

CGMA AUGUST 2016 EXAM ANSWERS

Variant 3

Marking Guidance

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The following marking guidance is based on CGMA Exam August 2016, Variant 3.

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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	Determine issue price	15			Advise on costs and benefits of a listing	16			3	34
2			Discuss the ethical implications of publishing facts that are accurate but misleading	15			Evaluate potential non-executive board appointment	15	3	33
3	Discuss implications of employees' inability to diversify	7	Discuss importance of share price volatility	7	Share price implications of employee share trading	8	Motivational effects of employees owning shares	8	3	33
		22		22		24		23	9	100