities 1				
<u>Shareholders' equity</u> x <u>100</u>	<u>Dividends for the year</u> x <u>100</u>			
Number of issued shares 1	Number of issued shares 1			
<u>Interim dividends</u> x <u>100</u>	<u>Final dividends</u> x <u>100</u>			
Number of issued shares 1	Number of issued shares 1			
<u>Dividends per share</u> x <u>100</u>	Dividends for the year x 100			
Earnings per share 1	Net income after tax 1			
Total fixe – Selling price per unit				
NOTE:				

In this case, if there is a change in the number of issued shares durin weighted-average number of shares is used in practice.





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QUESTION 1

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1.1.1	C	\checkmark	180	rent expense for office	
1.1.2	A	\checkmark		carriage on raw material	
1.1.3	E	\checkmark		commission to sales staff	
1.1.4	В	\checkmark		salary of factory foreman	

1.2 WEZA STITCHES

1.2.1

WORKINGS	ANSWER
$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	491 648 🗹 one part correct mark earned in workings

Calculate: Factory ove	erhead cost		
Total before correction	ons	541 600	
Insurance	- 32 500 + 19 500 or 32 500 x 40%	- 13 000	√ 🗹 *
Water and electricity	$-54\ 000\ \checkmark\ +63\ 000\ \checkmark\ (126\ 000\ \times\ 2/4)$	+ 9 000	⊠*
TOTAL	one part correct; must include 541 600	537 600	
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WORKINGS			ANSWER
652 800 ✓	+ 491 648 ☑ see 1.2.1 (DLC)	+ 537 600 ☑ see 1.2.1 (FOHC)	R1 682 048 🗹

1.2.2 Annie is concerned that fixed costs increased to R806 400. Explain why she should not be concerned. Provide TWO points. Quote figures.

TWO points \checkmark \checkmark with comparative figures \checkmark \checkmark The first two points must mention / imply economies of scale and may be combined for two valid points, with different comparative figures quoted.

- <u>Economies of scale was achieved</u> due to an increase in production by 1 150 units / from 5 250 to 6 400 / 21,9%
- Fixed costs <u>per unit</u> decreased by R25 / from R151 to R126 / by 16,6% (as fixed costs remain relatively stable / not influenced by the level of production)
- Total fixed cost increased by R13 650 / from R792 750 to R806 400 / by 1,7% which is below the inflation rate.

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1.2.3 Comment on whether the production staff deserves the production bonus that they received. Provide THREE points, with figures.

THREE points \checkmark \checkmark \checkmark with figures (comparison) \checkmark Clear motivation for staff deserving the bonus; be alert to valid comments on why they do not deserve the bonus. Note that more than one point may be combined in a single statement e.g. Production and BEP

Award marks accordingly. Production increased from 5 250 to 6 400 units / by 1 150 units / by 21,9% POINT

- BEP decreased from 6 954 to 6 156 / by 798 units / by 11,5%
- The business made a profit on 244 units (or R31 964) compared to a loss on 1 704 units (or R194 256) last year.
- Direct material cost per unit decreased from R128 to R102 /by • R26 / by 20,3%; an indication of good control / less wastage / POINT efficiency in production / better training 2
 - Direct labour cost per unit decreased from R95,00 to R76,82 / by R18,18 / by 19,1% (see 1.2.1 DLC); an indication that it is being well managed; meeting targets during normal time.
- Overtime was limited to only 230 hours / 12,5% of normal time / 11,1% of POINT total hours spent in production (small proportion of time spent in production / saving the company on overtime rates)
 - Decrease in total variable costs from R251 per unit to R244 / by R7.00 / 2.8%

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1.2.4

Annie wants to improve her profit by R50 000 during the next financial year while maintaining costs. Calculate the additional units that must be produced to achieve this target.

WORKINGS	ANSWER
$\frac{50\ 000\ \checkmark^{*}}{375\ \checkmark - 244\ \checkmark}$ 131 two marks	382 units ☑ one part correct; if mark earned in workings
Numerator and denominator must be marked as such * one mark for 50 000 only (as a stand-alone figure) i.e. any adjustments (+; -; x) to this figure would make the numerator incorrect. A mark must not be awarded, if negative amount (e.g. – 244) used as denominator, lose mark on final answer	accept 381,7 units

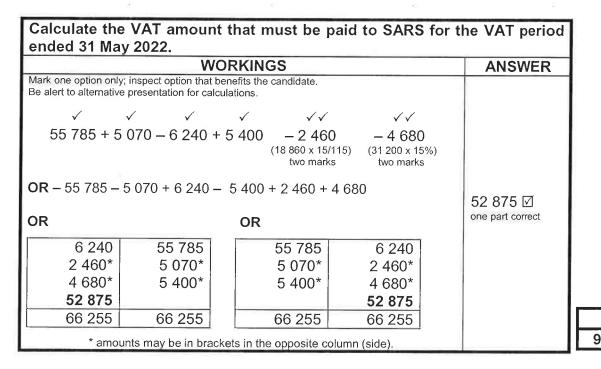
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QUESTION 2

2.1 VAT



2.2 STOCK VALUATION

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2.2.1 Calculate the value of the closing stock on 28 February 2022, using the specific identification stock method.

MODEL	WORKINGS	ANSWER
KING		R666 000
PALO	(62 + 250 - 2) 310 one mark – 245 one mark 65 √ ☑ x R5 200 √	R338 000 ☑ one part correct*
GAMA	(9 600 x 100/160) two marks 18 ✓ x R6 000 ✓ ✓	R108 000 ☑ one part correct*
	TOTAL	R1 112 000 🗹 one part correct; must include 666 000

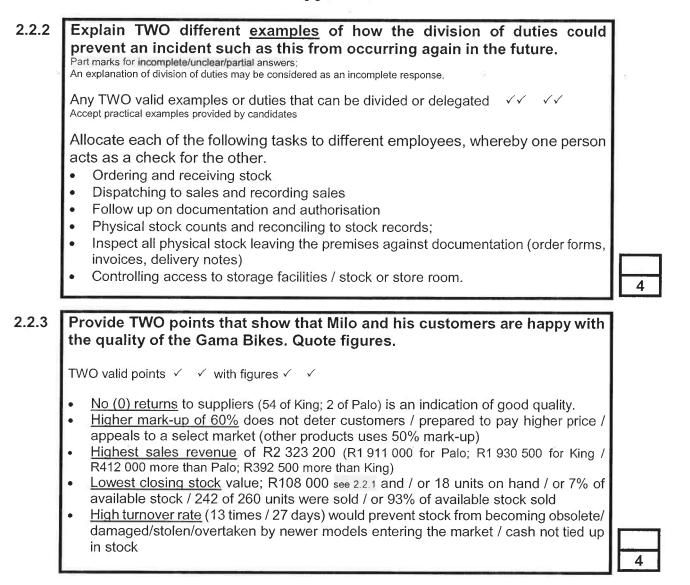
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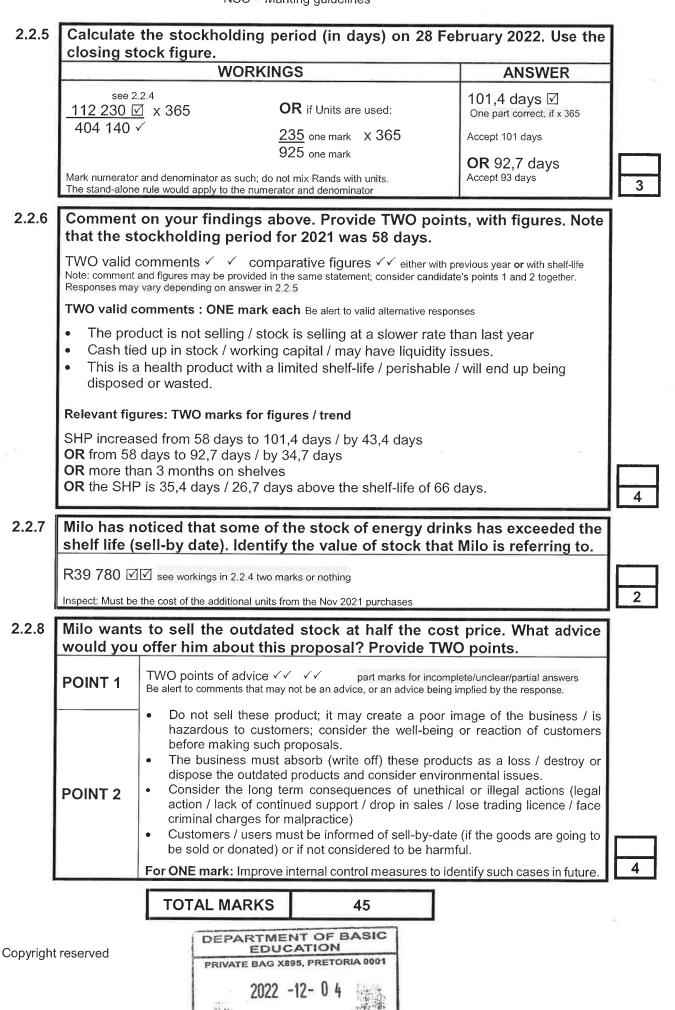
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POWDERED ENERGY DRINKS (1 kg TUBS)

180 – 30 150*√		
	R72 450 three marks (71 250 two marks + 1 200 one mark) 150 x 475 150 x 8	R112 230 ☑
85⊠ x R468 ✓ 235 – figure used*	R39 780 two marks (39 100 one m.mark + 680 one m.mark) 85 x 460 85 x 8	one part correct; if mark is earned in workings for stock value
OR: R71 250 + R39 100 + two marks one mark Be alert to alternative presentations for	two marks	



QUESTION 3

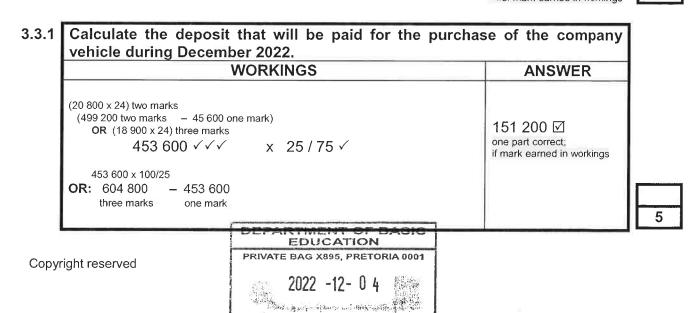
3.1 Creditors' Payment Schedule for December 2022

	CREDIT PURCHASES	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
October	300 900	60 180	Superfluous entry: Lose method on total
November	331 500	251 940	66 300 √√
December	222 700 √√	lf x 80% x 95%	169 252 IV four marks if credit purchases not shown
If cash purchases of 39 330 used (English only)	222 670 two marks 222 870 two marks		169 229 two marks 169 381 two marks
		312 120	235 552 ☑ one part correct

3.2 Calculate the missing figures (i) to (iii) in the Cash Budget.

NO.	WORKINGS	ANSWER
(i)	Collection from debtors: December 2022 643 500 x 70% OR 193 050 x 70/30	450 450 √ √ (2)
(ii)	Rent income: December 2022 (15 000 / 60m) R250 one mark \times 75m one mark 15 000 \checkmark + 18 750 \checkmark \checkmark Be alert to alternative calculations, such as: OR 15 000 one mark + (15 000 \times 75/60) two marks OR 15 000 one mark + (15 000 \times 125%) two marks OR 15 000 one mark + (15 000 + 3 750) two marks OR 15 000 one mark \times 225% two marks OR R250 one mark \times 135m two marks	33 750 ⊠ one part correct* (4)
(iii)	Salaries: November 2022 (55 595 - 14 840) two marks two marks one mark 40 755 √√ x 100/104,5 √ OR 40 755 - 1 755	39 000 ☑ one part correct* (4)

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3.3.2 Juanita is concerned about the cash position for December 2022. She proposes moving the purchase of the vehicle to January 2023. Use the table below to show the effect of this proposal to the December 2022 Cash Budget. Ignore brackets, lose method mark on final total Budgeted deficit on 31 December 2022 $(120\ 000)$ **Deposit on vehicle** 151 200 \checkmark see 3.3.1 Monthly instalment \checkmark (18 900 + 1 900) one mark 20 800 Fuel for company vehicle 7 500 \checkmark Insurance 3 200 $\sqrt{\sqrt{}}$ Cash deficit/surplus after the proposed move 62 700 $\overline{\mathbf{N}}$ one part correct Must include (120 000) 6 3.4 Juanita is concerned about her decisions in October 2022 to adjust the mark-up % and the amount actually spent on advertising. Provide TWO points to indicate whether these were wise decisions or not. Quote figures and/or calculations. ONE point on sales or gross profit ✓ figure/s ✓ ONE point on advertising ✓ figure/s ✓ The reduction in mark-up % led to: Sales of 4 390 units more than budgeted / from 7 080 units to 11 470 units / by 62%. OR sales exceeded the budget by R247 446 (from POINT R584 100 to R831 546 or 42,4%) 1 Gross profit is more than budgeted by R27 966 or 12,2% (from R230 100 to R258 066) / cost of sales was more than budgeted as expected, due to more sales (by R219 480) Underspent on advertising by R12 000 (40 000 – 28 000) or by 30% was POINT not significant as it did not affect sales negatively / budgeted figure was 6,8% of sales, but actual amount used was 3,4% of sales. 2 It could be argued that sales could have been higher if more was spent on advertising. Explain why Juanita should be concerned about the actual amount spent on repairs 3.5.1 and maintenance during October 2022. Quote a figure or a calculation.

Figure (comparison) ✓

Underspent on maintenance by R22 000 / spent only R8 000 of the R30 000 budget / 26,6% of the budget was used / 73,3% of budget was not used.

Explanation for concern ✓ accept short statements

This could affect the long-run productivity of the assets / neglecting maintenance may cause disruptions to operations / cash savings in the short-run may cause fixed assets to break down or deteriorate, leading to greater expenses in the future.

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	e calculations. Be alert to issue of language / terminology
	 Explanation (comparison with sales) ✓✓ Figures ✓✓ comparison of percentages or unit cost award ONE mark if only comparative figures (variances) are used.
EXPLANATION ON DELIVERY EXPENSES	 The delivery costs were well maintained; service provider was able to operate more efficiently in spite of increased sales: Delivery expenses is 22,4% more than budgeted, but units sold is more than budgeted by 62% / sales is 42,4% more than budgeted Delivery cost per unit is R3,74 compared to the R4,95 budgeted. Budgeted for 6% of sales actual was 5,2% of sales
	THREE mark option: comparison with sales quoting variances: Delivery expenses is over the budget by R7 850, but sales is more than budgeted by 4 390 units / by R247 446
	ONE mark option: no comparison with sales but variances mentioned: Delivery expenses is over the budget by R7 850.
	Explanation (comparison with sales) ✓✓ Figures ✓✓ comparison of percentages or unit cost award ONE mark if only comparative figures (variances) are used.
EXPLANATION ON PACKING MATERIAL	 Packing material was efficiently managed / in line with the budget: Packing material is 62% more than budgeted and units sold is also 62% more than budgeted / sales is 42,4% more than budgeted / cost of sales is also 62% more than budgeted. Unit cost of packing material was maintained at R3,30. Budgeted for 4% of sales actual was 4,6% of sales
	THREE mark option: comparison with sales quoting variances: Packing material is over the budget by R14 486, but sales is more than budgeted by 4 390 units / by R247 446
	ONE mark option: no comparison with sales but variances mentioned: Packing material is over the budget by R14 486.
	o use social media to create an on-line shopping platform to increase her uary 2023. Name THREE <u>additional</u> payments that must be included in the udget.
Any THREE valid	d different examples of payments $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$ example, including existing payments that may have to be adjusted because of this venture.
	ossible examples. Be alert to examples not mentioned on this list Establishment of a call centre / telephone lines Additional couriers services / transport and carriage costs
	Additional delivery vehicles
2	Computer, computer hardware, file server Generator / inverter / UPS / solar panels Increased salaries / for drivers, assistants, IT technician, staff Packaging costs / packing material

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Data costs, fibre installations, internet cost Software construction costs, website design

Staff training

Additional advertising

IT maintenance

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QUESTION 4

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4.2.1

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4.1.2	False √			
4.1.3	False ✓	accept T / F		3

4.2 **BANK RECONCILIATION**

CASH RE	CEIPTS JOURNAL	CASH PA	YMENT JOURNAL
Amount			Amount
Total	101 200	Total	135 215
	2 700 🗸		4 000 🗸
	5 800 🗸		1 400 🗸
	260 🗸		1 800 🗸
			825 √
	109 960	both totals must include provisional totals	143 240

-1 (max -1) foreign / superfluous items (only if mark/s are earned elsewhere for the same figure) In awarding the method mark for totals, ensure that the candidate do not get full marks for including any incorrect

figure/s. Indicate with a ⊠ (Principle 13)

4.2.2

2	Calculate the correct bank balance in the ledger on 31 July 2	022.	
	WORKINGS	ANSWER	
	(- 33 280 two method marks) 53 800 ✓ + 109 960 ☑ - 143 240 ☑ see CRJ see CPJ 53 800 c/d 20 520	20 520 ☑ one part correct,	

Be alert to journal totals reflected as workings to calculate the bank balance (if 4.2.1 was not answered)

4.2.3	BANK RECONCILIATION STATEMENT ON 31 JULY 2022					
		Alternative	DEBIT	CREDIT		
	Balance per <u>Bank Statement</u>	71 020 balancing figure	Do not accept random amounts from prev. recon or R53 800.	71 020 ☑☑ balancing figure, could be DR		
	Outstanding deposit (30 July)	29 500		29 500 ✓		
	Outstanding EFT No. 350	(4 200)	4 200 ✓			
	No. 351	(3 800)	3 800 ✓			
	Correction: Unitech College	(72 000)	72 000 √√			
	Balance as per <u>Bank Account</u>	20 520	20 520 ☑ could be CR			
	 -1 Presentation (inappropriate / no details provided -1 foreign items / superfluous items, (only if mark/s elsewhere for the same figure) max -1 		100 520	100 520		

Candidates are expected to indicate DR and CR columns

If DR and CR is not indicated,

Award the marks if candidate has swapped the columns for all entries (inspect balances); Otherwise, assume that the first column is Debit

TOTAL MARKS 25



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