June 2006 6683 Statistics S1 Mark Scheme

| Question Number | Scheme | Marks |
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| 1(a) | Indicates max / median / min / upper quartile/ lower quartile (2 or more) Indicates outliers (or equivalent description) Illustrates skewness (or equivalent description e.g. shape) Any 3 rows Allows comparisons Indicates range / IQR / spread | B1 B1 B1 |
| (b)(i) (ii) | 37 (minutes) Upper quartile or Q_3 or third quartile or 75^{th} percentile or P_{75} | (3) B1 B1 (2) |
| (c) | Outlier s How to calculate correctly 'Observations that are very different from the other observations and need to be treated with caution' These two children probably walked / took a lot longer Any 2 | B1 B1 (2) |
| (d) | $ \begin{array}{c c} & & & \\ & & & &$ | |
| | Box & median & whiskers Sensible scale 30,37,50 25,55 | M1 B1 B1 B1 (4) |
| (e) | Children from school A generally took less time Any correct 4 lines 50% of B \leq 37 mins, 75% of A < 37 mins (similarly for 30) Median/Q1/Q3 of A < median/Q1/Q3 of B (1 or more) A has outliers, (B does not) Both positive skew IQR of A <iqr a="" b,="" of="" range="">range of B</iqr> | |
| | | (4) Total 15 |

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| 2. (a) | P(both longer than 24.5) = $\frac{11}{55} \times \frac{10}{54} = \frac{1}{27}$ or | 0.037 or 0.037 2 fracs x w/o rep. awrt 0.037 | M1A1 |
| (b) | Estimate of mean time spent on their conve | rsations is | (2) |
| | 1060 2 | 1060/total, awrt 19.3 or 19mins 16s | M1A1 |
| | 55 11 | | (2) |
| c) | $\frac{1060 + \sum fy}{80} = 21$ | 21x80=1680 | B1 |
| | $\sum fy = 620$ | Subtracting 'their 1060' | M1 |
| | $\therefore \overline{y} = \frac{620}{25} = 24.8$ | Dividing their 620 by 25 | M1A1 |
| d) | Increase in mean value. Length of conversations increased conside | rably | (4) B1 |
| | during 25 weeks relative to 55 weeks | context - ft only from comment above | B1∫ (2) |
| | | | Total 10 |
| 3. (a) | $\sum x = \sum t = 337.1$, $\sum y = 16.28$ | Can be implied | B1,B1 |
| | $S_{xy} = 757.467 - \frac{337.1 \times 16.28}{8} = 71.4685$ | either method, awrt 71.5 | M1A1 |
| | $S_{xx} = 15965.01 - \frac{337.1^2}{8} = 1760.45875$ | awrt 1760 | A1 |
| o) | $b = \frac{71.4685}{1760.45875} = 0.04059652$ | / correct way up, awrt 0.0406 | (5) M1A1 |
| | $a = \frac{16.28}{8} - b \times \frac{337.1}{8} = 0.324364$ | using correct formula, awrt 0.324 | M1A1 |
| | | but award for copying from above | A1∫ (5) |
| c) | At $t = 40$, $x = 40$, $y = 1.948$, $l = 2461.948$ | sub x=40, awrt 1.95, awrt 2461.95 | M1A1A1∫ |
| ť) | l - 2460 = 0.324 + 0.0406t $l = 2460.324 + 0.0406t$ | LHS required awrt 2460.32, f.t. their 0.0406, / and t | (3) M1 A1 (2) |
| e) | At <i>t</i> = 90, <i>l</i> = 2463.978 | awrt 2464 | (2) B1 |
| 5 | 90°C outside range of data unlikely to be reliable | | (1) B1 B1 (2) |
| | | | (2) Total 18 |



