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Assessment 2: Take Away Paper (TAP)

**Candidate Number**: [Remember, do not include your name]

For this Take Away Paper (TAP) you will be required to answer 4 questions. Your responses should be based on the case of real companies. You must select the companies yourself.

Individually download and complete this template and write your response to each question provided in the document. Once complete, please save and submit through Canvas.

## Question 1: Supply chain finance and Blockchain

Define the link between digital finance, blockchain and smart contracts.

In your response you should analyse blockchain technology and smart contract adopted for supply chain finance (SCF) in a theoretical sense. Provide at least two examples of how blockchain and smart contract have been implemented in the case of real companies. You should explain the benefits of using blockchain and smart contracts as solutions for SCF.

[Add your response here]

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## Question 2. Crypto assets and supply chain finance

Explain the link between cryptoassets and supply chain finance (SCF).

In your response you should explain what cryptoassets are and how they are adopted in SCF. Provide at least two examples of how cryptoassets have been adopted in the case of real companies. You should explain the benefits of using cryptoassets as solutions for SCF.

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## Question 3: AI and supply chain finance

What is the difference between Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) and how are these technologies implemented in supply chain finance (SCF)?

In your response you should first define the theoretical link between the adoption of AI and ML as solutions for SCF. Provide at least three examples of how AI and ML have been implemented in the case of real companies. You should explain the benefits of adopting AI and ML as solutions for SCF.

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## Question 4: Corporate social responsibility and supply chain finance

What is green finance and how are these aspects implemented into supply chain finance (SCF)?

In your response you should first define what green finances are, then explain how green finance solutions can contribute to SCF development. Provide at least three examples of how green finance has been implemented in the case of real companies. You should explain the benefits of using green finance as solutions for SCF.

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