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MARK SCHEME

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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).

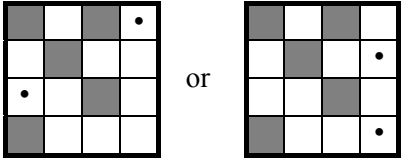
GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

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.

Abbreviations

cao	correct answer only
dep	dependent
FT	follow through after error
isw	ignore subsequent working
oe	or equivalent
SC	Special Case
nfww	not from wrong working
soi	seen or implied

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
1	$7t$	1	
2	6.8	1	
3	113°	1	
4(a)	576	1	
4(b)	13	1	
5(a)	E cao	1	
5(b)	H cao	1	
6(a)	1.2	1	
6(b)	10	1	
7	$\frac{5}{7}$ 78% 0.8 $\frac{7}{8}$	2	B1 for three in correct order or M1 for two of 0.875, 0.71[4...] and 0.78
8	135	2	M1 for $\frac{12}{12+7+9+4}[\times 360]$ or $\frac{360}{12+7+9+4}[\times 12]$ oe
9	440 or 440.2 to 440.3	2	M1 for $30\,000 \div 68.14$
10	3500 14 000	2	B1 for each
11	90	2	M1 for $135 \div \textit{their time}$
12	Ruled line of best fit	B1	
	6400 to 7400	B1	FT <i>their</i> straight line of best fit with negative gradient if answer is not in range

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
13(a)	37	1	
13(b)	$[0].0016$ or 1.6×10^{-3} or $\frac{1}{625}$	1	
14(a)	 or	1	
14(b)	2 2	2	B1 for each
15(a)	8	1	
15(b)	12 nfw	2	M1 for $(18 + 13 + 15 + 8 + 9 + 17 + 12 + 8 + 6 + 14) \div 10$ or for $120 \div 10$
16	576	3	M2 for $[2 \times] (15 \times 4 + 12 \times 4 + 12 \times 15)$ oe or M1 for one correct area, 15×4 or 12×4 or 12×15
17	$\frac{29}{8}$ or $\frac{5}{3}$	$2\frac{5}{8} - \frac{2}{3}$	M1 Allow $\frac{29k}{8k}$ or $\frac{5k}{3k}$ Correct step for dealing with mixed numbers
	$\frac{87}{24}$ and $\frac{40}{24}$	$[2]\frac{15}{24}$ and $\frac{16}{24}$	M1 Correct method to find common denominator e.g. $3\frac{15}{24}$ and $1\frac{16}{24}$
	$1\frac{23}{24}$ cao		A1
18	791 or 791.2.... nfw	3	M2 for $750 \times \left(1 + \frac{1.8}{100}\right)^3$ oe or M1 for $750 \times \left(1 + \frac{1.8}{100}\right)^2$ oe
19	7.55 or 7.552...	3	M2 for $8.5^2 - 3.9^2$ oe or M1 for $8.5^2 = 3.9^2 + x^2$ oe
20(a)	1.5 oe nfw	2	M1 for $\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$, e.g. $\frac{9}{6}$ or $\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$ for 2 points on the line
20(b)	$1.5x + 1$	1	FT <i>their</i> 1.5

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
21(a)	C	1	
21(b)	Trapezium	1	
21(c)	B and G	1	Both correct
21(d)	D and F or B and G	1	Both correct
22(a)	$2.45x + 3.15y$ final answer	2	B1 for one correct term in final answer If 0 scored, SC1 for $245x + 315y$
22(b)	13	2	M1 for $60.55 - 2.45 \times 8$ oe
23	Bisector of angle Q accurate with two pairs of correct arcs and Arc centre R , radius 6.5 cm With bird table correctly indicated or implied by correct intersecting constructions	4	M2 for bisector of angle Q accurate with two pairs of correct arcs or M1 for accurate bisector with no/wrong arcs M2 for arc centre R , radius 6.5 cm or M1 for arc centre R Maximum 3 marks if incorrect position/region is labelled, or there is no label and a region is shaded, or <i>their</i> constructions do not intersect