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MARK SCHEME for the June 2005 question paper

0452 ACCOUNTING

0452/03 Paper 3, maximum raw mark 100

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	Maximum mark available	Minimum mark required for grade:			
		A	C	E	F
Component 3	100	71	44	N/A	N/A

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C.
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 The threshold (minimum mark) for G is set as many marks below F threshold as the E threshold is above it.

Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.



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SYLLABUS/COMPONENT: 0452/03

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Question 1

(a)

		Current Accounts			
		James	Susan	James	Susan
		\$	\$	\$	\$
2004				2004	
May 1	Balance b/d	400		May 1	Balance b/d
2005				2005	
Apl 30	Drawings	6 000	10 000(1)	Apl 30	Interest on capital
	Interest on drawings	300	500(1)		Partner's salary
	Balance c/d		3 350(1)		Share of profit
					Balance c/d
		<u>6 700</u>	<u>13 850</u>		<u>1 400(1)</u>
					<u>6 700</u>
2005				2005	
May 1	Balance b/d	1 400		May 1	Balance b/d
		(1)O/F			
					3 350
					(1)O/F

The marks for interest on capital, profit shares, drawings, and interest on drawings are for both figures

Alternatively allow two separate "T" accounts

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Alternative presentation

		James Current Account			
		Debit	Credit	Balance	
		\$	\$	\$	
2004					
May 1	Balance	400		400	Dr
2005					
Apl 30	Drawings	6 000		6 400	Dr
	Interest on drawings	300		6 700	Dr
	Interest on capital		1 050	5 650	Dr
	Share of profit		4 250	1 400	Dr (2)C/F (1)O/F
		Susan Current Account			
		Debit	Credit	Balance	
		\$	\$	\$	
2004					
May 1	Balance		2 000	2 000	Cr
2005					
Apl 30	Drawings	10 000		8 000	Dr
	Interest on drawings	500		8 500	Dr
	Interest on capital		600	7 900	Dr
	Partner's salary		7 000 (1)	900	Dr
	Share of profit		4 250	3 350	Cr (2)C/F (1)O/F
Drawings		(1) for both figures			
Interest on drawings		(1) for both figures			
Interest on capital		(1) for both figures			
Profit shares		(1) for both figures			

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(b)

		Capital Accounts							
		James	Susan	Anna			James	Susan	Anna
		\$	\$	\$			\$	\$	\$
2005					2005				
May 1	Goodwill	8 000 (1)	2 000 (1)	2 000 (1)	May 1	Balance b/d	35 000 (1)	20 000 (1)	
	Balance c/d	33 000 (1)	24 000 (1)	24 000 (1)		Bank			26 000 (1)
						Goodwill	6 000 (1)	6 000 (1)	
		<u>41 000</u>	<u>26 000</u>	<u>26 000</u>			<u>41 000</u>	<u>26 000</u>	<u>26 000</u>
					2005				
					May 2	Balance b/d	33 000	24 000	24 000
							(1)O/F	(1)O/F	(1)O/F

Alternatively allow three separate "T" accounts

[14]**Total [23]****Alternative presentation**

		James Capital Account		
		Debit	Credit	Balance
		\$	\$	\$
2005				
May 1	Balance		35 000 (1)	35 000 Cr
	Goodwill		6 000 (1)	41 000 Cr
	Goodwill	8 000 (1)		33 000 Cr
				(2)C/F
				(1)O/F

		Susan Capital Account		
		Debit	Credit	Balance
		\$	\$	\$
2005				
May 1	Balance		20 000 (1)	20 000 Cr
	Goodwill		6 000 (1)	26 000 Cr
	Goodwill	2 000 (1)		24 000 Cr
				(2)C/F
				(1)O/F

		Anna Capital Account		
		Debit	Credit	Balance
		\$	\$	\$
2005				
May 1	Bank		26 000 (1)	26 000 Cr
	Goodwill	2 000 (1)		24 000 Cr
				(2)C/F
				(1)O/F

[14]**Total [23]**

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Question 2

- (a) To ensure no transactions are forgotten/overlooked (not relying on human memory)
To enable profit to be calculated
To enable the financial position of the business to be ascertained
Or other suitable point

Any 2 items (1) each [2]

- (b) The accounting records of a business are maintained from the viewpoint of the business.
The business and the owner of the business are regarded as being separate entities.
The personal transactions of the owner of the business are not recorded in the accounting records of the business.

Any 2 items (1) each [2]

- (c) Jane Joda
Trading Account for the year ended 31 March 2005

	\$		\$		\$
Sales - Credit			10 900	(1)O/F	
Cash			6 600	(1)	17 500
Less Cost of sales					
Opening stock	9 500	(1)			
Purchases	22 000	(1)	31 500		
Less Closing stock			17 500	(1)	14 000 (1)
Gross Profit					3 500 (2)C/F
					(1)O/F

Horizontal format acceptable [8]

- (d) (i) Comparison with the results of other businesses (1) of a similar size/type (1) [2]

- (ii) Improve profitability
Increase sales (in total or of certain products)
Review stock levels
Direct investment into new areas

Or other suitable point

Any one point required –

(1) for basic point

(1) for suitable development

[2]

- (iii) **Any two of the following –**

Information must be -

capable of being independently verified

free from bias

free from significant errors

prepared with suitable caution being applied to any judgements and estimates which are necessary

Any two items (2) each [4]

Total [20]

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Question 3

(a) (i) 1 Current ratio

$$\$22\,000 : \$14\,500 \quad (1) = 1.52 : 1 \quad (1)$$

2 Quick ratio

$$(\$22\,000 - 12\,000) : \$14\,500 \quad (1) = 0.69 : 1 \quad (1) \quad [4]$$

(ii) Quick ratio [1]

Stock is not regarded as a liquid asset – a buyer has to be found and then the money collected. Some stock may prove to be unsaleable.

The quick ratio shows whether the business would have any surplus liquid funds if all the current liabilities were paid immediately from the liquid assets.

Any one reason (2) marks [2]

(b) Return on capital employed (using closing capital figure)

$$\frac{\$4950}{\$52500} \times \frac{100}{1} \quad (1) = 9.43\% \quad (1) \quad [2]$$

(c) (i) Collection period for debtors

$$\frac{\$9500}{\$69300} \times \frac{365}{1} \quad (1) = 50.04 \text{ days (51 days)} \quad (1) \quad [2]$$

(ii) 1 Not satisfied – if (c)(i) is more than 30 days
Or – satisfied if (c)(i) is less than 30 days [1]

2 Debtors are allowed 30 days credit but on average are taking 51 days
Or suitable explanation based on O/F answer to (c)(i). [1]

(d) (i) Payment period for creditors

$$\frac{\$6300}{\$47600} \times \frac{365}{1} \quad (1) = 48.31 \text{ days (49 days)} \quad (1) \quad [2]$$

(ii) Advantage of paying creditors before due date –

May be able to take advantage of cash discounts
Improves the relationship with suppliers

Or other suitable comment

One advantage required (1) [1]

(iii) Disadvantage of paying creditors before due date –

The business is deprived of the use of the money earlier than necessary

Or other suitable comment

One disadvantage required (1) [1]

Total [17]

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Question 4

- (a) (i) The Income and Expenditure Account is equivalent to a Profit and Loss Account of a trading organisation. (1) It is used to calculate the annual surplus or deficit. (1)
Or other suitable points [2]

- (ii) The accumulated fund is equivalent to the capital of a trading organisation, the difference between the assets and the liabilities. (1) The annual surpluses (less any deficits) accumulate within a non-trading organisation to form the accumulated fund. (1)
[2]

(b)

Siltones Music Society					
Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31 March 2005					
2004		\$	2005		\$
Apl 1	Balance	2 210 (1)	Mar 31	Concert expenses	1 250 (1)
2005				Rent	1 820 (1)
Mar 31	Subscriptions	5 800 (1)		General expenses	215 (1)
	Concert receipts	1 900 (1)		Insurance	325 (1)
	Proceeds of sale of instruments	700 (1)		Purchase of new instruments	3 350 (1)
				Balance c/d	3 650
		<u>10 610</u>			<u>10 610</u>
2005					
Apl 1	Balance b/d	3 650 (1)O/F			

[10]**(c)**

Siltones Music Society					
Subscriptions account					
2004		\$	2005		\$
Apl 1	Balance b/d	1000 (1)	Mar 31	Bank	5800 (1)
2005					
Mar 31	Balance c/d	800 (1)			
	Income and Expenditure	(1) 4000 (1)			
		<u>5800</u>			<u>5800</u>
			2005		
			Apl 1	Balance b/d	800 (1)

Dates (1)**[7]**

Alternative presentation

Siltones Music Society					
Subscriptions account					
		Debit		Credit	Balance
		\$		\$	\$
2004					
Apl 1	Balance	1000 (1)			1000 Dr
2005					
Mar 31	Bank			5800 (1)	4800 Cr
	Income and Expenditure	(1) 4000 (1)			800 Cr (2)

Dates (1)**[7]****Total [21]**

