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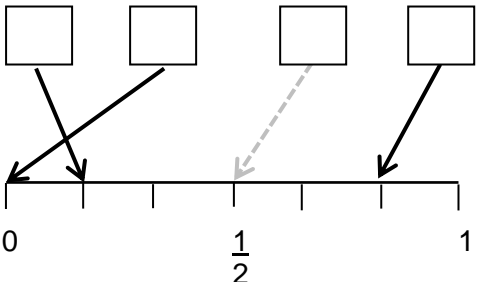
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<b>M</b>	Method marks are awarded for a correct method which could lead to a correct answer.
<b>A</b>	Accuracy marks are awarded when following on from a correct method. It is not necessary to always see the method. This can be implied.
<b>B</b>	Marks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

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments	
1	64	B1		
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
2	$x = 36$	B1		
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
3	cuboid	B1		
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
4	expression	B1		
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
5			B3	B1 each correct answer
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
	Any indication eg arrow, line			
	Two arrows from the same box is choice			
	Mark intention of arrows which do not go to a marked point			

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
6	(median = ) 26.5	B1	
	(24.1 + 24.6 + 26.5 + 29.5 + 30.3) ÷ 5 or 135 ÷ 5	M1	condone missing brackets
	27	A1	
	26.5 and 27 and mean	A1ft	ft correct decision for their median and their mean if M1 scored
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Circling 26.5 or crossing out all values except 26.5	B1	
7(a)	9627	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
7(b)	2796	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
7(c)	7629 and 7692 and 7926 and 7962 and 9267 and 9276 with none incorrect	B2	B1 3 or 4 correct with none incorrect or 5 or 6 correct with at most 1 incorrect
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Ignore correct answers repeated		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
<b>8(a)</b>	$3.25 \times 20 + 70$ or $65 + 70$ or 135	M1	
	2 (hours) 15 (minutes)	A1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		

<b>8(b)</b>	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	their 2h 15m + 20m or their 135 + 20 or 2h 35m or 155 m	M1	
	4.55 (pm) or 16.55	A1ft	ft their answer to part (a) any acceptable time notation
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	7.30 – their 2h 15m or 5.15	M1	any acceptable time notation eg 17.15
	4.55 (pm) or 16.55	A1ft	ft their answer to part (a) any acceptable time notation
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	1h 35m in (a) $1\text{h } 35\text{m} + 20\text{m} = 1\text{h } 55\text{m}$ Answer 5.35 pm	M1A1ft	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
9	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	Multiples of 12 (at least 3) 12, 24, 36, ...	M1	
	Multiples of 17 (at least 3) 17, 34, 51, ...	M1	
	(72 and 51 and) 6 and 3	A1	
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	Multiple of 17 in a trial	M1	eg $(7 \times 17 =) 119$ and (leaves) 4 or $(6 \times 17 =) 102$ and (leaves) 21 or $(5 \times 17 =) 85$ and (leaves) 38 or $(4 \times 17 =) 68$ and (leaves) 55 or $(2 \times 17 =) 34$ and (leaves) 89 or $(1 \times 17 =) 17$ and (leaves) 106
	51 and 72 chosen	M1dep	
	(72 and 51 and) 6 and 3	A1	
	<b>Alternative method 3</b>		
	Multiple of 12 in a trial	M1	eg $(10 \times 12 =) 120$ and (leaves) 3 or $(9 \times 12 =) 108$ and (leaves) 15 or $(8 \times 12 =) 96$ and (leaves) 27 or $(7 \times 12 =) 84$ and (leaves) 39 or $(5 \times 12 =) 60$ and (leaves) 63 or $(4 \times 12 =) 48$ and (leaves) 75 or $(3 \times 12 =) 36$ and (leaves) 87 or $(2 \times 12 =) 24$ and (leaves) 99 or $(1 \times 12 =) 12$ and (leaves) 111
	72 and 51 chosen	M1dep	
	(72 and 51 and) 6 and 3	A1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
72 and 51	M2		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
10	$6b^2$	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
11	is equal to	B1	allow =
	is less than	B1	allow <
	is greater than	B1	allow >
	is greater than	B1	allow >
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
12	$10\pi$	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
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13	freq (9) = 8	B1										
	freq (6) = 3	B1ft	ft 11 – their 8 must be an integer > 0									
	their frequencies sum to 40	B1	must be integers > 0									
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>											
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6	3											
9	8											

14	Any two of 80, $\sqrt{100}$ and 40 or any two of 80, 10 and 40	M1	
	20 with correct working	A1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Do not allow $\sqrt{108} = 10.39$ or 10.4 rounded to 10 as one of the approximations		
	Answer only of 20		M0A0

15	1 cm represents 1 m	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments	
16	20 14 8 2 -4 -10 or 10 5 0 -5 -10 or 20 14 8 2 and 10 5 0 -5 or $26 - 6n$ or $15 - 5n$ or identifies the rules - 6 and - 5	M1		
	-10		A1	SC1 -40 or $n = 11$
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
	Rules could be identified by arrows on the sequences			
	Accept eg subtract 6 or minus 6 for - 6			
	6 and 5 (as rules) with answer -10		M1A1	
6 and 5 (as rules) with incorrect answer		M0		
17	$10a + 55b$	B2	B1 one term correct	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
	Further work following a B2 answer		B1	
	Further work following a B1 answer		B0	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments	
18(a)	$20 \times 55 + (27 - 20) \times 80$ or $1100 + 560$ or 1660	M1		
	$12 \times 15$ or 180	M1		
	1840	A1		
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
	Working for M marks may appear in either order			
18(b)	<b>Alternative method 1</b>			
	$5010 - 20 \times 55 - 20 \times 15$ or $5010 - 1100 - 300$ or $5010 - 20 \times (55 + 15)$ or $5010 - 1400$ or 3610	M1	oe	
	their $3610 \div 95$ or 38	M1dep		
	58	A1		
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>			
	$20 \times 55 + 20 \times 15 + (n - 20) \times 95 = 5010$ or $20 \times 55 + (n - 20) \times 80 + 15n = 5010$ or $1400 + (n - 20) \times 95 = 5010$	M1	oe $n$ is the number of people on the plane and can be any letter	
	$(n - 20 =) 38$ or $95n = 5510$	M1dep		
	58	A1		
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>			
	In alt 2 follow through errors in calculations of $20 \times 55$ and $20 \times 15$ etc			
	Answer of 38			M1M1A0

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
19(a)	(2, 0)	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
19(b)	(-5, 2)	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
19(c)	(2, -3)	B1	SC1 (0, 2) in (a), (2, -5) in (b) and (-3, 2) in (c)
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
20	$\frac{w+5}{6} - \frac{2w}{6}$ or $\frac{6(w+5)}{6} - \frac{6w}{3} = 2 \times 6$ or $w + 5 - 2w = 2 \times 6$	M1	oe correct use of common denominator eg $\frac{3(w+5)}{18} - \frac{6w}{18}$ or multiplies every term by a multiple of 6 eg $\frac{18(w+5)}{6} - \frac{18w}{3} = 2 \times 18$
	$w + 5 - 2w = 12$ or $5 - w = 12$	A1	oe eg $3w + 15 - 6w = 36$ brackets must be expanded
	-7	A1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Answer -7	M1A1A1	

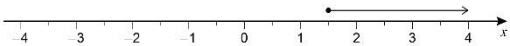
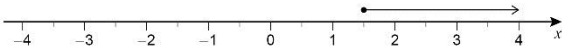
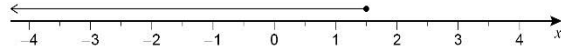
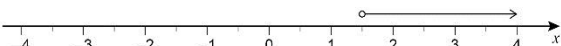
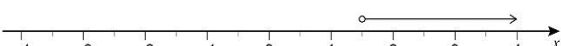
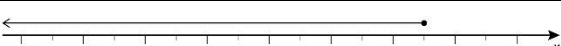
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<b>21</b>	6.5(0) ÷ 10 or 0.65 and 2.68 ÷ 4 or 0.67 or adds a multiple of 10 to a multiple of 4 that would have total > 100	M1	oe
	12 (packs of 10) and 2 (packs of 4)	A1	implied by correct answer
	their 12 × 6.5(0) and their 2 × 2.68	M1	any two costs involving both packs and [100, 156] total bottles
	83.36	A1ft	ft any combination using both packs that gives 128 bottles
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	10 (packs of 10) and 7 (packs of 4) and 83.76 or 8 (packs of 10) and 12 (packs of 4) and 84.16 or 6 (packs of 10) and 17 (packs of 4) and 84.56 or 4 (packs of 10) and 22 (packs of 4) and 84.96 or 2 (packs of 10) and 27 (packs of 4) and 85.36		M1A0M1A1ft

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
<b>22</b>	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	$1.5 \times 0.8 (\times 2)$ or 1.2 or 2.4 or $1.5 \times 0.7 (\times 2)$ or 1.05 or 2.1 or $0.8 \times 0.7 (\times 2)$ or 0.56 or 1.12	M1	
	$1.5 \times 0.8 \times 2 + 1.5 \times 0.7 \times 2 +$ $0.8 \times 0.7 \times 2$ or $(1.2 + 1.05 + 0.56) \times 2$ or $2.4 + 2.1 + 1.12$	M1dep	oe
	5.62	A1	implied by 16.86
	their $5.62 \times 3 \div 4.5$ or $16.86 \div 4.5$ or 3.7...	M1dep	dep on M2
	4 with working seen	A1ft	ft M2A0M1 with their $5.62 \times 3 \div 4.5$ rounded up to nearest integer

**Alternative method and Additional Guidance continued on the next page**

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
<b>22 cont</b>	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	$1.5 \times 0.8 (\times 2)$ or 1.2 or 2.4 or $1.5 \times 0.7 (\times 2)$ or 1.05 or 2.1 or $0.8 \times 0.7 (\times 2)$ or 0.56 or 1.12	M1	
	$1.5 \times 0.8 \times 2 \times 3 + 1.5 \times 0.7 \times 2 \times 3$ $+ 0.8 \times 0.7 \times 2 \times 3$ or $(1.2 + 1.05 + 0.56) \times 2 \times 3$ or $(2.4 + 2.1 + 1.12) \times 3$	M1dep	oe
	16.86	A1	
	their $16.86 \div 4.5$ or 3.7...	M1dep	dep on M2
	4 with working seen	A1ft	ft M2A0M1 with their $16.86 \div 4.5$ rounded up to nearest integer
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
23(a)	Positive	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Ignore non-contradictory words such as ‘strong’, ‘weak’ or ‘scattered’		
23(b)	Correct straight line which passes between (20, 590) and (20, 630) and between (70, 720) and (70, 760)	B1	line must extend from 20 to 70
	Correct monthly rent for their line / curve	M1	their line / curve must be increasing allow any reading from the small vertical square that their point lies within eg if their point is in the first square above 700, allow [700, 710]
	Correct monthly rent for their line / curve × 12 correctly evaluated	A1ft	ft their increasing line / curve allow any reading from the small vertical square that their point lies within eg if their point is in the first square above 700, allow [8400, 8520]
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	No increasing line / curve drawn	B0M0A0	
	The line may go through the coordinates of the gates but no further tolerance is allowed for the first mark		
	Ignore any parts of the line outside 20 to 70		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
24(a)	$2x \geq 4 - 1$ or $2x \geq 3$ or $-2x \leq 1 - 4$ or $-2x \leq -3$ or $-x \leq -1\frac{1}{2}$	M1	oe implied by eg $x \leq 1\frac{1}{2}$ or $x < 1\frac{1}{2}$ or $x > 1\frac{1}{2}$ or $x = 1\frac{1}{2}$
	$x \geq 1\frac{1}{2}$	A1	oe implied by correct solution set on number line
		B1ft	ft their inequality with open or closed circle as appropriate
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Inequality line may be drawn over existing number line but intention must be clear		
	Condone a missing arrow or use of shading if the line or region extends to within 2 mm of 4 or further right		
	 with no working or with $x \geq 1\frac{1}{2}$ or $x = 1\frac{1}{2}$ seen		M1A1B1
	$x \leq 1\frac{1}{2}$ and 		M1A0B1ft
$x \geq 1\frac{1}{2}$ and 		M1A1B0	
$x > 1\frac{1}{2}$ and 		M1A0B1ft	
$x \leq 2\frac{1}{2}$ and 		M0A0B1ft	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
24(b)	$-8 < 2y \leq 4$	B1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
25(a)	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	12 <sup>2</sup> and 10 <sup>2</sup> seen or 144 and 100 seen or 44	M1	
	$\sqrt{12^2 - 10^2}$ or $\sqrt{144 - 100}$	M1dep	
	$\sqrt{44}$ or $2\sqrt{11}$ or 6.6...	A1	accept 7 with working
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	$\sin^{-1} \frac{10}{12}$ or 56.4... or $\cos^{-1} \frac{10}{12}$ or 33.5...or 33.6	M1	oe
	$\tan\left(\sin^{-1} \frac{10}{12}\right) = \frac{10}{x}$ or $\cos\left(\sin^{-1} \frac{10}{12}\right) = \frac{x}{12}$ or $\tan\left(\cos^{-1} \frac{10}{12}\right) = \frac{x}{10}$ or $\sin\left(\cos^{-1} \frac{10}{12}\right) = \frac{x}{12}$	M1dep	oe
	$\sqrt{44}$ or $2\sqrt{11}$ or 6.6...	A1	accept 7 with working
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	$\sqrt{44}$ or $2\sqrt{11}$ with incorrect simplification or conversion to decimal		M1M1depA1

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
25(b)	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	$\sin 52 = \frac{10}{y}$ or $\cos 38 = \frac{10}{y}$	M1	
	$\frac{10}{\sin 52}$ or $\frac{10}{\cos 38}$	M1dep	
	[12.69, 12.7]	A1	accept 13 with working
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	$\frac{y}{\sin 90} = \frac{10}{\sin 52}$	M1	
	$\frac{10}{\sin 52} \times \sin 90$	M1dep	
	[12.69, 12.7]	A1	accept 13 with working
	<b>Alternative method 3</b>		
	$\left(\frac{10}{\tan 52}\right)^2 + 10^2$ or $(10 \times \tan 38)^2 + 10^2$	M1	oe eg $\left(\frac{10 \times \sin 38}{\sin 52}\right)^2 + 10^2$
	$\sqrt{\left(\frac{10}{\tan 52}\right)^2 + 10^2}$ $\sqrt{(10 \times \tan 38)^2 + 10^2}$	M1dep	oe eg $\sqrt{\left(\frac{10 \times \sin 38}{\sin 52}\right)^2 + 10^2}$
	[12.69, 12.7]	A1	accept 13 with working
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
26	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	360 – 248 or 112	M1	
	180 – 43 or 137	M1	
	their 112 + their 137 + 49 + 49 + $x$ = 360 or 360 – their 112 – their 137 – 49 or 62	M1dep	oe dep on M2
	13	A1	
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	180 – 2(49 + $x$ ) or 82 – 2 $x$	M1	oe correct expression for angle C
	43 + 248 + $x$ + 180 – 2(49 + $x$ ) = 360	M1dep	oe correct equation
	$x - 2x = 360 - 43 - 248 - 180 + 2 \times 49$	M1dep	oe collecting terms
	13	A1	
	<b>Alternative method 3</b>		
	360 – 43 – 248 – $x$ or 69 – $x$	M1	oe correct expression for angle C
	69 – $x$ + 2(49 + $x$ ) = 180	M1dep	oe correct equation eg $\frac{180 - (69 - x)}{2} - x = 49$
	$-x + 2x = 180 - 69 - 2 \times 49$	M1dep	oe collecting terms eg $\frac{x}{2} - x = 49 - \frac{111}{2}$ or $\frac{x}{2} = 6.5$
	13	A1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Award marks for angles on the diagram even if not used in working		
	Beware the assumption that angle at centre is twice angle at C 360 – 248 = 112, angle C = 112 ÷ 2 = 56 $x = (180 - 56) \div 2 - 49 = 13$		M1M0 MOA0

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27(a)	$(x =) 3$ $(x =) 7$	B1	both answers required
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	$(3, 0)$ and $(7, 0)$		B0
	$(x - 3)(x - 7)$		B0
	$(x - 3)$ and $(x - 7)$		B0
	3, 7 and 21		B0

27(b)	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	$(\text{their } 3 + \text{their } 7) \div 2$ or $(x =) 5$ or $5^2 - 10 \times 5 + 21$ or $(y =) -4$	M1	
	$(5, -4)$	A1ft	ft their two roots from (a)
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	$(x - 5)^2 - 25 + 21$ or $2x - 10 = 0$ or $(x =) 5$	M1	
	$(5, -4)$	A1	
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	If exactly two roots are given in (a), allow correct or ft answer in (b) eg (a) $-3$ and $-7$ (b) $(-5, 96)$		M1A1ft