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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 mark in the scheme.

Abbreviations

awrt answers which round to cao correct answer only

dep dependent

FT follow through after error isw ignore subsequent working nfww not from wrong working

oe or equivalent

rot rounded or truncated

SC Special Case soi seen or implied

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
1(a)	$2^3 \times 3 \times 5$ or $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5$	2	M1 for method to find factors
1(b)	840	2	M1 for $2^3 \times 5 \times 7$ or list of multiples of 120 and 280 or an answer of $840k$
2	4n+7 oe	2	M1 for $4n + k$ or $cn + 7$ where $c \neq 0$
3(a)	$\frac{43}{196}$ or 0.219 or 21.9%	1	
3(b)	245 or 246	2	FT their (a) M1 for their (a) × 1120 If 0 scored then SC1 for 258
3(c)	Valid reason	1	
4	8.57 or 8.565 to 8.566	3	M2 for $\sqrt{14.1^2 - 11.2^2}$ or M1 for $14.1^2 = y^2 + 11.2^2$ oe
5	Correct enlargement	2	B1 if correct SF wrong centre or correct centre wrong SF or 4 vertices correct
6(a)	m^{18}	1	
6(b)	[p =]5 [q =]7 [r =]2	3	B1 for each
7(a)	$(n+1)^2$ oe	3	M2 for expression involving n^2 or M1 for 4, 9, 16
7(b)	27	3	B2 for answer 28 or 27.2[8] OR M1 for their (a) = 800 with correct first step towards solution and B1 for their non-integer n truncated to an integer
8	68[.0] or 67.97	3	M2 for $\sin 65 = \frac{x}{75}$ or better or M1 for clear indication on diagram or otherwise of the correct distance as line perpendicular to <i>XY</i> through <i>B</i>
9	420	3	M2 for $\frac{344.4}{1-0.18}$ or B1 for value of $(100-18)$ oe seen

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
10(a)	(2x+3)(2x-3)	1	
10(b)	$\frac{2x+3}{x+5}$ final answer	3	M2 for $(2x-3)(x+5)$ or M1 for $(2x+a)(x+b)$ leading to two terms correct
11	Car 4 or 4 Walk 4 3 Bicycle 2 2 Bus 10 11	3	M1 for e.g. $\frac{42}{208} \times 20$ A1 for unrounded answers or 4, 3, 2, 10
12(a)	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 18 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$	1	
12(b)	$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}$ and $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{C}$ with valid reasons	3	B1 for A×B and A+C B1 for each reason
13	1.6	5	M1 for 4000×1.02^{10} M1 for attempt to solve $4500 \times y^5 = 1.02^{10} \times 4000$ M1 for $y^5 = \frac{1.02^{10} \times 4000}{4500}$ M1 for $x = 1.016[]$
14	a = 4 b = 5	4	M2 for correct region identified soi or M1 for correct region for 2 of the 3 inequalities AND M1 for evaluating 5a – 2b for a point with integer values
15	1.52 and $u_6 = 1.520$	3	M1 for $u_2 = 1.414$ and $u_3 = 1.554$ M1 for two further iterations $u_4 = 1.512$ and $u_5 = 1.524$ If 0 scored SC1 for answer 1.52
16(a)	313 or 312.76 to 312.8	2	M1 for $\frac{140}{360}$ used with expression involving π

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
16(b)	[perimeter of sector =] $32 + \frac{140}{360} \times \pi \times 32$	M1	
	[circle radius =] $\frac{their 71.09}{2\pi}$	M1	
	[circle area =] = $\pi \times (their \ r^2)$	M1	
	their 312.76 their 402.2 more than 3sf	A1	