


Balance sheet part 2: LIABILITIES

TASK 1. Complete the **LIABILITIES** table for a UK company *Paradigm Manufacturing* with relevant figures, using the information provided below. Then do the calculations and write the figures for **TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES**, **TOTAL LONG-TERM LIABILITIES**, **TOTAL LIABILITIES PLUS SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY**.

N.B. Write commas in the figures, e.g. 7,000! Don't write £ in front of the figures!

- *Paradigm* has borrowed £20,000 from a bank to be repaid in three years.
- It has issued £100,000 worth of shares.
- It has issued investment securities for £30,000 that it will have to repay in seven years.
- It has profits of £10,500 that have not been distributed to the shareholders.
- It has to pay the amount of £3,500 to the bondholders and the bank, which it charges for lending money.
- It owes £5,000 in tax.
- It owes £6,000 to suppliers and others.
- On one of its bank accounts, *Paradigm* has spent £2,000 more than it had in the account.

 Paradigm Manufacturing Balance sheet at 31 March 20__	
LIABILITIES	
Creditors	
Overdraft	
Interest payable	
Tax payable	
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Bank loan	
Bonds	
TOTAL LONG-TERM LIABILITIES	
Share capital	
Retained earnings	
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	
TOTAL LIABILITIES PLUS SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	

TASK 2. Using the information in the table above, decide if these statements about *Paradigm's* liabilities are **TRUE** or **FALSE**.

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| 1. TRUE | FALSE | The creditors item includes debts that will have to be paid in two or three years. |
| 2. TRUE | FALSE | Overdrafts are a form of long-term loan. |
| 3. TRUE | FALSE | In the coming year, <i>Paradigm</i> will have to pay more tax than it pays out in interest on its loans. |
| 4. TRUE | FALSE | <i>Paradigm</i> has borrowed more in the form of bonds than in the form of bank loans. |
| 5. TRUE | FALSE | Share capital of £100,000 is the current value of <i>Paradigm's</i> shares on the stock market. |
| 4. TRUE | FALSE | Retained earnings is the total of all the dividends that have been paid out to shareholders over the years. |