Meaning of (2.5) for an exercise

(2.5) means that providing a solution for an exercise with such a difficulty level might take up to half of the day. Based on the information that can be found in the attached 4thExercises.pdf:

- (1) might take 10 minutes to complete.
- (2) might take 1 hour to complete.
- (3) might take a day to complete.

However, an exercise with the difficulty of (5) could be done in 1.5 hour depending on experience. So these numbers measuring difficulty only rough approximations and can differ from person to person.