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Paper 3 Business Decision-Making

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1 hour 45 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: Insert (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer all questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
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INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].
- The insert contains the case study.

Answer all questions.

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3 (a)	Refer to Table 1.1. Calculate for quarter 1, 2023, the seasonal variation.	
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(b)	Refer to Table 1.1. Calculate for quarter 2, 2023, the centred quarterly moving average.	
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(c)	Evaluate the usefulness to SF of sales forecasting.	

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4	(a)	Refer to Table 1.2. Calculate the accounting rate of return (ARR) of automating production.
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	(b)	Evaluate whether SF should invest in automating production.

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