



2 Jaya is a trader. Her financial year ends on 31 July.

The totals of her trial balance at 31 July 2025 did **not** agree.

REQUIRED

(a) (i) Name the account that Jaya would need to open to enable her trial balance totals to agree.

..... [1]

(ii) State the primary purpose of this account.

..... [1]

Jaya later discovered the following five errors:

- 1 **No** entry had been made for distribution costs of \$320 paid by bank transfer.
- 2 Closing inventory had been recorded as \$12 200 instead of \$12 900.
- 3 Purchases returns of \$95 had been correctly entered in the credit supplier’s account but had been debited to the sales returns account.
- 4 A cheque for \$225 received from ABC wholesalers, a credit customer, had been correctly entered in the cash book, but **no** other entry had been made.
- 5 Property maintenance costs of \$1220 had been incorrectly charged to the land and buildings account.





(c) Name **two** types of error that will **not** be revealed by the trial balance.

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[2]

(d) Complete the table by entering the amount by which Jaya's profit for the year would be overstated or understated if **each** error is left **uncorrected**. If an error has no effect on profit, enter zero (0) in the 'no effect' box.

Error 1 has been completed as an example.

Profit for the year

Error	Overstated \$	Understated \$	No effect
1	320		
2			
3			
4			
5			

[7]

[Total: 20]



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2(a)(i)	Suspense (1)	1
2(a)(ii)	Allows draft financial statements to be prepared / provides a holding account until errors are discovered (1)	1

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2(c)	Commission (1) Complete reversal (1) Omission (1) Original entry(1) Principle (1) Compensating (1) Max 2				2																																																																	

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2(d)	Profit for the year				7
	Error	Overstated \$	Understated \$	No effect	
	1	320			
	2		700 (2)		
	3		190 (2)		
	4			0 (1)	
	5	1220 (2)			
(2 Marks) = (1) for correct position (1) for correct amount					