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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always whole marks (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit
 is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme,
 referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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MARK SCHEME NOTES

The following notes are intended to aid interpretation of mark schemes in general, but individual mark schemes may include marks awarded for specific reasons outside the scope of these notes.

Types of mark

- M Method marks, awarded for a valid method applied to the problem.
- A Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. For accuracy marks to be given, the associated Method mark must be earned or implied.
- B Mark for a correct result or statement independent of Method marks.

When a part of a question has two or more 'method' steps, the M marks are in principle independent unless the scheme specifically says otherwise; and similarly where there are several B marks allocated. The notation 'dep' is used to indicate that a particular M or B mark is dependent on an earlier, asterisked, mark in the scheme.

The symbol implies that the A or B mark indicated is allowed for work correctly following on from previously incorrect results. Otherwise, A and B marks are given for correct work only.

Abbreviations

AG answer given on question paper

awrt answer which rounds tocao correct answer only

dep dependent

ft follow through after error

oe or equivalent SC special case soi seen or implied

www without wrong working

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
1(a)	10 and 14	1	B1
1(b)	discrete, quantitative	3	B1 B1
	[discrete], qualitative		B1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
2(a)	Use of $P(X) + P(Y) = P(X \cup Y)$, $q + 3/5 = 7/10$	2	M1
	1/10 oe		A1
2(b)	Understanding of independent events, use of $P(X) \times P(Y) = P(X \cap Y)$, $P(X \cap Y) = q \times 3/5$	3	M1*
	Use of $P(X \cup Y) = P(X) + P(Y) - P(X \cap Y)$ 7/10 = $q + 3/5 - q \times 3/5$		M1dep
	½ oe		A1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
3	$3/10 \times 2/9 \times 1/8 + 3 \times 3/10 \times 2/9 \times 7/8$ Consideration of 3 men/0 women and 2 men/1 woman soi	5	B1
	$10 \times 9 \times 8$ seen in denominator		M1
	3 × product of 3 probabilities oe		M1
	Correct unsimplified expression		A1
	11/60 oe		A1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
4(a)	2 (from 00 – 29) and 4 (from 30 – 89) soi	4	B1
	78 06 47 13 64 51 (B2 for 5 correct, B1 for 4 correct)		В3

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
4(b)	[To be representative] 15/90 \times 6 from A, 30/90 \times 6 from B, and 45/90 \times 6 from C	3	M1
	Sample has 2 from A, 2 from B and 2 from C/equal numbers from each department		M1
	So the sample is not representative or so sample over represents A, [accurately represents B] and under represents C		A1√
4(c)	Either of the two suggestions if link made to care received or satisfaction. E.g. Patients in the same department likely to receive similar care, so a sample stratified by department would be representative in terms of care received.	1	B1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
5(a)	[±] (46 – 58)/9 [=1.33] or [±] (a – 40)/12	2	M1
	24		A1
5(b)	Two standardised quantities in the same unknown $(b - 37.5)/10 = (b - 40)/12$	2	M1
	25		A1
5(c)	(38 - c)/8 = (31 - 40)/12 oe	2	M1
	44		A1
5(d)	Dancing because this is the subject in which he has the highest standardised score	1	B1
5(e)	50 and 12	1	B1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
6(a)	3/5 oe	1	B1

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
6(b)	$0.6 \times 0.8 + 0.4 \times 0.75$ '0.6' × 0.8 or (1 - '0.6') × 0.75	3	M1
	'0.6' × 0.8 + (1 – '0.6') × 0.75		M1
	0.78 oe		A1
	OR		
	30 × 0.8 + 20 × 0.75 [= 39]		(M1
	'39'/50		M1
	0.78 oe		A1)
6(c)	'0.78' × 50	2	M1
	39		A1√
6(d)	$35 \times 0.8 + y \times 0.75 = 40$	2	M1
	16		A1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
7(a)	n = 3	4	B1
	n = 4		B1
	two correct decisions about centring (not necessary for $n = 3$, and necessary for $n = 4$)		B1√*
	two correct reasons (<i>n</i> is odd, and <i>n</i> is even)		B1√dep
7(b)	36 100	2	B1
	12 030 awrt		B1√
7(c)	[±] 7800 – 9033 or 8300 – 9933 or 9800 – '12 030'	3	M1
	[±] (sum of 3 profit – moving averages)/3		M1
	- 1700 awrt		A1
7(d)	Correct plots vertically	3	B1√
	Correct plots horizontally		B1
	Straight trend line		B1
7(e)	Profits increasing	1	B1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
7(f)	Reading from their graph at Jan-Apr 2019 + 'c'	2	M1
	13 200 – 1700 = 11 500 (answer in range 11 000 to 12 000)		A1
7(g)	Points appear to lie on curve [rather than straight line]	1	B1

Question	Answer						Partial Marks	
8(a)	Original data distribution o		early shows	the shape	of the	1	B1	
8(b)	0.3	1.7	3.3	5[.0]	7.1	5	B5 all correct	
	2.8	4.3	5.2	6.1	7.3			
		(B4 for 8 or 9 correct, B3 for 6 or 7 correct, B2 for 4 or 5 correct, B1 for 2 or 3 correct)						
8(c)	Suitable linea	ar scale with	at least one	box plot		4	B1√	
	Labelling of a	Labelling of axis (hrs [of sunshine]) and box plots (E and W)						
		Two fully correct box and whisker diagrams (B1 for 1 plotting error or omission)						
8(d)	More [sunshine] in Westsea oe						B1	
	More varied [amounts of sunshine] in Eastpool oe						B1	
8(e)(i)	Range					1	B1	
8(e)(ii)	Interquartile	ange				1	B1	

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
9(a)	121/107 [× 100]	2	M1
	113 awrt		A1
9(b)	a = 104	4	B1
	$b = 1.33/1.23 \times 100$ oe		M1
	108 [.1]		A1
	c = 97		B1

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
9(c)	20 : 25 : 35 : 20 oe , soi	4	B1
	'20' × 121 + '25' × 109 + '35' × 111 + '20' × 105		M1
	÷ ('20' + '25' + '35' + '20') (or M2 for 0.2 × 121 + 0.25 × 109 + 0.35 × 111 + 0.2 × 105)		M1
	111.3 cao		A1
9(d)	[The gardener's] costs/prices have 'increased' by '11.3%' between 2015 and 2017 (B1ft for 2 correct from: [The gardener's] costs/prices have 'increased' by '11.3%' between 2015 and 2017)	2	B2√
9(e)	352 × '111.3' [÷ 100]	2	M1
	390 awrt		A1
9(f)	Gouta – not correct because, although this statement is true, it has been accounted for in the calculation/price relative	2	B1
	Suma – correct as change [in quantities] not accounted for/this would indicate that the weights have changed		B1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
10(a)	9 × 0.72 [= 6.48]	5	M1
	7.49 – '6.48' [= 1.01]		M1
	'1.01'/(14 – 9)		M1
	0.20[2]		A1
	[Comparison of 0.72 with '0.202']. Fish sold in morning have greater mass than fish sold in afternoon oe		B1√
10(b)	Use of formula for variance or standard deviation $[\sqrt{](28.29/84 - (39.96/84)^2)}$	2	M1
	0.332 awrt		A1
10(c)	Not affected by extreme values	1	B1

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
10(d)	3/4 × 84 [=63]	5	M1
	0.5 + ('63' - 53)/17 × 0.25 oe		M1
	0.647[05]		A1
	'0.647' – 0.207		M1
	0.44[0]		A1
10(e)	(0.2 – 0.1)/(0.25 – 0.1) × 21 [= 14] oe	3	M1*
	'14' + 6		M1dep
	20		A1
	OR		
	$(0.25 - 0.2)/(0.25 - 0.1) \times 21 = 7$ oe		(M1*
	27 – '7'		M1dep
	20		A1)