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# KARACHI UNIVERSITY BUSINESS SCHOOL UNIVERSITY OF KARACHI FINAL EXAMINATION JUNE 2017; AFFILIATED COLLEGE MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING; BA (H)-562 (PART B) BBA - VI

Date: July 14, 2017 Max Time: 2 Hrs
Max Marks: 40

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Attempt any 4 questions. Do not write anything on the question paper.
- 2. Mobile phones or any other communicating device will not be allowed in the examination room. Students will have to remove the batteries of these devices before entering the examination hall.
- Q1 The controller for Waseem Machining has established the following overhead cost pools and cost drivers:

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Overhead Cost Pool	Overhead Cost	Cost Driver
Machine setups	Rs 240,000	Number of setups
Material handling	90,000	Units of raw material
Quality control inspection	48,000	Number of inspections
Other overhead costs	<u>160,000</u>	Machine hours
Total	Rs 538,000	

Budgeted Level

Overhead Cost Pool<br/>Machine setupsfor Cost Driver<br/>200 setupsOverhead Rate<br/>Rs 1,200 per setupMaterial handling<br/>Quality control60,000 units<br/>1,200 inspectionsRs 1.50 per unit<br/>Rs 40 per inspectionOther overhead20,000 machine hoursRs 8 per machine hour

Order no. 715 has the following production requirements:

Machine setups: 7

Raw material: 11,200 units

Inspections: 16 Machine hours: 850

#### Required:

- a) Compute the total overhead that should be assigned to order no. 715 by using activity-based costing.
- b) Suppose that Waseem were to use a single, predetermined overhead rate based on machine hours. Compute the rate per hour and the total overhead assigned to order no. 715.
- c) Discuss the merits of an activity-based costing system in comparison with a traditional costing system.
- Q2 Tahseen Company has the following historical collection pattern for its credit sales:

70% collected in month of sale

15% collected in the first month after sale

10% collected in the second month after sale

4% collected in the third month after sale

1% uncollectible

Budgeted credit sales for the last six months of the year follow.

 July
 Rs 30,000

 August
 35,000

 September
 40,000

 October
 45,000

 November
 50,000

 December
 42,500

# Required:

- a) Calculate the estimated total cash collections during October.
- b) Calculate the estimated total cash collections during the year's fourth quarter.

- Q3 Patel Enterprises is studying the addition of a new product that would have an expected selling price of Rs 160 and expected variable cost of Rs 100. Anticipated demand is 8,000 units. A new salesperson must be hired because the company's current sales force is working at capacity. Two compensation plans are under consideration:
  - Plan 1: An annual salary of Rs 32,000 plus 10% commission based on gross sales Rupees Plan 2: An annual salary of Rs 140,000 and no commission

## Required:

- a) What is meant by the term "operating leverage"?
- b) Calculate the contribution margin and net income of the two plans at 8,000 units.
- c) Compute the operating leverage factor of the two plans at 8,000 units. Which of the two plans is more highly leveraged? Why?
- Q4 SALAMAT Corporation has a machining capacity of 200,000 hours per year. Utilization of capacity is normally 75%; it has been as low as 40% and as high as 90%. An analysis of the accounting records revealed the following selected costs:

	At a 40% Utilization Rate	At a 90% Utilization Rate
Cost A:		
Total	Rs 440,000	Rs 440,000
Per hour	Rs 5.50	?
Cost B:		
Total	?	Rs 1,944,000
Per hour	Rs 10.80	Rs 10.80
Cost C:		
Total	Rs 680,000	Rs 1,330,000
Per hour	Rs 8.50	Rs 7.39

SALAMAT uses the high-low method to analyze cost behavior.

## Required:

- a) Classify each of the costs as being either variable, fixed, or semivariable.
- b) Calculate amounts for the two unknowns in the preceding table.
- c) Calculate the total amount that SALAMAT would expect at a 75% utilization rate for Cost A, Cost B, and Cost C.
- d) Develop an equation that SALAMAT can use to predict total cost for any level of hours within its range of operation.
- Q5 Sony Corporation produces a single product and has the following cost structure:

Number of units produced each year	4,000
Variable costs per unit:	
Direct materials	\$15
Direct labor	\$13
Variable manufacturing overhead	\$7
Variable selling and administrative expenses	\$5
Fixed costs per year:	
Fixed manufacturing overhead	\$328,000
Fixed selling and administrative expenses	\$324,000

#### Required:

- a. Compute the unit product cost under absorption costing. Show your work!
- b. Compute the unit product cost under variable costing. Show your work!

#### **END OF SUBJECTIVE PAPER**