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## 9691 COMPUTING

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Paper 2 (Written Paper), maximum raw mark 75

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  (a) DIM Tally[1 : 4] OF INTEGER
      1 mark for size
                                                                                    [2]
      1 mark for data type (must be integer)
  (b) (i) PROCEDURE InitialiseArrayCounts
             DECLARE i : INTEGER
             FOR i \leftarrow 1 TO 4
                Tally[i] \leftarrow 0
             ENDFOR
          ENDPROCEDURE
          1 mark for declaration/local variable
          1 mark for loop 1 to 4
          1 mark for array element set to 0
          PROCEDURE InputStudentChoices
               REPEAT
                  INPUT Choice
                  Tally[Choice] ← Tally[Choice] + 1
               UNTIL Choice = 0
          ENDPROCEDURE
                                                                                    [4]
          1 mark for replacing CASE statement with single array element assignment
     (ii) Football
                                                                                    [1]
          Accept f.t. from (b)(i) (if array elements not numbered 1 to 4)
  (c) PROCEDURE OutputTallyChart
         OUTPUT "1
                       Cricket "
         OutputTally(Tally[1])
         OUTPUT "2 Football
         OutputTally(Tally[2])
         OUTPUT "3
                        Tennis
         OutputTally(Tally[3])
         OUTPUT "4 Swimming "
         OutputTally(Tally[4])
      ENDPROCEDURE
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2 marks for all 4 array elements correct. 1 mark for 3 correct.

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(d) \_\_\_\_\_

Type of test data	Example test data	Justification
Normal	e.g. 1 or greater	Check correct number of bars output
Boundary	0	0 is smallest possible value And no bars should be output
Extreme	e.g. 2000	How is the procedure going to deal with a large number, more than bars fit on a line

1 mark for each cell

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- (e) (i) indentation
  - meaningful identifiers
  - initialising variables
  - annotation
  - parameters
  - capitalisation of keywords
  - modular structure

[3]

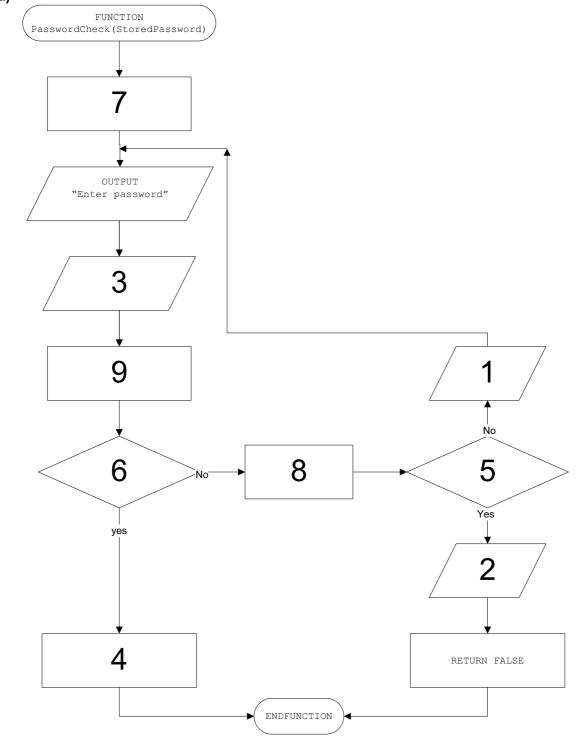
(ii) - declaring variables/constants

local variables

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(b) FUNCTION FindPassword (ThisUserID : STRING) RETURNS STRING
                                                         // 1 mark
      DECLARE Found : BOOLEAN
      OPENFILE FOR INPUT
      Found ← FALSE
      WHILE NOT EOF AND Found = FALSE
                                                        // 2 marks
         FILEREAD next record
         IF UserID = ThisUserID
                                                        // 1 mark
            THEN
               Found ← TRUE
                                                        // 1 mark
         ENDIF
      ENDWHILE
                                                // 1 mark
      IF Found = TRUE
         THEN
            RETURN EncryptedPassword
                                                // 1 mark
            RETURN Error code
                                                        // 1 mark
      ENDIF
      CLOSEFILE
   ENDFUNCTION
                                                                       [8]
   Alternative part:
                                            // 1 mark
   IF Found = False
         THEN
                                            // 1 mark
            RETURN Error code
         ELSE
            RETURN EncryptedPassword
                                      // 1 mark
      ENDIF
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(a)	(i)	Mark as follows:  1 mark for a heading  1 mark for input boxes with units  1 mark for text output box with description  1 mark for button "calculate" or similar  Accept console mode design	[4]
	(ii)	1 mark for explanation that fits design of (a)(i).	[1]
(b)	1 m	pomWidth >=100) AND (RoomWidth < 1000)  park for each bracketed part  park for AND	[3]
(c)	(i)	3	[1]
	(ii)	RoomWidth MOD 30 > 0 // RoomWidth MOD 30 != 0	[1]
	(iii)	e.g. Pascal	
		<pre>TilesForWidth := RoomWidth DIV 30; IF RoomWidth MOD 30 &gt; 0    THEN TilesForWidth := TilesForWidth + 1; TilesForLength := RoomLength DIV 30; IF RoomLength MOD 30 &gt; 0    THEN TilesForLength := TilesForLength + 1; TilesRequired := TilesForWidth * TilesForLength * 1.1; // +10%</pre>	
		1 mark for calculating tiles for length 1 mark for calculating tiles for width 1 mark for rounding up when needed 1 mark for multiplying TilesForWidth and TilesForLength 1 mark for adding 10% of total tiles required	[5]

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(a) (i) for example: 0 & -1 // TRUE & FALSE // 'O' & 'X'
   (ii) e.g. Pascal
       VAR FloorDesign: ARRAY[1..35, 1..35] OF CHAR;
                                                                 // 2 marks
       (1 mark for correct dimensions, 1 mark for data type to match assignment below)
        FOR i := 1 TO 35 DO
                                                               // 1 mark
                                                               // 1 mark
           FOR j := 1 TO 35 DO
                                                             // 1 mark
               FloorDesign[i,j] := '0';
                                                                                    [5]
(b) NumberOFWhiteTiles ← 0
    NumberOfColourTiles \leftarrow 0
    FOR a ← 1 TO 15
       FOR b ← 1 TO 10
           IF FloorDesign[a,b] = 'X'
              THEN
                  NumberOfColourTiles ← NumberOfColourTiles + 1
              ELSE
                  NumberOfWhiteTiles ← NumberOfWhiteTiles + 1
           ENDIF
       ENDFOR
    ENDFOR
    Mark as follows:
    1 mark for initialisation
    1 mark for loops with correct ranges
    1 mark for correct nesting
    1 mark for testing array element
    1 mark for updating count of coloured tiles
    1 mark for calculating number of white tiles (counting or subtracting)
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5 (a)

a	x	a >= x
13		
	8	
		TRUE
5		
	4	
		TRUE
1		
	2	
		FALSE
	1	
		TRUE
0		
	0.5	

Output: 1 1 0 1

1 mark for each correct column

1 mark for correct output, in this order.

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(b) converts denary number to binary // converts 13 to binary

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