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Solution

SALAMANDA PLC

CONTRACT Account AS AT January 28, 2011

Direct material issued	75,000	Materials c/f	25,000
Material bought on site	195,000	Cost to date	486,850
Direct expenses	55,000		
Wages paid	150,000		
Head office expenses	10,500		
Plant Depreciation (20% x 100,000)	20,000		
Accrued expenses			
Wages	5,000		
Direct expenses	1,150	6,150	
		<u>511,650</u>	<u>511,650</u>
Cost to date Lt.	486,650	Value of work certified	545,000
Notional profit			
Profit taken	35,010		
Profit not taken	23,340	58,350	
		<u>545,000</u>	<u>545,000</u>

5. Calculation of work in progress

Cost to date	₹ 486,650
Profit taken	<u>35,010</u>
	521,660
Cash received	<u>(490,500)</u>
work in progress	<u>31,160</u>

Workings

$$\text{Cash Received} = 490,500$$

$$\text{Value certified} = \frac{490,500}{0.90} = 545,000$$

$$\text{Notional profit} = 58,350$$

$$\text{Profit taken} = \frac{2}{3} \times \text{Notional profit} \times \frac{\text{Cash Received}}{\text{Value certified}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times 58,350 \times \frac{490,500}{545,000}$$

$$\text{Profit Not taken} = (58,350 - 35,010) = ₹ 23,340$$

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Kekemeke Ltd

process 1 Account

Narration	Qty	Rate	Amount	Narration	Qty	Rate	Amount
Input mat	6,000	2	12,000	Normal Loss	600	3	1,800
Add : material			7,000	output	5,000	6.3	31,500
Labour expenses			8,000	Abnormal Loss	400		2,500
Other Expenses			3,000				
Production over			800				
			5,000				
	6,000		35,800		6,000		35,800

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Cost per unit (Cpu)} &= \frac{\text{Cost} - \text{Scrap}}{\text{Input material unit} - \text{Normal loss unit}} \\
 &= \frac{35,800 - 1,800}{6,000 - 600} = \frac{34,000}{5,400} \\
 &= \text{R } 6.3
 \end{aligned}$$

Process II Account

Narration	Qty	Rate	Amount	Narration	Qty	Rate	Amount
Process I Transfer	5,000	6.3	31,500	Normal Loss	500	3	1,500
Add: Material			8,000	output	6,000	13.9	83,400
Labour			10,000				
Expenses			4,500				
Other expenses			1,200				
Production overhead			9,000				
Abnormal profit	1,500		20,700				
	6,500		84,900		6,500		84,900

$$Cpu = \frac{\text{cost} - \text{scrap}}{\text{Input material} - \text{normal}}$$

$$= \frac{64,200 - 1,500}{5,000 - 500} = \frac{62,700}{4,500}$$

$$= \text{Rs } 13.9$$

Process III Account

Narration	Qty	Rate	Amount	Narration	Qty	Rate	Amount
Process II transfer	6,000	13.9	83,400	Normal loss	400	3	1,200
Adcl: material			5,000	Output	4,000	18.4	73,600
Labour			7,000	Abnormal loss	1,600		29,600
expenses			2,500				
other exp			500				
production overhead			6,000				
	6,000		104,400		6,000		104,400

$$CPU = \frac{\text{Cost} - \text{scrap}}{\text{Input material} - \text{normal}}$$

$$= \frac{104,400 - 1,200}{6,000 - 400} = \frac{103,200}{5,600}$$

$$= \text{A } 18.4$$

Abnormal Loss Account

Narration	Qty	Rate	₹ Amount	Narration	Qty	Rate	₹ Amount
Process I	400		2,500	Scrap	2,000	3	6,000
Process III	1,600		29,600	P/L			26,100
	2,000		32,100		2,000		32,100

Abnormal Gain Account

Narration	Qty	Rate	₹ Amount	Narration	Qty	Rate	₹ Amount
Scrap	1,500	3	4,500	Process II	1,500		20,700
P/L			16,200				
	1,500		20,700		1,500		20,700

4.i Features

- i. Payment on account are usually made against work certified
- ii. Retention fund or money may be deducted from progress payment
- iii. Work is undertaking to customer special requirement
- iv. The method of costing is similar to job costing.
- v. Contract may contain clause for penalty for delay in completion and bonus for every completion

Terminologies

- i. Contract price : It is an agreed price ^{of the contract} between the contractor and the contractee.
- ii. Progress payment : It is a payment made at specific stage of the contract based on certificate of work done.
- iii. Retention fee : Is deducted in case of any abnormalities at the end of the work.
- iv. Estimated profit : It is the contract price minus (-) estimated cost of the contract.
- v. Cost to date : It is the addition of all cost incurred to date on the contract

4.ii Objectives

- a. To control the cost in service costing can be established in the following ways.
- b. comparing actual cost against standard or target cost.
- c. comparing present actual cost against previous natural cost of previous periods.

2. To control the cost of the user department is necessary to prevent arbitrary use of internal services. The charging of service costs on user department will cost
- Accurate establishment of overhead cost of user departments → It will enhance identification of some service department variable cost as directly attributable cost of the user department.
 - It helps user department to achieve cost efficiency by sourcing for low cost services externally.
 - It monitors their excessive use of services department in cases where there is high service department charges on user departments.

414 Method

- Engineering method: is used when there is engineering analysis of technological relationship between input and output by work sampling etc. Is commonly used for estimating of ~~cost~~ repetitive processes with clearly defined input-output relationship.

Advantage

- It is good when direct costs form a large part of the total cost.

Disadvantage

- It is expensive to apply.

- High - Low method: 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 level activity
 - pick the corresponding cost of the highest and lowest
 - calculate the difference between costs of highest and lowest activity
 - Divide the cost difference by the difference by + in activity level
 - use "e" which is the variable cost per unit to determine the total cost or fixed cost.

3. Account classification method : is a subjective way of classifying mixed cost into fixed and variable costs using personal experience by cost accountant.

Advantages

1. It is not expensive
2. It is fast

Disadvantage

1. It is subjective.

4. Graphical or scattergraph method : The graphical method uses all observations in at the cost estimate. It is used by plotting the observations against activity level on graph and a line of best fit is drawn diagonally across the observed graph so that the line equally dividing them into equal part by the line.