



Important update: Tax Compliance exam

We have made a change to the Tax Compliance exam. From the December 2019 sitting onwards, the answer area will be the same as all ACA Professional and Advanced Level exams.

The questions with sub-parts have been merged into one question and answer area, so students will now see tabs numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 on the day of their exam. This means that if question 1 has sub-parts, for example, 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, students will add their response to all parts in the one answer area, ensuring that they include clear labels for each part.

There will be fewer transitions between questions within the exam software, improving the navigation experience. The exam software remains unchanged. However, students will have up to 200 rows within the answer area to respond to each part of the question.

This screenshot shows the new numbered tabs:

The screenshot displays the exam software interface. At the top, it shows 'Question: 1', 'Section: 1', 'Total Test Time Remaining: 02:29:43', 'Progress: 0%', and a 'Finish' button. Below this, the 'Test:' bar indicates 'Candidate: USER Demo'. On the left, there are five numbered tabs (1-5), with tab 1 selected. The main area contains a 'Question' box with the text: 'Make sure your answers are clearly visible, the examiner will see them exactly as they are on screen, they cannot review your formulae or expand rows or columns.' Below the question is a rich text editor toolbar with options for Layout, Cell Options, Font, and About. The editor includes icons for undo, redo, copy, paste, bold, italic, underline, text color, background color, insert table, insert link, insert image, and a summation symbol. Below the toolbar is a large grid with columns labeled A through K and rows numbered 1 through 17. The grid is currently empty. At the bottom of the interface, there are icons for settings, help, and navigation buttons for 'Back' and 'Next'.