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Level 1

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Glossary for Mark Schemes

Examinations are marked to award positive achievement.

Marks are awarded for demonstrating the following interrelated **process skills**.

Representing Selecting the mathematics and information to model a situation.

- R.1 Candidates recognise that a situation has aspects that can be represented using mathematics.
- R.2 Candidates make an initial model of a situation using suitable forms of representation.
- R.3 Candidates decide on the methods, operations and tools, including ICT, to use in a situation.
- R.4 Candidates select the mathematical information to use.

Analysing Processing and using mathematics.

- A.1 Candidates use appropriate mathematical procedures.
- A.2 Candidates examine patterns and relationships.
- A.3 Candidates change values and assumptions or adjust relationships to see the effects on answers in models.
- A.4 Candidates find results and solutions.

Interpreting Interpreting and communicating the results of the analysis.

- I.1 Candidates interpret results and solutions.
- I.2 Candidates draw conclusions in light of situations.
- I.3 Candidates consider the appropriateness and accuracy of results and conclusions.
- I.4 Candidates choose appropriate language and forms of presentation to communicate results and solutions.

In particular, individual marks are mapped onto the following **skills standards**.

Representing Making sense of the situations and representing them.

A learner can:

- Ra** Understand routine and non-routine problems in familiar and unfamiliar contexts and situations.
- Rb** Identify the situation or problems and identify the mathematical methods needed to solve them.
- Rc** Choose from a range of mathematics to find solutions.

Analysing Processing and using the mathematics.

A learner can:

- Aa** Apply a range of mathematics to find solutions.
- Ab** Use appropriate checking procedures and evaluate their effectiveness at each stage.

Interpreting Interpreting and communicating the results of the analysis.

A learner can:

- Ia** Interpret and communicate solutions to multistage practical problems in familiar and unfamiliar contexts and situations.
- Ib** Draw conclusions and provide mathematical justifications.

To facilitate marking, the following categories are used:

- M** 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.
- B** Marks awarded independent of method.
- Ft** Follow through marks. Marks awarded following a mistake in an earlier step.
- SC** Special case. Marks awarded within the scheme for a common misinterpretation which has some mathematical worth.
- Oe** Or equivalent. Accept answers that are equivalent.
Eg, accept 0.5 as well as $\frac{1}{2}$

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
1(a)	1.5 × 30	M1 Rc	
	45	A1 Aa	
1(a) check	Reverse or alt calculation eg $45 \div 30 = 1.5$ or $45 \div 1.5 = 30$ or $30 + 15 = 45$	B1ft Ab	
Additional Guidance			
1(a)	If starting from 288 litres for 32 flushes the complete method must be seen for M1 $(288 \div 32) \times 30 = 270$ and $((288 \div 32) - 1.5) \times 30 = 225$ and their 270 – their 225 Further work seen is A0 eg $1.5 \times 30 = 45$, $288 - 45 = 243$ M1A0	oe eg seeing 9 for $288 \div 32$	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
1(b)	Alternative method 1		
	3 × 77 or 231	M1 Rb	
	216 ÷ 6 × 3 or 216 ÷ 2 or 108	M1 Rb	
	their 231 – their 108 or their 108 + 120 or 228	M1 Aa	baths – showers
	123 and Yes or 231 and 228 and Yes	A2 /	A1 123 or A1 231 and 228 A1ft Correct conclusion for their value(s) if 3rd M1 awarded
	Alternative method 2		
	216 ÷ 6 or 36	M1 Rb	
	77 – their 36 or 41	M1 Rb	bath – shower
	3 × their 41 or 120 ÷ their 41	M1 Aa	their 41 must be bath – shower
	123 and Yes or 2.9.... and Yes	A2 /	A1 123 or 2.9.... A1ft Correct conclusion for their value if 3rd M1 awarded
Additional Guidance			

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
1(d)	Alternative method 1		
	219 × 3 or 657	M1 Ra	
	their 657 + 125 or their 657 + 125 – 720 or 720 – their 657	M1 Rb	their 657 cannot be 3 or from 125 × 3 or 720 × 3 or 1000 × 3
	782 and No or 62 and No or 63 and No	A2 /	A1 782 or 62 or 63 A1ft Correct conclusion for their value if 2nd M1 awarded
	Alternative method 2		
	219 × 3 or 657	M1 Ra	
	720 – 125 or 595	M1 Rb	
	595 and 657 and No	A2 /	A1 595 and 657 A1ft Correct conclusion for their values
	Additional Guidance		
	Use of 219 000 instead of 219 can gain max 2 marks Example 219 000 × 3 = 657 000 657 000 + 125 = 657 125 and No They must make a decision for the final mark eg It's £62 more expensive/cheaper eg No It's £62 more expensive eg 782 No, without a water meter would be cheaper		M0M1A0 A1ft M2A1A0 M2A2 M2A2

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2(a)	53.23	B1 <i>Rb</i>	
	Additional Guidance		

2(b)	All correct		B3 <i>Ra,Rb,I</i>	B2 one pair of swimmers swapped with the rest correct eg all correct except Kev in Lane 3 and Ahmed in Lane 5 B1 Ahmed in Lane 3 and Kev in Lane 5 or B1 all 8 correct names used
	Lane 1	Dai		
	Lane 2	Cheng		
	Lane 3	Ahmed		
	Lane 4	Jack (given)		
	Lane 5	Kev		
	Lane 6	Paul		
	Lane 7	Zain		
	Lane 8	Tom		
Additional Guidance				
For the B2 for one pair swapped they can only be swapped with the next lane that would be allocated The possible swaps are Kev and Ahmed Ahmed and Paul Paul and Cheng Cheng and Zain Zain and Dai Dai and Tom				

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2(c)	Alternative method 1		
	50.6 + 51.7 + 52.6 + 49.6 + 50.2 + 49.8 or 304.5 or 50.2 + 49.6 + 51.2 + 48.2 + 49.5 + 51.3 or 300	M1 Aa	
	50.6 + 51.7 + 52.6 + 49.6 + 50.2 + 49.8 or 304.5 and 50.2 + 49.6 + 51.2 + 48.2 + 49.5 + 51.3 or 300	M1 Aa	
	304.5 and 300 and Duncan	A2 /, /	A1 304.5 and 300 A1ft correct conclusion for their values
	Alternative method 2		
	50.6 + 51.7 + 52.6 + 49.6 + 50.2 + 49.8 or 304.5 or 50.2 + 49.6 + 51.2 + 48.2 + 49.5 + 51.3 or 300	M1 Aa	
	their 304.5 ÷ 6 or 50.75 or their 300 ÷ 6 or 50	M1 Aa	
	50.75 and 50 and Duncan	A2 /, /	A1 50.75 and 50 A1ft correct conclusion for their values

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
2(c) cont'd	Alternative method 3		
	Ben 49.6, 49.8, 50.2, 50.6, 51.7, 52.6, or Duncan 48.2, 49.5, 49.6, 50.2, 51.2, 51.3,	M1 Aa	Arranges at least 4 in order from either end and indicates middle
	50.4 or 49.9	M1 Aa	
	50.4 and 49.9 and Duncan	A2 /, /	A1 50.4 and 49.9 A1ft correct conclusion for their values
	Alternative method 4		
	compares number or proportion of times under 50 seconds eg Ben 2/6 or Duncan 3/6	M1 Aa	
	Ben 2/6 and Duncan 3/6	M1 Aa	
	Duncan as he has more times under 50 seconds/is more likely to swim under 50 seconds	A2 /, /	A1 Duncan without clear explanation A1ft correct conclusion for their values SC2 Choose Duncan as he won 5 of the races or SC2 choose Duncan as Ben only won one of the races SC1 Duncan won 5 of the races/Ben only won one of the races SC2 compares quickest and/or slowest time and chooses Duncan SC1 compares quickest and/or slowest time

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Additional Guidance			
2(c)	Note that the number of times under 51 seconds are the same for both swimmers		
	using alt 4 it must be clear that they are making a choice		
	examples		
	choose Duncan as he only had 3 swims over 50 secs but Ben had 4	M2A2	
	Duncan had 3 swims over 50 secs and Ben had 4	M2 A0	
	Examples of SC for comparing single values		
	Choose Duncan as he never swam slower than 52 seconds	SC2	
	Duncan had the quickest time	SC1	
	Choose Duncan as he had the quickest time	SC2	
	Duncan is best as Ben had a time over 52 seconds but Duncan didn't	SC2	

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2(d)	Alternative method 1		
	49.5(0) × 10 or 495	M1 Rc	
	7 × 5 or 35	M1 Aa	M2 for (7 + 58) × 5 or 325
	58 × 5 or 290	M1 Aa	
	their 495 + their 35 + their 290 or 820	M1 Aa	their values must be from an attempt at multiples of 49.5(0), 7 and 58 49.5(0) + 7 + 58 (= 114.5) is M0
	their 820 ÷ 10 or 82	M1 Ra	M2 for their 820 × 0.9
	their 820 – their 82	M1 Aa	
738 and Yes	A2 I,I	A1 738 A1ft correct conclusion for their value if 4th method mark is awarded	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
2(d) cont'd	Alternative method 2		
	49.5(0) × 10 or 495	M1 <i>Rc</i>	
	7 × 5 or 35	M1 <i>Aa</i>	M2 for (7 + 58) × 5 or 325
	58 × 5 or 290	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	their 495 ÷ 10 or 49.5 or their 35 ÷ 10 or 3.5 or their 290 ÷ 10 or 2.9	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	their 495 – their 49.5 or 445.5(0) and their 35 – their 3.5 or 31.5(0) and their 290 – their 29 or 261	M1 <i>Ra</i>	At least two reductions by their 10% seen
	their 445.5(0) + their 31.5(0) + their 261	M1 <i>Aa</i>	Must be adding their 90% values or subtracts the sum of two of the values from 750 and compares with the third value
	738 and Yes	A2 <i>l,l</i>	A1 738 A1ft correct conclusion for their value if 6th method mark awarded

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
2(d) cont'd	Alternative method 3		
	49.5(0) ÷ 10 or 4.95 or 7 ÷ 10 or 0.7 or 58 ÷ 10 or 5.8	M1 <i>Ra</i>	M2 for at least two of 49.5(0) × 0.9 or 44.55 and 7 × 0.9 or 6.3(0) and 58 × 0.9 or 52.2(0) At least two reductions by their 10% seen
	49.5 – their 4.95 or 44.55 and 7 – their 0.7 or 6.3(0) and 58 – their 5.8 or 52.2(0)	M1 <i>Rc</i>	
	their 44.55 × 10 or 445.5(0)	M1 <i>Rc</i>	
	their 6.3 × 5 or 31.5(0)	M1 <i>Aa</i>	M2 for (their 6.3 + their 52.2(0)) × 5 or 292.5(0)
	their 52.2(0) × 5 or 261	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	their 445.5(0) + their 31.5(0) + their 261	M1 <i>Aa</i>	Must be adding their 90% values
	738 and Yes	A2 <i>/, /</i>	A1 738 A1ft correct conclusion for their value if 6th method mark awarded

Additional Guidance for this question is on the next page

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
2(d)	Additional Guidance		
	<p>For Alt 2, variations of the final M1 by subtracting 2 values from 750 and comparing what is left, can gain full marks</p> <p>eg $750 - (\text{their } 445.5(0) + \text{their } 31.5(0)) = 273$ and compares with 261</p> <p>or</p> <p>$750 - (\text{their } 261 + \text{their } 31.5(0)) = 457.5$ and compares with $445.5(0)$</p> <p>or</p> <p>$750 - (\text{their } 445.5(0) + \text{their } 261) = 43.5(0)$ and compares with $31.5(0)$ or with 35</p> <p>(Note that as $43.5(0)$ is more than 35 they do not have to compare with the discounted amount)</p> <p>Failing to work out 10% off £35 (as it does not affect the decision) needs justification for full marks</p> <p>Example 1</p> <p>$445.5(0) + 261 + 35 = 741.5(0)$ and Yes gains 7 marks (no justification for leaving 35 without the discount)</p> <p>Example 2</p> <p>$445.5(0) + 261 + 35 = 741.5(0)$ and states 'this is below £750 without deducting the 10% for the swim caps' gains 8 marks</p>		

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	Cathy on all six days on shift 2 only	B1 <i>Rb</i>																																						
	Amy on every day except Monday	B1 <i>/</i>																																						
	Ben on Mon, Thurs and Friday only	B1 <i>/</i>																																						
	David on Mon, Tues, Wed and Sat only	B1 <i>/</i>																																						
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Mark the bottom grid unless it is blank Ignore repeats as they will be penalised by another person being incorrect A crossed out name in a cell not replaced would be marked as though it were not crossed out																																								

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3(b)	24 × 7.5(0) or 180	M1 Rc	
	£180	A1 /	Must see £ symbol or 180 pounds
3(b) check	reverse or alt calculation eg 180 ÷ 24 = 7.5	B1ft Ab	
3(b)	Additional Guidance		
	<p>The £ sign (for 180) can be seen in the body of the script or the check –just needs to be seen once eg 24 × 7.50 = 180 check £180 ÷ 7.50 = 24 M1A1B1</p> <p>If £180 seen and then further work, penalise the accuracy mark eg 24 × 7.5(0) = £180, £180 × 7 = £1260 M1A0 £ sign must be seen eg 24 × 7.5(0) = 180, 180 × 7 = £1260 M0A0 (No £ sign seen here. However £180 could still be seen in the check and awarded the mark)</p>		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
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3(c)	Alternative method 1		
	120 + 120 + 120 or 120 × 3 or 370 – 120 – 120 – 120	M1 Aa	
	360 and Yes or He will have 10 spare/left	A2 /, /	A1 360 or A1ft correct conclusion for their value
	Alternative method 2		
	370 ÷ 120 or 370 ÷ 3	M1 Aa	
	3.08 (...) and Yes or 3.1 and Yes or 123.3 (...) and Yes	A2 /, /	A1 3.08(...) or 3.1 or 123.3(...) or A1ft correct conclusion for their value
	Additional Guidance		
	Equivalent methods may be seen eg 370 – 120 – 120 = 130 and Yes130 is bigger than 120. This would score full marks.		

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3(d)	Alternative method 1		
	5p – 1p or 4p or 460 × 5(p) or 2300	M1 <i>Rb</i>	
	460 × 4p or their 2300 – 460 or 1840	M1 <i>Rc</i>	460 × 4p is M1M1 Allow equivalent in pounds (18.40)
	their 1840 ÷ 2 or 920 or their 1840 × 0.5(0)	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	(£)9.20	A1 <i>Aa</i>	
	Alternative method 2		
	5p – 1p or 4p	M1 <i>Rb</i>	
	their 4p ÷ 2 or their 4p × 0.5(0) or 2p	M1 <i>Rc</i>	4p ÷ 2 is M1M1 Allow equivalent in pounds (18.40)
	their 2p × 460 or 920	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	(£)9.20	A1 <i>Aa</i>	
	Alternative method 3		
	5p – 1p or 4p	M1 <i>Rb</i>	
	460 ÷ 2 or 460 × 0.5	M1 <i>Rc</i>	

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Q	Answer	Mark	Comments	
3(d) cont'd	their 230×4 or 920	M1 <i>Aa</i>		
	(£)9.20	A1 <i>Aa</i>		
	Additional Guidance			
	Allow work in pounds throughout eg $0.05 - 0.01$ or 0.04 Forgetting to subtract the 1p per bag cost can gain maximum 2 marks eg $460 \times 5 = 2300$ $2300 \div 2 = 1150$ £11.50 Beware $460 \div 50 = 9.2$ ans 9.20	M1 M0M1 A0 M0		
4(a)	1121	B1 <i>Rb</i>		
Additional Guidance				

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments	
4(b)	$2 \times 40 + 2 \times 60$ or $80 + 120$ or 200 or $(40 + 60) \times 2$	M1 <i>Ra</i>		
	their 200×4 or 800	M1 <i>Aa</i>	or their $200 \div 150$ or $1.3(3\dots)$	
	their $800 \div 150$ or $5.3(3\dots)$ or their $800 \div 5$ or 160 or 5×150 or 750	M1 <i>Rc</i>	or their $1.3(3\dots) \times 4$ their 800 cannot be 150	
	$5.3(3\dots)$ and No or 160 and No or 750 and 800 and No or (No) he is 50 (m) short	A2 <i>l,l</i>	A1 $5.3(3\dots)$ or A1 160 or A1 750 and 800 or A1 ft correct decision for their value if 1st and 3rd method marks awarded For $5.3(3\dots)$ allow 6 from correct method seen	
	Additional Guidance			
	Using area or half the perimeter can gain a maximum of M0M1M1A0A0 The 2nd and third method marks can be done in either order eg $200 \div 150 \times 4$ No can be implied eg he is 50 m short Subtracting sides from 750 continuously can score full marks eg $5 \times 150 = 750$ $750 - 40 - 40 - 60 - 60 - 40 - 40 - 60 - 60 - 40 - 40 - 60 - 60 - 40 - 40$ $- 60 - 60$ -50 No	M1 M1M1 A2		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
4(c)	60 × 40 or 2400	M1 <i>Ra</i>	
	their 2400 ÷ 5 or 480 or their 2400 × 6 or 14 400	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	their 480 × 6 or their 14 400 ÷ 5 or 2880	M1 <i>Aa</i>	
	4840 ÷ 2 or 2420 or their 2880 × 2 or 5760 or their 2880 ÷ 4840	M1 <i>Rb</i>	their 2880 cannot be 2400
	2880 and 2420 and Yes or 460 yards extra or 5760 and Yes or 0.59(5...) and Yes or 0.6 and Yes	A2 <i>l,l</i>	A1 2880 and 2420 or A1 5760 or A1 0.59(5..) or 0.6 A1ft correct decision for their value(s) if first 3 method marks awarded
	Additional Guidance		
	Use of perimeter can gain max 3 marks eg 60 + 40 + 60 + 40 or 200 200 ÷ 5 or 40 40 × 6 or 240 4840 ÷ 2 or 2420 yes	M0 M1 M1 M1A0 A0ft as first M1 not awarded	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
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4(d)	Sub-totals correct for all notes and coins	B2 Aa	B1 for at least two correct	
	Correct total for their six values + 20.00 + 13.18	B1ft Aa	ft their six sub-totals	
	Additional Guidance			
	£20	1	20.00	B3
	£10	2	20.(00)	
	£5	5	25.(00)	
	£2	1	2.(00)	
	£1	16	16.(00)	
	50p	9	4.5(0)	
	20p	31	6.2(0)	
Other coins		13.18		
Total		£ 106.88		
<p>Assume integers are pounds eg 450 implies £450 unless written as 450p</p> <p>Just repeating the £10, £5 etc from the left hand column can gain the B1ft for the correct total of 51.88</p>				