



# Applaa ACCA Practice Mock 73

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# Section 1: Practice Questions

## Question 1 — [Financial Accounting / Double-Entry Bookkeeping]

For the year ended 31 December, Crown Paper Ltd paid rent of £28,800. At the year-end, the company had an outstanding electricity invoice of £2,400 which has not yet been paid. What are the adjusting entries required at the year-end to record this accrual?

- A: Debit Accruals £2,400, Credit Electricity Expense £2,400
- B: Debit Electricity Expense £2,400, Credit Accruals (Liabilities) £2,400
- C: Debit Cash £2,400, Credit Electricity Expense £2,400
- D: Debit Electricity Expense £2,400, Credit Prepayments (Assets) £2,400

## Question 2 — [Financial Accounting / Asset Valuation and Depreciation]

An entity purchased a machine on 1 January Year 1 for £82,500. The residual value of the machine is estimated to be £8,250 with an estimated useful life of 12 years. The entity uses the straight-line method of depreciation. What is the carrying value (net book value) of the machine on 31 December Year 2?

- A: £76,313
- B: £70,126
- C: £61,876
- D: £68,063

## Question 3 — [Financial Accounting / Double-Entry Bookkeeping]

For the year ended 31 December, Zephyr Services LLP paid rent of £2,400. At the year-end, the company had an outstanding electricity invoice of £200 which has not yet been paid. What are the adjusting entries required at the year-end to record this accrual?

- A: Debit Accruals £200, Credit Electricity Expense £200
- B: Debit Electricity Expense £200, Credit Accruals (Liabilities) £200
- C: Debit Cash £200, Credit Electricity Expense £200
- D: Debit Electricity Expense £200, Credit Prepayments (Assets) £200

## Question 4 — [Financial Accounting / Trial Balance Reconciliation]

The trial balance of Meridian Distributors Ltd balanced perfectly. However, it was later discovered that a purchase of equipment costing £16,500 was entered into the repairs and maintenance account. What type of error has occurred?

- A: Error of Omission
- B: Error of Commission
- C: Error of Principle
- D: Error of Reversal

**Question 5 — [Financial Accounting / Asset Valuation and Depreciation]**

Pinnacle Consulting Ltd disposed of a delivery vehicle for £8,640. The vehicle had originally cost £14,400 and had accumulated depreciation of £7,200 at the date of disposal. What is the gain or loss on disposal to be recorded in profit or loss?

- A: Gain on disposal of £1,440
- B: Loss on disposal of £1,440
- C: Gain on disposal of £-5,760
- D: Loss on disposal of £7,200

**Question 6 — [Financial Accounting / VAT Computations]**

Swift Logistics Ltd purchased a motor car for £165,000 inclusive of VAT, for use by a director. The car is used 60% for business travel and 40% for private travel. What is the input VAT recovery rule regarding this vehicle?

- A: Input VAT can be recovered in full (100%).
- B: Input VAT can be recovered at 60% representing the business use portion.
- C: No input VAT can be recovered because input VAT is generally blocked on passenger motor cars unless used exclusively for business (0% recovery).
- D: Input VAT can be recovered in full if the car is leased rather than purchased.

**Question 7 — [Financial Accounting / VAT Computations]**

A grocery distributor, Nova Tech Solutions Ltd, recorded net sales of £112,000 for standard-rate products (20% VAT) and £56,000 for zero-rated food products. What is the total output VAT generated on these sales?

- A: £22,400
- B: £33,600
- C: £11,200
- D: £0 (all food products are exempt from output VAT)

**Question 8 — [Financial Accounting / Trial Balance Reconciliation]**

Before correcting the year-end errors, the draft profit of Titan Steel plc was £120,000. An error was discovered: Closing inventory was overstated by £11,000. What is the revised profit after correcting this error?

- A: £131,000
- B: £109,000
- C: £120,000 (no effect on profit)
- D: £98,000

**Question 9 — [Financial Accounting / VAT Computations]**

For the last quarter, Falcon Engineering Ltd had net credit sales of £96,000 (excluding VAT). Gross purchases inclusive of 20% VAT were £57,600. What is the net VAT amount payable to (or reclaimable from) the tax authority?

- A: £9,600 Payable
- B: £9,600 Reclaimable
- C: £19,200 Payable
- D: £7,680 Payable

**Question 10 — [Financial Accounting / Double-Entry Bookkeeping]**

The sole trader of Summit Manufacturing Ltd took goods costing £1,200 from the business for personal use. These goods had a selling price of £1,800. What is the correct double entry to record this transaction?

- A: Debit Drawings £1,200, Credit Purchases £1,200
- B: Debit Drawings £1,800, Credit Revenue £1,800
- C: Debit Purchases £1,200, Credit Drawings £1,200
- D: Debit Inventory £1,200, Credit Drawings £1,200

**Question 11 — [Financial Accounting / VAT Computations]**

A retail store, Omega Foodstuffs plc, purchased inventories for a gross total of £18,000 inclusive of standard-rate VAT at 20%. What are the net purchase cost and the input VAT amount recoverable by Omega Foodstuffs plc?

- A: Net Cost: £15,000, VAT Recoverable: £3,000
- B: Net Cost: £18,000, VAT Recoverable: £3,600
- C: Net Cost: £14,400, VAT Recoverable: £3,600
- D: Net Cost: £15,000, VAT Recoverable: £0 (VAT is non-recoverable on inventories)

**Question 12 — [Financial Accounting / Trial Balance Reconciliation]**

Before correcting the year-end errors, the draft profit of Atlas Transport Ltd was £120,000. An error was discovered: Closing inventory was overstated by £2,400. What is the revised profit after correcting this error?

- A: £122,400
- B: £117,600
- C: £120,000 (no effect on profit)
- D: £115,200

**Question 13 — [Financial Accounting / Asset Valuation and Depreciation]**

Zephyr Services LLP disposed of a delivery vehicle for £120,000. The vehicle had originally cost £200,000 and had accumulated depreciation of £100,000 at the date of disposal. What is the gain or loss on disposal to be recorded in profit or loss?

- A: Gain on disposal of £20,000
- B: Loss on disposal of £20,000
- C: Gain on disposal of £-80,000
- D: Loss on disposal of £100,000

**Question 14 — [Financial Accounting / Double-Entry Bookkeeping]**

The sole trader of Nova Tech Solutions Ltd took goods costing £1,200 from the business for personal use. These goods had a selling price of £1,800. What is the correct double entry to record this transaction?

- A: Debit Drawings £1,200, Credit Purchases £1,200
- B: Debit Drawings £1,800, Credit Revenue £1,800
- C: Debit Purchases £1,200, Credit Drawings £1,200
- D: Debit Inventory £1,200, Credit Drawings £1,200

**Question 15 — [Financial Accounting / Trial Balance Reconciliation]**

A suspense account was opened with a debit balance of £7,200. It was discovered that a cash receipt of £7,200 from a credit customer was credited to the cash account and credited to Receivables Control. What is the correcting journal entry to clear the suspense account?

- A: Debit Cash £14,400, Credit Suspense Account £14,400
- B: Debit Receivables Control £7,200, Credit Suspense £7,200
- C: Debit Suspense £14,400, Credit Cash £14,400
- D: Debit Cash £7,200, Credit Receivables Control £7,200

**Question 16 — [Financial Accounting / VAT Computations]**

A grocery distributor, Solar Energy plc, recorded net sales of £100,000 for standard-rate products (20% VAT) and £50,000 for zero-rated food products. What is the total output VAT generated on these sales?

- A: £20,000
- B: £30,000
- C: £10,000
- D: £0 (all food products are exempt from output VAT)

**Question 17 — [Financial Accounting / Trial Balance Reconciliation]**

The trial balance of Aura Goods Ltd balanced perfectly. However, it was later discovered that a purchase of equipment costing £22,000 was entered into the repairs and maintenance account. What type of error has occurred?

- A: Error of Omission
- B: Error of Commission
- C: Error of Principle
- D: Error of Reversal

**Question 18 — [Financial Accounting / Asset Valuation and Depreciation]**

Atlas Transport Ltd disposed of a delivery vehicle for £60,000. The vehicle had originally cost £100,000 and had accumulated depreciation of £50,000 at the date of disposal. What is the gain or loss on disposal to be recorded in profit or loss?

- A: Gain on disposal of £10,000
- B: Loss on disposal of £10,000
- C: Gain on disposal of £-40,000
- D: Loss on disposal of £50,000

**Question 19 — [Financial Accounting / Double-Entry Bookkeeping]**

For the year ended 31 December, Titan Steel plc paid rent of £54,000. At the year-end, the company had an outstanding electricity invoice of £4,500 which has not yet been paid. What are the adjusting entries required at the year-end to record this accrual?

- A: Debit Accruals £4,500, Credit Electricity Expense £4,500
- B: Debit Electricity Expense £4,500, Credit Accruals (Liabilities) £4,500
- C: Debit Cash £4,500, Credit Electricity Expense £4,500
- D: Debit Electricity Expense £4,500, Credit Prepayments (Assets) £4,500

**Question 20 — [Financial Accounting / Asset Valuation and Depreciation]**

Solar Energy plc disposed of a delivery vehicle for £20,160. The vehicle had originally cost £33,600 and had accumulated depreciation of £16,800 at the date of disposal. What is the gain or loss on disposal to be recorded in profit or loss?

- A: Gain on disposal of £3,360
- B: Loss on disposal of £3,360
- C: Gain on disposal of £-13,440
- D: Loss on disposal of £16,800

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