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本练习册包含两个题库和三套模拟考卷。第一个题库的格式是纸质试卷的试题,而第二个题库则看起来像是机考试题。为了确保练习题能够覆盖大纲的所有部分,题库根据课本的章节标题分为不同部分。这一点也有助于你发现并专注于自己的不足。三套模拟考卷为你提供额外的练习。



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As ACCA's **sole Platinum Approved Learning Partner – content**, BPP Learning Media gives you the **unique opportunity** to use **examiner-reviewed** revision materials for exams from December 2011 to December 2012. By incorporating the examiner's comments and suggestions regarding syllabus coverage, the BPP Learning Media Practice and Revision Kit provides excellent, **ACCA-approved** support for your revision.

Selecting questions

We provide signposts to help you plan your revision.

- A full question index
- A topic index listing all the questions that cover key topics, so that you can locate the questions
 that provide practice on these topics, and see the different ways in which they might be tested

Attempting mock exams

There are two mock exams that provide practice at coping with the pressures of the exam day. We strongly recommend that you attempt them under exam conditions. **Mock exams 1** is the Pilot paper. **Mock exam 2** reflects the question styles and syllabus coverage of the exam.



Using your BPP Practice and Revision Kit

Aim of this Practice and Revision Kit

To provide the practice to help you succeed in both the paper based and computer based examinations for FAB *Accountant in Business*.

To pass the examination you need a thorough understanding in all areas covered by the syllabus and teaching guide.

Recommended approach

- Make sure you are able to answer questions on everything specified by the syllabus and teaching guide. You cannot make any assumptions about what questions may come up on your paper.
 The examiners aim to discourage 'question spotting'.
- Learning is an active process. Use the DO YOU KNOW? Checklists to test your knowledge and
 understanding of the topics covered in FAB Accountant in Business by filling in the blank spaces.
 Then check your answers against the DID YOU KNOW? Checklists. Do not attempt any questions
 if you are unable to fill in any of the blanks go back to your BPP Interactive Text and revise
 first.
- When you are revising a topic, think about the mistakes that you know that you should avoid by writing down POSSIBLE PITFALLS at the end of each DO YOU KNOW? Checklist.
- Once you have completed the checklists successfully, you should attempt the questions on that topic. Each question is worth 2 marks and carries with it a time allocation of 2.4 minutes.
- Once you have completed all of the questions in the body of this Practice & Revision Kit, you should attempt the MOCK EXAMS under examination conditions. Check your answers against our answers to find out how well you did.



Passing the FAB exam

FAB introduces students (who may not have a business background) to the business entity made up of people and systems which interact with each other. There is a lot to learn, but none of it is particularly difficult and a good grasp of these topics will help you in higher-level business papers (ACCA papers P1 and P3).

For conversion arrangements from CAT to FIA and to access CAT and FIA syllabuses, visit the ACCA website.

http://www2.accaglobal.com

The exam

You can take this exam as a paper-based exam or by CBE. All questions in the exam are compulsory. This means you cannot avoid any topic, but also means that you do not need to waste time in the exam deciding which questions to attempt. There are fifty MCQs in the paper-based exam and a mixture of MCQs and other types of OTQ (number entry, multiple response and multiple response matching) in the CBE. This means that the examiner is able to test most of the syllabus at each sitting, and that is what he aims to do. So you need to have revised right across the syllabus for this exam.

Revision

This kit has been reviewed by the FAB examiner and contains the Pilot paper, so if you just worked through it to the end you would be very well prepared for the exam. It is important to tackle questions under exam conditions. Allow yourself just the number of minutes shown next to the questions in the index and don't look at the answers until you have finished. Then correct your answer and go back to the Interactive Text for any topic you are really having trouble with. Try the same question again a week later – you will be surprised how much better you are getting. Doing the questions like this will really show you what you know, and will make the exam experience less worrying.

Doing the exam

If you have honestly done your revision you can pass this exam. There are certain points which you must bear in mind:

- Read the question properly.
- Don't spend more than the allotted time on each question. If you are having trouble with a
 question leave it and carry on. You can come back to it at the end.

Approach to examining the syllabus

FAB is a two-hour paper. It can be taken as a paper based or a computer based examination.

The exam is structured as follows:

50 compulsory multiple choice questions of 2 marks each

No of marks



The Computer Based Examination

Computer based examinations (CBEs) are available for the first seven FIA papers (not papers FAU, FTM or FFM), in addition to the conventional paper based examination.

Computer based examinations must be taken at an ACCA CBE Licensed Centre.

How does CBE work?

- Questions are displayed on a monitor
- Candidates enter their answer directly onto the computer
- Candidates have two hours to complete the examination
- When the candidate has completed their examination, the final percentage score is calculated and displayed on screen
- Candidates are provided with a Provisional Result Notification showing their results before leaving the examination room
- The CBE Licensed Centre uploads the results to the ACCA (as proof of the candidate's performance) within 72 hours
- Candidates can check their exam status on the ACCA website by logging into myACCA.

Benefits

- Flexibility as a CBE can be sat at any time.
- Resits can also be taken at any time and there is no restriction on the number of times a
 candidate can sit a CBE.
- Instant feedback as the computer displays the results at the end of the CBE.
- Results are notified to ACCA within 72 hours.

CBE question types

- Multiple choice choose one answer from four options
- Number entry key in a numerical response to a question
- Multiple response select more than one response by clicking the appropriate tick boxes
- Multiple response matching select a response to a number of related part questions by choosing one option from a number of drop down menus

See the ACCA website for further information on computer based exams.

http://www.accaglobal.com



Tackling Multiple Choice Questions

MCQs are part of all FIA exams. They form the paper based exams and may appear in the CBE.

The MCQs in your exam contain four possible answers. You have to **choose the option that best answers the question**. The three incorrect options are called distracters. There is a skill in answering MCQs quickly and correctly. By practising MCQs you can develop this skill, giving you a better chance of passing the exam.

You may wish to follow the approach outlined below, or you may prefer to adapt it.

Step 1	Skim read all the MCQs and identify what appear to be the easier questions.
Step 2	Attempt each question – starting with the easier questions identified in Step 1. Read the question thoroughly . You may prefer to work out the answer before looking at the options, or you may prefer to look at the options at the beginning. Adopt the method that works best for you.
Step 3	Read the four options and see if one matches your own answer. Be careful with numerical questions as the distracters are designed to match answers that incorporate common errors. Check that your calculation is correct. Have you followed the requirement exactly? Have you included every stage of the calculation?

- **Step 4** You may find that none of the options matches your answer.
 - Re-read the question to ensure that you understand it and are answering the requirement
 - Eliminate any obviously wrong answers
 - Consider which of the remaining answers is the most likely to be correct and select the option
- Step 5 If you are still unsure make a note and continue to the next question

 Revisit unanswered questions. When you come back to a question after a break you often find you are able to answer it correctly straight away. If you are still unsure have a guess. You are not penalised for incorrect answers, so never leave a question unanswered!

After extensive practice and revision of MCQs, you may find that you recognise a question when you sit the exam. Be aware that the detail and/or requirement may be different. If the question seems familiar read the requirement and options carefully – do not assume that it is identical.



Using your BPP products

This Kit gives you the question practice and guidance you need in the exam. Our other products can also help you pass:

- Passcards provide you with clear topic summaries and exam tips
- i-Pass CDs are a vital revision tool for anyone taking FIA CBEs and offer tests of knowledge against the clock in an environment similar to that encountered in a computer based exam

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