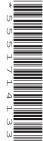




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You must answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are needed.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer all questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do not write on any bar codes.
- You may use a calculator.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

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1 A logistics company is transporting cars from an overseas agent in South Africa to a new taxi service business in Mauritius. The method of transport is shown in Fig. 1.1.

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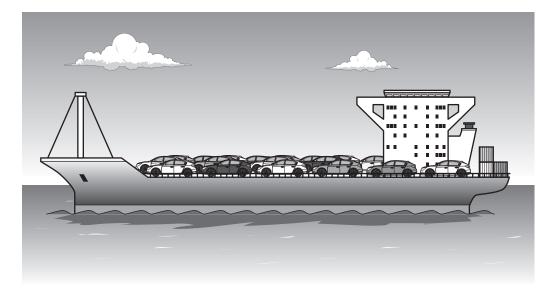


Fig. 1.1

Use Fig. 1.1 to help you answer the following questions.

(a)	(i)	Identify the method of sea transport used by the logistics company in Fig. 1.1.
		[1]
	(ii)	State one document used when transporting goods by ship.
		[1]
(b)	-	lain two location factors which would have been considered by this new taxi service iness.
	1	
	2	



(c) Circle the correct answer to complete each of the following sentences.

Transport is described as

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an aid to trade **OR** a direct service.

An example of a motor insurance risk is

contents insurance **OR** third-party insurance.

[2]

(d)	This taxi company purchased 20 car mats at \$25 each from a wholesaler. The wholesaler offered 10 per cent trade discount. Terms were full payment within 30 days, or 5 per cent discount if paid within 15 days. This taxi company paid the amount in full within a week.
	Calculate the amount received by the wholesaler.
	ro.

(e)	A manufacturer of cars	must decide which	channel of distrib	oution to use It	t has two or	ntions
١	c,	A manulacturer or cars	THUSE GCCIGG WITHOUT		Julion to use. It	t Has two of	puons

Option 1	: Sellina	directly	to its	customers	through	its website

O	otion	2:	Sellina	through	an	overseas	agent.

Discuss both options. Which option would you recommend? Give reasons for your answer.
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2	Fatima buys	her	groceries	from	а	supermarket	which	only	has	self-service	checkouts.	The
	supermarket	only	accepts pa	ıymen	ts	by debit card.						

(a)	State one advantage of self-service checkouts to customers.	
(b)	Explain one reason why supermarkets are important in the chain of distribution.	. [1]
(c)	State two benefits to a retailer of using electronic invoices. 1	
	2	
/ IN		[2]
(d)	Do you think customers prefer using debit cards rather than paying in cash? Give reason your answer.	

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(e)	for your answer.	increased use of credit by customers. Give reason

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3 MN is a multinational company that has set up its operations in the Middle East to import and sell mobile devices. Fig. 3.1 shows the percentage share of the annual advertising media expenditure for MN.

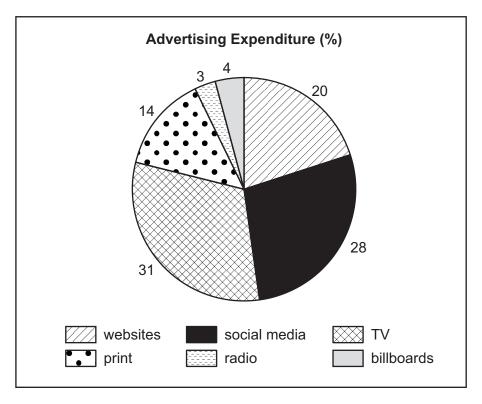


Fig. 3.1

Use Fig. 3.1 to help you answer the following questions.

(a)	(i)	Identify the advertising medium which received one-fifth of the advertising expenditure in the pie chart.
		[1]
	(ii)	Give two examples of print media.
		1
		2
		[2]
(b)		te two financial incentives that attract multinational companies to set up operations in a ntry.
	1	
	2	

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1		<i>N</i> is a cash and carry warehouse operated as a partnership by Javed and Farid. They have ny expenses, including insurance premiums.
	(a)	State one feature of a cash and carry warehouse.
		[1]
	(b)	CCW paid a \$6000 annual insurance premium last year. This year, CCW will be awarded a no claims discount of 20%.
		Calculate the premium that CCW will pay this year.
		[2]
	(c)	Javed and Farid are considering changing CCW's form of business organisation to a private limited company.

Do you think it would be better for CCW to operate as a private limited company? Give reasons for your answer.



(d) Javed and Farid want to improve CCW's net profit by 50% next year. They have two options:

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Option 1: increasing sales Option 2: reducing cost of sales. Discuss both options. Which option would you recommend? Give reasons for your answer

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5 Fig. 5.1 shows banking services used by a small manufacturer. The manufacturer is considering different sources of finance to buy equipment for recycling waste.

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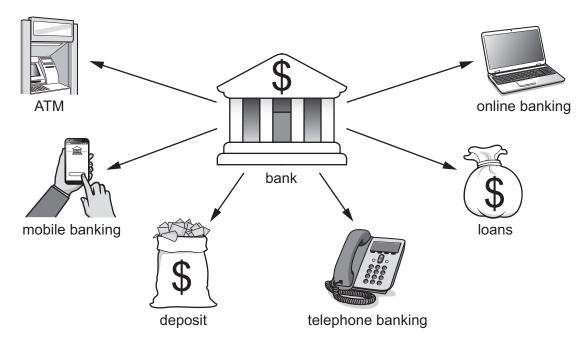


Fig. 5.1

(a) Identify the banking service in Fig. 5.1 that the manufacturer could use to:

	(i)	withdraw cash.	
			[1]
	(ii)	earn interest.	
			[1]
(b)		which sector of production are delivery services provided by a manufacturer to tomers?	its
			 [1]

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(c)	Explain two	benefits	of mobile	banking t	to a manı	ufacturer.

	1
	2
	[4]
(d)	Explain one difficulty for a manufacturer when recycling waste.
	[2]
(e)	This manufacturer is considering using retained profits to buy the recycling equipment. Discuss whether or not this is a suitable source of finance. Give reasons for your answer.
(e)	

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