Mark Scheme (Results)

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NOTES ON MARKING PRINCIPLES

1   All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.

2   Mark schemes should be applied positively.

3   All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e if the answer matches the mark scheme. Note that in some cases a correct answer alone will not score marks unless supported by working; these situations are made clear in the mark scheme. Examiners should be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.

4   Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.

5   Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

6   Mark schemes will award marks for the quality of written communication (QWC).
The strands are as follows:

i) *ensure that text is legible and that spelling, punctuation and grammar are accurate so that meaning is clear*
Comprehension and meaning is clear by using correct notation and labelling conventions.

ii*) select and use a form and style of writing appropriate to purpose and to complex subject matter*
Reasoning, explanation or argument is correct and appropriately structured to convey mathematical reasoning.

iii) *organise information clearly and coherently, using specialist vocabulary when appropriate*.
The mathematical methods and processes used are coherently and clearly organised and the appropriate mathematical vocabulary used.

With working

If there is a wrong answer indicated on the answer line always check the working in the body of the script (and on any diagrams), and award any marks appropriate from the mark scheme.

If working is crossed out and still legible, then it should be given any appropriate marks, as long as it has not been replaced by alternative work.

If it is clear from the working that the "correct" answer has been obtained from incorrect working, award 0 marks. Send the response to review, and discuss each of these situations with your Team Leader.

If there is no answer on the answer line then check the working for an obvious answer.

Partial answers shown (usually indicated in the ms by brackets) can be awarded the method mark associated with it (implied).

Any case of suspected misread loses A (and B) marks on that part, but can gain the M marks; transcription errors may also gain some credit. Send any such responses to review for the Team Leader to consider.

If there is a choice of methods shown, then no marks should be awarded, unless the answer on the answer line makes clear the method that has been used.

8   Follow through marks

Follow through marks which involve a single stage calculation can be awarded without working since you can check the answer yourself, but if ambiguous do not award.

Follow through marks which involve more than one stage of calculation can only be awarded on sight of the relevant working, even if it appears obvious that there is only one way you could get the answer given.

9   Ignoring subsequent work

It is appropriate to ignore subsequent work when the additional work does not change the answer in a way that is inappropriate for the question: e.g. incorrect cancelling of a fraction that would otherwise be correct

It is not appropriate to ignore subsequent work when the additional work essentially makes the answer incorrect e.g. algebra.

10   Probability

Probability answers must be given a fractions, percentages or decimals. If a candidate gives a decimal equivalent to a probability, this should be written to at least 2 decimal places (unless tenths).

Incorrect notation should lose the accuracy marks, but be awarded any implied method marks.

If a probability answer is given on the answer line using both incorrect and correct notation, award the marks.

If a probability fraction is given then cancelled incorrectly, ignore the incorrectly cancelled answer.

Linear equations

Full marks can be gained if the solution alone is given on the answer line, or otherwise unambiguously indicated in working (without contradiction elsewhere). Where the correct solution only is shown substituted, but not identified as the solution, the accuracy mark is lost but any method marks can be awarded (embedded answers).

12 Parts of questions

Unless allowed by the mark scheme, the marks allocated to one part of the question CANNOT be awarded in another.

13 Range of answers

Unless otherwise stated, when an answer is given as a range (e.g 3.5 – 4.2) then this is inclusive of the end points (e.g 3.5, 4.2) and includes all numbers within the range (e.g 4, 4.1)

14 The detailed notes in the mark scheme, and in practice/training material for examiners, should be taken as precedents over the above notes.

Guidance on the use of codes within this mark scheme

M1 – method mark for appropriate method in the context of the question
A1 – accuracy mark
B1 – Working mark
C1 – communication mark
QWC – quality of written communication
oe – or equivalent
cao – correct answer only
ft – follow through
sc – special case
dep – dependent (on a previous mark or conclusion)
indep – independent
isw – ignore subsequent working

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Question		**Working**	**Answer**	**Mark**	**Notes**
1	(a)		$7n - 2$	2	M1 for $7n + k$ where $k \neq -2$ or absent A1 cao
	(b)		31	2	M1 for correct substitution $4 \times 3^2 - 5$ oe A1 cao
2			108	5	M1 for a method for finding the dimensions eg length & width = 12 or 2 × length + width = 21 A1 for length = 9 (could be shown on diagram) A1 for width = 3 (could be shown on diagram) M1 for area = "9" × "3" × 4 A1 cao
3			50	3	M1 for $625 \div 250$ (= 2.5) or $360 \div 120$ (= 3) or $1000 \div 300$ (=3⅓) M1 for correct method to calculate the number of cookies for one ingredient e.g. $625 \div 250$ or 2.5 oe **and** 20 × "2.5" A1 cao OR M1 for multiples of 250 : 120 : 30 e.g. for 40 cookies 500, 240, 600 M1 for multiples linked with the weight of ingredients available e.g. (625, 2½) or (360, 3) or (1000. 3⅓) A1 cao

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Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
4	x -2 -1 0 1 2 3 y -7 -5 -3 -1 1 3	correct line	3	**(Table of values)** M1 for at least 2 correct attempts to find points by substituting values of x. M1 ft for plotting at least 2 of their points (any points plotted from their table must be correctly plotted) A1 for correct line between -2 and 3 **(No table of values)** M2 for at least 2 correct points (and no incorrect points) plotted OR line segment of $2x$-3 drawn (ignore any additional incorrect segments) (M1 for at least 3 correct points with no more than 2 incorrect points) A1 for correct line between -2 and 3 **(Use of y=mx+c)** M2 line segment of $2x$-3 drawn (ignore any additional incorrect segments) (M1 for line drawn with gradient of 2 OR line drawn with a y intercept of -3 and a positive gradient) A1 for correct line between -2 and 3

Question		Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
5	(i)		candles 3 holders 5	5	M1 for listing multiples of either 30 or 18 (at least 3 but condone errors if intention is clear) M1 for listing multiples of both 30 and 18 (at least 3 but condone errors if intention is clear) M1 (dep on M1) for division by 30 or 18 or counts up multiples (implied if one answer is correct or answers are reversed) A1 candles (packs) 3, holders (packs) 5 or any same multiple of 3,5 OR M1 expansion of either number in factors M1 demonstrates one of the expansions that includes 6 oe M1 demonstrates second expansion that includes 6 oe A1 candles (packs) 3, holders (packs) 5 or any same multiple of 3,5
	(ii)		90		B1 for 90 or ft on both their packs or ft "common multiple" NB: accept consistent multiples of the given answer
*6			NO figures and comparisons	5	M1 for $100 \times 40 \times 60$ (= 240 000) M1 for "240 000" ÷ 8000 (= 30) M1 for "30"× 2.50 (= 75) A1 for 240 000 and 75 C1 (dep on M1) for comparing the cost of grit with £70 ft from their working OR M1 for 70 ÷ 2.50 (= 28) M1 for "28"× 8000 (= 224 000) M1 for $100 \times 40 \times 60$ (= 240 000) A1 for 240 000 and 224 000 C1 (dep on M1) for comparing values of grit needed with that which can be bought for £70 ft from their working

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Question		Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
*7			broke the record	5	M1 conversion between km and miles M1 for a first step to find comparable figures M1 for a complete method to find comparable figures A1 for correct comparable figures C1 (dep on first 2 M marks) for statement e.g broke the record with comparison of their figures
8			$14\frac{2}{3}$	3	M1 for method to write fractions as improper fractions with one correct M1 (dep on M1) for multiplying numerators and denominators A1 cao SC: B2 for $\frac{220}{15}$ oe
9			(−3,−12,−1)	2	B2 cao B1 for two out of three coordinates correct
10	(a)		1	1	B1
	(b)		$\frac{1}{16}$	1	B1
	(c)		2√7	2	M1 for multiplying numerator and denominator by √7 A1 for 2√7

Question		Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
11	(a)		$6x^5y^8$	2	M1 for any two of 6, x^5, y^8 A1 cao
	(b)		$6x^2\text{-}11x\text{+}3$	2	M1 for 3 out of 4 correct terms with correct signs, or all 4 terms correct ignoring signs A1 cao
	(c)		$4x^3y^2(2y^3\text{-}3x)$	2	M1 for $4x^3y^2$ (two terms involving x and/or y) or correct partial factorising taking out two from 4 or x or y A1 cao
	(d)		$(2\text{+}x)(e\text{-}2f)$	2	M1 for partial factorising of at least two terms eg $2(e-2f)$ or $x(e-2f)$ or $e(2+x)$ or $2f(2+x)$ oe A1 cao
12			$y = \dfrac{10}{3}x + \dfrac{130}{3}$	5	B1 for stating B as (0, 5) or $OB = 5$ (could be written on the diagram) B1 for C as (10, 0) or $OC = 10$ (could be written on the diagram) or A is (-10, 10) or ft from their BC M1 gradient of $DA = \dfrac{10}{3}$ or $y = \dfrac{10}{3}x + c$ M1 for substitution of $x = -13$, $y = 0$ or $x = -10$, $y = 10$ in their equation A1 $y = \dfrac{10}{3}x + \dfrac{130}{3}$ oe
13			$\dfrac{7x-6}{x(2-x)}$	3	M1 for intention to use $x(2-x)$ as the denominator M1 for $\dfrac{4x-3(2-x)}{x(2-x)}$ oe A1 cao allow $2x - x^2$ as a denominator

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Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
*14		Proof	5	B1 for matching two lines of the same length with reasons B1 for matching two sides of the kite with reasons B1 for showing $AD = AB$ and $DC = CB$ with reasons C1 for "Tangents from an external point are equal in length." C1 for a complete proof

Modifications to the mark scheme for Modified Large Print (MLP) papers.

Only mark scheme amendments are shown where the enlargement or modification of the paper requires a change in the mark scheme.

The following tolerances should be accepted on marking MLP papers, unless otherwise stated below:
Angles: ±5°
Measurements of length: ±5 mm

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Question		**Modification**	**Notes**
4		2 cm grid – inside spaces will be slightly less but equal Q5. Picture removed	
6		Model given – MLP also have diagram Wording inserted: The box is 100 cm long, 40 cm wide and 60 cm high	
11	(a)	x changed to e y changed to f	
	(d)	x changed to y	
14		AC joined with a dotted line	