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for the guidance of teachers

0452 ACCOUNTING

0452/23

Paper 2, maximum raw mark 120

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1 (a) The cash book is a book of prime (original) entry because it is written up from business documents. (1) The cash book is part of the double entry system as it acts as ledger accounts for cash and bank. (1)

Stewart Hanson Cash Book

Date	Details			Discount allowed	Cash	Bank	Date	Details		Discount received	Cash	Bank
2012				\$	\$	\$	2012			\$	\$	\$
Jan 1	Balances	b/d			100	1942	Jan 3	Paul Yim	(1)	12		398
28	Sales		(1)		1970		8	Office equipment	(1)			1795
30	Cash	С	(1)			2020	13	Drawings	(1)			250
							20	Sue West (dis.				
								cheque)	(1)			115
							30	Bank c	(1)		2020	
							31	Balances c/d			50	1404
2012	Delever	la /al			2070	3962				12	2070	3962
Feb 1	Balances	b/d			50 (1)OF	1404 (1)OF						

+ (1) dates

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- (c) (i) Between 8 and 29 January the payments from the bank exceeded the money in the bank account. [2]
 - (ii) Purchase of equipment could possibly have been delayed until later in the month. [2]
- (d) The personal motor expenses have been treated as drawings and not as a business expense. [2]
- (e) Journal

	Debit \$	Credit \$	
Bad debts Sue West Amount owed by Sue West written off as a bad debt	115	115	(1) (1) (1)

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(f)

	Account debited		Account credited	
Bank		(1)	Bad debts recovered	(1)

OR

Account debited		Account credited	
Sue West } Bank }	(1)	Bad debts recovered } Sue West }	(1)

(g) Reduce credit sales/sell on a cash basis
 Obtain references from new credit customers
 Fix a credit limit for each customer
 Improve credit control
 Issue invoices and monthly statements promptly
 Refuse further supplies until outstanding balance is paid

Any 2 points (1) each

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2 (a) To assist in the location of errors
 To provide instant totals of trade receivables and trade payables
 To prove the arithmetical accuracy of the sales and purchases ledgers
 To enable a balance sheet to be prepared quickly
 To provide a summary of transactions relating to trade receivables and trade payables
 To provide an internal check on sales and purchases ledgers – may reduce fraud

Any 2 points (1) each

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(b) The purchases ledger control account acts as a check on the purchases ledger. If there is an error in the purchases ledger it will not be revealed by a control account prepared from the individual accounts in the ledger. [2]

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2012	4	Deleves h/d	\$		2012	Deleves h/d	\$	(4) for
April	1	Balance b/d	38		April1	Balance b/d	4 260	(1) for both
								balances
2	30	Purchases returns	243	(1)	30	Purchases	6 680	(1)
		Bank	3 705	• •	00	Interest charged	11	(1)
		Discount received	95	(1)		Balance c/d	22	(1)
		Contra entry	320	(1)				. ,
		Balance c/d	<u>6 572</u>	(1)				
			<u>10 973</u>				<u>10 973</u>	
2012					2012			
May	1	Balance b/d	22	(1)	May 1	Balance b/d	6 572	(1)OF
+ (1)	date	es						[12]

(d) Overpayment to supplier

Payment made without deducting cash discount Goods returned to supplier after payment of balance due Payment made in advance to supplier

Any 2 points (1) each

(e) A contra entry is one which appears on the debit of the purchases ledger control account and the credit of the sales ledger control account. (1)
 This entry is made when a sales ledger account is set off against an a purchases ledger account of the same person/business. (1)

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3	(a)		Income Sta	Mark I tement for the	Mutanda year ende		January			
		Rent rec Decrease (154 Less Ins Wag Rate Loar	from clients eived (2 600 – 20 e in provision for 6 4 – 136) urance (5 630 – 2 ges and salaries (3 es n interest (900 + 3 ce expenses (17 1	doubtful debts 2 320) 33 000 + 3 200) 800)) 36 5 1	\$ 310 200 200 200 963	(2) (1) (2)	\$ 82 100 (1 2 400 (2 <u>18</u> (2 84 518)	
		Dep Dep	reciation – Office (1 900 + 600 (1) - reciation – Fixture (10% \times 5250) the year	equipment - 2 100 (1))		400 525		<u>63 798</u> 20 720 (1)OF	[18]
	(b)		Office expenses (drawings) Cash (drawings) Balance c/d		Mutanda account 2011 Feb 1 2012 Jan 31 2012	Bal Pro	ance b/d ıfit	\$ 200 000 20 720 <u>220 720</u>	. ,	
		+ (1) dat	es		Feb 1	Bal	ance b/d	204 506	(1)OF	[6]
	(c)	20 72 200 000	20 (1)OF + 20 000 (1) × 100 1	0 	=					[3]
	(d)		ws the profit earn er the percentage						. (1)	[2]
	(e)	•	rofit for the year apital employed							
		Any 1 po	oint (2)							[2]

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(a)	The accord was form	umulated fund represents the ned.	e surpluses (less any	deficits) the club	has made	e since [2
(b)			vari Sports Club	ad 21 Marah 201	0	
		Calculation of Corrected Sur	plus for the year end \$		Ζ	
	Original	surplus	Ŷ	17 400		
	•	irance prepaid		300	(1)	
	Exp	enditure overcast		100	(1)	
		analistica of convincent	1 400 (4)	17 800		
		preciation of equipment k charges	1 400 (1) 150 (1)			
		scriptions prepaid	<u>600</u> (1)	<u>2 150</u>		
		d surplus	<u> </u>	15 650	(1)OF	[
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		oints (2) each				I
(d)			vari Sports Club neet at 31 March 2012	n		
		Balance Sr	s	∠ \$	\$	
	Non-curi	ent assets	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ	
	Premise	s at cost			70 000	
	Sports e	quipment at valuation			<u>11 600</u>	(1)
	O				81 600	(1)
	Current a Shop inv			8 500		
		tions owing		1 500 (1)		
		ceivables		300 (1)		
	Petty cas	sh		<u>200</u> (1)		
	•			10 500 (1)OF		
	Current		4 200 (4)			
	Trade pa	erdraft (1 400 + 150)	4 300 (1) 1 550 (1)			
		tions prepaid	<u>600</u> (1)	<u>6 450</u> (1)OF		
		ent assets	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	4 050	
					85 650	
		rent liabilities			40.000	
	Loan (re	payable 1 January 2015)			<u>10 000</u> 75 650	(1)
	Finance	d by			<u>75 050</u>	
		ated fund				
		balance			60 000	
	Plus Sur	plus for the year			<u>15 650</u>	(1)OF
					<u>75 650</u>	га
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- 5 (a) The cost of inventory is the actual purchase price of the goods (1) plus any additional costs incurred in bringing the goods to their present position and condition. (1) [2]
 - (b) The net realisable value is the estimated receipts from selling the goods (1) less any costs of completing the goods or costs of selling. (1)
 [2]
 - (c) This ensures that the profit is not overstated (1) This ensures that the inventory is not overstated (1)

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(d)
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Γ			overstated	understated	no effect
	(ii)	profit for the year ended 31 December 2012		√ (2)	
	(iii)	credit balance on capital account on 1 January 2013		√ (2)	

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(e) Cost of sales = $80\% \times 87\ 000 = 69\ 600\ (1)$

Average inventory = $\frac{6\,000 + 7\,400}{2}$ = 6700 (1)

Rate of turnover =
$$\frac{69\,600}{6\,700}$$
 = 10.39 times (1)

(f) Lower inventory levels More sales activity

(g) The business should be selling similar goods The business should be of a similar size

Or other acceptable point

Any 1 point (1)

- (h) To assess the liquidity position To calculate the payment period for trade payables To determine the period of credit to be allowed
 - To determine the credit limit
 - To identify future prospects

Any 2 reasons (1) each

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To a	ssess the ability of the business to continue operation	ating	
Any	1 point (1)		[1]
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Any	1 point (1)		[1]
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