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The Actuarial Exams – How to Guarantee Success!

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Turning Exam Theory into Successful Practice

- Dive in to see it from an examiner's perspective
- Feedback and discussion
- Hints and tips from me ...
- ... including for the Practical Exams CA2 and CA3
- Questions

An Examiner's Viewpoint

- You are the examiner!
- Question; marking schedule; student answer
- 30 minutes to mark and discuss
- Feedback

Feedback



How to Pass



How to Pass – the Basics

- Know the bookwork
 - finish assignments
- Practise the application
 - relate to specific scenarios
 - brainstorm and plan answers
 - include the basic points

The Basics



How to Pass - The Winning Formula

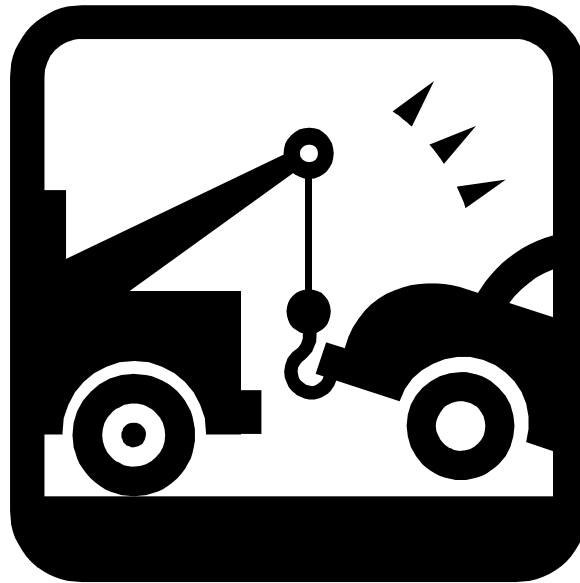
- Practise many past exam questions
- Follow detail; use scenarios - don't dive in!
- Brainstorm ideas; apply to question
- Generate several relevant points
- Imagine you are talking to a client or non-expert colleague

Pass Criteria: Fitness to proceed and assume professional responsibilities

And CA2, CA3??



And if you Hit a Pothole?



Questions?

