

## Mark Scheme (Results) June 2008

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GCSE Business & Communication Systems (1504.01)





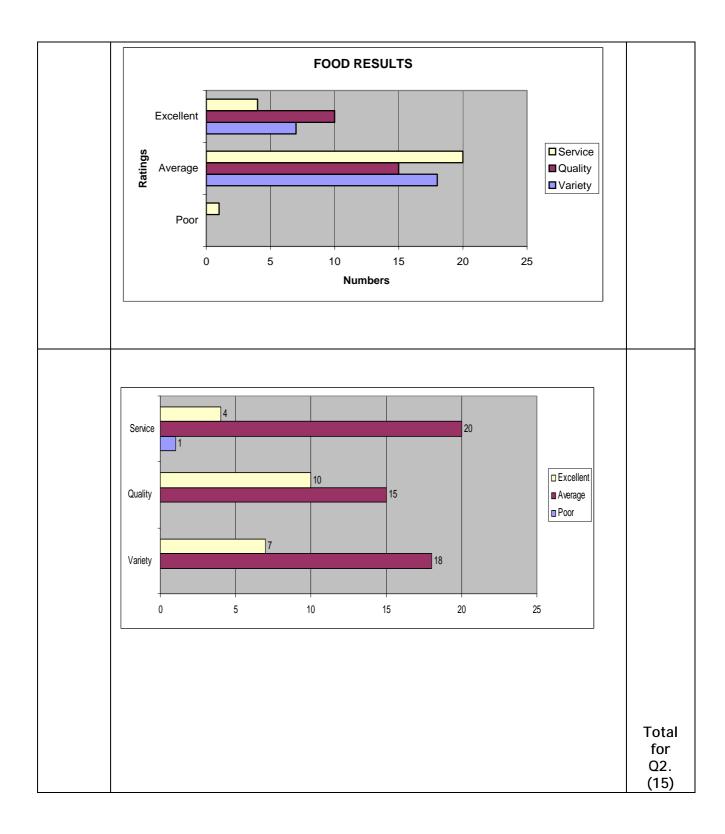
## General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

## 1504/01 Mark Scheme

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	Using appropriate software, prepare an A4 portrait information sheet. The heading, centred and in capital letters, should be Thames Luxury Dinner Cruise. The order of information and details must be: (A01-Demonstrate = 4; A02 - Apply = 8; A03-Select=3)	
	<ol> <li>Heading - Thames Luxury Dinner Cruise (1) capital letters (1) centred (1)</li> </ol>	3 marks
	2. All 6 items present	
	<ul> <li>boarding point and time</li> <li>the boat</li> <li>dinner</li> <li>set-down point and time</li> </ul>	
	<ul><li>group sizes</li><li>prices</li></ul>	1 mark
	3. Correct sequence (whole sequence must be present)	1 mark
	<ol> <li>Boarding point and time correct - Embankment Pier (1) 1900 hrs (1) (accept 1900/7.00 pm)</li> </ol>	2 marks
	5. Boat details - Cleopatra (1) luxury cruiser with 3 exterior viewing decks (1) full wheelchair access (1)	3 marks
	6. Dinner details - (a welcome drink, a four-course a la carte menu with coffee and chocolates to follow)	1 mark
	<ol> <li>Set-down point and time correct - Westminster Pier (1) 2245 hrs (1) (accept 2245/10.45 pm)</li> </ol>	2 marks
	8. Group sizes correct - 2 to 300 people	1 mark
	9. Prices correct - £78.00 including drinks £62.00 excluding drinks	1 mark
		Total for Q1. (15)

Question	Answer	Answer							
Number 2 (a)									
	<ol> <li>Correct spreadsheet title (WEEKLY PAID STAFF) Accept either all capitals or initial capitals</li> </ol>								1 mark
	<ol> <li>All currency columns formatted to 2 decimal places (1)</li> <li>£ sign against each entry (1)</li> </ol>								2 marks
	<ol> <li>All columns left justified</li> <li>1 mark for each correct total</li> </ol>								1 mark
									5 marks
	Payroll number	Time- rate	Hours worked	Time- rate total	Overtime		Overtime rate total	Total gross pay	
	L1748	£5.50	16	£88.00	£8.25	1	£8.25	£96.25	
	L1346	£6.00	12.5	£75.00	£9.00	1	£0.00	£75.00	
	L1154	£5.35	10	£53.50	-	4	£26.72	£80.22	
	L1093 L1671	£5.45 £6.15	15 20	£81.75 £123.00	£6.80 £9.22	5	£0.00 £46.10	£81.75 £169.10	
	Using appropriate software and the data given above, create a fully labelled bar chart. The chart should have an appropriate title. (A01 - Demonstrate = 1; A02 - Apply = 3; A03 - Select 2)								
	1. Bar chart created (do not accept column chart)								1 mark
	2. Appropriate and accurately spelt title (to include Food)								1 mark
	3. 7 accurate bars/columns								1 mark
	4. Both axes appropriately labelled (1 mark each axis)								2 marks
	5. Labels or key (must inform)							1 mark	



Question	Answer	Mark						
Number 3(a)(i)	Using this information, create a database with 5 fields (STAFF NO,							
5(a)(i)	SURNAME, INITIAL, AREA, DEPARTMENT) and enter the staff details.							
	(AO1 - Demonstrate = 2; AO2 - Apply = 1; AO3 - Select = 2)							
	1. Database created							
	2. 6 records present - do not accept Dept							
	- accept No or number							
	3. 5 fieldnames correct							
	<ul> <li>Accurate data entry (0 errors = 2; 1 error = 1; 2 errors = 0) (Do not penalise repeat errors eg capitalisation)</li> </ul>							
	(Accept Engineering with 3 'e's in Area column)							
	Accept screen dump as no mark awarded for printout	2 marks						
	STAFF NO SURNAME INITIAL AREA DEPARTMENT							
	L2034 Jines P Front Office Reservations							
	L2016 Christie J Housekeeping Florist							
	L2024KarimSEngineeringMaintenanceL2021MaltzRFoodRoom Service							
	L2012 Sutcliffe S Front Office Reception							
	L2029 James M Security Security Guard							
(ii)	S Sutcliffe has moved to another of CGH Ltd's hotels. Delete this record. (AO2 - Apply = 1)							
	Record deleted							
(iii)	J Christie works in the Public Areas Department. Amend this record. (AO2 - Apply = 1)							
	Record amended							
(b)(i)	Another member of staff has been employed. Create a new record for							
	him. (A01 - Demonstrate= 1; A02 - Apply = 2)							
	Correct fields and accurate data							
	(5 = 3; 3-4 = 2; 1-2 = 1)							
	L2036 Patel R Food Restaurant							

3b(ii)	Carry out an ascending sort on the SURNAME field. (AO2 - Apply = 2)						
	Sorted on the SURNAME field All fields in printout						1 mark 1 mark
	STAFF NO						
	L2016	Christie	J	Housekeeping	DEPARTMENT Public Areas		
	L2029	James	М	Security	Security Guard		
	L2034	Jines	Р	Front Office	Reservations		
	L2024	Karim	S	Engineering	Maintenance		
	L2021	Maltz	R	Food	Room Service		
	L2036	Patel	R	Food	Restaurant		
(ii)	Searched on FOOD field Sort this search on the DEPARTMENT field. Print out a copy showing the STAFF NO, SURNAME AND DEPARTMENT fields only. (AO3 - Select = 2)						1 mark
	Sorted on DEPARTMENT field (accept descending) Printout of 3 specified fields (STAFF NO/SURNAME/						1 mark
	DEPARTMENT)						1 mark
	STAFF NO	SURNA	ME	DEPARTMENT			
	L2036	Patel		Restaurant			
	L2021	Maltz		Room Service	<u>;</u>		
							Total for Q3. (15)