

CGMA AUGUST 2015 EXAM ANSWERS

Variant 5

Marking Guidance

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The following marking guidance is based on Strategic Case Study Exam August 2015, Variant 5.

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Note: while the published weighting of competencies for the level would be reflected in the distribution of marks for each examination, there may be some small variations between different forms of the examination.

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Section	Technical Skills		Business skills		People Skills		Leadership Skills		Integration	Total
1	Identify risks	16	Evaluate commercial viability	15					3	34
2			Evaluate loan	8	Mentoring	7	Leadership challenge	7	3	33
							Ethical implications of loan	8		
3	Valuation models	7			Communicate with supporters	7	Evaluate management	8	3	33
					Encourage supporters	8				
Total marks available for each competency		23		23		22		23	9	100