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Further Mathematics B (MEI)

Y433/01: Modelling with algorithms

Advanced GCE

Mark Scheme for November 2020

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Text Instructions

Annotations and abbreviations

Annotation in scoris	Meaning
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BOD	Benefit of doubt
FT	Follow through
ISW	Ignore subsequent working
M0, M1	Method mark awarded 0, 1
A0, A1	Accuracy mark awarded 0, 1
B0,B1	Independent mark awarded 0, 1
Е	Explanation mark 1
SC	Special case
^	Omission sign
MR	Misread
BP	Blank page
Highlighting	
Other abbreviations in mark scheme	Meaning
E1	Mark for explaining a result or establishing a given result
dep*	Mark dependent on a previous mark, indicated by *. The * may be omitted if only previous M mark.
cao	Correct answer only
oe	Or equivalent
rot	Rounded or truncated
soi	Seen or implied
WWW	Without wrong working
AG	Answergiven
awrt	Anything which rounds to
BC	By Calculator
DR	This indicates that the instruction In this question you must show detailed reasoning appears in the question.

Subject-specific Marking Instructions for AS Level Mathematics B (MEI)

a Annotations must be used during your marking. For a response awarded zero (or full) marks a single appropriate annotation (cross, tick, M0 or ^) is sufficient, but not required.

For responses that are not awarded either 0 or full marks, you must make it clear how you have arrived at the mark you have awarded and all responses must have enough annotation for a reviewer to decide if the mark awarded is correct without having to mark it independently.

It is vital that you annotate standardisation scripts fully to show how the marks have been awarded.

Award NR (No Response)

- if there is nothing written at all in the answer space and no attempt elsewhere in the script
- OR if there is a comment which does not in any way relate to the question (e.g. 'can't do', 'don't know')
- OR if there is a mark (e.g. a dash, a question mark, a picture) which isn't an attempt at the question.

Note: Award 0 marks only for an attempt that earns no credit (including copying out the question).

If a candidate uses the answer space for one question to answer another, for example using the space for 8(b) to answer 8(a), then give benefit of doubt unless it is ambiguous for which part it is intended.

b An element of professional judgement is required in the marking of any written paper. Remember that the mark scheme is designed to assist in marking incorrect solutions. Correct solutions leading to correct answers are awarded full marks but work must not always be judged on the answer alone, and answers that are given in the question, especially, must be validly obtained; key steps in the working must always be looked at and anything unfamiliar must be investigated thoroughly. Correct but unfamiliar or unexpected methods are often signalled by a correct result following an apparently incorrect method. Such work must be carefully assessed. When a candidate adopts a method which does not correspond to the mark scheme, escalate the question to your Team Leader who will decide on a course of action with the Principal Examiner.
If you are in any doubt whatsoever you should contact your Team Leader.

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c The following types of marks are available.

Μ

A suitable method has been selected and *applied* in a manner which shows that the method is essentially understood. Method marks are not usually lost for numerical errors, algebraic slips or errors in units. However, it is not usually sufficient for a candidate just to indicate an intention of using some method or just to quote a formula; the formula or idea must be applied to the specific problem in hand, e.g. by substituting the relevant quantities into the formula. In some cases the nature of the errors allowed for the award of an M mark may be specified.

A method mark may usually be implied by a correct answer unless the question includes the DR statement, the command words "Determine" or "Show that", or some other indication that the method must be given explicitly.

Α

Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. Accuracy marks cannot be given unless the associated Method mark is earned (or implied). Therefore M0 A1 cannot ever be awarded.

В

Mark for a correct result or statement independent of Method marks.

Е

A given result is to be established or a result has to be explained. This usually requires more working or explanation than the establishment of an unknown result.

Unless otherwise indicated, marks once gained cannot subsequently be lost, e.g. wrong working following a correct form of answer is ignored. Sometimes this is reinforced in the mark scheme by the abbreviation isw. However, this would not apply to a case where a candidate passes through the correct answer as part of a wrong argument.

- d 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 mark is dependent on an earlier, asterisked, mark in the scheme.) Of course, in practice it may happen that when a candidate has once gone wrong in a part of a question, the work from there on is worthless so that no more marks can sensibly be given. On the other hand, when two or more steps are successfully run together by the candidate, the earlier marks are implied and full credit must be given.
- e The abbreviation FT 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 differences in notation are of course permitted. A (accuracy) marks are not given for answers obtained from incorrect working. When A or B marks are awarded for work at an intermediate stage of a solution, there may be various alternatives that are equally acceptable. In such cases, what is acceptable will be detailed in the mark scheme. If this is not the case, please escalate the question to your Team Leader who will decide on a course of action with the Principal Examiner.

Sometimes the answer to one part of a question is used in a later part of the same question. In this case, A marks will often be 'follow through'. In such cases you must ensure that you refer back to the answer of the previous part question even if this is not shown within the image zone. You may find it easier to mark follow through questions candidate-by-candidate rather than question-by-question.

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f Unless units are specifically requested, there is no penalty for wrong or missing units as long as the answer is numerically correct and expressed either in SI or in the units of the question. (e.g. lengths will be assumed to be in metres unless in a particular question all the lengths are in km, when this would be assumed to be the unspecified unit.)

We are usually quite flexible about the accuracy to which the final answer is expressed; over-specification is usually only penalised where the scheme explicitly says so.

- When a value is **given** in the paper only accept an answer correct to at least as many significant figures as the given value.
- When a value is **not given** in the paper accept any answer that agrees with the correct value to **2 s.f.** unless a different level of accuracy has been asked for in the question, or the mark scheme specifies an acceptable range.
 - NB for Specification A the rubric specifies 3 s.f. as standard, so this statement reads "3 s.f"

Follow through should be used so that only one mark in any question is lost for each distinct accuracy error.

Candidates using a value of 9.80, 9.81 or 10 for g should usually be penalised for any final accuracy marks which do not agree to the value found with 9.8 which is given in the rubric.

- g Rules for replaced work and multiple attempts:
 - If one attempt is clearly indicated as the one to mark, or only one is left uncrossed out, then mark that attempt and ignore the others.
 - If more than one attempt is left not crossed out, then mark the last attempt unless it only repeats part of the first attempt or is substantially less complete.
 - if a candidate crosses out all of their attempts, the assessor should attempt to mark the crossed out answer(s) as above and award marks appropriately.
- h For a genuine misreading (of numbers or symbols) which is such that the object and the difficulty of the question remain unaltered, mark according to the scheme but following through from the candidate's data. A penalty is then applied; 1 mark is generally appropriate, though this may differ for some units. This is achieved by withholding one A or B mark in the question. Marks designated as cao may be awarded as long as there are no other errors. If a candidate corrects the misread in a later part, do not continue to follow through. E marks are lost unless, by chance, the given results are established by equivalent working. Note that a miscopy of the candidate's own working is not a misread but an accuracy error.
- i If a calculator is used, some answers may be obtained with little or no working visible. Allow full marks for correct answers provided that there is nothing in the wording of the question specifying that analytical methods are required such as the bold "In this question you must show detailed reasoning", or the command words "Show" and "Determine. Where an answer is wrong but there is some evidence of method, allow appropriate method marks. Wrong answers with no supporting method score zero. If in doubt, consult your Team Leader.
- j If in any case the scheme operates with considerable unfairness consult your Team Leader.

	Questi	ion	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
1	(a)		<u>12</u> 15 11 9 20 16 8 23 10 7			12 used as the first pivot
			$\underline{15}$ 20 16 23 12 $\underline{11}$ 9 8 10 7	M1	1.1	and in the correct position after the first pass
			<u>20</u> 16 23 15 12 11 <u>9</u> 8 10 7			
			23 20 16 15 12 11 10 9 <u>8</u> 7	A1	1.1	First three passes correct
			23 20 16 15 12 11 10 9 8 7	A1	1.1	cao (including a fourth pass pivoting on 8)
			All sublists have only one element so sort is complete			
				[3]		
1	(b)		Bag 1: 23 16	M1	1.1	First six numbers placed correctly
			Bag 2: 20 15			
			Bag 3: 12 11 10 7			
			Bag 4: 9 8	A1	1.1	cao
				[2]		
1	(c)		e.g.			
			Bag 1: 23 10 7	M1	1.1	At least two full bags (of 40) given
			Bag 2: 20 12 8			
			Bag 3: 16 15 9			
			Bag 4: 11	A1	1.1	Three full bags (of 40) and a bag with 11
				[2]		

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	Question						A	Inswe	r					Marks	AOs	Guidance
2	(a)															
	(4)		A B C D E F G H	5 A - 9 - 10 13 2 17 6	7 B 9 - 14 - - 10 7	2 C - 14 - 8 18 7 - 6	1 D - 8 - 16 - 11	9 E 13 - 18 - - 7 - 7	6 F 2 - 7 16 - - 13 10	10 G 17 10 - 7 13 - 13 13	4 H 6 7 6 11 - 10 13 -	8 I - - - - 9 11 -	3 J - 10 5 15 8 - - 9	M1 A1	1.1 1.1	Choosing the 8 in column D, the 5 in column C and the 8 in column J All correct M1 A0 if all transposed
			I J	-	2 10	- 5	- 15	- 8	9 -	11 -	- 9	-	-			SC B1 for a correct tree if no working seen on table (or no other clear indication of applying Prim)
														[2]		(of no other clear indication of apprying r rinn)
2	(b)		Total	length	n of M	ST = 5	51 (mi	les)						B1	1.1	51
			_											[1]		
2	(c)		А	3 10	10]	B 7 22		18 18	С	2 8	8		B1	1.2	Dijkstra starting at D
			D 1 0 E 9 21 F 5 12 26 23 21 F 16 15 12								2	M1	1.1 a	Working values		
			G	10 27 2	24 4] 1	H 4 11		11	I	8 21	20)	A1	1.1 a	Permanent labels
			J 6 13 15 13											A1	1.1	Order of labelling
			Leng	th of sl	hortest	t path	from (G to J	via D -	= 24 +	13 =	37 (m	iles)	B1ft	2.2a	Follow through their final value at G + their final value at J

	Questi	ion	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
			Alternative method A 7/8 15 B 3 10 C 9 19 17 15 10 C 9 25 24 (20) 19	B1		Dijkstra G to D <u>and</u> D to J or G to D <u>and</u> J to D
			D 10 24 E 2 7 F 5 13 29 24 H 6 13 I 4 11	M1		Working values (for either)
			13 11 J 8/7 15 I5 15	A1		Permanent labels for G to D Ignore order of labelling
			A 3 10 B C 2 8 10 E F 5 12	A1		Permanent labels for other Ignore order of labelling
			$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$			H and G may be excluded in second application
			$ \begin{array}{c c} J & \overbrace{6} & 13 \\ \hline 15 & 13 \end{array} \end{array} $	D16		
			Length of shortest path from G to J via $D = 24 + 13 = 37$ (miles)	B1ft [5]		Follow through their final values G to D and D to J
	(d)		$t \approx 0.25 \left(\frac{300}{15}\right)^2$	M1	3.1 a	<u>Using</u> the fact that Dijkstra's algorithm has quadratic complexity
			100 (seconds)	A1 [2]	2.2b	100
3	(a)		A supersource with arcs SA and SB with the following weight (or greater): $SA = 100$, $SB = 145$	B1	1.1	Supersource with appropriately labelled <u>directed</u> arcs
			A supersink with arcs KT and MT with the following weights (or greater): $KT = 125$ and $MT = 145$	B1	1.1	Supersink with appropriately labelled arcs No arc LT
				[2]		

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	Quest	ion	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
3	(b)		Cut $\alpha = 45 + 25 + 55 + 25 + 20 + 30 + 70 = 270$	B1 [1]	2.2a	270
3	(c)		DG and DI cannot simultaneously be filled to capacity as the maximum flow into node D (from AD and ED) is $55+25 = 80$ but the maximum capacity of DG and DI is $50 + 45 = 95$	B1	2.4	AD and ED total less than DG and DI 80 and 95 used appropriately, or equivalent max 80 in < 95 out
3	(d)	(i)	Maximise AC + AD + BC + BE + BF	[1] B1 [1]	3.3	oe e.g. Max SA + SB, Max GK + HK + GM + IM + JM
3	(d)	(ii)	DI + EI + LI - IJ - IM = 0	B1 [1]	3.3	cao
3	(e)		e.g. 45 A 30 15 15 15 15 15 25 17 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 15 10 10 15 10	M1 A1	2.1 2.2a	Arcs AC, BE, BF, ED, CH, DG, HK, LI, JM saturated <u>and</u> flow in DI = 5 A correct answer
			Maximum flow = 210 (gallons per hour)	B1 [3]	2.2a	210
3	(f)		The <u>capacity</u> of the cut which partitions the vertices into the sets {A, B, C, D, E, F, H, I, L}, {G, K, M} is $50 + 45 + 45 +$ $70 = 210$ \therefore min. cut ≤ 210 By the maximum flow-minimum cut theorem the maximum flow is equal to the minimum out and so therefore the	B1 B1	3.1b 2.1	Cut described in any form Note: if arcs are listed then GM is cut twice DG, GM, GM, HK, IM, JM Max flow = min cut <u>and</u> use of (their) 210 or equivalent explanation
			flow is equal to the minimum cut and so therefore the maximum flow through the system is 210 (gallons per hour)	[2]		

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	Question	1		Answer		Marks	AOs	Guidance	
4	(a)	Activity	Duration	Immediate				SC B1: no 4 rows correct but all durations correct or	
				predecessors				no 4 rows correct but all immediate predecessors	
		Α	5	-				correct	
		В	8	-					
		С	7	-					
		D	10	В		M1*	3.4	Any 4 rows correct	
		Е	11	В					
		F	9	A, C, E					
		G	12	Α					
		Н	4	A, C, E		M1dep*	1.1	Any 8 rows correct	
		Ι	6	D, H					
		J	11	D, H					
		K	10	D, F, G, H		A1	1.1	All correct	
						[3]			
4	(b)		5 16	G	28 28	M1	3.3	Activity on arc, single start with structure correct for	
				• • • • • •				A, B, C, D and E	
		0 0	С с	` `	38 38			(directions should be shown but may be implied)	
			\ <u>_</u>	19 19					
			в	E	·	A1	1.1	Structure correct for activities F, G, H, I, J and K	
			8 8	Н	I			(directions should be shown but may be implied)	
				7 1	34 38				
					23 27	A1	3.1 a	Exactly three <u>directed</u> dummies used correctly <u>and</u>	
								single finish	
						[3]			
4	(c)	See above	e			M1	3.1b	Forward pass at each vertex (increasing from 0)	
						A1ft	1.1	Follow through their network provided it has a merge	
						M1	1.1	Backward pass at each vertex (decreasing, with start	
								and finish matching the forward pass)	
						A1ft	1.1	Follow through their network provided it has a burst	
						[4]			

	Quest	ion	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
4	(d)	(i)	Activity D Activity I	B1	2.2a	Either D or I (or both), no others
				[1]		
4	(d)	(ii)	$23 - 8 - 10 = 5 \qquad \qquad 38 - 27 - 6 = 5$	B1	2.2a	5
				[1]		
4	(d)	(iii)	Independent float is the maximum amount of time an activity can			If this activity is delayed by this amount it has no
			be delayed without delaying the early start of the succeeding activities, and without being affected by the allowable delay of			effect on any other
			any predecessor activity.			
			Activity can be delayed by 5 hours without affecting the project	B1	3.5a	Appropriate description
			completion time of 38 hours.			
				[1]		
5	(a)		e.g. $P = 2x + 3y$ or $P - 2x - 3y = 0$	B1	3.3	oe in any form (e.g. $P = 0.5x + 0.75y \pm \text{constant}$)
			$x \ge 1$ and $3y \ge x+3$	B1	3.3	Both correct, in any form
			$5y + kx \le 5k$	B1	3.3	Allow any inequality or =
					T	Using their choice of s_1 , s_2 , s_3 , a_1 , a_2 and inequalities
			$x \ge 1 \Longrightarrow x - s_1 + a_1 = 1$	M1	3.1 a	Correct <u>use of</u> surplus and artificial variables
			$3y \ge x + 3 \Longrightarrow -x + 3y - s_2 + a_2 = 3$			
			$5y + kx \le 5k \Longrightarrow kx + 5y + s_3 = 5k$	M1	3.1a	Correct <u>use of</u> slack variable(s)
				A1ft	1.1	Correct for their 3 inequalities
			$Q = a_1 + a_2 = 1 - x + s_1 + 3 + x - 3y + s_2$	M1	2.1	Using their expressions for a_1 and a_2 appropriately
			$Q + 3y - s_1 - s_2 = 4$	A1ft	1.1	$Q \dots$ = non-negative constant, from their expressions
			Q P x y s_1 s_2 s_3 a_1 a_2 RHS		T	
			1 0 0 3 -1 -1 0 0 0 4			
				M1	3.3	Any three rows correct, following through their
						expressions (with non-negative values on RHS)
				A1	1.1	A correct tableau
			$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	AI	1.1	using valid expressions for <i>Q</i> , <i>P</i> and constraints
				[10]		using valid expressions for Q, T and constraints
				[10]		

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	Questi	ion	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
5	(b)		$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c }\hline P & x & y & s_1 & s_2 & s_3 & \text{RHS} \\\hline 1 & 0 & 0 & -3 & -1 & 0 & 6 \\\hline 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\\hline 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 0 & \frac{4}{3} \\\hline 0 & 0 & 0 & k + \frac{5}{3} & \frac{5}{3} & 1 & 4k - \frac{20}{3} \\\hline \end{array}$	M1*	3.4	Reduced tableau with 4 basis columns (P, x, y, s_3) If reduced tableau is not shown credit for 4 basis columns in augmented tableau
			P x y s1 s2 s3 RHS 1 0 0 $\frac{3}{5}k-2$ 0 $\frac{3}{5}$ $2 + \frac{12}{5}k$ 0 1 0 -1 0 0 1 0 0 1 $\frac{1}{5}k$ 0 $\frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{4}{5}k$ 0 0 0 $\frac{3}{5}k+1$ 1 $\frac{3}{5}$ $\frac{12}{5}k-4$	M1dep* A1 A1	1.1 1.1 1.1	Augmented tableau may be on grid at end of space Pivot on last row (may be deduced from s_2 column) Objective row correct All other rows correct
				[4]		
5	(c)		$\frac{3}{5}k - 2 < 0$ $k < \frac{10}{3}$	M1 A1	3.1a 2.2a	Dependent on a linear expression in terms of k in the objective row – allow any inequality or equals cao
			k > 2	B1	3.4	From graph Or use RHS to get $2 + \frac{12}{5}k \ge 6 \implies k \ge \frac{5}{3}$
5	(d)		$y = \frac{12}{7} \Longrightarrow x = 3\left(\frac{12}{7}\right) - 3 = \frac{15}{7}$	[3] M1	3.1a	Substitute $y = \frac{12}{7}$ in (their) $3y = x + 3$ or $kx + 5y = kx$ or implied from $k = 3$ oe working to find k e.g. $\frac{1.6k}{0.6k+1} = \frac{12}{7}$
			$k = \frac{5y}{5-x} = 3$	A1 [2]	1.1	3

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