

# **PAYROLL ACCOUNTING (04)**

## Regional—2013

## **KEY**

TOTAL POINTS	(148 points)
Problem 3: General Journal	(13 pts.)
Problem 2: General Journal	(15 pts.)
Production Portion Problem 1: Time Card	(40 pts.)
Short Answer (25 @ 2 points each)	(50 pts.)
Multiple Choice (15 @ 2 points each)	(30 pts.)

#### Judges/Graders:

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#### **General Instructions**

You have been hired as a Financial Assistant and will be keeping the accounting records for Professional Business Associates, located at 5454 Cleveland Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43231. Professional Business Associates provides accounting and other financial services for clients. You will complete jobs for Professional Business Associates' own accounting records, as well as for clients.

You will have 90 minutes to complete your work. The test is divided into two parts. The multiple choice and short answer questions should be completed first, and then the accounting problems may be completed in any order.

Your name and/or school name should NOT appear on any work you submit for grading. Write your contestant number in the provided space. Staple all pages in order before you turn in your test.

Assumptions to make when taking this assessment:

- Round all calculations to two decimal places
- Assume employees earn overtime for any hours worked over 40 hours in a week unless otherwise instructed
- All time calculations are rounded to the nearest quarter hour
- Income Tax Withholding Tables are provided at the end of the assessment
- Use 6.2% for Social Security Tax on the first \$100,000 of wages
- 1.45% for Medicare Tax on all wages for the year
- Use 5.4% for State Unemployment Tax and 0.8% for Federal Unemployment Tax
- Assume that no employee has accumulated earnings in excess of the Social Security Tax base

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### Multiple Choice: 2 points each.

- 1. B
- 2. C
- 3. D
- 4. D
- 5. B
- 6. D
- 7. C
- 8. B
- 9. C
- 10.C
- 11.C
- 12.B
- 13.D
- 14.A
- 15.D

### **Short Answer: 2 points each answer (50 Points)**

1. Regular Salary \$ 2,760.00
Overtime Rate \$ 51.75
Overtime Pay \$ 258.75
Gross Pay \$ 3,018.75

2.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Total Regular	Incentive
					Pay	Pay
155	154	164	150	144	420.00	35.65

\$ 455.65

3. \$120,000 3.33 %

4. Regular pay rate \$ 11.54 per hour Overtime pay rate \$ 17.31 per hour

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5.

Time Card											
Employee No. 12076	5	Week Ending March 12, 2012									
Name: Newsome, Gle		Exemptions: 2									
Social Security No.: 3	93-65-8821	Hourly Rate: \$10.60									
Day	In	Out	Hours								
Monday	8:01 AM	4:33 PM	8								
Tuesday	7:56 AM	4:32 PM	8								
Wednesday	7:57 AM	5:03 PM	8.5								
Thursday	8:04 AM	6:03 PM	9.5								
Friday	8:00 AM	5:31 PM	9								
Saturday	9:01 AM	1:33 PM	4.5								
	Hours	Rate	Earnings								
Regular	40	10.60	424.00								
Overtime	7.5	15.90	119.25								
Totals	47.5	No Answer Needed	543.25								

## Problem #1: 2 Points Each (40 Points)

EARNINGS RECORD FOR QUARTER ENDED 1st Quarter												
Employee No.14468 Bodis Last Name					Jim Marital Status M Withholding Allowances 0 First Name							
Rate	of Pay	\$650/Wk	x = \$16.25	/Hr So	cial Secu	rity No.	393-66-82	33 Posi	ition Dep	partment l	Manager	
Pay Earnings Period					D	Accumulated						
							Earnings					
											7,800.00	
No	Ended	Regular	Overtime	Total	Federal Income Tax	Social Security Tax			Total	Net Pay	Y-T-D Eanings	
13	3/26/ 2010	650.00		650.00	65.00	40.30	9.43	15.00	129.73	520.27	8450.00	

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Problem #2: 2 Points Each Journal Entry (1 Point for Account, 1 Point for Amount, PLUS 1 Point for the Date) 15 Points Total.

NOTE TO GRADER: Account title abbreviations may be used and order of entries may vary.

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	Date	Account Title	Post Debit Ref.						Credit						
3	26	Salary or Wage Expense			16	8	7	0	00						
		OASDI Payable								1	0	4	5	94	
		HI Payable									2	4	4	62	
		FIT Payable								1	1	5	0	00	
		Group Ins Prem. Payable									1	3	5	00	
		401K Payable									4	2	5	00	
		Cash								13	8	6	9	44	

Problem #3 Two Points Each Journal Entry (1 Point for Account, 1 Point for Amount, PLUS 1 Point for the Date) 13 Points Total. Note: 1 cent difference in OASDI is correct as ER's portion calculated on the payroll as a whole.

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3	26	Payroll Tax Expense		2	3	7	9	00					
		OASDI Payable							1	0	4	5	94
		HI Payable								2	4	4	62
		SUTA Payable								9	1	0	98
		FUTA Payable								1	3	4	96
		ER 401K Match Payable									4	2	50
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