

**MARK SCHEME for the October/November 2010 question paper  
for the guidance of teachers**

**7101 COMMERCIAL STUDIES**

**7101/03**

Paper 3 (Text Processing),  
maximum raw mark 100

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- 1 Double line spacing [1]
- Acceptable side margins [1]
- Heading in caps [1]
- Accuracy [7]

**[Total: 10]**

Accuracy

Deduct 1 mark per error to max 7.

Short working

All candidates are expected to reach the end of the passage, which represents a speed of 30 wpm.

Those who do not should be penalised under accuracy, -1 mark per missing word.

This may result in a number of candidates, who are not typing at the required speed of 30 wpm, losing all their accuracy marks.

- 2 Plain paper with suitable vertical placement [1]
- Side margins acceptable [1]
- Consistent spacing between columns [1]
- Heading in bold caps [1]
- Stet [1]
- Alphabetical order of cruises [2]
- Tour headings bold and underlined [2]
- Insert [1]
- Consistent spacing between tours [1]
- Orca (correct) [1]
- Ruling as draft [2]
- Accuracy [6]

**[Total: 20]**

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<b>3</b>	Headed paper used	[1]
	Consistent layout and spacing between parts of letter	[1]
	Open/closed punctuation	[1]
	Today's date in full	[1]
	Correct reference	[1]
	Correct name and address of addressee	[1]
	Corresponding salutation and complimentary close	[2]
	<u>Composition</u>	
	Tone            2	
	Punctuation   2	
	Grammar        2	[6]
	Thanks for letter (correct date)	[1]
	2011 brochure currently at printers	[1]
	Send copy in next 10 days	[1]
	Friendly staff happy to help	[1]
	Special rates	[1]
	Free travel	[1]
	Preliminary information sheet	[1]
	Accessed on website	[1]
	Signatory and designation	[1]
	Accuracy	[7]

**[Total: 30]**

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4	A4 plain paper	[1]
	Suitable margins	[1]
	Heading in caps	[1]
	Consistent spacing before and after headings	[1]
	<u>Abbreviations</u>	
	Co yrs wl	[3]
	<u>Corrections</u>	
	l.c. (2) stet insert (2) del u.c.	[7]
	Sign/date	[1]
	Accuracy	[5]
		<b>[Total: 20]</b>
5	(a) Form used	[1]
	Acceptable use of interliner throughout	[2]
	Suitable spacing after side headings and alignment, where applicable	[2]
	<u>Correct information</u>	
	Name 1	
	Address 1	
	No. of people 1	
	Booking ref 1	
	Cruise code 1	
	Duration 1	
	Full board 1	[7]
	<u>Special requests</u>	
	Celebrate Silver Wedding	[1]
	Credit card no.	[1]
	Valid from	[1]
	Valid to	[1]
	No signature and date	[1]
	Accuracy	[3]
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<b>(b)</b> Plain paper with suitable vertical placement	[1]
Bold and centre	[1]
Side margins acceptable	[1]
Clear line space between days	[1]
Consistent tabulation after days	[2]
Font size 18	[1]
Font size 16	[1]
Spaced caps	[2]
Insert	[1]
U.c.	[1]
Transpose	[1]
Delete	[1]
Accuracy	[6]

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