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### TOPIC TWO BALANCING OFF ACCOUNTS

At the end of each month the accounts are balanced to find the difference (balance). The account is balanced off by comparing the two sides (Debit and Credit sides) and establishes the difference. The difference between the two sides is called the balance and is carried forward to the next month.

#### Balance carried down/ Balance Carried forward

Balance carried down represents the monetary balance of a real or personal ledger account that carried forward to the subsequent accounting period. In other words, this is the closing balance of the ledger account.

#### Balance brought down/ Balance brought forward

Balance brought down represents the monetary balance of a ledger account that is brought in to the books from a previous accounting period. In other words, this is the opening balance of the ledger account.

#### Example 1

- A. Mzuri Mimi started a business with TZS. 20,000,000 in cash.
- B. Bought furniture for TZS. 2,800,000 cash.
- C. Bought goods for resale TZS. 2,000,000 by cash.
- D. Cash sales TZS. 1,500,000
- E. Paid rent TZS. 200,000 by cash.
- F. Bought good for resale by cash TZS. 3,000,000.
- G. Cash sales TZS. 4,000,000.

Required: Record the transactions in the cash Book and balancing off account



#### SOLUTION.

	MZU	RI MIMI		
DR.	CASH BOOK		CR.	
(A) Capital	20,000,000	(B) Furniture	2,800,000	
(D) Sales	1,500,000	(C) Purchase	2,000,000	
(G) Sales	4,000,000	(E) Rent	200,000	
		(F) Purchase	3,000,000	
		Balance c/d	17,500,000	
	25,500,000	<b>N</b>	25,500,000	
Balance b/d	17,500,000	$\backslash$		
•		Balance Carried down (c/d)		
Balance Brought dow	n (b/d)			



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# Any Question?



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