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- Q1.)
- a) Contract price : The agreed price of contract between contractor and contractee
 - b) Certificate of work done a. Contract certificate is a certificate issued for work done to be certified by an architect.
 - c) Estimated profit:- Contract price - estimated cost of the contract
 - d) Work certified :- It is work done for which certificate of work done is issued .
 - e) cost of work certified:- Total cost incurred on the portion of work certified .
- Q2.)
- a) The cost per unit of service should be used as part of control function .
 - i) A cost per unit of service should be computed .
 - ii) Prices should be controlled for services being sold to the final point .
 - iii) In order to help management plan , control and reduce cost should be analysed into fixed , variable and mixed cost .

- v) Planned cost should be compared with actual and the difference be investigated for corrective actions as necessary.

(iii) High-Low method

This is object method of segregation mixed cost into fixed and variable costs through the following process:

- Pick the highest and least activity level among the observed data.
 - Calculate the difference between the two activity levels.
 - Pick the corresponding cost of the highest and lowest activity levels.
 - Calculate the difference between the cost of highest and lowest activity levels.
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- Engineering methods: is used when there is engineering analysis or technological relationship between input and output e.g. work sampling, method studies etc. This method is commonly used for estimating of repetitive processes with clearly defined input or output relationships.

Account classification method: This is a subjective way of classifying mixed cost into fixed and variable cost using personal experience by cost accountant. Items of expenditure within the concept per

Some levels are inspected and classified as fixed variable or semi-variable cost.

Graphical method:- It is a results of limitation on high and low values of the high-low method of segregating mixed cost into fixed and variable cost, it was observed that all the observations not considered in giving out the classification nor considered in giving out cost estimate and this led to the disutility of graphical method, graphical method uses all observations in giving out the cost estimate.

④ Features of Contract costing

- There may be sub contract
- Work is undertaken to customer's special requirement.
- The work is frequently constructional in nature.
- Payment on account or weekly made against works done.
- In some contract fund/money may be deducted from the payment.

Salmaner PLC

Contract account as at January 28, 2001

	P	P
Direct materials	75,000	
make up 15 bought 8 x 9.16	179,200	Materials C/F
		25,000
Direct Expenses	66,000	cost to date C/F
wages P&H	150,000	
Head Office expenses	12,000	
Plant dep (10% x 100,000)	10,000	
General expenses	-	
wages	3000	
Direct expenses 1,150	<u>6150</u>	
	<u>511,650</u>	
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cost to date b/f	426,650	value of work certified	545,000
national profit			
Profit taken	35,010		
Profit not taken	21,350	58,350	
		<u>545,000</u>	

a) Calculations of work in progress

cost to date

~~426,650~~

Profit taken

35,010

521,660

Cost received

(490,500)

work-in-progress

31,160

workings

Cash received 490,500

$$\text{Value certified} = \frac{490,500}{0.95} = 515,000$$

National profit = 58,350

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Profit taken} &= \frac{2}{3} \times \text{national profit} \times \frac{\text{cash received}}{\text{value certified}} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \times 58,350 \times 490,500 / 515,000 \end{aligned}$$

= H 35,010

Profit not taken = (52,350 - 35,010) = H 25,340

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Process 1 Account

Movement	Qty	Rate	Amount	Movement	Qty	rate	Amount
Input matl	4,000	2	12,000	Matl issued	600	5	3,000
Bal'd: material			7,000	output	5,000	6.5	32,500
Labour			8,000	Personnel	400		2,000
Expenses			3,000				
Other charges			400				
Production			55,400				
	6,000		55,400		6,000		35,200

Cost per unit (CPU) = cost - scrap

Input material unit — Normal cost/unit

$$= \frac{\text{CPA} - \text{COP}}{\text{CPA} - \text{COP}} = \frac{35,200 - 1,400}{35,200 - 1,400}$$

= H 6.5

Provision in account

Description	Qty	Rate	Amount	Description	Qty	Rate	Amount
Procurement cost	5,000	1.5	75,000	Manufacturing	5,000	5	25,000
Input material			20,000	Output	5,000	15.7	78,500
Labor			10,000				
Expense			4,500				
Other costs			1,200				
Prod. overhead			9,000				
Administrative	1,500		22,500				
	6,500		84,900				
					6,500		84,900

$$CPV = \text{cost} - \text{scsf} / \text{Input material - normal}$$

$$\frac{84,900 - 1,500}{5,000 - 500} = \frac{63,400}{4,500}$$

$$= N 15.9$$

Abnormal loss account

Description	Qty	Rate	Amount	Description	Qty	Rate	Amount
process +	4,000		20,000	Scsf	1,500	5	6,000
process -	1,600		24,000	P/L			24,000
-	2,400		32,160		6,000		32,160

Abnormal loss gen occur

Harvest	Qty	rate	amt	Harvest	Qty	rate	amt
Scrap	1,900	3	4,500		1,500		20,700
W/L			16,200				
	1500		20,700		1,500		20,700

Process III Account

Harvest	Qty	rate	amount	Harvest	Qty	rate	amount
process 3 - transfer	6,000	15.9	95,400	Normal use	4,000	3	12,000
Direct - material			500	output	4,000	18.4	73,600
Labour			7000	Abnormal loss	1,600		24,800
Expenses			2,500				
Other O&P			500				
Prod. released			6,000				
	6,000		104,400		6,000		104,400

$$CPV = \underline{\text{cost}} - \underline{\text{scat}}$$

input material - normal

$$= \underline{104,400} - \underline{1,200} = \underline{103,200}$$

$$6,000 - 400 = 5,600$$

$$= \frac{103,200}{5,600}$$