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**COMPUTER APPLICATIONS TECHNOLOGY P2
(EXEMPLAR)**

MARKS: 150

TIME: 3 hours

This question paper consists of 17 pages.

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This question paper consists of:
SECTION A (25 marks)
SECTION B (75 marks)
SECTION C (50 marks)
2. Answer ALL the questions.
3. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
4. Start EACH question on a NEW page.
5. Do NOT write in the right-hand margin of the ANSWER BOOK.
6. Leave a line after EACH sub-question.
7. In general, one mark is allocated per fact. A 2-mark question would therefore require TWO facts, etc.
8. All answers MUST be related to Computer Applications Technology.
9. Answers such as 'cheaper', 'slower'/'faster' and 'easier' will ONLY be accepted if it is used together with a reason or an explanation.
10. Do not use branch names in answers, unless specifically required.
11. Write neatly and legibly.

SECTION A**QUESTION 1: MULTIPLE-CHOICE QUESTIONS**

Various options are provided as possible answers to the following questions. Choose the answer and write only the letter (A–D) next to the question numbers (1.1–1.10) in the ANSWER BOOK, for example 1.11 D.

- 1.1 A collection of unprocessed facts, figures and symbols, is known as ...
- A information.
 - B pre-processed facts.
 - C data.
 - D output. (1)
- 1.2 New technology makes it possible for the police and licence department to import people's fingerprints electronically into the system. This method is known as ... input.
- A biometric
 - B terminal
 - C digital
 - D optimal (1)
- 1.3 Plug and Play refers to ...
- A cellular communications technology.
 - B technology that makes the quick plugging in and using of peripherals very easy.
 - C a variety of computer games.
 - D the process of burning or playing CDs. (1)
- 1.4 Nowadays it is common practice to run an online diary or journal. This is known as ...
- A pharming.
 - B wikis.
 - C vlogging.
 - D blogging. (1)
- 1.5 The network in Peter's office building covers a small area. This type of network is known as a ...
- A WAN.
 - B GAN.
 - C PAN.
 - D LAN. (1)

- 1.6 The illegal sending of an e-mail message claiming to be from a bank, is known as ...
- A phishing.
 - B pharming.
 - C spyware.
 - D spamming. (1)
- 1.7 A recorded audio message stored on a website that can be downloaded to a digital device is known as a ...
- A web browser.
 - B podcast.
 - C website.
 - D ISP. (1)
- 1.8 The purchase of goods and services over the Internet (e.g. booking holiday accommodation) is known as ...
- A e-commerce.
 - B cyber business.
 - C EFT.
 - D downloading. (1)
- 1.9 What type of break must you insert to force a new page in a document?
- A Soft page break
 - B Section break
 - C Continuous break
 - D Hard page break (1)
- 1.10 Which one of the following is the best description of the 'Magnifier' accessibility option in Windows?
- A Sets up the High Contrast option to reduce eyestrain.
 - B Reads on-screen dialog boxes, menus and buttons aloud.
 - C Enlarges selected text and other on-screen viewing.
 - D Configures your computer system to meet your vision, hearing and mobility needs. (1)

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QUESTION 2: MATCHING ITEMS

Choose a term/concept from COLUMN B that matches a description in COLUMN A. Write only the letter (A–M) next to the question numbers (2.1–2.10) in the ANSWER BOOK, for example 2.11 N.

COLUMN A		COLUMN B	
2.1	The ratio between the width and height of a screen	A	ppm
2.2	The specification in which the brightness of a data projector is measured	B	ISO
2.3	A type of printer that can be used to make real, physical objects	C	design view
2.4	The specification in which the resolution of a printer is measured	D	QR-code
2.5	The specification in which the speed of a printer is measured	E	Lumens
2.6	A type of technology that mobile devices can make use of to determine the user’s geographical location (where they are)	F	datasheet view
2.7	A code that, when scanned, allows you to access a website without having to type in the URL	G	dpi
2.8	Software used to convert scanned images into editable text	H	aspect ratio
2.9	The setting on the camera for measuring the sensitivity to light	I	contrast ratio
2.10	The view in Access that displays the content of a table in rows and columns	J	OCR
		K	3D printer
		L	GPS
		M	laser printer

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QUESTION 3: TRUE/FALSE ITEM

Indicate whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. Write 'true' or 'false' next to the question number (3.1–3.5) in the ANSWER BOOK. Correct the statement if it is FALSE. Change the underlined word(s) to make the statement TRUE. (You may not simply use the word 'NOT' to change the statement. NO mark will be awarded if only FALSE is written down.)

EXAMPLES:

QUESTION	ANSWER
Facebook is an example of a social networking website.	True
A NIC has slots for hardware components such as the CPU.	False – motherboard

- 3.1 A hyperlink is a built-in connection to another related webpage or website, usually indicated as underlined text or graphic. (1)
- 3.2 A header is text that appears within the bottom margin of all pages in a document or file. (1)
- 3.3 Freeware usually stops working when the trial period has expired. (1)
- 3.4 A check box allows the user to choose only one from a given set of options. (1)
- 3.5 The interface is the way the different functions of a program are arranged and provides a way in which users can use programs to communicate with the computer. (1)

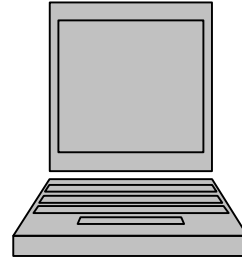
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SECTION B**QUESTION 4: SYSTEM TECHNOLOGIES**

Study the advertisement below before answering the questions that follow.

NOTEBOOK G74SX

- Core i5
- 17.3" full HD 1920 x 1080 LED display
- 8 GB DDR3 RAM
- 750 GB HDD + 160 GB SSD
- Integrated Intel HD3000 graphics
- Blu-ray writer
- Backlit keyboard
- Wireless LAN and Bluetooth
- Windows 10
- Microsoft Security Essentials



- 4.1 Give the specification in the advertisement that refers to the processor. (1)
- 4.2 The display is specified as a 17.3" full HD 1920 x 1080 LED display.
- 4.2.1 Which specification does 17.3" refer to? (1)
- 4.2.2 Name the specification that the numbers 1920 x 1080 refer to. (1)
- 4.2.3 What does *HD* stand for? (1)
- 4.3 Explain TWO functions of RAM in a computer. (2)
- 4.4 An operating system is mentioned in the advertisement.
- 4.4.1 Name the operating system mentioned in the advertisement. (1)
- 4.4.2 Name ONE open-source operating system that could be used on this computer. (1)
- 4.5 The advertisement specifies an HDD and an SSD (solid state drive).
- 4.5.1 What is the main advantage of a solid state drive when compared to other drives? (1)
- 4.5.2 What is the main function of the HDD? (1)

- 4.6 The specification 'Integrated Intel HD3000 graphics' appears in the advertisement.
What does the term *integrated* refer to? (1)
- 4.7 Backup utilities enable users to make copies of certain files but you can also archive your files.
Explain the term *archive*. (2)
- 4.8 The advertisement does not specifically mention input devices other than the built-in backlit keyboard on the notebook.
Name TWO input devices (other than the keyboard) that you would expect to be built into the notebook. (2)
- 4.9 Suggest a way in which a person who cannot use his or her hands, can create a document by themselves. In your answer, include the hardware and software needed. (2)
- 4.10 Losing data when working on a computer can cause much frustration.
- 4.10.1 Name the device that users can connect to their computers that will prevent the loss of data during a power failure. (1)
- 4.10.2 Discuss TWO other ways in which a user could ensure that data is not deleted or altered by mistake. (2)
- 4.11 A wide variety of application software is available on the internet.
- 4.11.1 Name the type or class of software used to access and view web pages on the internet.
Do NOT use specific examples or brand names in your answer. (1)
- 4.11.2 State TWO ways in which people can communicate person-to-person using (web) applications on the computer. (2)
- 4.11.3 Name the general term used to describe the illegal use and illegal distribution of software. (1)
- 4.11.4 Name the system application you should use to remove unwanted programs, rather than simply delete them. (1)

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QUESTION 5: INTERNET AND NETWORK TECHNOLOGIES

5.1 People are increasingly using networked computers for business, education, communication and entertainment.

5.1.1 Give a definition of a *network*. (2)

5.1.2 Give TWO reasons for setting up a network at a business. (2)

5.2 Name THREE hardware components needed to set up a network. (3)

5.3 What is the main difference between a *client computer (workstation)* and a *network server*? (2)

5.4 Name TWO services offered by an ISP. (2)

5.5 What is the *World Wide Web*? (2)

5.6 Users may become the victims of fraud as a result of their Internet access or e-mail usage.

State TWO ways in which banks protect users to ensure that transactions carried out over the internet are secure. (2)

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QUESTION 6: INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

6.1 Refer to a formal written report, such as your PAT, and explain the purpose of an:

6.1.1 Abstract (1)

6.1.2 Introduction (1)

6.2 When you did research for your PAT, you found some of the information on the topic appeared to be unsuitable.

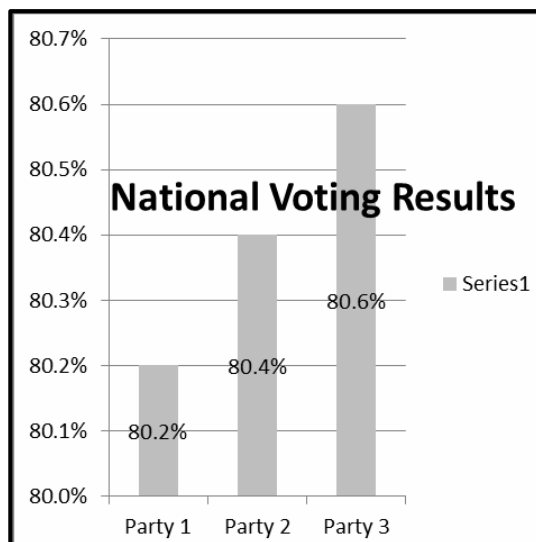
State TWO indications that some of the information found may not be accurate and cannot be used in your report. (2)

6.3 Closed questions have a set of answers to choose from.

6.3.1 Discuss ONE limitation of using closed questions in a questionnaire. (1)

6.3.2 Give TWO benefits for a researcher when closed questions are answered electronically. (2)

6.4 Study the graph below that shows the final outcome of a national election and answer the question that follows.



Give THREE reasons why it is difficult to interpret the graph.

(3)
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QUESTION 7: SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

7.1 Many cases of internet addiction are reported.

Name TWO activities users engage in on the internet that could lead to addiction. (2)

7.2 Name ONE way you could secure your laptop to your desk. (1)

7.3 Electricity is an expensive resource.

Name THREE ways in which you can save electricity when making use of electronic devices like laptops or computers. (3)

7.4 Social engineering has become a real threat to computer users today.

7.4.1 Briefly explain what *social engineering* is. (1)

7.4.2 Give TWO precautions you can take to prevent becoming a victim of a social engineering attack via e-mail. (2)

7.5 Spyware is becoming a huge problem for computer users.

What is the aim of spyware? (1)
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QUESTION 8: SOLUTION DEVELOPMENT

8.1 Some of the applications typically used in a small business are:

- Spreadsheet application
- Word processing application
- Database application
- E-mail software
- Web browser software

Choose TWO of the applications from the list above and state the use or function of each of these two applications in a small business. (2)

8.2 Study the spreadsheet below and answer the questions that follow.

	A	B
1	Prizes for the Questionnaire Project	
2		
3	Item	Value
4	7" Tablet	2500,50
5	Notebook Computer	3900,95
6	Digital Camera	8500,20
7	Total	0,00

8.2.1 Suggest a change to the formatting of **cells B4:B7** to automatically display the 'R' symbol for each value. (1)

8.2.2 The screenshot above shows a result of 0.00 in **cell B7** for a correct function that was entered as = **SUM(B4:B6)**.

How must the spreadsheet be changed to obtain the correct result from the function? (2)

8.2.3 Suggest ONE way in which the formatting can be changed to make it easier to read or interpret the spreadsheet. (1)

8.3 Briefly explain how to check whether there is enough space on a flash disk to save a file of 2 GB. (1)

8.4 You have seen that a word processing document can be saved as a text file or as a word processing file.

Give TWO differences between a text file (.txt) and a file saved as a word processing document (doc). (2)

8.5 You are working on a confidential document and would like to ensure that others, who have access to his computer, do not read it.

Briefly explain TWO ways how you could do this. (2)

8.6 You have set up a database of your regular customers. An extract from the customer table is shown below:

Account	Name	Address	Cellphone	email
13	Jerry Spoons	132 Main Road, Kinross	854123332	jspoon@mweb.co.za
14	Sibusiso Nkosi	14 Toulouse Drive, Evander	824157598	sbunkosi@telkom.net
12	Joos van der Mer	13 Geelsingel, Secunda	832147581	jvdmerwe@mweb.co.za
16	Belinda Webb	10 Smit Street, Braamfontei	835961789	belinda@worx.co.za
26	Peet Riet	13 Kilroy Lane, Rietspruit	821247895	sommerpeet@lantic.co.za

8.6.1 When the cellphone numbers are entered into the database table, the zero at the beginning simply disappears.

Explain the likely cause of this problem and suggest how it could be overcome. (2)

8.6.2 The entire address of each customer has been stored in one field. Give TWO reasons why this is not a desirable approach. (2)

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TOTAL SECTION B: 75

SECTION C: INTEGRATED SCENARIO**QUESTION 9**

Your school is hosting a computer fair in the school hall. The organiser has asked you to help with the exhibitions. All the computers will be linked in a network to the server at the information desk. Visitors will have an opportunity to interact with the equipment and to purchase items that are on sale.

- 9.1 The value of ICT in the workplace needs to be promoted at the fair.
- Give TWO general advantages of using computers in business, apart from their usefulness in communication. (2)
- 9.2 Various types of servers and portable computers will be on show.
- 9.2.1 Give TWO advantages of using a *proxy* server, apart from the general function of any server in a network. (2)
- 9.2.2 Give TWO disadvantages of portable computers over desktop machines, apart from any cost-related issues. (2)
- 9.3 The stands of the exhibitors need to be networked to each other, and also need to have an internet connection.
- 9.3.1 Give TWO advantages of connecting this network wirelessly rather than by using cables. (2)
- 9.3.2 A *hotspot* will be set up to provide internet connectivity.
- Explain what a *hotspot* is and name the wireless technology associated with a hotspot. (2)
- 9.4 It is important for exhibitors to install software on their computers to protect them against *malware*, especially as the computers will be networked.
- 9.4.1 Briefly explain how criminals trick people into installing a Trojan program on their computer. (2)
- 9.4.2 Give TWO disadvantages of a network, in the context of the fight against malware. (2)
- 9.4.3 After installing anti-malware software, one of the exhibitors found that several files on his hard drive had been *quarantined*.
- Briefly explain what '*quarantined*' means in this context. (2)
- 9.4.4 Give the general name for the type of software that will allow exhibitors to control which programs can access the internet. (1)

9.5 Various types of input devices will be on show at the fair.

Give ONE specific input device that will increase the efficiency and productivity of each of the following types of user:

9.5.1 Someone who has to convert a large number of hard copies to digital format. (1)

9.5.2 A digital artist (1)

9.6 Multifunction printers and other types of printers will be on show at one of the stands.

9.6.1 Give TWO reasons why a business might wish to purchase a *multifunction* printer. (2)

9.6.2 All new printers are supplied with a CD or DVD containing *driver* software.

Briefly explain the function of a driver. (2)

9.7 Several external hard drives will be on display, but no optical drives will be on display.

Give TWO reasons why CDs and DVDs are not used as much today as they used to be. (2)

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QUESTION 10

- 10.1 The organiser is testing a new office suite but the software still has bugs (errors) and often freezes on his computer.
- 10.1.1 Give the keystroke combination that he can use to close the non-responding application, without having to reboot the computer. (1)
- 10.1.2 Briefly explain the difference between a *patch* and a *service pack* in terms of the role (function) each one plays in keeping software updated. (2)
- 10.2 An exhibitor will be demonstrating video editing software to groups of people in sessions, with 10 to 15 people per session. He needs to obtain a number of large MPEG and AVI files, as well as a program file called VIDMaker.exe, from his friend Hans in Germany.
- 10.2.1 Give TWO reasons, with reference to the scenario, why Hans may decide NOT to send these files as *e-mail attachments*. (2)
- 10.2.2 Suggest TWO suitable output devices that the exhibitor could use to display the video clips to the groups of people, as a normal computer monitor will be too small. (2)
- 10.3 A barcode scanner will be installed at the exit for the purchasing process.
- Give TWO benefits of using a barcode scanner for data entry over using a keyboard. (2)
- 10.4 The organiser wonders whether visitors should be given a *printed document* with details of exhibits at the Fair, or whether they should make use of a *touch screen* computer at the information desk.
- 10.4.1 Give TWO potential benefits of using a touch screen as opposed to a printed document in this situation, besides the fact that paper will be saved. (2)
- 10.4.2 Give ONE print option that can be used to save paper, besides printing on both sides of the paper. (1)
- 10.4.3 Briefly explain what is meant by the term green computing and list TWO ways in which one can practice green computing, besides the fact that paper can be saved. (4)

- 10.5 Skype is a popular software package that uses VoIP technology.
 - 10.5.1 Explain in your own words what VoIP allows you to do. (2)
 - 10.5.2 Give THREE disadvantages of using VoIP software, besides the fact that an internet connection is needed. (3)
 - 10.5.3 Give TWO advantages of cloud computing, besides the fact that you can use the software wherever you have an internet connection. (2)
- 10.6 Give TWO features that are available in a database program like Access, that can help minimise (reduce) the number of data entry mistakes. (2)

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TOTAL SECTION C: 50
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