

GCSE Mathematics

Paper 2 Higher Tier

Mark scheme

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Glossary for Mark Schemes

GCSE examinations are marked in such a way as to award positive achievement wherever possible. Thus, for GCSE Mathematics papers, marks are awarded under various categories.

If a student uses a method which is not explicitly covered by the mark scheme the same principles of marking should be applied. Credit should be given to any valid methods. Examiners should seek advice from their senior examiner if in any doubt.

М	Method marks are awarded for a correct method which could lead to a correct answer.
A	Accuracy marks are awarded when following on from a correct method. It is not necessary to always see the method. This can be implied.
В	Marks awarded independent of method.
ft	Follow through marks. Marks awarded for correct working following a mistake in an earlier step.
SC	Special case. Marks awarded for a common misinterpretation which has some mathematical worth.
M dep	A method mark dependent on a previous method mark being awarded.
B dep	A mark that can only be awarded if a previous independent mark has been awarded.
oe	Or equivalent. Accept answers that are equivalent.
	eg accept 0.5 as well as $\frac{1}{2}$
[a, b]	Accept values between a and b inclusive.
[a, b)	Accept values a ≤ value < b
3.14	Accept answers which begin 3.14 eg 3.14, 3.142, 3.1416
Use of brackets	It is not necessary to see the bracketed work to award the marks.

Examiners should consistently apply the following principles

Diagrams

Diagrams that have working on them should be treated like normal responses. If a diagram has been written on but the correct response is within the answer space, the work within the answer space should be marked. Working on diagrams that contradicts work within the answer space is not to be considered as choice but as working, and is not, therefore, penalised.

Responses which appear to come from incorrect methods

Whenever there is doubt as to whether a student has used an incorrect method to obtain an answer, as a general principle, the benefit of doubt must be given to the student. In cases where there is no doubt that the answer has come from incorrect working then the student should be penalised.

Questions which ask students to show working

Instructions on marking will be given but usually marks are not awarded to students who show no working.

Questions which do not ask students to show working

As a general principle, a correct response is awarded full marks.

Misread or miscopy

Students often copy values from a question incorrectly. If the examiner thinks that the student has made a genuine misread, then only the accuracy marks (A or B marks), up to a maximum of 2 marks are penalised. The method marks can still be awarded.

Further work

Once the correct answer has been seen, further working may be ignored unless it goes on to contradict the correct answer.

Choice

When a choice of answers and/or methods is given, mark each attempt. If both methods are valid then M marks can be awarded but any incorrect answer or method would result in marks being lost.

Work not replaced

Erased or crossed out work that is still legible should be marked.

Work replaced

Erased or crossed out work that has been replaced is not awarded marks.

Premature approximation

Rounding off too early can lead to inaccuracy in the final answer. This should be penalised by 1 mark unless instructed otherwise.

Continental notation

Accept a comma used instead of a decimal point (for example, in measurements or currency), provided that it is clear to the examiner that the student intended it to be a decimal point.

Question	Answer	Mari	k	Comments	
	0.049	B1			
1		Addition	al C	Guidance	
	0.36 cm ²	B1			
2	Additional Guidance				
	(5, 7)	B1			
3	Additional Guidance				
	98 – 8n	B1			
4		Addition	al C	Guidance	

Question	Answer	Mark	Commen	ts
	1/4 or 0.25 or 25%	B1	oe	
	Ad	ditional	Guidance	
	Ratio eg 1 : 4 or 1 : 3			В0
	$\frac{1}{4}$ seen and answer 1 : 4	B1		
	Expressed only in words eg 1 out of 4	В0		
5(a)	1 out of 4 and $\frac{1}{4}$	B1		
	$\frac{1}{4}$ seen with change to incorrect decimal			
	eg $\frac{1}{4}$ and answer 0.4	B1		
	Ignore chance words if $\frac{1}{4}$ seen			
	eg $\frac{1}{4}$ and answer Likely			B1

	(1 x) 10 (x) 10 (x) 5 or $\frac{10 \times 10 \times 10}{2}$ or $\frac{1000}{2}$	M1	oe		
	500	A1	SC1 5 or 324 or 400 or 405		
5(b)	Additional Guidance				
0(5)	10 + 10 + 5			M0A0	
	SCs are				
	for the answers from not including zero	once			
	ie 9 × 9 × 4 or 10 × 10 × 4 or 9 × 9 × 5				
	or from a misread ie 1 × 1 × 1 × 5				

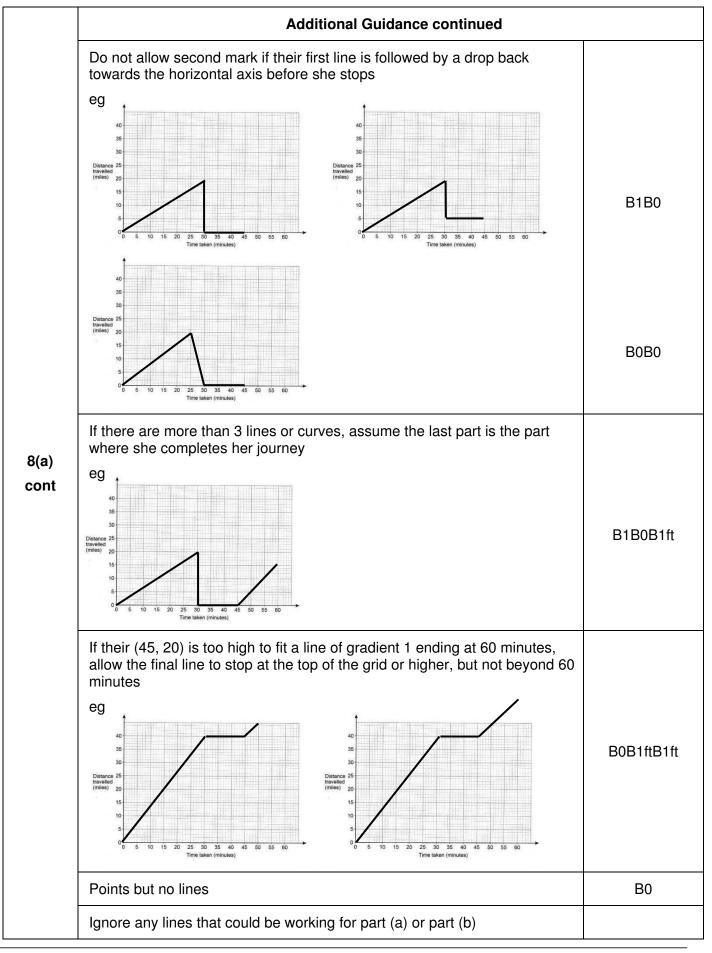
Question	Answer	Mark	Comments		
6(a)	x -2 -1 0 1 2 3 y 4 0 -2 -2 0 4	B2	B1 1 or 2 values correct		
	Ad	ditional	Guidance		
	5 or 6 points plotted correctly	M1	Correct or ft their table in (a) Tolerance of ±1 small square Points can be implied by graph passing through them		
	Correct smooth parabolic curve and y-coordinate of minimum point in the range $-2.5 \le y \le -2.1$	A1	Tolerance of ±1 small square for the six correct points from the table No further tolerance for the minimum		
	Additional Guidance				
6(b)	Tolerance of ±1 small square means it shaded area	edges of or within the			
	Ignore extra points plotted				
	If their table in (a) has points that are be be able to be plotted correctly	e grid these points will not			
	Ignore any curve drawn for $x < -2$ or x				
	Curve passing through all correct point	olerance M1A1			
	Ruled straight lines	A0			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments	
	1/2 or 0.5	B1	Ignore any y-coordinate	
	Additional Guidance			
6(c)	(-2.25, 0.5)	В0		
	Ignore their graph drawn in (b) – there is no ft			
	Condone 0.5, –2.25			B1

	$\sin 72 = \frac{x}{8}$ or $8 \times \sin 72$ or $\cos (90 - 72) = \frac{x}{8}$ or $8 \times \cos (90 - 72)$ or $\frac{x}{\sin 72} = \frac{8}{\sin 90}$ or $\frac{\sin 72}{x} = \frac{\sin 90}{8}$	M1	oe eg 8 cos 72 or 2.47 or 2. and $\sqrt{8^2 - (8\cos 72)^2}$	5	
	[7.6, 7.61]	A1			
7	Additional Guidance				
	If trigonometry and Pythagoras are use that would lead to the correct value of x				
	Accept sin 72 × 8	M1			
	Accept opp or o for x eg sin $72 = \frac{\text{opp}}{8}$	M1			
	$\sin = \frac{x}{8} \text{ or } \sin \theta = \frac{x}{8} \text{ (unless recovered)}$			MO	
	Answer coming from scale drawing			M0A0	
	Answer in range seen followed by 7 or	M1A1			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments	
	Joins (0, 0) to (30, 20)	B1	Line does not need to be stra start and finish at correct poir decreasing Mark intention	
	Horizontal line for 15 minutes from their (30, 20)	B1ft	Mark intention	
	Line with gradient 1 or a curve from their (45, 20) and	B1ft	A curve must not be decreasi start and finish at two points t joined by a line with gradient Condone a horizontal or verti	that could be 1
	stops at 60 minutes or stops at top edge of grid or highe but not beyond 60 minutes		60 minutes Mark intention	car ime irom
	•	Additional (Guidance	
8(a)	40 35 30 Distance 25 travelled (miles) 15 10 5 10 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15	30 35 40 (minutes)	45 50 55 60	B3
	Allow any horizontal line between 30 journey is blank eg	Distance Za (miles) 20 15 10 5 10		B0B1

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Question	Answer	Mark	Commen	ts
	35	B1ft	Correct or ft total distance graph at 60 minutes	travelled for their
	Ad	ditional	Guidance	
	35 from any or no graph			B1
	If their graph extends beyond 60 minute	es, read o	off at 60 minutes for ft	
8(b)	Follow through total distance travelled eg (a) Distance 25 Trine taken (minutes) (b) answer 25			B0ft B1ft
	(b) answer 55 Ignores the stationary parts			В0
	Do not follow through a graph above the eg (a) Distance 25 traveled (miles) 20 25 30 35 40 45 50 55 60	e grid at	60	
	(b) answer 55			B0ft

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments		
	Alternative method 1				
	40	B1	May be implied $eg \frac{2}{40}$		
	2 + x + 2x + 5 = their 40 or $3x + 7 = $ their 40 or (their $40 - 2 - 5$) \div 3 or $33 \div$ 3	M1	oe equation eg $3x + 5 = 38$ (scores B1M1) their 40 must be an integer		
	(x =) 11	A1ft	ft B0M1 Does not have to be an integer Accept answer rounded or truncated to at least 2 sf		
9	27/40 or 0.675 or 67.5%	B1ft	Only ft evaluation of $\frac{2 \times \text{their integer x} + 5}{40}$ and $0 < \text{answer} < 1$ Denominator must be 40 (may subsequently be simplified)		
	Alternative method 2				
	$\frac{2}{2+x+2x+5} = \frac{1}{20}$ or $\frac{x+2x+5}{2+x+2x+5} = \frac{19}{20}$	M2	oe equation		
	(x =) 11	A1			
	27/40 or 0.675 or 67.5%	B1ft	Only ft evaluation of $\frac{2 \times \text{their integer x} + 5}{40}$ and 0 < answer < 1 Denominator must be 40 (may subsequently be simplified)		

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Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	Alternative method 3		
	$3x \rightarrow 100\% - 5\% - 12.5\%$ or $3x \rightarrow 82.5\%$	M1	Using 2 \rightarrow 5% and 5 \rightarrow 12.5% oe
	$x \to 82.5\% \div 3 \text{ or } x \to 27.5\%$	M1dep	oe
	$2x + 5 \rightarrow 2 \times 27.5\% + 12.5\%$	M1dep	oe
	27/40 or 0.675 or 67.5%	A1	
	Alternative method 4		
9 cont	$3x \rightarrow 1 - \frac{1}{20} - \frac{2.5}{20} \text{ or } 3x \rightarrow \frac{16.5}{20}$	M1	Using $2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{20}$ and $5 \rightarrow \frac{2.5}{20}$
			oe
	$x \to \frac{16.5}{20} \div 3 \text{ or } x \to \frac{5.5}{20}$	M1dep	oe
	$2x + 5 \rightarrow 2 \times \frac{5.5}{20} + \frac{2.5}{20}$	M1dep	oe
	or $2x + 5 \rightarrow \frac{13.5}{20}$	wruep	
	27/40 or 0.675 or 67.5%	A1	

	Additional Guidance					
	(Alt 1) $x = 6$ (no working) Answer $\frac{17}{40}$ (first B1 implied)	B1M0A0B1ft				
	(Alt 1) $2 + x + 2x + 5 = 20$ $x = \frac{13}{3}$ Answer $\frac{13.666}{20}$	B0M1 A1ftB0ft				
	Answer $\frac{13.5}{20}$	B1M1A1B0				
	11 by inspection or T & I scores the first 3 marks					
	Answer $\frac{2x+5}{40}$	B1M0A0B0				
9 cont	Answer $\frac{2x+5}{3x+7}$	Zero				
	Ratio eg 27 : 40	B1M1A1B0				
	Expressed only in words eg 27 out of 40	B1M1A1B0				
	27 out of 40 and $\frac{27}{40}$	B1M1A1B1				
	$\frac{27}{40}$ seen with incorrect change of form or incorrect cancelling					
	eg $\frac{27}{40}$ and answer 0.27	B1M1A1B1				
	Ignore chance words if $\frac{27}{40}$ seen					
	eg $\frac{27}{40}$ and answer Unlikely	B1M1A1B1				

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments		
	Alternative method 1				
	360 – 110 or 250 or 360 – 110 – 110 or 140	M1	May be seen on diagram oe		
	3360 ÷ their 140 or 24 or 2640 (men) or 6000 (women)	M1dep	their 140 must be from 360 – 110 – 110 oe		
	8640	A1	SC2 4838 or 4839		
	Alternative method 2				
10	$100 - \frac{110}{360} \times 100$ or $100 - 30.5()$ or $100 - 30.6$ or $69.4(\%)$ or $69.5(\%)$ or $100 - \frac{110}{360} \times 100 - \frac{110}{360} \times 100$ or $100 - 30.5() - 30.5()$ or $100 - 30.6 - 30.6$ or $38.8(\%)$ or $38.9(\%)$	M1	May be seen on diagram oe		
	3360 ÷ (their 69.4 – their 30.5) or 3360 ÷ their 38.8() or 86.4	M1dep	their 69.4 must be from $100 - \frac{110}{360} \times 100$ their 30.5 must be from $\frac{110}{360} \times 100$		
	8640	A1	SC2 4838 or 4839		

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	Alternative method 3				
10 cont	$\frac{250}{360}x - \frac{110}{360}x = 3360$		Sets up a correct equation to total (x), men (m) or women (
	or $m = \frac{110}{360} \times (m + 3360 + m)$	M1	oe		
	or $w = \frac{250}{360} \times (w + w - 3360)$				
	$x = 3360 \div \left(\frac{250 - 110}{360}\right)$	M1dep	oe		
	or m = 336 000 ÷ 140 or 2640 or w = 840 000 ÷ 140 or 6000				
	8640	A1	SC2 4838 or 4839		
	,	Guidance			
	Condone 8639.9 → answer 8640			M2 A1	
	2640 or 6000			M2	
	4838 and 4839 come from 3360 women			SC2	

	9.56×3^{10} 9563 9.56×10^{3}		B1 9.563 × 10 ³		
	or		or 9560		
	564 508 (.44) 9563 9560	B2	or 564 508 (.44) or 5.6(450844) × 10 ⁵		
11	with no incorrect evaluations seen		SC1 9.56 × 10 ³ 9563 9.56 × 3 ¹⁰ with no incorrect evaluations seen		
	Additional Guidance				
	Allow numbers to be written in original or converted form or as a mixture for B2 or SC1				
	Incorrect evaluation seen scores a ma	ximum of	B1		

	AD	B1		
12	Additional Guidance			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	Alternative method 1		
13	Valid number of bread rolls and cheese slices Valid number of packs of bread rolls	M1	eg 30 bread and 60 cheese or 60 bread and 120 cheese or 90 bread and 180 cheese or 120 bread and 240 cheese Valid number means ratio 1 : 2 and can be bought in exact numbers of packs May be implied by valid number of packs eg 2 packs bread and 3 packs cheese
	and cheese slices	M1dep	or 4 packs bread and 6 packs cheese or 6 packs bread and 9 packs cheese or 8 packs bread and 12 packs cheese Valid number of packs means ratio 2:3
	their number of packs of bread × 1.88 and their number of packs of cheese × 2.15	M1dep	eg 15.04 and 25.8(0)
	40.84	A1	SC2 27.94 or 42.98

Alternative method 2 and Additional Guidance continue on the next page

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments			
	Alternative method 2					
	Valid number of sandwiches	M1	eg Common multiple of 15 and 20 iden eg 15 30 45 60 75 and 20 40 60 Valid number means can be bought in enumbers of packs			
	1.88 ÷ 15 + 2.15 ÷ 10 or 0.125() + 0.215 or 0.34(0)	M1	oe Cost of one sandwich			
	their $0.34(0) \times$ their number of sandwiches	M1dep	dep on M2			
	40.84	A1	SC2 27.94 or 42.98			
13	Additional Guidance					
cont	Alt 1 3rd M1 Allow working in pence					
	Alt 2 2nd M1 Allow working in pence					
	30 bread and 60 cheese/2 packs bread and 3 packs cheese 2×1.88 or 3.76 and 3×2.15 or 6.45 (Answer £10.21)			M3 A0		
	60 bread and 120 cheese/4 packs bread 4 × 1.88 or 7.52 and 6 × 2.15 or 12.9(0	•		M3 A0		
	90 bread and 180 cheese/6 packs bread and 9 packs cheese 6 × 1.88 or 11.28 and 9 × 2.15 or 19.35 (Answer £30.63)			M3 A0		
	150 bread and 300 cheese/10 packs bread and 15 packs cheese 10 × 1.88 or 18.8(0) and 15 × 2.15 or 32.25 (Answer £51.05)			M3 A0		
	SC2 from 120 bread and 120 cheese or 240 bread and 120 cheese					

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	C = 0.6(0)n + 2.5(0)	В3	oe Must have $C = \text{ for B3}$ B2 $C = 0.6n + k \ (k \neq 0)$ or $C = an + 2.5 \ (a \neq 0)$ or $0.6n + 2.5$ B1 $0.6n$ or $an + 2.5 \ (a \neq 0)$ or $C = 60n + 250$
	Ad	ditional	Guidance
	Allow correct fractions eg $\frac{3}{5}$ or $\frac{1}{1.6}$ f	or 0.6 ar	nd/or $\frac{5}{2}$ for 2.5
	Allow $0.6 \times n$ or $n \times 0.6$ for $0.6n$		
	eg $C = 0.6 \times n + 2.5$		B3
	$n \times 0.6 + 2.5$	B2	
	0.6 × n		B1
14	Penalise by one mark the use of n0.6	for 0.6n	
14	eg $C = n0.6 + 2.5$		B2
	n0.6 + 2.5	B1	
	n0.6		B0
	Penalise by one mark the use of different	ent letters	S
	eg $y = 0.6x + 2.5$		B2
	0.6x + 2.5		B1
	2p + 2.5		B0
	Transposing 0.6 and 2.5 scores zero	eg $C = 2$	2.5n + 0.6
	Ignore £ signs eg £C = £0.6n + £2.5	£0.60n + £2.5	
	C = 1.2n + 2.5		B2
	1.2n + 2.5		B1
	C = 0.6n + 2.5 in working with $0.6n + 2$	2.5 on ans	swer line B3
	Equivalent formula but C not the subje	ct scores	
	eg 100C = 60n + 250		B2

Question	Answer	Mark	Commen	ts
	Identifies error in working	B1	eg 2y ² should be 4y ² 2 should be 4 2 should be squared Should have worked out (2 worked out y ²	2y) ² but has only
	Ad	Iditional	Guidance	
	Answer may be seen next to Sami's me	ethod bel	ow the diagram	
	Adding brackets around 2y to Sami's working in line 2 (working lines may be blank)			B1
	Showing the error being corrected			
	eg1 $(2y)^2 = 100$ and $2y = 10$	B1		
45(1)	eg2 $4y^2 = 36 + 64$			B1
15(a)	She hasn't squared the bracket			B1
	Has only squared y			B1
	The brackets have been left out			B1
	$(2y)^2$ is not equal to $2y^2$			B1
	Should have square rooted 100 before dividing by 2 because the 2y should not have been taken out of the bracket			B1
	Should have square rooted 100 before dividing by 2 (could be referring to working from line 3 to line 4)			В0
	Line 2 is wrong (has not identified which part of line 2 is wrong)			В0
	Answer should be $y = 5$ (has not shown what the error is)			В0
	Ignore non-contradictory work if correct response seen			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments	s	
	No and valid reason	B1	eg No and the hypotenuse is 10 No and 2y is 10 No and if you double y it is more than 8		
	Ad	ditional	Guidance		
	Valid reason must be for Mel's argume	ent			
	Neither box ticked with valid reason ca eg 2y is 10 so Mel is wrong	an score l	31 if decision in words	B1	
	No and she didn't double it to 10			B1	
	No and she didn't double y			В0	
15(b)	No and she has to double 5 which makes it 10			B1	
	No and she has to double 5			В0	
	No and the hypotenuse is 2y so that's more than 8			B1	
	No and the hypotenuse is 2y			В0	
	No and the hypotenuse is the longest side			В0	
	No and y is 5			В0	
	No and if you double y it is more than 6 and 8			B1	
	No and if you double y it is more than 6			В0	
	Yes and valid reason			В0	
	28	B1			
16	Ad	ditional	Guidance		

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	Alternative method 1		
	50 × 1.2 or 60	M1	oe length of Q May be on the diagram
	$50 \times x \times 0.9$ or $45 \times x$	M1	oe area of P reduced by 10% May be on the diagram
17	their $60 \times y =$ their $45 \times x$ or $\frac{y}{x} = \frac{\text{their } 45}{\text{their } 60}$ or $y : x =$ their $45 :$ their 60 or equivalent ratio to $4 :$ 3 not in simplest form or equivalent fraction to $\frac{4}{3}$ not in simplest form	M1dep	oe dep on M2 M3 $\frac{1.2}{0.9}$
	4:3 or 1: $\frac{3}{4}$ or 1:0.75 or $\frac{4}{3}$:1	A1	

Alternative method 2 and Additional Guidance continue on the next two pages

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	Alternative method 2		
	50 × 1.2 or 60	M1	oe length of Q May be on the diagram
	Chooses a value for x and reduces area of P by 10%	M1	oe eg $(x = 8)$ $50 \times 8 \times 0.9$
17 cont	their $60 \times y =$ their area of P reduced by 10% or equivalent ratio to 4 : 3 not in simplest form or equivalent fraction to $\frac{4}{3}$ not in simplest form	M1dep	oe eg $60y = 50 \times 8 \times 0.9$ or $60y = 360$ or $(y =) 360 \div 60$ or 6 dep on M2 M3 $\frac{1.2}{0.9}$
	4:3 or 1: $\frac{3}{4}$ or 1:0.75 or $\frac{4}{3}$:1	A1	

	Additional Guidance				
	Allow 1.33() for $\frac{4}{3}$				
	4:3 in working with 3:4 on answer line	M3A0			
	1 : $\frac{45}{60}$	МЗАО			
	(Alt 1) $50x = 60y \times 0.9$	M1M0M0A0			
	(Alt 1) $50x = 60y \times 1.1$	M1M0M0A0			
17	(Alt 1) 45x:60y Answer 3:4	M1M1 M0A0			
	(Alt 1) y: x = 3:4 Answer 3:4	M3A0			
	Alt 2 example $50 \times 10 = 500$ (working not seen for reduction by 10% but completed correctly in next line) $450 \div 60 = 7.5$ (60 here gains first M1) $10:7.5 = 20:15$	M1M1 M1A0			
	Do not allow misreads eg increases length of P by 10% (instead of 20%)				
	Alt 2 Allow choice of x to be 50				

Answer	Mark	Comments	
Fully correct diagram \$ \[\begin{align*} M & B & B & B & B & B & B & B & B & B &	В3	positions	
Additional Guidance			
Three correct numbers in correct positions and one missing			B2
Two correct numbers in correct positions and two missing			B2
	Fully correct diagram ξ M 28 14 11 33 Add Three correct numbers in correct positions in the correct position in the correct positions in the correct positions in the correct position in the correct positions in the correct position in the correct	Fully correct diagram \$ \[\begin{align*} M & 28 & 14 & 11 \\ 28 & 14 & 11 \\ 33 \end{align*} \] Additional Three correct numbers in correct positions and	Fully correct diagram \$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc

	14/25 or 0.56 or 56%	B1ft	Correct or ft their diagram oe fraction	
	Ad	ditional	Guidance	
	$\frac{14}{25}$ or 0.56 or 56% always scores B1			
	ft answer correct with subsequent inco	rrect sim	olification	B1ft
	Ratio eg 14 : 25			В0
	Expressed only in words eg 14 out of 25			В0
18(b)	$\frac{14}{25}$ and 14 out of 25			B1
	$\frac{14}{25}$ seen with change to incorrect decimal or incorrect percentage			
	eg $\frac{14}{25}$ and answer 0.8			B1
	Ignore chance words if $\frac{14}{25}$ seen			
	eg $\frac{14}{25}$ and answer likely			B1
	For a ft answer that is only seen as a decimal or %, accept truncation or rounding to at least 2sf			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comment	ts	
	Alternative method 1				
	192 ÷ (7 + 6 + 11) or 192 ÷ 24 or 8	M1	May be implied		
	7 × their 8 or 56 and 6 × their 8 or 48 and 11 × their 8 or 88	M1dep	56 : 48 : 88 is M2		
	their 56 (× 1) + their 48 × 2 + their 88 × 3 or 56 + 96 + 264 or 416	M1dep	May use x, 2x and 3x (any	letter)	
	532.48 ÷ their 416	M1dep	Allow working in pence		
	1.28	A1			
	Alternative method 2				
	7 (× 1) + 6 × 2 + 11 × 3 or 7 + 12 + 33 or 52	M1	May use x, 2x and 3x (any	letter)	
	532.48 ÷ their 52 or 10.24	M1dep	Allow working in pence		
19	192 ÷ (7 + 6 + 11) or 192 ÷ 24 or 8	M1	May be implied		
	their 10.24 ÷ their 8	M1dep	dep on M3 oe eg their 10.24 × 7 or 71.68 and their 71.68 ÷ (7 × their 8)		
	1.28	A1			
	Ad	dditional	Guidance		
	(Alt 1) 56 : 96 : 264 with no subsequer	nt addition		M1M1M0M0A0	
	532.48 ÷ 24 (= 22.18 or 22.19) with no further valid working			Zero	
	532.48 ÷ 192 (= 2.77) with no further valid working			Zero	
	(Alt 1) 56 and 48 and 88 (or correct method leading to them) but not subsequently used			M2	
	(Alt 1) 8 (or correct method leading to it) but not subsequently used			M1	
	(Alt 2) 10.24 (or correct method leading to it)			M2	
	1.28 in working with Answer 71.68 (fro	m 1.28 ×	56)	M4A0	

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments		
	$\frac{\sin x}{6} = \frac{\sin 125}{14}$ or $\frac{6}{\sin x} = \frac{14}{\sin 125}$	M1	oe eg $\frac{\sin x}{6}$ = 0.058() or or $\frac{6}{\sin x}$ = 17.(0) or 17.1		
	$(\sin x =) \frac{\sin 125}{14} \times 6 \text{ or } 0.35(1)$	M1dep	oe eg $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin 125}{14} \times 6\right)$		
	[20.5, 20.6] or 21	A1			
	Additional Guidance				
20	Condone incorrect notation if recovere eg $x = \frac{\sin 125}{14} \times 6$	d			
	Answer 20.6			M2 A1	
	$\frac{\sin}{6} = \frac{\sin 125}{14} \text{not recovered}$				
	Answer [20.5, 20.6] from scale drawing	J		M1M1A1	
	Answer 21 from scale drawing			Zero	
	Answer only [20.5, 20.6] or 21			M1M1A1	

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	Alternative method 1		
	$5x^2 - 10x - 4 (= 0)$ or $-5x^2 + 10x + 4 (= 0)$	B1	If no rearrangement seen implied by $a=5,b=-10,c=-4$ or $a=-5,b=10,c=4$ seen or used correctly
21	$\frac{10 \pm \sqrt{(-10)^2 - 4 \times 5 \times -4}}{2 \times 5}$	M1	ft their 3-term quadratic (equation) seen Allow one sign error Allow 10 ² for (-10) ² (do not count as a sign error) Allow recovery of invisible brackets Conceptual error (omission of square root, incomplete square root symbol, ± not included, short fraction line) is M0 unless recovered
	$\frac{10 \pm \sqrt{(-10)^2 - 4 \times 5 \times -4}}{2 \times 5}$ or $\frac{10 \pm \sqrt{100 + 80}}{10}$ or $\frac{10 \pm \sqrt{180}}{10}$ or $\frac{10 \pm 6\sqrt{5}}{10}$ or $2.341()$ or 2.342 and $-0.341()$ or -0.342	A1ft	Fully correct substitution ft their 3-term quadratic (equation) seen oe eg $\frac{5\pm 3\sqrt{5}}{5}$ Allow 10^2 for $(-10)^2$ Allow recovery of invisible brackets Two correct solutions > 2 dp for their 3-term quadratic equation
	2.34 and -0.34	A1ft	ft B0M1A1ft ft answers must be rounded to 2 dp

Alternative method 2 and Additional Guidance continue on the next two pages

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	Alternative method 2		
	$5(x^2 - 2x - \frac{4}{5}) \ (= 0)$		May be implied
	or $x^2 - 2x - \frac{4}{5}$ (= 0)	B1	
	or $5(x^2 - 2x) = 4$ or $x^2 - 2x = \frac{4}{5}$		
	$5[(x-1)^2-1^2-\frac{4}{5}] (=0)$		ft their 3-term quadratic (equation) seen Allow one sign error but $(x - 1)^2$ must be
21	or $(x-1)^2 - 1^2 - \frac{4}{5}$ (= 0)	M1	correct
cont	or $5[(x-1)^2-1^2]=4$		
	or $(x-1)^2 - 1^2 = \frac{4}{5}$		
	$1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 + \frac{4}{5}}$		Fully correct
	٧ 3		ft their 3-term quadratic (equation) seen
	or 2.341() or 2.342 and -0.341() or -0.342	A1ft	oe eg $\frac{5\pm3\sqrt{5}}{5}$
			Two correct solutions > 2 dp for
			their 3-term quadratic equation seen
	2.34 and -0.34	A1ft	ft B0M1A1ft
		AIII	ft answers must be rounded to 2 dp

	Additional Guidance				
	Do not count a sign error in a (or b) as two sign errors eg If a should be -5 but a = 5 is used in both 4ac and 2a, only count as one sign error				
	Final A1 mark can be awarded if both answers seen in working but only one is written on answer line				
	$5x^2 + 10x - 4$ (= 0) seen with solutions -2.34 and 0.34 (no incorrect method seen)	B0M1A1ftA1ft			
21 cont	$5x^2 - 10x + 4$ (= 0) seen with solutions 0.55 and 1.45 (no incorrect method seen)	B0M1A1ftA1ft			
	$5x^2 + 10x + 4$ (= 0) seen with solutions -0.55 and -1.45 (no incorrect method seen)	B0M1A1ftA1ft			
	Note that the pairs of solutions seen in the three rows above can come from incorrect method so will not always score 3 marks				
	2.34 and -0.34 with no working or from T & I	4 marks			
	2.34 or -0.34 with no working or from T & I	Zero			
	2.3 and/or -0.3 with no working or from T & I	Zero			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments	s
	Alternative method 1			
	$d = kt^2 \text{ or } 45 = k \times 3^2$ or $45 \div 9$	M1	oe equation	
	$d = 5t^2 \text{ or } (k =) 5$	M1dep	oe equation 245 implies M2	
	their 5 × 10 ² or 500	M1dep	oe $M3 \left(\frac{10}{3}\right)^2 \times 45 \text{ oe}$	
	455	A1		
	Alternative method 2			
	$kd = t^2 \text{ or } k \times 45 = 3^2$ or $9 \div 45$	M1	oe equation	
	$0.2d = t^2 \text{ or } (k =) 0.2$	M1dep	oe equation 245 implies M2	
22	10 ² ÷ their 0.2 or 500	M1dep	oe $M3 \ 45 \div \left(\frac{3}{10}\right)^2 \text{ oe}$	
	455	A1		
	Ad	lditional	Guidance	
	$\mathrm{d}\alphat^2$ with no further valid working			Zero
	$d = kt$ or $d = kt^3$ or $d = \frac{k}{t^2}$ etc not rec	overed		Zero
	45 : 9 with no further valid working			Zero
	$d = 5t^2$ or $(k =) 5$ scores M2 even if not subsequently used			M2
	$d = kt^2$ or $45 = k \times 3^2$ or $45 \div 9$ scores M1 even if not subsequently used			M1
	$0.2d = t^2$ or $(k =) 0.2$ scores M2 even if not subsequently used			M2
	$kd = t^2$ or $k \times 45 = 3^2$ or $9 \div 45$ scores	M1 ever	if not subsequently used	M1
	Allow use of other letters			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments
	(BC =) 5a - 2b - 3a - b or 2a - 3b or (CD =) 3a + b + 3a - 9b or 6a - 8b or (BD =) 5a - 2b + 3a - 9b or 8a - 11b	M1	oe eg ($CB = 3a + b - 5a + 2b$ or $-2a + 3b$ or ($DC = 3a + 9b - 3a - b$ or $-6a + 8b$ or ($DB = 3a + 9b - 5a + 2b$ or $-8a + 11b$ Allow with brackets eg ($BC = 3a - 2b - 3a + b$)
23	Correct expressions for any two of BC , CD and BD	M1dep	oe eg1 correct expressions for BC and DB eg2 correct expressions for CB and DC Allow with brackets eg $(BC =) 5a - 2b - (3a + b)$ and $(DB =) -(3a - 9b) - (5a - 2b)$
	Correct simplified expressions for any two of <i>BC</i> , <i>CD</i> and <i>BD</i> and valid explanation and No	A1	oe eg correct expressions for <i>BC</i> and <i>DB</i> and valid explanation and No eg <i>BC</i> = 2a - 3b and <i>CD</i> = 6a - 8b and 3(2a - 3b) = 6a - 9b and No or <i>DC</i> = -6a + 8b and <i>BD</i> = 8a - 11b and <i>DC</i> is not a multiple of <i>BD</i> and not straight

	Additional Guidance					
	Award marks for correct expressions, ignoring any incorrect ones unless contradictions of correct ones					
	BAD means BD					
	BD = 5a - 2b + 3a - 9b or 8a - 11b and BAD = their BC + their CD and answer not 8a - 11b Do not take BAD to be a contradiction to BD					
	Two correct simplified expressions used for a valid explanation and saying No with any incorrect non-contradictory expressions seen	M2A1				
	Condone absence of vector notation eg Condone CD to mean the vector from C to D					
	$\overset{ ightarrow}{\operatorname{CD}}$ means the vector from C to D and $\overset{\leftarrow}{\operatorname{CD}}$ means the vector from D to C					
	Do not allow any misreads					
	Missing brackets may be recovered					
23 cont	Allow for up to M2 expressions like $(BC =) 5a - 2b + - 3a + - b$					
	Valid explanations:					
	eg1 $BC = 2a - 3b$ and $CD = 6a - 8b$ and $3(2a - 3b) = 6a - 9b$					
	is acceptable as there is a matching coefficient of a					
	eg2 $CD = 6a - 8b$ and $BD = 8a - 11b$ and $2(6a - 8b) = 12a - 16b$					
	is not acceptable because there is no matching coefficient of a or b					
	eg3 $BC = 2a - 3b$ and $CD = 6a - 8b$ and $6a - 8b = 3(2a - 2.6b)$					
	is acceptable because there is a matching coefficient of a and no error in factorisation (just a truncation)					
	eg4 $BC = 2a - 3b$ and $CD = 6a - 8b$ and $3(2a - 3b) = 6a - 10b$					
	is <u>not</u> acceptable because there is an error in expansion					
	Allow not parallel or not same gradient for No					
	Allow DC is not a factor of BD as a valid explanation					
	Do not allow DC is not a scalar of BD as a valid explanation					
	Look for decision in working lines if answer line is blank					
	Note that $BD = BC + CD$ is a fact but is not a valid explanation					

Question	Answer	Mark	Commen	ts
	Alternative method 1			
	(LQ =) 10 and (UQ =) 33 and answer 23	B4	B3 (LQ =) 10 and (UQ =) B2 (LQ =) 10 or (UQ =) 33 B1 Any two correct frequency 8, 8, 12 and 20	3
	Alternative method 2	<u> </u>	L	
	(LQ =) 10.3125 and (UQ =) 33.75 and answer 23.4375	B4	B3 (LQ =) 10.3125 and (UQ =) 33.75 B2 (LQ =) 10.3125 or (UQ =) 33.75 B1 Any two correct frequency, 8, 8, 12 and 20	encies from
	Additional Guidance			
24	Alt 2 is using $\frac{48+1}{4} = 12.25$ and $\frac{3(48+1)}{4} = 36.75$ to work out quartiles			
	Correct frequencies must be for the correct bar			
	33.75 may come from $\frac{3}{4} \times 45$			В0
	Allow B1 for two correct frequencies ev	ven if not	subsequently used	B1
	Frequency of 8 seen once with no othe correct	er correct	frequencies counts as one	
	Frequency of 8 seen twice counts as two correct			B1
	36 - 12 = 24 or 36.75 - 12.25 = 24.5 with < 2 correct frequencies			В0
	Answer 23 with neither quartile correct and < 2 correct frequencies			В0
	10-33 and 23			B4
	10-33			В3
	Do not allow dashes or vertical lines at 10 and/or 33 to imply correct quartiles			

Question	Answer	Mark	Comment	S
	$15^2 + 26^2 - 2 \times 15 \times 26 \times \cos 38$ or [286, 286.4] or [16.9, 17]	M1	May be seen in a square ro	oot
	$\frac{108}{360}$ or 0.3 or $\frac{360}{108}$ or 3.33()	M1	oe eg 108 ÷ 360 or 30% May be seen in two steps eg × 108 ÷ 360	
	their $\frac{108}{360} \times \pi \times [286, 286.4]$ or $\pi \times \text{their } [286, 286.4] \div \text{their } \frac{360}{108}$ or $[269, 272.4114]$	M1dep	dep on 1st and 2nd M1 oe eg $\frac{108}{360}$ × π × (their [16.9, 17]) ²	
	$(2 \times) \frac{1}{2} \times 15 \times 26 \times \sin 38$ or [120, 120.1] or [240, 240.2]	M1	oe	
25	[509, 512.6114] and 510	A1	Must see a value in range and 510	[509, 512.6114]
	Additional Guidance			
	15 × 26 × sin 38 scores 4th M1 unless	subsequ	ently doubled	
	If (sector) 270 and (2 triangles) 240 for	ollowed b	y 270 + 240 = 510	M4A1
	Working back from 510. Apply scheme	e but max	kimum mark is M4A0	
	Assuming angle AEB = 72 and then us lead to area = 510 to 2sf but can score			
	$BE = \frac{26}{\sin 72} \times \sin 38 = 16.8 \text{ (or 17)}$			MO
	$\frac{108}{360} \times \pi \times 16.8^2 = 266 \qquad 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 1$	M1M0depM1		
	506.2 → 510 A0			
	BE = [16.9, 17] seen with no working scores first M1 (and possibly all other marks)			
	$BE = 35 \div 2 = 17.5 \rightarrow 17 \text{ does not sco}$	re first M	1	

Question	Answer	Mark	Comments	
	В	B1		
26(a)	Additional Guidance			
	P	B1		
26(b)	Additional Guidance			
27(a)	Fully correct graph passing through (-2, -8) (-1, -1) (0, 0) (1, 1) and (2, 8)	B2	B1 x^3 or $y^3 = x$ or at least 4 points from (– (0, 0) (1, 1) and $(2, 8)$ plott table Tolerance of ±1 small square Points can be implied by g through them	ed or seen in a
	Additional Guidance			
	Tolerance of ±1 small square means it is on the edges of or within the shaded area			
	Ignore graph drawn outside of $-2 \le x \le 2$			
	Ruled straight lines joining (-2, -8) (-1, -1) (0, 0) (1, 1) and (2, 8)			B1
	Condone positive gradient at (0, 0)			
	Ignore working lines if fully correct graph seen		B2	

