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Annotations

Annotation	Meaning
	Unclear
	Benefit of Doubt
	Cross
	Own Figure Rule
	Repeat
	Noted but no credit given
	Tick

Subject-specific Marking Instructions

Every working box – whether it contains working or not – must be stamped as ‘seen’.

Blank answer spaces

To be sure you have not missed any candidate responses you must check every page of the question paper and annotate any blank answer spaces with the following annotation:



Additional Objects

You must also check any additional pages (shown as Additional Objects) which the candidate has chosen to use.

Before you begin marking, use the Linking Tool, to ‘link’ any additional page(s) to the relevant question(s) and mark the response as normal.

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Quality of Written Communication

The rubric states:

** In these two questions/sub questions, you will be assessed on the quality of your written communication. In one of these questions, the focus will be on your ability to present numerical information legibly and in an appropriate accounting format. In the other, you will be assessed on the legibility and style of writing, the clarity and coherence of your arguments and the accuracy of your spelling, punctuation and grammar.*

4% of the paper marks are available for rewarding *Quality of Written Communication*.

Levels of Response for *Numerical Questions*

Level	Mark	Description
2	2	Almost all account headings, terms and balances are included appropriately and in line with accounting conventions. Figures are legible with effective use made of columns and sub-totals. Accounts are ruled off as appropriate.
1	1	Some account headings, terms and balances are included, though not always adhered to accounting conventions. Most figures are legible. Some appropriate use is made of columns and sub-totals. Some accounts are ruled off as appropriate.
-	0	Responses which fail to achieve the standard required for Level 1.

Levels of Response for *Narrative Questions*

Level	Mark	Description
2	2	Ideas, some complex, are expressed clearly and quite fluently, using an appropriate style of writing. Arguments made are generally relevant and are constructed in a logical and coherent manner. There are few errors of spelling, punctuation and grammar, and those that are made are not intrusive and do not obscure meaning.
1	1	Relatively straightforward or simple ideas are expressed in a generally appropriate style of writing which sometimes lacks clarity or fluency. Arguments have some limited coherence and structure, occasionally showing relevance to the main focus of the question. There are errors of spelling, punctuation and grammar which are noticeable and sometimes intrusive but do not totally obscure meaning.
-	0	Responses which fail to achieve the standard required for Level 1.

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	(b) (i)	<p>The directors of Roy plc may require extra finance and believe that the company would be attractive to investors.</p> <p>Shareholders would be willing to pay above the nominal value because they expect a good return on the investment.</p> <p>If the market value of its shares is expected to increase then investors will hope to be able to resell the shares for more than the premium price.</p>	4	Maximum 4 marks (1 for point plus 1 for development) x 2
	(ii)*	<p>It reduces/dilutes the value of each share for Roy plc, making shares more marketable on the stock market.</p> <p>Shareholders do not have to find the cash to pay for their new shares because the company will use the capital reserve for the issue of shares.</p> <p>Shareholders may prefer a cash dividend and decide to sell the shares which could reduce the market value of the shares of Roy plc.</p> <p>Making a bonus issue helps maintain the company's cash balances because the cash outflow on dividends will not take place.</p> <p>Bonus shares can be issued from the company's share premium account without reducing the company's revenue reserves.</p>	10	<p>Maximum 6 marks (for either Roy plc or shareholders) (1 for point plus 2 for development)</p> <p>One mark per correct identification/point up to a maximum of five identifications/points plus up to an additional two marks for each of five developments. Maximum ten marks, plus two marks for QWC.</p>
		QWC	2	
		Total	39	

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2	<p>Pang Ltd <u>Schedule of Fixed Assets for the year ended 31 December 2012</u></p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 35%;"></th> <th style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">Land and buildings</th> <th style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">Motor vehicles</th> <th style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">Equipment</th> <th style="width: 20%;"></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Cost as at 1 January</td> <td style="text-align: right;">400,000</td> <td style="text-align: right;">220,000</td> <td style="text-align: right;">110,000</td> <td>(1) for line</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Additions</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">20,000</td> <td style="text-align: right;">10,000</td> <td>(1) (1)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Disposals</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">(30,000)</td> <td></td> <td>(1)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Revaluations</td> <td style="text-align: right;">80,000</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>(2)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Cost as at 31 December</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">480,000</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">210,000</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">120,000</td> <td>(1) for line</td> </tr> <tr> <td> </td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total depreciation as at 1 January</td> <td style="text-align: right;">50,000</td> <td style="text-align: right;">95,000</td> <td style="text-align: right;">35,000</td> <td>(1) for line</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Profit and loss</td> <td style="text-align: right;">6,000</td> <td style="text-align: right;">25,720</td> <td style="text-align: right;">10,700</td> <td>(2) (2)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Disposals</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">(9,480)</td> <td></td> <td>(2)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total depreciation as at 31 December</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">56,000</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">111,240</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">45,700</td> <td>(1) for line</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Net book value as at 31 December</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">424,000</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">98,760</td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">74,300</td> <td>(1) for line</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Land and buildings	Motor vehicles	Equipment		Cost as at 1 January	400,000	220,000	110,000	(1) for line	Additions		20,000	10,000	(1) (1)	Disposals		(30,000)		(1)	Revaluations	80,000			(2)	Cost as at 31 December	480,000	210,000	120,000	(1) for line	 					Total depreciation as at 1 January	50,000	95,000	35,000	(1) for line	Profit and loss	6,000	25,720	10,700	(2) (2)	Disposals		(9,480)		(2)	Total depreciation as at 31 December	56,000	111,240	45,700	(1) for line	Net book value as at 31 December	424,000	98,760	74,300	(1) for line	18	
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3	(a)	(i)	<u>Ordinary Share Capital</u> Bal c/d 625,000 (1)		Bal b/d 400,000 (1) Bank (1) 100,000 (1) Share premium (1) 125,000 (1) <u>625,000</u>	6	Allow 1 mark if narrative cash is given			
		(ii)	<u>Share Premium</u> Ordinary share capital (1) 125,000 (1) Bal c/d 225,000 (1) <u>350 000</u>					Bal b/d 200,000 (1) Bank (1) 150,000 (1) <u>350 000</u>	6	Allow 1 mark if narrative cash is given
		(iii)	<u>Loan</u> Bal c/d 500,000 (1) <u>500,000</u>							

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(b)	<p>This is a key profitability ratio for Mann plc and it shows how much profit the company has earned for every pound of capital employed by Mann plc.</p> <p>A low return on capital employed is always a problem because there is the possibility of Mann plc becoming loss-making if trading conditions deteriorate.</p> <p>Comparison of the return on capital employed of a company with similar companies in the same sector is a far better measure of how Mann plc is performing than a comparison with the market as a whole.</p> <p>Mann plc can compare past results and profits over a period of time and identify if there is an upward or downward trend in profitability.</p> <p>Mann plc can compare with forecasts which have been prepared and the return on capital employed of a company should always be compared with the current cost of borrowing from a banks.</p>	8	<p>Maximum 8 marks (1 for point plus 2 for development)</p> <p>One mark for each correct identification/ point up to a maximum of four identifications/points, plus up to a further two marks for each of four points. Maximum eight marks.</p>
	Total	23	

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