

## G.C.E.(Advancedlevel) support seminar 2013

Accounting I Time: 2 Hours

All Right Reseved

Prepared by: Under the direction of Ministry of Education Commerce and Business Studies Branch Instructions:-

## Answer all questions in Part 1 on the question paper itself

- 1. Qualitative characteristics of financial statements are
  - (1) Accrual, relevancy, reliability and impartiality.
  - (2) Relevancy, reliability, impartiality, and consistency
  - (3) Timeliness, Comparability, reliability, and consistency.
  - (4) Relevance, reliability, comparability, and understandability.
  - (5) Understandability, timeliness, relevance and comparability.
- 2. what is the correct equation that can be used for calculating total comprehensive Income?
  - (1) Closing equity + opening equity –dividends- increase in the stated capital.
  - (2) Closing equity opening equity+dinvidends- increase in the stated capital.
  - (3) Opening equity—closing equity—dinvidends+increase in the stated capital.
  - (4) Opening equity closing equity +dividends+ increase in the stated capital.
  - (5) Closing equity opening equity– dividends +increase in the stated capital.
- 3. The effects of transactions for the period of 02.01.2013 to 05.01.2013 have been given in the basic accounting equation as shown below'

Date	Assets (Rs)	Equity (Rs)	Liabilities (Rs)
Balance as at2013.01.01	500 000	<b>35</b> 0 000	150 000
2013.01.02Transaction 1	-75 000		
	60 000	-15 000	
2013.01.03Transaction2	-8 000	-12 000	4 000
2013.01.04Transaction3		9 000	-9 000
2013.01.05Transaction4	-18 000	2 000	-20 000

The transaction done on 2013.01.04 will not affect the income ststement. What would be the net profit or net loss & the equity at the end of the transactions done for the period from of 2013.01.02 to 2013.01.05

	Net Profit/ Loss generated	Equity (Rs)
(1)	-25 000	<b>33</b> 4 000
(2)	16 000	<b>33</b> 4 000
(3)	-25 000	464 000
(4)	-16 000	464 000
(5)	25 000	<b>325</b> 000

- 4. Accounts such as sales, return inwards, prereceived rent and cash at bank can be categorized respectively as
  - (1) As income, Assets, Liabilities, Liabilities.
  - (2) Assets, As income, As income, Liabilities .
  - (3) As income, Assets, Liabilities, Assets.
  - (4) As income, As income, Assets, Liabilities.
  - (5) As income, As income, Liabilities, Assets.

Use the following information to answer question number 5 and 6.

Jayamal who conducts a trading business purchased Rs 300 000worth goods subjected to a trade discount of 20%. Later, he was also given a cash discount of 10% when he paid cash.

- **5**. what is the value that should be shown in the purchases account?
  - (1) Rs 135 000
  - (2) Rs 216 000
  - (3) Rs 240 000
  - (4) Rs 260 000
  - (5) Rs 270 000
- **6.** What is the value which should be shown in the discounts account in relation to this transaction
  - (1) Rs 12 000
  - (2) Rs 24 000
  - (3) Rs 28 000
  - (4) Rs 30 000
  - (5) Rs 60 000
- 7. Jayantha sold a stock of goods to Susantha for credit. A part of this stock were returned to Jayantha since they did not in comply with the requirements of Susantha. Jayantha accepted the return. Susantha has given a cheque to Jayantha to settle trade credit. What is the answer which denotes the source documents respectively, which will be used to record these transactions in Jayantha'sbooks.
  - (1) Invoice, Creditnote and Receipt.
  - (2) Receipt, Creditnote and Counterfoil
  - (3) Invoice, Credit noteand Voucher.
  - (4) Invoice, DebitnoteandVoucher .
  - (5) Goods received note, Debitnote and Voucher.
- 8. Thefollowing details have been presented according to the petty cash book of the business of Vimukthi.

The policy of the business is to reimburse the expenditure of each month on the first date of the next month.

The balance of the petty cash book as at 01.03.2013 is Rs 450

Receipts of petty cash reimbursements as at 01.03.2013 is Rs 2550

	Travelling	Expenses for	Postage (Rs)	Miscellaneous-
	expenses (Rs)	stationary(Rs)	-	expenses (Rs)
March2013	420	560	250	1300
April2013	580	700	190	1375

Balance of the petty cash book as at 31.03.2013 and the amount of petty cash reimbursement on 01.05.2013 are depicted respectively in

	Balance of the petty cash book	Amount reimbursed
	as at 31.03.2013(Rs)	as at 01.05.2013 (Rs)
(1)	155	2 530
(2)	155	2 845
(3)	470	2 530
(4)	470	2 845
(5)	625	5 375

The following details should be taken into consideration in answering question numbers 9 & 10.

Details of a business which manufactures and market furniture have been given below for the final quarter which came to an end from 31.03.2013

	Rs
Purchase of timber	<b>225</b> 000
Electricity and power	<b>3</b> 0 000
Machinery (cost)	120 000
Carraige inwards of timber	40 000
Factory rent	18 000
As at 31.03.2013	<b>65</b> 000
Wages for carpenters	<b>3</b> 49 000

- Annual depreciation for machinery on cost is 10%
- 200 tables have been manufactured and 150 of them have been sold within the relevant time period.
- **9**. What is the conversion cost that should be included in the stock as at 31.03.2013?
  - (1) Rs 100 000
  - (2) Rs 200 000
  - (3) Rs 300 000
  - (4) Rs 400 000
  - (5) Rs 600 000
- **10.** What is the cost of the stock as at 31.03.2013?
  - (1) Rs 100 000
  - (2) Rs 150 000
  - (3) Rs 200 000
  - (4) Rs 300 000
  - (5) Rs 600 000
- 11. An enterprise purchased a machine for Rs 80 000 on 01.04.2008 and it is to be depreciated 10% annually. The useful life time of the machine was reviewed on 01.04.2011 and the life time of the machine as at 01.04.2011 was estimated as 4 years. Accordingly the depreciation for the year 2011/2012 would be
  - (1) Rs8 000.
  - (2) Rs 14 000.
  - (3) Rs 16 000.
  - (4) Rs 24 000.
  - (5) Rs **32** 000.
- **12.** "Lion" company purchased a machine from Japan for packing spices in packets and the expenses in relation to this purchase is given below.

	K	S
Purchase price of the machine	400	000
Tariff	22	000
Transport expenses - ship	<b>3</b> 6	000
- lorry	16	000
for installation	12	000
for maintenance/day	10	000

Rs 8 000 was incurred for reinstalling the machine as it had not been installed properly and the production loss (value of damaged goods) due to improper installation was Rs 25 000. Accordingly, the cost of the machine is

- (1) Rs 422 000.
- (2) Rs 434 000.
- (3) Rs 486 000.
- (4) Rs 492 000.
- (5) Rs 519 000.
- **13**. When comparing the balance of the creditors control account with the creditors list of balances, there was a difference between these balances. The following errors were disclosed at this point
  - Payments creditors has been over valued by Rs.4000 in the ledger
  - The balance of a creditor's personal account of Rs.1000 has been omitted from the creditors list of balances

Out of the following what would be the adjustment to rectify these errors

	Creditor control Account	Cash Account	Creditor's list
(1)	Debiting Rs 4 000	Crediting Rs 4 000	Adding Rs 1000
(2)	Crediting Rs 4 000	Debiting Rs 4 000	Deducting Rs 1000
(3)	Crediting Rs 4 000	Debiting Rs 4 000	Adding Rs 1000
(4)	Crediting Rs 4 000	Crediting Rs 4 000	Deducting Rs1000
(5)	Crediting Rs 4 000	Debiting Rs 4 000	No change

14. Kaniska started a firm on 01.01.2013 utilizing Rs 400 000 cash & a private building worth of Rs 200 000 During the final quarter which came to an end from 31.03.2013 She has taken Rs 5 000 from the business at each month for her personal use & also she has paid her income tax of Rs 8 000 for the quarter using cash of the business. She has invested Rs 40 000 in business activities out of Rs 50 000 She had won from a lottery draw The capital as at 31.03.2013 is Rs 675 000.

The net profit or net loss that was earned during the quarter ended 31.03.2013 would be.

- (1) A net profit of Rs 48 000
- (2) A net profit of Rs 58 000
- (3) A net profit of Rs 75 000
- (4) A net profit of Rs 92 000
- (5) A net profit of Rs 92 000
- 15. SahanAbenayake has prepared the general ledger while maintaining control accounts & there by the trial balance has been prepared. The trial balance didn't agree and the following errors and omissions have been detected.
  - (I) The total of the purchases journal has been undervalued by Rs. 1000
  - (II) Rs 4 000 received rent has been correctly recorded in the cash book, but the other entry has been kept as paid rent.
  - (III) The cheque 8 600 which was received from debtors and deposited in the bank has been dishonoured. It has been correctly recorded in the bank account, but being recorded as Rs. 6800 on the wrong side of the debtors control accounts

If the difference of the trial balance prepared with these errors were recroded in the suspense Account, the balance of the suspense Account would be

- (1) A debit balance of Rs 2 300.
- (2) A credit balance of Rs 3 200.
- (3) A debit balance of Rs 6 400.
- (4) A credit balance of Rs 6 400.
- (5) A debit balance of Rs 7 400.
- 16 Balances of Dinum sports society as at 01.04.2012 are as follows

	Rs		Rs
Arrears of membership fees	9 000	<b>Buildings Fund</b>	120 000
Cash	141 000	cumulative Fund	<b>23</b> 0 000
Buildings	<u>200 000</u>		
	350 000		350 000

A part of the building was constructed spending Rs 80 000 from the buildings fund on 15.04.2012. What would be the values after making the relevant adjustments in relation to this event

	Cumulative fund	BuildingsFu	and	Build	ings	(	cash
(1)	230 000	40 0	000	200	000	221	000
(2)	230 000	40 0	000	280	000	121	000
(3)	230 000	120 0	000	200	000	141	000
(4)	230 000	280 0	000	80	000	140	000
(5)	310 000	40 0	000	280	000	61	000

17. Leela and Neela conducted a partnership by sharing profits equally. Mala joined this partnership on 30<sup>th</sup>sep 2010 having agreed to obtain 1/3 of the profit and for a wage of Rs 20 000. The net profit earned stadily during the year ended uniformly on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2011.was Rs 12 000 000. The Income earned by Leela and Mala from the partnership for the year ended on the 31.03.2011 would be

	Lila(Rs)	Mala (Rs)
(1)	160 000 and	200 000 .
(2)	300 000 and	160 000 .
(3)	360 000 and	<b>460 000</b> .
(4)	460 000 and	160 000 .
(5)	460 000 and	<b>280</b> 000.

**18**. Anidu and Janidu conduct a partnership by the name of AJ Enterprises and its details are as follows. Annual intrest on capital is 12% and monthly salary is Rs 10 000 each. Profit and loss ratio is 3:2 respectively. Profit of April 2012 is Rs 100 000. Other Information

	Anidu(Rs)	Janidu (Rs)
Capital Account as at 01.04.2012	400 000	600 000
Current Account as at 01.04.2012	40 000(Credit)	10 000 (Debit)
Drawings within the month of April 2012	8 000	2 000

According to the above information what is the answer that correctly indicates the current account balances of Anidu and Janidu at the end of April.

	Anidhu (Rs)	Janidhu (Rs)
(1)	<b>32</b> 000 (Credit)	88 000 (Credit)
(2)	42 000 (Credit)	28 000 (Credit)
(3)	54 000 (Credit)	26 000 (Credit)
(4)	80 000 (Credit)	<b>30</b> 000 (Credit)
(5)	88 000 (Credit)	<b>32</b> 000 (Credit)

**19**. Hansalee and Aneesha are partners. The net profit of the year ended on 30.06.2013 before deducting the loanintrest is Rs 83 000. The following information has been given.

As at 01.01.2013	Hansalee (Rs)	Aneesha (Rs)
Total equity	670 000	450 000
Balance of the capital Account	600 000	500 000
Amount of credit(credit)		120 000
Drawings	20 000	16 000

Loan interest is accrued.

What are the current account baslances of the paretners as at 30.06.2013 according to the above information.

	Hansalee (Rs)	Aneesha (Rs)
(1)	70 000	(50 000)Debits
(2)	90 000	(23 000) Debits
(3)	110 000	(10 000)Debits
(4)	110 000	(26 000) Debits.
(5)	640 000	460 000.

- **20**. The following features were observed regarding a certain incident which prevailed evenby the time of the last day of an accounting year of a Limited company.
  - A. An obligation existing currently as a result of a past incident.
  - B. There is a tendency for out flow of assets to settle it.
  - C. The amount of the obligation can be fairly estimated.

The above incident can be indentified?

- (1) As a liability
- (2) As a provision.
- (3) As an estimation
- (4) As an obligation on agreement
- (5) As a contingent liability

- 21. Several statements regarding lease has been given below.
  - A. Risk and benefits will be gained by the leasee
  - B. The ownership of the asset may be transferred to the leasee at the end of the tenure of lease
  - C. Economic life time of the asset can be almost similar to the tenure of the lease.

The statement or statements that indicates aboutfinancial leasing would be

- (1) Only A.
- (2) Only B.
- (3) Only A and B.
- (4) Only B and C.
- (5) All A, B and C.
- **22.** Reducing balance method which was used as the method of depreciating machines of a company has been changed into straight line method for the year ended on 31.03.2013. The method of accounting that should be followed in regard to the above change is,
  - (1) Restating retrospectively.
  - (2) Keeping accounts retrospectively.
  - (3) Keeping accounts to affect only the coming years.
  - (4) Disclosing the effect for the current year and previous years.
  - (5) Keeping accounts to affect the current year and previous years.
- 23. several statements regarding the issue of bonus shares have been given below.
  - A. Equity of share holderswill increase.
  - B. No change in the financial positions.
  - C. Cash inflows to the business.

The correct statement /statements from the above ones would be.

- (1) Only A.
- (2) Only B.
- (3) Only C.
- (4) Only A and B.
- (5) All A, B and C.
- **24**. Details of dividends related to the year ended on 31.03.2013 of a limited company are as follows.
  - A. Dividends paid ordinary shares Rs 300 000
    Preference shares Rs150 000
  - B. Total amount of dividents related to a year for preference shares is Rs 200 000.
  - C. Resolution have been passed to pay a final dividend of Rs 100 000 for ordinary shares also to pay the balance of dividends for preference shares. What is the correct way dividends would be shown in the financial statements.

State	ment of changes in equity	Current liabilities in
	(Rs)	thebalance sheet(Rs)
(1)	450 000	50 000
<b>(2)</b>	450 000	150 000
<b>(3</b> )	500 000	50 000
<b>(4)</b>	500 000	150 000
<b>(5)</b>	600 000	150 000

- 25. How much out of the sale value of a rupee is claimed for the profit of share holders can be computed from this ratio
  - (1) Gross profit margin Ratio
  - (2) Net profit margin Ratio
  - (3) Assets turnover Ratio
  - (4) Return on stock holders equity ratio
  - (5) Return on total assets ratio.

- 26. following are some interpretation onfinancial reports according to financial stability ratios
  - A- The debt ratio calculates the percentage of debt capital out of the total capital of a business.
  - B- Debt capital being lower than the equity capital is a high gearing situation.
  - C- If the intreset coverage ratio is a low value, the security of creditors will be ensured.

Which of the above statement or statement gives an accurate interpretation

- (1) Only A.
- (2) Only B.
- (3) Only A and B.
- (4) Only A and C.
- (5) Only B and C.
- **27**. The source document which records the time in curred for tasks performed by a group of employees & the cost relevant to these tasks would be
  - (1) Daily time sheet
  - (2) Job ticket
  - (3) Jo cost sheet
  - (4) Piece work ticket.
  - (5) Idle time card.
- 28. A company purchases materials called RG for their production. During the first six (6) months of the accounting year, 500 units were purchased where one unit cost Rs 50. From thereon they have purchased 500 units each with a price increase of Rs 5 for an unit at each month.

400 units of material have been issued for production at each month. The company issues stocks according to the FIFO method.

What would be the value of the balance stock at the end of the year in the stores?

- (1) Rs 60 000.
- (2) Rs 66 500.
- (3) Rs 70 500.
- (4) Rs 91 500.
- (5) Rs 96 000.
- **29**. Whatis the document prepared by various production & service divisions of a firm requesting required materials for their divisions.
  - (1) price inquiry.
  - (2) Invoice.
  - (3) Purchases order.
  - (4) Material requisition note.
  - (5) Purchases requisition note.
- **30**. Namal pays salaries to the two employees of his production firm based on the number units produced
  - The no of units an employee should complete in 8 hours is 50
  - Payments per units is Rs 20.
  - Payment per each unit that exceeds the prodection.
  - No of units produced by X within 8 hours is 60.
  - No of units produced by Y within 8 hours is 48.

The salary cost paid by the two employees of the institution enterprise within 8 hours is the cost of salaries paid to the two employees for duration of 8 hours would be

- (1) Rs 2 160.
- (2) Rs 2 200.
- (3) Rs 2 210.
- (4) Rs 2 460 .
- (5) Rs 2 500.

<b>31</b> .	${\bf i}. \ \ Balance \ of the \ debtors \ control \ account \ and \ the \ total \ of \ the \ debtors \ list in \ the \ private \ ledger \ of \ Sunimal Company \ Ltd.$					
	is presented by following comparison statement.					
	Balance of the control account		Rs 650 670			
	Invoiceommited from the sales day	-hook	35 240			
	invoiceonimited from the sales day	book	685 910			
	Discounts omitted from a private ac	ccount	(15 400)			
	Bad debts omitted from the control	account	<u>(7 220)</u>			
	Total of balance of the private ledge	er	<u>663 290</u>			
	What is the amount that should	be indicated as trade debte	ors in the balance sheet of Sunimal company			
	Ltd.?Rs					
<b>32</b> .		•	013 shows a credit balance of Rs 15600. When a of March,the following details were disclosed.			
	i. Only a cheque of the Rs 20 000 March.	has been cleared out ofRs 28	000 chequessent to be deposited in the month of			
	<ul><li>ii. Direct remittance from debtors F business.</li></ul>	Rs 8 000 & 3000 investment	income isn'trecorded in the bank account of the			
	iii. Cheque of Rs 9 400 issued within	the month of March Was no	t presented to be encashed by 31.03.2013			
i	iv. Rs 2 000 bank charges recorded in the bank account of the business					
	(1)Balance of the bank account of the enterprise as at 01.03.2013 is Rs					
	(2)Balance appeared in the bank state	ement as at 01.03.2013				
<b>33</b> .	Write a similarity and a difference be					
	(1)Similarity					
	(2)Difference					
<b>34</b> .	Indicate the two basic assumptions in standards  (1)		cial statements asstated by the accounting			
	(2)					
<b>35</b> .	Define the following according to the (I) Depreciable of an asset	•	ards.			
	(II) Fair value of an asset					

<b>36</b> .	Details rega	rding the interest of a business when	re the Acc	counting year en	ds on 31.03.2013 are given below.	
		_	Rs		•	
	Accrred	as at 01.04.2012	20 000			
	Accrred	as at 31.03.2013	<b>3</b> 0 000			
	The amount	deducted in the income Statement	90 000			
	According t	o this information, what is the amou	unt of inte	rest paid in cash	within the year	
<b>37</b> .	. The following information is about Hansalee Enterprise.					
				(Rs)		
	Cost of sa			600 000		
	Cash sale			450 000		
	Dediors c	valance as at 01.04.2013		45 000 15 000		
	Receipts	from debtors after to deducting 10%	discount			
	=	ofit margin is 20% of sales.				
	-	ounting period ends on 30.06.2013				
	Calcula	ate the following				
	(1) Balar	nce of debtors as at 31.03.2013				
		profit for the period Rs				
<b>3</b> 8.				Rs		
<b>J</b> O.	Members	hip fees in arreas- as at 02	1.04.2012		)	
	1,101110015	•	1.03.2013			
	Members	hip fees received in advance as at 33			)	
		nembership fees		45 000		
	What is tl	ne amount of cash received as memb	bership fe	es during the tin	ne period: -Rs	
	Jagath co	mpany Ltd accuired a machine on 0	1.01.2012	2 undera lease as	rreement which it'sfair value was	
	Jagath company Ltd accuired a machine on 01.01.2012 under a lease agreement which it's fair value was Rs of 1 200 000					
	A. Effective life time of the machine is 5 years.					
	B. Tenureof the lease is 4 years.					
		c deposit is Rs 200 000				
		1	ual install	lments amountir	ng to Rs 300 000 each and the lease Interest	
		•				
	included in the firstinstallmentwas Rs 80 000 and the lease interest included in the second installment was Rs 60 000					
		th Company prepares their accounts	s for at 31	.12 in every yea	r and the basic deposit and the first	
	installment has been paid.					
	(1)	The value that should be identified	d as an as	set in the balance	be sheet as at 01.01.2012 by Jagath	
	. ,	company is Rs			, ,	
	(2)	The value that should be deprecia	ted annua	lly is Rs		
	(3)	The value that should be stated as	a non cur	rent liability is 1	Rs	
	(4)	The value that should be stated as		•		
40.	` '			-		
10.	O. The Accounting year of a Company ends on 31. 03. 2013 A bank loan amounting to Rs 1 200 000 obtained on 01. 01. 2013 should be repaid in 60 equal monthly installments. The company pays the relevant installment due for			_		
	a certain month in the first week of the following month. What is the manner of recording this loan as current &					
	non – current liabilities in the statement of financial position as at 31.03.2013					
	(1)	Non- current liabilities Rs				
	(2)	Current liabilities Rs				

	shares were received by the time of the final dapplications received were sent bank.	ate. Shares were allotted	proportionally & the cash for excess
	Record the above information in a preference share	es issue account	
		shares issue account	Cundit
	Debit		Credit
42 . 43.	Stated capital of a limited company as at 01.04 40000. The general reserve on this date Rs 20.0 would be the amount of bonus shares gained	00 was totally used to is by Mr. Ravichandra w	sue bonus shares of Rs 25 each. What who owned 1200 shares on this date
	initiated on 01.04.2011 with and ordinary share c		
		2011/2012	2012/2013
		Rs	Rs
	Total assets as at 31.03	280	500
	Total income	600	880
	Total expenditure excluding income tax	640	700
	Income tax	-	36
	Paid dividends	-	20
	Calculate the followings items		
	<ul><li>(i) Total liabilities as at 31. 03. 2012</li><li>(ii) Equity Capital as at 31. 03. 2013</li></ul>		
44.	State two advantages in paying salaries on time b	asis and in paying salaries	s on out put basis respectively
	on time basis		
	1		
	2		
	on output basis		
	1		
	2		
<b>45</b> .	Following are the extracts from the stores ledger	of Nanic Company Ltd	

Receipts		
Date	No of units	Price of a unit
2013/2/5	1400	Rs 10
2013/2/12	500	Rs 12
2013/2/20	1000	Rs 15
2013/2/25	1500	Rs 20

	Stock 2013/2013/2013/	/1/18 /1/26	Unit 900 800 1000	)			
		_			issues stocks accordin	ng to first in first o	ut (FIFO) system, the
<b>46</b> .	State two	assumptio	ons used for the	cost, volume, p	rofit analysis		
417	T			l. 4 C 1.	1	5000 1	.11
47.			-		when the number of un nuch is the variable cost		
40	Following	informati	on is relevant to	four componic	7		
48.	_	HHOIHIau		four companies			
	Company Unit (Rs)	Fixed Assets	No.of Sales units	Variable Cost of a	Unit Contribution (Rs)	Break even Units	Profit/Loss (Rs)
	Cint (Rs)	7 155015	(Rs)	Units (Rs)	(RS)	Cints	(143)
	Е	5 000	1 000	5	(A)	1 000	0
	F	14 000	4 000	3	7	(B)	14 000
	G	32 000	(C)	6	8	4 000	(8 000)
	Н	21 000	10 000	4	3	7 000	(D)
	State the val	lues releva	nt to the letters	given above			
	(A) (B) (C) (D)						
49.	<ul> <li>49. Pasan Company Ltd is considering of an investment of a new machine</li> <li>Purchasing cost Rs 500 000.</li> <li>Fixing cost of the machine is Rs 60 000.</li> <li>Carraige inwards Rs 40 000.</li> <li>Useful Lifetime is 5 years.</li> <li>The payback period is expected to be 3 years of equal annual installments.</li> <li>Annual operational expenses excluding depreciation is estimated to be Rs 50 000.</li> </ul>						
	(1) Net Cash flows 5 of the first year Rs						
	(2) Increase in profit in the first year Rs						

50. The expected financial value to be invested in a machine by a company is Rs 300 000. Following are the estimated data relevant to the investments.

Year 4 Net cash flows (Rs) 90 000 120 000 180 000 150 000 40 000 60 000 80 000 60 000 Net profit after taxes (Rs)

(1) Return on investment ratio of the machine as a percentage.....

(2) Payback period of the machine .....