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Note to teachers and students on the use of published marking schemes

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Marking schemes are working documents. While a draft marking scheme is prepared in advance of the examination, the scheme is not finalised until examiners have applied it to candidates' work and the feedback from all examiners has been collated and considered in light of the full range of responses of candidates, the overall level of difficulty of the examination and the need to maintain consistency in standards from year to year. This published document contains the finalised scheme, as it was applied to all candidates' work.

In the case of marking schemes that include model solutions or answers, it should be noted that these are not intended to be exhaustive. Variations and alternatives may also be acceptable. Examiners must consider all answers on their merits, and will have consulted with their Advising Examiners when in doubt.

Future Marking Schemes

Assumptions about future marking schemes on the basis of past schemes should be avoided. While the underlying assessment principles remain the same, the details of the marking of a particular type of question may change in the context of the contribution of that question to the overall examination in a given year. The Chief Examiner in any given year has the responsibility to determine how best to ensure the fair and accurate assessment of candidates' work and to ensure consistency in the standard of the assessment from year to year. Accordingly, aspects of the structure, detail and application of the marking scheme for a particular examination are subject to change from one year to the next without notice.

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Paper 1

Structure of the marking scheme

Candidate responses are marked according to different scales, depending on the types of response anticipated. Scales labelled A divide candidate responses into two categories (correct and incorrect), scales labelled B divide responses into three categories (correct, partially correct, and incorrect), and so on. The scales and the marks that they generate on this examination paper are summarised in this table:

Scale label	В	С	D
No of categories	3	4	5
5-mark scale	0, 2, 5	0, 2, 3, 5	0, 2, 3, 4, 5
10-mark scale	0, 5, 10	0, 5, 7, 10	0, 4, 6, 8, 10
15-mark scale		0, 8, 11, 15	0, 7, 9, 12, 15

A general descriptor of each point on each scale is given below. More specific directions in relation to interpreting the scales in the context of each question are given in the scheme, where necessary.

Marking scales - level descriptors

A-scales (two categories)

- incorrect response (no credit)
- correct response (full credit)

B-scales (three categories)

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- partially correct response (partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

C-scales (four categories)

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- response with some merit (low partial credit)
- almost correct response (high partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

D-scales (five categories)

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- response with some merit (low partial credit)
- response about half-right (mid partial credit)
- almost correct response (high partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

In certain cases, typically involving incorrect rounding, omission of units, a misreading that does not oversimplify the work, or an arithmetical error that does not oversimplify the work, a mark that is one mark below the full-credit mark may be awarded. This level of credit is referred to as *Full Credit –1*, and these types of errors are identified with an asterisk (*). Thus, for example, in Scale 10C, *Full Credit –1* of 9 marks may be awarded.

No marks may be awarded other than those on the appropriate scale, and Full Credit -1.

In general, accept a candidate's work in one part of a question for use in subsequent parts of the question, unless this oversimplifies the work involved.

Summary of mark allocations and scales to be applied

Question 2	1 (25)	Question	6 (35)	Question	11 (20)
(a)	15D	(a)	15C	(a)	10C
(b)	10C	(b)	5B	(b)	10C
		(c)	15D		
Question 2	2 (20)			Question	12 (35)
(a)	15D	Question	7 (5)	(a)	5C
(b)	5C	(a), (b)	5D	(b)	5C
				(c)	10B
Question 3	3 (15)	Question	8 (30)	(d)	5D
(a)	5C	(a), (b)	15D	(e)	10D
(b), (c)	10D	(c)	5D		
(-// (-/	-	(d)	10D	Question	13 (15)
Question 4	4 (15)	. ,			15D
(a), (b)(i)	10D	Question	9 (25)		
(b)(ii)	5C	(a)	10C	Question	14 (20)
		(b)	5C	(a), (c)	10D
Question !	5 (25)	(c)	10D	(b)	5B
(a), (b)	15C	()		(d)	5B
(c)	10D	Question	10 (10)		
-		(a)	5B	Question	15 (5)
		(b), (c)	5D		5B

Model Solutions & Marking Notes

Note: The model solutions for each question are not intended to be exhaustive – there may be other correct solutions. Any Examiner unsure of the validity of the approach adopted by a particular candidate to a particular question should contact his / her Advising Examiner.

Q1	Model Solution – 25 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	(i) BMI = $\frac{77.5}{(1.63)^2}$ = 29.169 = 29.2 [1 D.P.] (ii) $w = BMI \times h^2$ = 24 × (1.63) ² = 63.76 = 63.8 [kg] [1 D.P.]	Scale 15D (0, 7, 9, 12, 15) Accept correct answers without work. Accept correct answer without units in (ii). Low Partial Credit Work of merit in one part, for example: some correct substitution into either (i) or (ii). Mid Partial Credit (i) correct. Work of merit in both (i) and (ii). High Partial Credit Swaps 77·5 and 1·63 but finishes correctly. (ii) correct. (ii) correct and work of merit in (ii). Full Credit –1 Apply a * to incorrect rounding the first time it occurs.
(b)	Answer: less than Jo's Justification – accept: Alex is dividing the same top line as Jo by a bigger number. OR $\frac{w}{(h+0\cdot 10)^2} < \frac{w}{h^2}$ or any valid justification	 Scale 10C (0, 5, 7, 10) Low Partial Credit Correct answer. Work of merit in justification, for example: attempts to substitute in particular values to check. High Partial Credit Correct answer with work of merit in justification. Justification fully correct. Full Credit -1 Apply a * if answer given as "Jo's BMI is greater than Alex's"

Q2	Model Solution – 20 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	Profit = $49 - 25 = €24$	Scale 15D (0, 7, 9, 12, 15)
	(i) Mark up $=\frac{24}{25} \times 100 = 96 [\%]$	Accept correct answers without work. Accept correct answer without % sign (96 and 49).
	(ii) Margin $= \frac{24}{49} \times 100$ = 48.9 = $49 [\%]$ [nearest $\%$]	 Low Partial Credit Work of merit in either (i) or (ii), for example: 49 − 25; or something × 100.
		 Mid Partial Credit Work of merit in both (i) and (ii). Either (i) or (ii) correct.
		 High Partial Credit One part correct and work of merit in the other. Both correct as decimals rather than percentages (0.96 and 0.49). Calculates Margin in (i) and Mark up in (ii).
		Full Credit −1Apply a * for incorrect rounding in (ii)
(b)	Markup = 50% = $0.5 = \frac{\text{Profit}}{\text{Cost}}$ ⇒ P = 0.5C ⇒ Selling Price (S) = C + P = 1.5C ⇒ Margin = $\frac{P}{S} = \frac{0.5\text{C}}{1.5\text{C}} = \frac{1}{3}$ = 33[%] [nearest %] OR	Scale 5C (0, 2, 3, 5) Accept correct answer without work. Accept correct answer without % sign (33). Accept justification using particular values. Low Partial Credit Makes relevant use of 50%, for example: 150%, or 1·5, or C = 2P.
	$\frac{\frac{x}{2}}{x + \frac{x}{2}} \times 100 = \frac{1}{3} \times 100$	High Partial Credit • $\frac{1}{3}$, or 0.33, or $0 \cdot \dot{3}$
	= $33\frac{1}{3}$ = $33[\%]$ [nearest %]	 Full Credit −1 Apply a * for incorrect rounding, if not already applied in (a)(ii)

Q3	Model Solution – 15 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$868 \text{ million} = 868 \times 10^{6}$ $= 8.68 \times 10^{2} \times 10^{6}$ $= 8.68 \times 10^{8}$	Scale 5C (0, 2, 3, 5) Accept correct answer without work. Low Partial Credit Some work of merit, for example: 1 000 000, or 8.68. High Partial Credit Correct value but not in correct form, for example: 868 000 000, or 868× 10 ⁶ 8.68 × 10 ² or 8.68 × 10 ⁶
(b), (c)	(b) $1.3 \text{ secs} \rightarrow 380\ 000 \text{ km}$ $1 \text{ sec} \rightarrow \frac{380\ 000}{1.3} \text{ km}$ $1 \text{ min} \rightarrow 60 \times \frac{380\ 000}{1.3} \text{ km}$ $= 1.75 \times 10^7 \text{ [km/min] [2 D.P.]}$ (c) $\frac{8.68 \times 10^8}{1.75 \times 10^7} = 49.6 \text{ [minutes]}$	Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10) Accept correct answers without units. Low Partial Credit Some relevant calculation in either (b) or (c). Mid Partial Credit (b) or (c) correct Some relevant calculation in both (b) and (c). High Partial Credit One part correct and some relevant calculation in the other Correct answers with no supporting work in (c) Full Credit -1 Apply a * for incorrect rounding in (b). Apply a * in (c) if candidate uses values in (c) other than their answer from (b).

Q4	Model Solution – 15 Marks	Marking Notes
(a), (b)(i)	(a) £0·7241 = £1·00 £1 = £ $\frac{1}{0.7241}$ £380 = £ $\frac{380}{0.7241}$ = £524·789 = [£]524·79 [2 D.P.] (b)(i) 3 + 7 = 10 ⇒ Juice in Fruitex = $\frac{3}{10} \times 20$ = 6 [litres]	Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10) Accept correct answers without work. Accept correct answers without units. Low Partial Credit Some relevant calculation in either (a) or (b). Mid Partial Credit Either (a) or (b) correct. Some relevant calculation in both (a) and (b). High Partial Credit Either (a) or (b) correct, and some relevant calculation in the other part. Full Credit -1 Apply a * for incorrect rounding in (a). Apply a * in (b)(i) if the amount of water is found (14 litres), or if 6 and 14 are found but answer is not identified.
(b)(ii)	$7+8=15$ ⇒ Juice in mix $=\frac{7}{15} \times 60$ $=28$ litres ⇒ Juice in Juicy $=28-6=22$ litres ⇒ Water in Juicy $=40-22=18$ litres ⇒ Ratio of juice to water in Juicy $=22:18$ $=11:9$ OR $7:8=15$ [Ratio in mixture] ⇒ $28:32=60$ [Litres in mixture] $-6:14$ [Litres in Fruitex] $=22:18$ [Ratio in Juicy] $=11:9.$ [Ratio in Juicy]	Scale 5C (0, 2, 3, 5) Low Partial Credit Work of merit using the correct ratio, for example: 7 + 8 High Partial Credit Finds 22 litres or 18 litres Correct answer without work Full Credit –1 Apply a * for ratio not in simplest form.

Q5	Model Solution – 25 Marks	Marking Notes
(a),	(a)(i) $20 + (5 \times 12) = [€] 80$	Scale 15C (0, 8, 11, 15)
(b)		Accept correct answers without work.
	(a)(ii) [€] 20 + 12 <i>n</i>	Accept correct answers without units.
		Low Partial Credit
	(b) [€] $15 + 6n$	Work of merit in one of the three parts,
		for example:
		in (a)(i): one relevant calculation; in (a)(ii): $7 + 12n$ (coefficient of n
		correct), or $20 + 9n$ (constant correct)
		High Partial Credit
		Work of merit in (a)(ii) and (b)
		• (a)(ii) or (b) correct

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Q5 Model Solution - 25 Marks **Marking Notes** Interpretation 1, Method 1: (c) Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10) $\frac{1}{4}(12n+20) + \frac{2}{3}(6n+15) = 200$ Accept correct answer without units. Accept solution using interpretation 1 or 3n + 5 + 4n + 10 = 200interpretation 2. 7n + 15 = 200If using trial and improvement, must have 7n = 185supporting work to show that the given $n = \frac{185}{7} = 26.4 \dots$ answer is the smallest number of weeks that is sufficient. i.e. 27 [weeks] OR Consider the solution as having 4 steps: **Step 1**: Sets up correct expression for Interpretation 1, Method 2: either Pete or Maeve. Starts with 5, plus 3 each week Pete: **Step 2**: Sets up correct expressions for Maeve: Starts with 10, plus 4 each week Pete and Maeve; OR Solves correctly for In total: They start with 15, plus 7 each either Pete or Maeve. week **Step 3**: Distributes the fractions correctly $\frac{200-15}{7} = 26.4 \dots$ in equation(s). Step 4: Solves equation(s). i.e. 27 [weeks] OR Low Partial Credit Interpretation 2, Method 1: • 1 step correct. Pete: $\frac{1}{4}(12n + 20) = 200$ • 12n + 20 + 6n + 15 = 200 solved correctly. 12n + 20 = 800• 12n + 20 = 200 and 6n + 15 = 200n = 65 [weeks] both solved correctly. Maeve: $\frac{2}{3}(6n+15) = 200$ Mid Partial Credit • 2 steps correct. 12n + 30 = 600High Partial Credit n = 47.5 3 steps correct. i.e. 48 [weeks] Correct answer, but without supporting OR work to show that it is the smallest Interpretation 2, Method 2: number of weeks that is sufficient. Starts with 5, plus 3 each week Pete: Full Credit -1 $\frac{200-5}{2} = 65$ [weeks] Apply * for incorrect / no rounding. • Apply * if $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{2}{3}$ swapped. Maeve: Starts with 10, plus 4 each week $\frac{200-10}{4} = 47.5$ i.e. 48 [weeks] OR **Either Interpretation, Method 3:** Solution via trial and improvement.

Q6	Model Solution – 35 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Scale 15C (0, 8, 11, 15) Accept correct answer without work. Low Partial Credit 2 regions correct High Partial Credit 4 regions correct, which must include one of W only or S only, in terms of x
(b)	36 + 10 + 16 + (30 - x) = 80 $92 - x = 80$ $x = 12$	 Scale 5B (0, 2, 5) Accept correct answer without work. Partial Credit Work of merit, for example: some relevant use of 80 or x, or solves an incorrect linear equation correctly
(c)	 S1: 8 students have all 3 apps, or equivalent S2: 24 = #(I ∩ S) S3: 10 students have Instagram only, or equivalent S4: #S > #W 	Scale 15D (0, 7, 9, 12, 15) Low Partial Credit Work of merit in one of the four statements. Mid Partial Credit 2 statements correct. High Partial Credit 3 statements correct. Full Credit –1 Apply a * for a missing #, at most once.

Q7	Model Solution – 5 Marks	Marking Notes
(a), (b)	(a) Any two sets A and B for which $A \subset B$, for example: $A = \{1,2,3\}; B = \{1,2,3\}$ OR $A \qquad \qquad b \qquad \qquad b$ or any other valid example (b) Any two sets P and Q for which $P \cap Q = \{\}$, for example: $P = \{1,2,3,4\}; Q = \{5,6,7,8\}$ OR $P \qquad \qquad Q$ or any other valid example	Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5) Low Partial Credit Work of merit in either (a) or (b), for example: in (a), indication of a set fully inside a larger set; in (b), indication of mutually exclusive sets, or some explanation of what's left in P after taking away Q Mid Partial Credit (a) or (b) correct. Work of merit in both (a) and (b). High Partial Credit (a) or (b) correct, and work of merit in the other part.

Q8	Model Solution – 30 Marks	Marking Notes
(a),	(a)	Scale 15D (0, 7, 9, 12, 15)
(b)	Answer: <i>Lecky</i>	Accept 0, 1000 and 50, 325 in (b)
	Reason: Cuts y -axis at $(0,0)$	Low Partial Credit
	OR	Work of merit in either (a) or (b), for a properties (a) are properties.
	b(x) starts at 50	for example: in (a), answer or reason correct; in (b), domain or range correct
	or any other valid reason	but in the wrong box; or a pair of values
		in either box with minimum or maximum
	(b)	correct.
	Domain: $0 \le x \le 1000$	Mid Partial Credit
	Range: $50 \le l(x) \le 325$	Work of merit in both (a) and (b)Either (a) or (b) correct
		High Partial Credit
		Either (a) or (b) correct, and work of merit in the other part.
		Full Credit –1
		Apply a * to 275 given as the range in (b)
(c)	(i) $100 < x < 800$	Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5)
	OR	Accept tolerance of ± 20 in (i)
	"Between 100 and 800"	Note that answer to (i) must be in a valid form.
	OR	Low Partial Credit
	(100,800)	Work of merit in either (i) or (ii), for example:
	(ii) "Buzz is cheaper if the number of	in (i), 100 or 800 identified on graph;
	units used is between these two	or relevant region of graph identified;
	values."	in (ii), explanation of some merit.
	or any other valid explanation	Mid Partial CreditEither (i) or (ii) correct.
		 Either (i) or (ii) correct. Work of merit in both (i) and (ii).
		High Partial Credit
		Either (i) or (ii) correct, and work of merit in the other part.

Q8	Model Solution – 30 Marks	Marking Notes
(d)	(i) Slope $=\frac{325-50}{1000-0}$ $=\frac{275}{1000}$ or 0.275 or $\frac{11}{40}$ (ii) "The cost of electricity rises by $\notin 0.275$ for every one unit increase of usage." or any other valid explanation	Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10) Accept: "each unit costs €0·275", or equivalent, in (ii) Low Partial Credit • Work of merit in either (i) or (ii), for example: in (i), uses diagram to show understanding of slope; or Rise Run with some substitution; or 11/20; in (ii), explanation of some merit. Mid Partial Credit • Either (i) or (ii) correct. • Work of merit in both (i) and (ii). High Partial Credit • Either (i) or (iii) correct, and work of
		Either (i) or (ii) correct, and work of merit in the other part.

Q9	Model Solution – 25 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-4)}}{2(1)}$ $x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{20}}{2}$ $x = 1 \pm \sqrt{5}$	Scale 10C (0, 5, 7, 10) Accept " $1 + \sqrt{5}$ and $1 - \sqrt{5}$ ". Consider the solution as having 3 steps: Step 1: Identifies a , or b , or c . Step 2: Full correct substitution into the quadratic formula. Step 3: Evaluates the quadratic formula.
(b)	$(c + \sqrt{d})^{2}$ $= (c + \sqrt{d}) \cdot (c + \sqrt{d})$ $= c^{2} + c\sqrt{d} + c\sqrt{d} + (\sqrt{d})^{2}$	Low Partial Credit • 1 step High Partial Credit • 2 steps • Correct answer without work Full Credit -1 • Apply a * for the correct answer not in surd form $(-1.236 \dots \text{ and } 3.236 \dots)$ Scale 5C (0, 2, 3, 5) Low Partial Credit • $(c + \sqrt{d}) \cdot (c + \sqrt{d})$ • c^2
	$= c^2 + 2c\sqrt{d} + d$	• $c\sqrt{d}$ High Partial Credit • $c^2 + c\sqrt{d} + c\sqrt{d} + \left(\sqrt{d}\right)^2$
(c)	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10) Note that 12 answers are required. Low Partial Credit 4 answers correct Mid Partial Credit 1 row or 1 column fully correct High Partial Credit 2 rows or 2 columns fully correct

Q10	Model Solution – 10 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$2^{3+5+10} = 2^{18}$	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5) Accept correct answer without work. No Credit Evaluates the given number. Partial Credit Work of merit involving indices, for example: 18, 28, 213, 215
(b), (c)	(b) $8^{25} = (2^3)^{25} = 2^{75}$	Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5) Accept correct answer without work for both parts.
(6)	(c) $\sqrt{8} = (2^3)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 2^{\frac{3}{2}}$ or $2^{1\cdot 5}$	 No Credit Evaluates the given number. Low Partial Credit Work of merit in either (b) or (c) involving indices, for example: 8 written as 2³ in (b) or (c); or a square root written as a power of 1/2 in (c). Mid Partial Credit Either (b) or (c) correct. Work of merit in both (b) and (c). High Partial Credit Either (b) or (c) correct, and work of merit in the other part.

Q11	Model Solution – 20 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$116 - 40 = 76$ $\frac{76}{4} = 19$ $40 - 19 = 21$ $40 + 19 = 59, \text{ etc.}$ Answer: 21, 40, 59, 78, 97, 116	 Scale 10C (0, 5, 7, 10) Accept correct answer without work. Low Partial Credit Applies knowledge of linear sequences, for example: 116–40, or indicates a common difference. High Partial Credit Finds or uses 19. Uses ⁷⁶/_n (for n ∈ N, n ≠ 4) and finishes correctly from one of the given values.
(b)	1st differences:	Scale 10C (0, 5, 7, 10) Accept correct answer without work. Accept correct sequence not written in answer boxes. Low Partial Credit Finds 2 first differences of given sequence. High Partial Credit Finds all 2nd differences of given sequence. Identifies 2 as the correct 2nd difference.

Q12	Model Solution – 35 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$(n-2)(n-9)$ OR n n n -2 $-2n$ So $(n-2)(n-9)$ OR $n^{2}-11n+18$ $= n^{2}-9n-2n+18$ $= n(n-9)-2(n-9)$ $= (n-9)(n-2)$	Scale 5C (0, 2, 3, 5) Accept correct answer without work. Low Partial Credit Work of merit, for example: (n-2) or (n-9), or any pair of factors of 18, or n²-9n-2n+18. Some correct substitution into the quadratic formula High Partial Credit Factors which multiply to give 2 correct coefficients of the given expression, including the signs, for example: (n+2)(n+9), or (n-5)(n-6). n(n-9)-2(n-9) Solves n²-11n+18 = 0 (without factorising).
(b)	y(w-1) + 1(w-1) = $(w-1)(y+1)$ or $(1$ OR $w(y+1) - 1(y+1)$ = $(y+1)(w-1)$ or $(1$	Work of merit, for example: a common factor identified from given expression High Partial Credit
(c)		Scale 10B (0, 5, 10) Accept correct answer without work Partial Credit • $3(4) - 2$ or $6(4) - 12$
(d)	$\frac{(2e-3)(2e+3)}{(2e-3)(e+3)}$ $= \frac{(2e+3)}{(e+3)}$	Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5) Low Partial Credit Work of merit in either numerator or denominator Mid Partial Credit Numerator or denominator factorised correctly High Partial Credit Numerator or denominator factorised correctly, and work of merit in the other

Q12	Model So	lution – 35 N	Marks		Marking Notes
(e)	Method 1	L:			Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10)
	(x -	$-3)(ax^2 + b^2)$	bx + c)		Accept $2x^2 - 7x + 4$ as answer. Low Partial Credit
	$= ax^3 + bx^2 + cx - 3ax^2 - 3bx - 3c$			3bx - 3c	 Multiplication set up (Method 1) Division set up (Method 2)
	x^3 term:				• Array set up (Method 3) with either $2x^3$ or -12 placed correctly
	constant: x^2 term:	c = 4 $b - 3a =$	_13		Mid Partial Credit1 coefficient correct
	z tem.		+ 3(2) = -	-7	High Partial Credit • 2 coefficients correct
		0	R		Correct answer without work
	Method 2				
	$2x^2 - 7x + 4$				
	$x - 3\sqrt{2x^3 - 13x^2 + 25x - 12}$				
	$\frac{2x^3 - 6x^2}{2}$				
	$-7x^2 + 25x - 12$				
		$-7x^2 + 2$	$\frac{1x}{4x - 12}$		
			$\frac{1x}{4x - 12}$		
			0		
	\Rightarrow $a =$	2, b = -7,	c = 4		
		0	R		
	Method 3:				
	$\begin{vmatrix} 2x^2 & -7x & 4 \end{vmatrix}$		4		
	x	$2x^3$	$-7x^{2}$	4 <i>x</i>	
	-3 $-6x^2$ $21x$ -12		-12		
	$\Rightarrow a = 2, b = -7, c = 4$				

Q13 Model Solution – 15 Marks

Marking Notes

Scale 15D (0, 7, 9, 12, 15)

Points on y = x - 1 are (-2, -3) and (2, 1).

Low Partial Credit

4 y
3 - 2 -1 1 2 x

 Work of merit for 1 graph, for example: 1 point found, with supporting work; or y-intercept correct; or slope correct for line; or two points correct on graph.

Mid Partial Credit

- 1 correct graph **and** work of merit on 1 other graph.
- Work of merit on all 3 graphs.

High Partial Credit

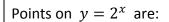
- 2 correct graphs and work of merit on 3rd
- 5 points plotted for all 3 graphs

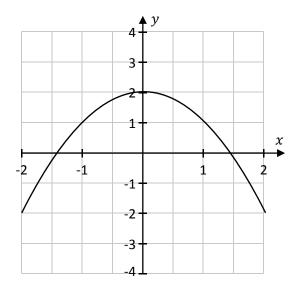
Full Credit -1

• Apply a * for one point incorrectly plotted

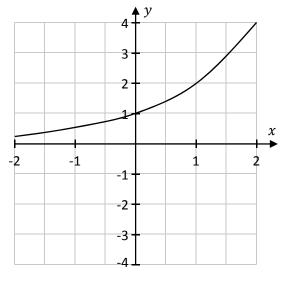
Points on $y = 2 - x^2$ are: (-2,-2); (-1,1); (0,2); (1,1); (2,-2).

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(-2,0.25); (-1,0.5); (0,1); (1,2); (2,4).



Q14	Model So	olution – 20 Marks	Marking Notes
(a), (c)	` '	$60 + 180 = 540^{\circ}$ $40 + 180 = 720^{\circ}$	Scale 10D (0, 4, 6, 8, 10) Accept correct answers without units
	4	$\frac{0}{0} = 90^{\circ}$	(degree symbol).Low Partial Credit1 of the 5 values correct.
	3	$\frac{0}{0} = 108^{\circ}$ $\frac{0}{0} = 120^{\circ}$	Mid Partial Credit ■ (a) or (c) correct.
			 High Partial Credit (a) or (c) correct, and 1 value correct in the other part.
(b)	18	30(n-2) [degrees]	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5)
		OR	Accept correct answer without units.
	18	30n - 360 [degrees]	Accept correct formula in words.
			 Partial Credit Work of merit, for example: 180n, or 360n - 360.
(d)		$\frac{0(n-2)}{n} \text{ [degrees]}$ OR $\frac{0n-360}{n} \text{ [degrees]}$	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5) Accept correct answer without units. Accept correct formula in words. Partial Credit Work of merit, for example: $\frac{k}{n}$, $k \in \mathbb{R}$.

Q15	Model Solution – 5 Marks	Marking Notes
	Answer: C	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5)
	Reason: Some x values have more than one y value or any other valid reason	 Partial Credit C identified as answer Shows understanding of the relevant feature of a function, for example: vertical line drawn.

Paper 2

Structure of the marking scheme

Candidate responses are marked according to different scales, depending on the types of response anticipated. Scales labelled A divide candidate responses into two categories (correct and incorrect), scales labelled B divide responses into three categories (correct, partially correct, and incorrect), and so on. The scales and the marks that they generate are summarised in this table:

Scale label	А	В	С	D
No of categories	2	3	4	5
5-mark scale	0, 5	0, 2, 5	0, 2, 3, 5	0, 2, 3, 4, 5
10-mark scale		0, 4, 10	0, 4, 6, 10	0, 3, 5, 7, 10
15-mark scale			0, 5, 10, 15	0, 5, 8, 10, 15

A general descriptor of each point on each scale is given below. More specific directions in relation to interpreting the scales in the context of each question are given in the scheme, where necessary.

Marking scales - level descriptors

A-scales (two categories)

- incorrect response (no credit)
- correct response (full credit)

B-scales (three categories)

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- partially correct response (partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

C-scales (four categories)

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- response with some merit (low partial credit)
- almost correct response (high partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

D-scales (five categories)

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- response with some merit (low partial credit)
- response about half-right (mid partial credit)
- almost correct response (high partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

In certain cases, typically involving incorrect rounding, omission of units, a misreading that does not oversimplify the work, or an arithmetical error that does not oversimplify the work, a mark that is one mark below the full-credit mark may be awarded. This level of credit is referred to as *Full Credit –1*, and these types of errors are identified with an asterisk (*). Thus, for example, in Scale 10C, *Full Credit –1* of 9 marks may be awarded.

No marks may be awarded other than those on the appropriate scale, and Full Credit -1.

In general, accept a candidate's work in one part of a question for use in subsequent parts of the question, unless this oversimplifies the work involved.

Summary of mark allocations and scales to be applied

Question 1 (10)		Question	n 5 (30)	Questio	n 9 (35)
	10D	(a), (b)	15C	(a)	10B
		(c)	5A	(b)	10C
Question	2 (20)	(d)	10C	(c)	15D
(a) (b)	10C 10D	Questior	n 6 (30)	Questio	n 10 (25)
(3)		(a), (b)	15D	(a)	10C
Question	3 (20)	(c) (d)	10C 5B	(b) (c)	5D 5D
(a), (b)	15D	(u)	36	(d)	5D
(c)	5D	Question	n 7 (15)		n 11 /20\
Question	4 (45)		15D	Question 11 (2	
(a) (b), (c)	10B 15D	Question	n 8 (35)	(a) (b) (c)	10D 5C 5B
(d)(i), (ii) (d)(iii)	10C 10C	(a)(i) (a)(ii) (b)	10C 10C	Questio	n 12 (15)
		(b)	15D	(a) (b)	10C 5D

Model Solutions & Marking Notes

Note: The model solutions for each question are not intended to be exhaustive – there may be other correct solutions. Any Examiner unsure of the validity of the approach adopted by a particular candidate to a particular question should contact his / her Advising Examiner.

Model Solution – 10 Marks	Marking Notes
В	Scale 10D (0, 3, 5, 7, 10)
D	Accept D as rotation for up to High Partial
С	Credit, but not for Full Credit
Α	Low Partial Credit
	• 1 correct
	Mid Partial Credit
	• 2 correct
	High Partial Credit ■ 3 correct
	B D C

Q2	Model Solution – 20 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	Construction presented, with all necessary construction lines.	Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Tolerance: ±2 mm Low Partial Credit • [AB] divided in 3 equal parts, with no construction lines • Ray from A or B, with points X, Y, and Z within tolerance • Complete sketch High Partial Credit • Points X, Y and Z within tolerance and finished outside tolerance
(b)	Let $ AD = h$ and $ AB = 5a$. Area rectangle $= 5ah$ Left-hand shaded area: $ah + \frac{1}{2} \times 2a \times h = 2ah$ Right-hand shaded area: $ah + \frac{1}{2} \times a \times h = 1.5ah$ % shaded $= \frac{3.5ah}{5ah} \times 100 = 70$ [%] OR Unshaded region: $\frac{1}{2} \times 2a \times h + \frac{1}{2} \times a \times h = 1.5ah$ % shaded $= \frac{3.5ah}{5ah} \times 100 = 70$ [%]	Scale 10D (0, 3, 5, 7, 10) Accept correct answer without % sign (70) Accept solutions where particular dimensions of shape are chosen (as long as these are consistent with the question) Low Partial Credit • Finds the area (or the percentage or fraction of the total area) of a relevant shape • Correct formula with relevant substitution Mid Partial Credit • Finds the area of one of the shaded regions High Partial Credit • Finds the area of both shaded regions • Finds the area of the unshaded region • Correct answer without work Full Credit -1 • Apply a * if the answer is not given as a percentage, for example 0.7 or 70/100

Q3	Mod	del Solution – 20 Marks	Marking Notes
(a), (b)	(a) (b)	$\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 = \frac{4}{3}\pi (6)^3$ $= 288\pi \text{ [mm}^3\text{]}$ Volume of large sphere: $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 = \frac{4}{3}\pi (25)^3$	Scale 15D (0, 5, 8, 10, 15) In (a), accept correct answer without units Low Partial Credit Substitutes radius into correct formula Relevant division
		$=\frac{62500}{3}\pi \text{ [mm}^3\text{]}$	Mid Partial CreditVolume of one sphere correct
		Number of ball bearings: $\frac{62500}{3} \div 288 = 72 \cdot 3 \dots$ i.e. 73	High Partial Credit • Volumes of both spheres correct • One error and finishes correctly, for example $4\pi r^2$ or $k\pi r^3$ (where $k\in\mathbb{Q}$, $k\neq\frac{4}{3}$) used instead of $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$ • Correct answers without work
			 Full Credit –1 Apply a * if the answer in (a) is not in terms of π Apply a * if there is no rounding or incorrect rounding in (b)
(c)		$\frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 = 350 \times 288\pi$	Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5)
		$R^3 = 75600$ R = 42.2 = 42 [mm] [nearest mm]	Accept correct answer without units Accept a candidate's volume formula from (a) and (b) for <i>Full Credit</i> here, as long as it involves a power of <i>R</i> greater than 1. If the power of <i>R</i> is 1, award at most <i>High Parital Credit</i> .
			Low Partial Credit • $350 \times 288\pi$ • Forms an equation using $\frac{4}{3}\pi R^3$
			Mid Partial Credit • Forms correct equation using $\frac{4}{3}\pi R^3$
			 High Partial Credit Finds R³ One error and finishes correctly Correct answer without work
			 Full Credit −1 Apply a * if there is no rounding or incorrect rounding, if a * has not been applied for incorrect rounding in (b)

Q4	Model Solution – 45 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$8 + 39 = 47$ $\Rightarrow p = 7$	Scale 10B (0, 4, 10) Accept correct answer without work Partial Credit Work of merit for range Full Credit - 1 Apply a * if p = 47 instead of 7
(b), (c)	(b)(i) 19 [copies] (b)(ii) $\frac{17+1}{2}$ = 9th value, i.e. median = 21 [copies] (c) $\frac{431}{17}$ = 25·35 = 25·4 [copies] [1 D.P.]	Scale 15D (0, 5, 8, 10, 15) Accept correct answers without work Accept correct answers without units Low Partial Credit Work of merit in the relevant part 1 value correct (mode, median, or mean), but in the wrong part Mid Partial Credit 1 part correct ((b)(i), (b)(ii), or (c)) High Partial Credit 2 parts correct All 3 values correct, 1 in the correct part and the other 2 swapped Full Credit –1 Apply a * for no rounding or incorrect rounding in (c)
(d) (i), (ii)	(i) 19 [copies] (ii) $\frac{18+1}{2} = 9.5$ th value, i.e. median = $\frac{21+25}{2}$ = 23 [copies]	Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Accept correct answers without work Accept correct answers without units Low Partial Credit Work of merit in (ii) 1 value correct (mode or median), but in the wrong part High Partial Credit 1 part correct ((i) or (ii))
(d) (iii)	18-week total = $18 \times 28.5 = 513$ 18th week = $513 - 431$ = 82 [copies]	Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Accept correct answers without units Low Partial Credit Work of merit for mean High Partial Credit Total number of copies for 18 weeks (513) One error and finishes correctly Correct answer without work

Q5	Model Solution – 30 Marks	Marking Notes
(a), (b)	 (a) Any three even positive numbers, for example: 2, 4, 6. (b) 1 - ²/₇ = ⁵/₇ or 0.71 	Scale 15C (0, 5, 10, 15) Accept correct answers without work Low Partial Credit Work of merit in (a) or (b) High Partial Credit (a) or (b) correct Work of merit in (a) and (b)
(c)	The total number of pens must be a mult	
(d)	Ratio red : blue : green = 2: 5: $\frac{7}{3}$ $\therefore P(\text{blue}) = \frac{5}{9\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{15}{28}$ OR $P(\text{blue}) = \frac{5}{7} \times 75\% = \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{3}{4} = \frac{15}{28}$ OR Trial and improvement:	 Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Low Partial Credit Mention of 75% or 3/4 Work of merit for trial and improvement, for example: mentions 2 and 5; 7/28; 21/28 High Partial Credit
	1 7 (2 + 5) 2 14 (4 + 10)	• Finds $[x =] \frac{7}{3}$ or finds $9\frac{1}{3}$ • Finds ratio of blue to green (for example, 15 and 7), or finds ratio of blue to total (for example, 15 and 28) • Correct answer without work Full Credit -1 • Apply a * for the answer not given as a fraction in its simplest form

Q6	Model Solution – 30 Marks	Marking Notes
(a), (b)	(a) $\frac{96+90}{360} = \frac{186}{360}$ or $\frac{31}{60}$ or equivalent (b) 160 150 170 120	Scale 15D (0, 5, 8, 10, 15) 5 answers are required for (a) and (b) combined
	96° 90° 102° 72° 90° → 150	In (b), accept answers without units (degree symbol) Low Partial Credit Work of merit, for example mention
	$\Rightarrow 360^{\circ} \rightarrow 150 \times 4 = 600$ $\Rightarrow 96^{\circ} \rightarrow \frac{96}{360} \times 600 = 160$ $170 \rightarrow \frac{170}{600} \times 360 = 102^{\circ}$	of 96 + 90 or 360 Mid Partial Credit • 2 correct answers
	$600 - (160 + 150 + 170) = 120$ $360 - (96 + 90 + 102) = 72^{\circ}$	 High Partial Credit 3 correct answers 5 correct answers, but with no supporting work for (b)
(c)	Any questions relating to eating or exercise that would generate each type of data, for example: Numerical continuous: What volume of water do you drink each day?	Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Low Partial Credit Work of merit in one question, for example: a question that would generate numerical data for one of the first 2 questions; or a question that would generate categorical
	Numerical discrete: How many press-ups can you do in 30 seconds?	[ordinal] data for the third question High Partial Credit • 2 questions correct
	Categorical nominal: Which do you prefer, pizza or salad?	 Full Credit −1 Apply a * to a question that is not about eating or exercise, the first time it occurs.
(d)	OR So that the results aren't biased OR So that results will apply to the whole population instead of just the sample or any other valid explanation	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5) Partial Credit • Answer of some merit, for example refers to accuracy / inaccuracy of results

Q7	Model Solution – 15 Marks	Marking Notes
	Diagram:	Scale 15D (0, 5, 8, 10, 15)
	140 cm 4 shoes h	Accept correct answer without units Diagram(s) not necessary for Full Credit Low Partial Credit • Draws 1 labelled diagram (with 2 relevant labels) Mid Partial Credit • Sets up one ratio correctly
	$\frac{h}{30} = \frac{140}{4}$ $\Rightarrow h = 30 \times \frac{140}{4} = 1050 \text{ cm}$	 Solves correctly from incorrect ratios High Partial Credit Sets up correct equation Correct answer without work
	= 10·5 [m]	 Full Credit -1 Apply a * if the answer is given in cm Apply a * if the answer is calculated using trigonometric ratios (for example, using tan)

Q8	Model Solution – 35 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)(i)	$cos Y = \frac{10}{12}$ $Y = cos^{-1} \frac{10}{12}$ $= 33.557^{\circ} = 33.6^{\circ} [1 \text{ D.P.}]$ OR $ BC = \sqrt{12^{2} - 10^{2}} = 2\sqrt{11}$ $tan Y = \frac{2\sqrt{11}}{10} \text{ or } sin Y = \frac{2\sqrt{11}}{12}$ $Y = tan^{-1} \frac{2\sqrt{11}}{10} \text{ or } sin^{-1} \frac{2\sqrt{11}}{12}$ $= 33.557^{\circ} = 33.6^{\circ} [1 \text{ D.P.}]$ OR $sin \angle ACB = \frac{10}{12}$ $ \angle ACB = sin^{-1} \frac{10}{12} = 56.4426^{\circ}$ $Y = 180^{\circ} - 90^{\circ} - 56.4426^{\circ}$ $= 33.5574^{\circ} = 33.6^{\circ} [1 \text{ D.P.}]$	 Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Accept answer given in radians or gradients Low Partial Credit A trigonometric ratio with some correct substitution Incorrect trigonometric ratio, for example tan Y = 10/12, and finishes correctly High Partial Credit cos Y = 10/12 or equivalent ∠ACB correct (56·4°) Correct answer without work Full Credit -1 Apply a * if the units (for example, degree symbol) are incorrect or omitted Apply a * for no rounding or incorrect rounding

Q8	Model Solution –	35 Marks		Marking Notes
(b)	Method 1:			Scale 15D (0, 5, 8, 10, 15)
	$ \angle PRQ $	= 22°	Step 1	Accept work without reasons for Full
	∠Q internal	$= 180 - 2 \times 22$		Credit
		= 136°	Step 2	Accept up to step 3 without work in
	∠Q external	= 360 - 136	Chair 2	Method 1
		= 224°	Step 3	Low Partial Credit
	 ∠ <i>T</i>	$=\frac{224}{2}=112^{\circ}$	Step 4	 Indication that the sum of the angles in a triangle is 180°
		OR		Indication that the angle at the centre
	Method 2:			of a circle is twice the angle at the
	Extend PQ to a	$oldsymbol{n}$ point $oldsymbol{M}$ on $oldsymbol{k}$ and jo	oin	circumference standing on the same
	R to M.		Step 1	arc
	<i>∠PRM</i>	= 90°		• 1 step correct
	$ \angle PRQ $	= 22°	Step 2	Mid Partial Credit
	$ \angle QRM $	$= 90^{\circ} - 22^{\circ}$		• 2 steps correct
		= 68°		High Partial Credit
	$ \angle RMQ $	= 68°	Step 3	• 3 steps correct
	<i>∠T</i>	$= 180 - 68^{\circ}$		Correct answer without work
		= 112°	Step 4	Full Credit –1
				Apply a * if the units are incorrect or
				omitted, if a * has not been applied for incorrect or omitted units in (a)(i)
				ior incorrect or ornitted units in (a)(i)

Q9	Model Solution – 35 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	Axiom Corollary Proof	Scale 10B (0, 4, 10) Partial Credit 1 correct
(b)	(i) "it must be a square"(ii) Answer: FalseJustification:	Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Part (b) requires 3 answers: completing the converse in (i); the answer in (ii); and the reason in (ii). Low Partial Credit
	A rectangle has 4 right angles but might not be a square or any other valid justification	 1 answer correct High Partial Credit 2 answers correct

Q9	Model Solution – 35 Marks	Marking Notes
(c)	Step 1:	Scale 15D (0, 5, 8, 10, 15)
	Diagram:	Accept proof without reasons for up to <i>High Partial Credit</i> .
	D	Proof must have both reasons to achieve Full Credit.
		Accept proof without Step 3 for Full Credit.
		Accept Step 1 with "To Prove" not filled in, or filled in incorrectly.
		If "To Prove" is filled in correctly in Step 1, accept Steps 1, 2, and 4 for Full Credit.
	Given:	Steps must be in a logical order to be considered correct.
	Parallelogram ABCD.	Low Partial Credit • Diagram (including diagonal drawn)
	To Prove:	Mid Partial Credit
	AB = CD and $ BC = AD $	• 2 steps correct
		High Partial Credit
	Construction:	• 3 steps correct
	Join A to C with a line segment.	
	Step 2:	
	Proof:	
	$ \angle CAB = \angle ACD $ and $ \angle ACB = \angle CAD $	
	Reason: Alternate angle theorem	
	Step 3:	
	[AC] is common to both triangles	
	Step 4:	
	ΔACD is congruent to ΔCAB	
	Reason: ASA	
	Step 5:	
	$\therefore AB = CD \text{ and } BC = AD $	

Q10	Model Solution – 25 Marks	Marking Notes	
Note:	: Work on the diagram can be awarded credit in at most one part.		
(a)	A (2,1) B (10,2) C (4,5)	Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Low Partial Credit 1 correct All three reversed (y, x) High Partial Credit 2 correct Full Credit -1 Apply a * if the points are incorrectly labelled Apply a * if just 1 of the 6 ordinates is incorrect	
(b)	Using slopes: Slope $[AC] = \frac{5-1}{4-2} = 2$ Slope $[BC] = \frac{5-2}{4-10} = \frac{3}{-6} = -\frac{1}{2}$ Product of slopes = $(2)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -1$ \Rightarrow right angle at C OR Using Pyth Thm: $ AC = \sqrt{2^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{20}$ $ BC = \sqrt{3^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{45}$ $ AB = \sqrt{1^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{65}$ $(\sqrt{65})^2 = (\sqrt{20})^2 + (\sqrt{45})^2$	 Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5) Low Partial Credit Correct relevant formula (for example, for slope or distance, or Pythagoras Theorem) with some relevant substitution Indication of property of slopes of perpendicular lines Indicates that the angle in a semi-circle is 90° Mid Partial Credit Slope of AC or BC correct Finds lengths of 2 sides Constructs a semi-circle with diameter [AB] High Partial Credit Slope of AC and BC correct 	
	So $ AB ^2 = AC ^2 + BC ^2$	Finds length of 3 sidesOne error and finishes correctly	

Mathematics Higher Level

Q10 | Model Solution – 25 Marks

Marking Notes

Note: Work on the diagram can be awarded credit in at most one part.

(c)

$$|AC| = \sqrt{2^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{20}$$

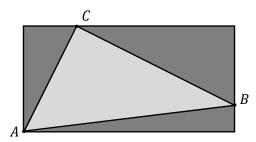
 $|BC| = \sqrt{3^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{45}$

Area =
$$\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{20} \times \sqrt{45}$$

= 15

OR

Construct rectangle as below, containing A, B, and C:



Area rectangle = $8 \times 4 = 32$

Area 3 small triangles

$$= \frac{1}{2}(8 \times 1) + \frac{1}{2}(6 \times 3) + \frac{1}{2}(4 \times 2)$$

$$= 4 + 9 + 4 = 17$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 Area $ABC = 32 - 17 = 15$

Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5)

Low Partial Credit

• Correct formula with relevant substitution

Mid Partial Credit

- Finds |AC| or |BC|
- Area of rectangle correct
- Area of 1 of the 3 small triangles correct

High Partial Credit

- Area of rectangle and 1 small triangle correct
- Finds |AC| and |BC|

Q10	Model Solution – 25 Marks	Marking Notes
Note:	Work on the diagram can be awarded cr	edit in at most one part.
(d)	$ AB = \sqrt{1^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{65}$ $\frac{1}{2} \times AB \times CD = 15$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{65} \times CD = 15$ $\Rightarrow CD = \frac{15 \times 2}{\sqrt{65}}$ $= \frac{30}{\sqrt{65}} \text{ or } \frac{6\sqrt{65}}{13}$ OR Equation of AB : $y - 1 = \frac{1}{8}(x - 2)$ Equation of DC : $y - 5 = -8(x - 4)$ D (point of intersection of these): $4 = \frac{1}{8}x - \frac{1}{4} + 8x - 32$ i.e. $65x = 290$ so $x = \frac{58}{13}$ and $y = \frac{17}{13}$ So $ CD = \sqrt{\left(4 - \frac{58}{13}\right)^2 + \left(5 - \frac{17}{13}\right)^2}$ $= \frac{30}{\sqrt{65}} \text{ or } \frac{6\sqrt{65}}{13}$	 Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5) Low Partial Credit Correct formula with relevant substitution Mid Partial Credit Equations of AB and CD correct High Partial Credit ½ x √65 x CD = 15 Correct answer without work Coordinates of D correctly found (58/13, 17/13) One error and finishes correctly Full Credit −1 Apply a * if the answer is not given in surd form

Q11	Model Solution – 20 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	r t q $y = 2x - 3$	Scale 10D (0, 3, 5, 7, 10) Accept correct answers without work Low Partial Credit 1 line correct 1 aspect of equation correct (slope or y-intercept) Mid Partial Credit 2 lines correct Equation correct High Partial Credit 3 lines correct Equation correct and 1 line correct
(b)	2x + 3 = x - 3 $x = -6$ $y = -6 - 3 = -9$ Ans: $(-6, -9)$ $0R$ E2: $y = 2x + 3$ E1× (-1) : $-y = -x + 3$ $0 = x + 6$ $x = -6$ $y = -6 - 3 = -9$ Ans: $(-6, -9)$	 Scale 5C (0, 2, 3, 5) Low Partial Credit Some work of merit in solving the simultaneous equations algebraically, for example 2x + 3 = x - 3; or one equation rearranged Correct answer without work High Partial Credit 1 value correct (x = -6 or y = -9) with supporting algebraic work One error and finishes correctly Correct answer subbed into both equations
(c)	3+3=6	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5) Accept correct answer without work Partial Credit • Work of merit, for example: vertical line drawn to cut r and t; or y intercepts correct; or correct distance formula with relevant substitution Full Credit -1 • Apply a * if x-intercepts are used instead of y-intercepts

Q12	Model Solution – 15 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$\sin 60^{\circ} = \frac{x}{10}$ $\Rightarrow x = 10 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 5\sqrt{3} \text{ [units]}$	 Scale 10C (0, 4, 6, 10) Accept correct answer without units Low Partial Credit A trigonometric ratio with some correct substitution Incorrect trigonometric ratio, for example tan 60° = 10/x, and finishes correctly High Partial Credit sin 60° = x/10, or equivalent (for example, x/10 = √3/2) One error and finishes correctly Correct answer without work Full Credit -1 Apply a * if the answer is not in surd form Apply a * if the calculator is in the incorrect mode

Q12	Model Solution – 15 Marks	Marking Notes
(b)	Using 6 equilateral triangles:	Scale 5D (0, 2, 3, 4, 5)
	$6 \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times \text{height}\right)$	Accept correct answer without units
	$= 6 \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 5\sqrt{3}\right)$	Low Partial Credit
	$= 6 \times 25\sqrt{3}$	Breaks one equilateral triangle in halfInscribes hexagon in relevant rectangle
	$= 150\sqrt{3} \text{ [square units]}$	Correct formula with relevant substitution
	OR	Finds the base of the triangle in (a)
	10 60°	Mid Partial CreditGets area of a relevant triangleGets area of a relevant rectangle
		 High Partial Credit One error and finishes correctly Correct answer without work
		Full Credit −1 • Apply a * if the answer is not given in the form $a\sqrt{3}$, where $a \in \mathbb{N}$, if a * has not
	Inscribe hexagon in rectangle of width	been applied for an answer not in surd form in (a).
	$2 \times 10 = 20$ and height $2x = 10\sqrt{3}$:	, ,
	Area rect $-4 \times$ area tri from (a)	
	$= (20 \times 10\sqrt{3}) - 4 \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times 5\sqrt{3}\right)$	
	$= 200\sqrt{3} - 50\sqrt{3}$	
	$=$ $150\sqrt{3}$ [square units]	

Marcanna Breise as ucht freagairt trí Ghaeilge

Léiríonn an tábla thíos an méid marcanna breise ba chóir a bhronnadh ar iarrthóirí a ghnóthaíonn níos mó ná 75% d'iomlán na marcanna.

N.B. Ba chóir marcanna de réir an ghnáthráta a bhronnadh ar iarrthóirí nach ngnóthaíonn níos mó ná 75% d'iomlán na marcanna don scrúdú. Ba chóir freisin an marc bónais sin **a shlánú síos**.

Tábla 300 @ 5%

Bain úsáid as an tábla seo i gcás na n-ábhar a bhfuil 300 marc san iomlán ag gabháil leo agus inarb é 5% gnáthráta an bhónais.

Bain úsáid as an ngnáthráta i gcás 225 marc agus faoina bhun sin. Os cionn an mharc sin, féach an tábla thíos.

Bunmharc	Marc Bónais
226	11
227 - 233	10
234 - 240	9
241 - 246	8
247 - 253	7
254 - 260	6

Bunmharc	Marc Bónais
261 - 266	5
267 - 273	4
274 - 280	3
281 - 286	2
287 - 293	1
294 - 300	0