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Instructions to Examiners

Abbreviations

- **M** Marks awarded for attempting to use a correct **Method**.
- **A** Marks awarded for an **Answer** or for **Accuracy**; often dependent on preceding **M** marks.
- **R** Marks awarded for clear **Reasoning**.
- **AG** Answer given in the question and so no marks are awarded.
- **FT** Follow through. The practice of awarding marks, despite candidate errors in previous parts, for their correct methods/answers using incorrect results.

Using the markscheme

1 General

Award marks using the annotations as noted in the markscheme eg M1, A2.

2 Method and Answer/Accuracy marks

- Do **not** automatically award full marks for a correct answer; all working **must** be checked, and marks awarded according to the markscheme.
- It is generally not possible to award M0 followed by A1, as A mark(s) depend on the preceding M mark(s), if any.
- Where *M* and *A* marks are noted on the same line, e.g. *M1A1*, this usually means *M1* for an attempt to use an appropriate method (e.g. substitution into a formula) and *A1* for using the correct values.
- Where there are two or more **A** marks on the same line, they may be awarded independently; so if the first value is incorrect, but the next two are correct, award **A0A1A1**.
- Where the markscheme specifies A3, M2 etc., do not split the marks, unless there is a note.
- The response to a "show that" question does not need to restate the **AG** line, unless a **Note** makes this explicit in the markscheme.
- Once a correct answer to a question or part question is seen, ignore further working even if this
 working is incorrect and/or suggests a misunderstanding of the question. This will encourage a
 uniform approach to marking, with less examiner discretion. Although some candidates may be
 advantaged for that specific question item, it is likely that these candidates will lose marks
 elsewhere too.
- An exception to the previous rule is when an incorrect answer from further working is used **in a subsequent part**. For example, when a correct exact value is followed by an incorrect decimal approximation in the first part and this approximation is then used in the second part. In this situation, award *FT* marks as appropriate but do not award the final *A1* in the first part. Examples:

	Correct answer seen	Further working seen	Any FT issues?	Action
1.	$8\sqrt{2}$	5.65685 (incorrect decimal value)	No. Last part in question.	Award A1 for the final mark (condone the incorrect further working)
2.	$\frac{35}{72}$	0.468111 (incorrect decimal value)	Yes. Value is used in subsequent parts.	Award A0 for the final mark (and full FT is available in subsequent parts)

3 Implied marks

Implied marks appear in **brackets e.g.** (M1), and can only be awarded if **correct** work is seen or implied by subsequent working/answer.

4 Follow through marks (only applied after an error is made)

Follow through (*FT*) marks are awarded where an incorrect answer from one **part** of a question is used correctly in **subsequent** part(s) (e.g. incorrect value from part (a) used in part (d) or incorrect value from part (c)(i) used in part (c)(ii)). Usually, to award *FT* marks, **there must be working present** and not just a final answer based on an incorrect answer to a previous part. However, if all the marks awarded in a subsequent part are for the answer or are implied, then *FT* marks should be awarded for *their* correct answer, even when working is not present.

For example: following an incorrect answer to part (a) that is used in subsequent parts, where the markscheme for the subsequent part is **(M1)A1**, it is possible to award full marks for *their* correct answer, **without working being seen**. For longer questions where all but the answer marks are implied this rule applies but may be overwritten by a **Note** in the Markscheme.

- Within a question part, once an **error** is made, no further **A** marks can be awarded for work which uses the error, but **M** marks may be awarded if appropriate.
- If the question becomes much simpler because of an error then use discretion to award fewer *FT* marks, by reflecting on what each mark is for and how that maps to the simplified version.
- If the error leads to an inappropriate value (e.g. probability greater than 1, $\sin \theta = 1.5$, non-integer value where integer required), do not award the mark(s) for the final answer(s).
- The markscheme may use the word "their" in a description, to indicate that candidates may be using an incorrect value.
- If the candidate's answer to the initial question clearly contradicts information given in the question, it is not appropriate to award any *FT* marks in the subsequent parts. This includes when candidates fail to complete a "show that" question correctly, and then in subsequent parts use their incorrect answer rather than the given value.
- Exceptions to these *FT* rules will be explicitly noted on the markscheme.
- If a candidate makes an error in one part but gets the correct answer(s) to subsequent part(s), award marks as appropriate, unless the command term was "Hence".

5 Mis-read

If a candidate incorrectly copies values or information from the question, this is a mis-read (*MR*). A candidate should be penalized only once for a particular misread. Use the *MR* stamp to indicate that this has been a misread and do not award the first mark, even if this is an *M* mark, but award all others as appropriate.

- If the question becomes much simpler because of the **MR**, then use discretion to award fewer marks.
- If the **MR** leads to an inappropriate value (e.g. probability greater than 1, $\sin \theta = 1.5$, non-integer value where integer required), do not award the mark(s) for the final answer(s).
- Miscopying of candidates' own work does **not** constitute a misread, it is an error.
- If a candidate uses a correct answer, to a "show that" question, to a higher degree of accuracy than given in the question, this is NOT a misread and full marks may be scored in the subsequent part.
- **MR** can only be applied when work is seen. For calculator questions with no working and incorrect answers, examiners should **not** infer that values were read incorrectly.

6 Alternative methods

Candidates will sometimes use methods other than those in the markscheme. Unless the question specifies a method, other correct methods should be marked in line with the markscheme. If the command term is 'Hence' and not 'Hence or otherwise' then alternative methods are not permitted unless covered by a note in the mark scheme.

- Alternative methods for complete questions are indicated by METHOD 1, METHOD 2, etc.
- Alternative solutions for parts of questions are indicated by **EITHER** . . . **OR**.

7 Alternative forms

Unless the question specifies otherwise, accept equivalent forms.

- As this is an international examination, accept all alternative forms of **notation** for example 1.9 and 1,9 or 1000 and 1,000 and 1.000.
- Do not accept final answers written using calculator notation. However, **M** marks and intermediate **A** marks can be scored, when presented using calculator notation, provided the evidence clearly reflects the demand of the mark.
- In the markscheme, equivalent **numerical** and **algebraic** forms will generally be written in brackets immediately following the answer.
- In the markscheme, some equivalent answers will generally appear in brackets. Not all
 equivalent notations/answers/methods will be presented in the markscheme and examiners are
 asked to apply appropriate discretion to judge if the candidate work is equivalent.

8 Format and accuracy of answers

If the level of accuracy is specified in the question, a mark will be linked to giving the answer to the required accuracy. If the level of accuracy is not stated in the question, the general rule applies to final answers: unless otherwise stated in the question all numerical answers must be given exactly or correct to three significant figures.

Where values are used in subsequent parts, the markscheme will generally use the exact value, however candidates may also use the correct answer to 3 sf in subsequent parts. The markscheme will often explicitly include the subsequent values that come "from the use of 3 sf values".

Simplification of final answers: Candidates are advised to give final answers using good mathematical form. In general, for an $\bf A$ mark to be awarded, arithmetic should be completed, and any values that lead to integers should be simplified; for example, $\sqrt{\frac{25}{4}}$ should be written as $\frac{5}{2}$. An exception to this is simplifying fractions, where lowest form is not required (although the numerator and the denominator must be integers); for example, $\frac{10}{4}$ may be left in this form or written as $\frac{5}{2}$. However, $\frac{10}{5}$ should be written as 2, as it simplifies to an integer.

Algebraic expressions should be simplified by completing any operations such as addition and multiplication, e.g. $4e^{2x} \times e^{3x}$ should be simplified to $4e^{5x}$, and $4e^{2x} \times e^{3x} - e^{4x} \times e^{x}$ should be simplified to $3e^{5x}$. Unless specified in the question, expressions do not need to be factorized, nor do factorized expressions need to be expanded, so x(x+1) and $x^2 + x$ are both acceptable.

Please note: intermediate **A** marks do NOT need to be simplified.

9 Calculators

A GDC is required for this paper, but If you see work that suggests a candidate has used any calculator not approved for IB DP examinations (eg CAS enabled devices), please follow the procedures for malpractice.

10. Presentation of candidate work

Crossed out work: If a candidate has drawn a line through work on their examination script, or in some other way crossed out their work, do not award any marks for that work unless an explicit note from the candidate indicates that they would like the work to be marked.

More than one solution: Where a candidate offers two or more different answers to the same question, an examiner should only mark the first response unless the candidate indicates otherwise. If the layout of the responses makes it difficult to judge, examiners should apply appropriate discretion to judge which is "first".

1. (a) r = 0.933 (0.933419...)

A2

[2 marks]

(b) strong

A1

Note: Answer may include "positive", however this is not necessary for the mark.

[1 mark]

(c) t = 0.228x + 24.3 (t = 0.227703...x + 24.3153...)

A1

Note: Condone y in place of t. Answer must be an equation.

[1 mark]

(d) $(t =) 0.227703... \times 57 + 24.3153...$

(M1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for correct substitution into their regression line.

(t =) 37.3 minutes (37.2944)

A1

Note: Accept 37.1 and 37.4 from use of 2sf and/or 3sf values.

[2 marks] Total: [6 marks]

2. (a) attempt at substituting the cosine rule formula

(M1)

$$\cos\theta = \frac{1660^2 + 1550^2 - 1670^2}{2(1660)(1550)}$$

(A1)

 $(\theta =) 62.6^{\circ} (62.5873...)$ (accept 1.09 rad (1.09235...))

A1 [3 marks]

(b) correctly substituted area of triangle formula

(M1)

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(1660)(1550)\sin(62.5873...)$$

 $(A =) 1140000 (1.14 \times 10^6, 1142043.327...) \text{ km}^2$

A1

Note: Accept $1150\,000~(1.15\times10^6~,1146\,279.893...)~km^2~from~use~of~63^\circ~.$ Other angles and their corresponding sides may be used.

[2 marks] Total: [5 marks]

3. (a)
$$(A=)$$
 112

A1

[1 mark]

(b)
$$112e^{5k} = 360$$

(M1)

Note: Award (M1) for their correct equation.

EITHER

graph of $y = 112e^{5x}$ and y = 360 with indication of point of intersection

(M1)

OR

$$(k =) \frac{1}{5} \ln \left(\frac{360}{112} \right)$$

(M1)

Note: Award (M1) for correct rearranging and use of log.

THEN

$$(k =) 0.234 (0.233521...)$$

A1

Note: Award *(M1)(M1)(A0)* for 0.233.

[3 marks]

Total: [4 marks]

4. (a) $m = \frac{6-0}{4-2} = 3$

(M1)A1

[2 marks]

[1 mark]

(b) (m=) $-\frac{1}{3}$ (-0.333, -0.333333...)

A1

(c) an equation of line with a correct intercept and either of their

gradients from (a) or (b)

(M1)

e.g.
$$y = -\frac{1}{3}x + 4$$
 OR $y - 4 = -\frac{1}{3}(x - 0)$

Note: Award *(M1)* for substituting either of their gradients from parts (a) or (b) and point B or (3,3) into equation of a line.

x+3y-12=0 or any integer multiple

A1

[2 marks]

(d) (x =) 12

A1

[1 mark]

Total: [6 marks]

5. (a)
$$h(4) = \frac{640}{4^2} + 0.5$$
 OR $h(14) = \frac{640}{14^2} + 0.5$ (M1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for substituting 4 or 14 into h. This can be implicit from seeing 3.77 (3.76530...) or 40.5.

$$3.77 \le h(x) \le 40.5 \quad (3.76530... \le h(x) \le 40.5)$$

A1A1

Note: Award A1 for both correct endpoints seen, A1 for the endpoints in a correct interval.

[3 marks]

(b) (i)
$$h(x) = 10$$
 OR $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{640}{x - 0.5}}$ OR $h^{-1}(10) = \sqrt{\frac{640}{10 - 0.5}}$ (M1)
 $(x =) 8.21 \text{ cm } (8.20782...)$

(ii) a tin that is 10 cm high will have a diameter of 8.21 cm (8.20782...)

Note: Condone a correct answer expressed as the converse.

(iii)
$$4 \le h^{-1} \le 14$$

Note: Accept $4 \le y \le 14$. Do not *FT* in this part.

[4 marks] Total: [7 marks] 6. (a) attempt at using trapezoidal rule formula

(A1)

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2-0}{5} \right) \left(30 + 50 + 2(50 + 60 + 40 + 20) \right)$$

(total carbon =) 84 tonnes

A1

[3 marks]

(b)
$$\left| \frac{84 - 72}{72} \right| \times 100\%$$
 (M1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for correct substitution of final answer in part (a) into percentage error formula.

$$=16.7\%$$
 (16.6666...%)

A1

(M1)

[2 marks] Total: [5 marks]

7. (a) (the best placement is either point P or point Q) attempt at using the distance formula

$$AP = \sqrt{(10-6)^2 + (6-2)^2} \quad \mathbf{OR}$$

BP =
$$\sqrt{(10-14)^2 + (6-2)^2}$$
 OR

$$DP = \sqrt{(10-10.8)^2 + (6-11.6)^2} \quad OR$$

$$BQ = \sqrt{(13-14)^2 + (7-2)^2} \quad OR$$

$$CQ = \sqrt{(13-18)^2 + (7-6)^2}$$
 OR

$$DQ = \sqrt{(13-10.8)^2 + (7-11.6)^2}$$

(AP or BP or DP =) $\sqrt{32} = 5.66$ (5.65685...) **AND**

(BQ or CQ or DQ =)
$$\sqrt{26} = 5.10$$
 (5.09901...)

A1

$$\sqrt{32} > \sqrt{26}$$
 OR AP (or BP or DP) is greater than BQ (or CQ or DQ)

A1

point P is the furthest away

AG

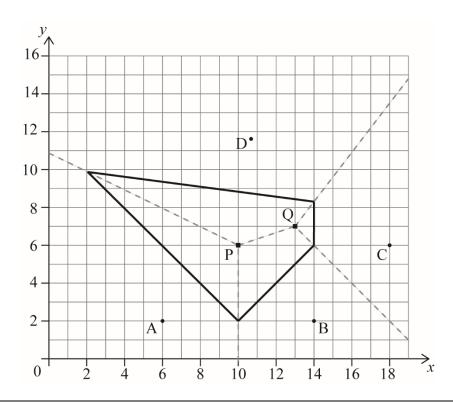
Note: Follow through from their values provided their AP (or BP or DP) is greater than their BQ (or CQ or DQ).

[3 marks]

(b) (i) x = 14

A1

(ii)



A1A1

Note: Award **A1** for each correct straight line. Do not **FT** from their part (b)(i).

[3 marks] Total: [6 marks]

A1

Note: Answer must be in terms of π .

(ii) METHOD 1

$$\frac{\theta}{360} \times 2\pi (18) = 13\pi$$
 OR $\frac{\theta}{360} \times 2\pi (18) = 40.8407...$ (M1)

Note: Award (M1) for correct substitution into length of an arc formula.

$$(\theta =) 130^{\circ}$$

A1

A1

METHOD 2

$$\frac{\theta}{360} \times \pi \times 18^2 = \pi \times 6.5 \times 18 \tag{M1}$$

$$(\theta =) 130^{\circ}$$

[3 marks]

(b) **EITHER**

$$\frac{130}{360} \times \pi (18)^2$$
 (M1)

Note: Award (M1) for correct substitution into area of a sector formula.

OR

$$\pi(6.5)(18)$$
 (M1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for correct substitution into curved area of a cone formula.

THEN

(Area =)
$$368 \text{ cm}^2 (367.566...,117\pi)$$

Note: Allow *FT* from their part (a)(ii) even if their angle is not obtuse.

[2 marks] Total: [5 marks] **9**. (a) 75

[1 mark]

(b) recognition that all entries add up to 120 (M1) a = 120 - 6 - 13 - 26 - b OR a = 75 - b

[2 marks]

(c) (i) $\frac{6 \times 1 + 13 \times 2 + 26 \times 3 + (75 - b) \times 4 + b \times 5}{120} = 3.65$ (M1)(A1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for attempt to substitute into mean formula, LHS expression is sufficient for the *M* mark. Award *(A1)* for correct substitutions in one variable **OR** in two variables, followed by evidence of solving simultaneously with a + b = 75.

(b =) 28

(ii) 120- their part (c)(i) seen (e.g. 92 indicated on graph) (M1) 84

[5 marks] Total: [8 marks]

10. (a)
$$N = 360$$

 $I\% = 3.8$
 $PV = (\pm)170\,000$
 $FV = 0$
 $P/Y = 12$
 $C/Y = 12$

(M1)(A1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for an attempt to use a financial app in their technology with at least two entries seen, award A1 for all entries correct. Accept a positive or negative value for PV.

$$(PMT =) 792.13 \text{ AUD}$$

A1

Note: Accept an answer of -792.13. Do not award final **A1** if answer is not given correct to 2 dp

[3 marks]

(b) (i)
$$N = 120$$

 $I\% = 3.8$
 $PV = (\pm)170\,000$
 $PMT = (\mp)792.13$
 $P/Y = 12$
 $C/Y = 12$

(M1)(A1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for an attempt to use a financial app in their technology with at least two entries seen, award *A1* for all entries correct. *PV* and *PMT* must have opposite signs.

$$(FV =) 133019.94 \text{ AUD}$$

A1

Note: Do not award final *A1* if answer is not given correct to 2 dp, unless already penalized in part (a). Accept 133020.30 from use of exact value for PMT.

(ii) amount of money paid: $120 \times 792.13 = 95055.60$ loan paid off: 170000 - 133019.94 = 36980.06interest paid: (95055.60 - 36980.06 =) 58075.54 AUD

(M1) (M1)

A1

Note: Allow 58075.60 or 58075.90 from use of some exact values from parts (a) and (b)(i). If their answer to part (b)(i) is greater than 170 000 then award at most *(M1)(M1)(A0)* for follow through in part (b)(ii).

[6 marks]

Total: [9 marks]

11. (a)
$$a = 0.42$$

A1

[1 mark]

(b)
$$(P(B' \cap F) =) b \times 0.68$$

A1

[1 mark]

(c) (i)
$$0.32 \times 0.58 + 0.68b = 0.41$$

(M1)

Note: Award (M1) for setting up equation for fair-haired or equivalent.

$$b = 0.33$$

A1

(ii)
$$c = 0.67$$

A1

[3 marks] Total: [5 marks]

12. (a)
$$(S(x) =) x^2 + 128x^{-1}$$

(M1)

Note: Award *(M1)* for expressing second term with a negative power. This may be implied by $\frac{1}{x^2}$ seen as part of their answer.

$$2x - \frac{128}{x^2}$$
 OR $2x - 128x^{-2}$

A1A1

Note: Award **A1** for 2x and **A1** for $-\frac{128}{x^2}$. The first **A1** is for x^2 differentiated correctly and is independent of the **(M1)**.

[3 marks]

(b) (i) EITHER

any correct manipulation of
$$2x - \frac{128}{x^2} = 0$$
 e.g. $2x^3 - 128 = 0$ (M1)

OR

sketch of graph of S'(x) with root indicated

(M1)

OR

sketch of graph of S(x) with minimum indicated

(M1)

THEN

$$x = 4$$

A1

Note: Value must be positive. Follow through from their part (a) irrespective of working.

(ii) the value of x that will minimize surface area of the box

A1

Note: Accept 'optimize' in place of minimize.

[3 marks] Total: [6 marks]

- **13.** (a) (i) c = 10
- A1

(M1)

A1

(ii) 64a + 8b + 10 = 1016a + 4b + 10 = 12

A1

Note: Award **A1** for each equivalent expression or **A1** for the use of the axis of symmetry formula to find $4 = \frac{-b}{2a}$ or from use of derivative.

Award **A0A1** for 64a + 8b + c = 10 and 16a + 4b + c = 12.

(iii) $y = -\frac{1}{8}x^2 + x + 10$

Note: Award **A1A0** if one term is incorrect, **A0A0** if two or more terms are incorrect. Award at most **A1A0** if correct a, b and c values are seen but answer not expressed as an equation.

[5 marks]

(b) recognizing the need to integrate their expression

$$\int_0^8 -\frac{1}{8}x^2 + x + 10 \, \mathrm{d}x \tag{A1}$$

Note: Award (A1) for correct integral, including limits. Condone absence of dx.

$$90.7 \text{ cm}^2 \left(\frac{272}{3}, 90.6666...\right)$$

[3 marks] Total: [8 marks]