## Mathematics A (Two Tier)

## General Certificate of Secondary

## Mark Scheme for January 2011

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## MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

1 Mark strictly to the mark scheme.
2 Make no deductions for wrong work after an acceptable answer unless the mark scheme says otherwise.
3 Work crossed out but not replaced should be marked.
$4 \mathbf{M}$ (method) marks are not lost for purely numerical errors.
A (accuracy) marks depend on preceding M (method) marks. Therefore M0 A1 cannot be awarded.
B marks are independent of $\mathbf{M}$ (method) marks and are awarded for a correct final answer or a correct intermediate stage.
5 As a general principle, if two or more methods are offered, mark only the method that leads to the answer on the answer line. If two (or more) answers are offered, mark the poorer (poorest).

6 When the data of a question is consistently misread in such a way as not to alter the nature or difficulty of the question, please follow the candidate's work and allow follow through for $\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{B}$ marks. Deduct 1 mark from any A or B marks earned and record this by using the MR annotation. $\mathbf{M}$ marks are not deducted for misreads

7 If the correct answer is seen in the body and the answer given in the answer space is a clear transcription error allow full marks unless the mark scheme says 'mark final answer' or cao. If the answer is missing, but the correct answer is seen in the body allow full marks. If the correct answer is seen in working but a completely different answer is seen in the answer space, then accuracy marks for the answer are lost. Method marks would normally be given.

8 For methods not provided for in the mark scheme give as far as possible equivalent marks for equivalent work.
9 For answers scoring no marks, you must either award NR (no response) or 0 , as follows:
Award NR (no response) if:

- Nothing is written at all in the answer space
- There is any comment which does not in any way relate to the question being asked ("can't do", "don't know", etc.)
- There is any sort of mark that is not an attempt at the question (a dash, a question mark, etc.)

Award 0 if:

- There is any attempt that earns no credit. This could, for example, include the candidate copying all or some of the question, or any working that does not earn any marks, whether crossed out or not.

10 Where a follow through mark is indicated on the mark scheme for a particular part question, you must ensure that you refer back to the answer of the previous part question.

## General comments

- Unless the question asks for an answer to a specific degree of accuracy, always mark at the greatest number of significant figures seen. E.g. answer on mark scheme is 15.75 which is seen in the working. The candidate then rounds or truncates this to 15.8 , 15 or 16 on the answer line Allow full marks for the 15.75 .
- Anything in the mark scheme which is in brackets (...) is not required for the mark to be earned, but if present it must be correct.
- Ranges of answers given in the mark scheme are always inclusive.
- Where you see oe in the mark scheme it means or equivalent.
- Where you see isw in the mark scheme it means ignore subsequent working (after correct answer obtained), provided the method has been completed.
- Where you see cao in the mark scheme it means correct answer only.
- Where you see soi in the mark scheme it means seen or implied.
- Where you see www in the mark scheme it means without wrong working.
- Where you see seen in the mark scheme it means that you should award the mark if that number / expression is seen anywhere in the answer space, including the answer line, even if it is not in the method leading to the final answer.
- Figs: for example figs 237 means any answer with just these digits with leading or trailing zeros disregarding any decimal point. E.g. 237000, $2.37,2.370,0.00237$ but not 23070 or 2374.

| 1 | (a) | (i) 5:2 isw | 1 | Accept $5 / 2$ oe : 1 or $1: 2 / 5$ oe |  |
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|  |  | (ii) $3: 8$ isw | 1 | Accept $3 / 8$ oe : 1 or $1: 8 / 3$ oe | Condone $3 p: 8$ p or $£ 3$ : $£ 8$ but NOT $3 p: £ 0.08$ For $3 / 8$ accept 0.37 to 0.38 For $8 / 3$ accept 2.6 to 2.7 |
|  |  | (iii) 7 : 10 isw | 1 | Accept 7/10 oe : 1 or $1: 10 / 7$ oe | For 10/7 accept 1.42 to 1.43 |
|  | (b) | A-320, K-800, P-480 www | 3 | B2 for two correct values in correct positions www <br> Or M1 for $1600 \div$ their $(2+3+5)$ soi | One correct value in correct position www can imply M1 |
| 2 |  | 4:45 (pm) | 3 | Condone 16:45 for 3 marks <br> B2 for $2 \frac{1}{2}$ or 2.5 (ignore units) or 2 h 30 m or 150 min seen Or M1 for $150 \div 60$ soi | B2 implied by answers 4:65 or 5:05 <br> Allow M1 for counting in 60s - either adding or taking at least one 60 . Could be implied by 120 miles $=2$ hours etc |
| 3 |  | 1.93 isw | 3 | M1 for intention to multiply number and frequency seen or implied by 193 or 201 <br> And M1 for $\div 100$ soi indep. | For this second (indep) M mark <br> Eg. 202 with answer 2 scores M1 ( $\div 100$ implied) <br> Eg. $100 \div 195$ with answer 1.95 scores M1 (bod $\div 100$ ) <br> Eg. $100 \div 191$ with answer of 19.1 scores M0 |
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| 4 | (a) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Reflect( } \ldots \text { ) cao } \\ & y=-1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | No other transformation soi | Eg. reflected, reflecting etc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (b) | Image at (-1,2) (-1,5) (-2,5) | 3 | B2 for correct orientation, wrong position <br> or for correct $90^{\circ}$ clockwise rotation about O <br> Or B1 for two correct vertices <br> or for correct image with other attempts <br> Or <br> SC2 for correct rotation of B <br> Or SC1 for correct 180 rotation | Ignore label. Clear intention, condone freehand. $(1,-2)(1,-5)(2,-5)$ $\begin{aligned} & (3,2)(3,5)(4,5) \\ & (-2,-1)(-5,-1)(-5,-2) \end{aligned}$ |
| 5 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3 x+x+x=180 \text { oe or better } \\ & 36,36,108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { B2 } \end{aligned}$ | Condone $x=180 / 5$ <br> B1 for $(x=) 36$ <br> Or <br> SC1 for Answer 72,72,216 | Final 2 marks not dependent on an equation |
| 6 | (a) | $3(x-3)$ cao final answer | 1 | Condone 3(1x-3) | Condone missing final bracket |
|  | (b) | $16 x-13$ cao final answer | 2 | B1 for $6 x+2$ or (+)10x-15 seen | Condone +16x-13 |
| 7 | (a) | 4 or 3 points correctly plotted <br> $\pm 1 / 2$ small square | 2 | B1 for 2 points correctly plotted $\pm 1 / 2$ small square |  |
|  | (b) | Mark best comment, ignore the rest 'The larger the population, the greater the grant' oe | 1 | Or 'positive correlation' | NOT just 'positive' |
|  | (c) | Between $(20,5)$ and $(20,9)$ and between $(120,34)$ and $(120,38)$ | 1 | Ruled line. Any length but must lie within boundaries if extended. | On or between lines given on transparency |
|  | (d) | 22.5 to 26 (000 000) oe | 1 |  |  |
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| 8 | (a) | 4, 7 | 2 | B1 for one value correct in correct position Or <br> SC1 for 3, 4 |  |
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|  | (b) | $4 n-2$ oe | 2 | B1 for $4 n$ oe seen | Accept $n \times 4-2$ etc <br> Condone $4 x-2$ etc <br> Condone $n=4 n-2$ etc |
|  | (c) | $\frac{T-5}{2}$ or $\frac{T}{2}-\frac{5}{2}$ oe final answer | 2 | M1 for $T-5=2 n$ oe or $\frac{T}{2}=n+\frac{5}{2}$ Or SC1 for final answer $\frac{T}{2}-5$ or $\frac{T+5}{2}$ or $T-\frac{5}{2}$ or $T-5 \div 2$ or $\frac{5-T}{2}$ oe |  |
| 9 | (a) | In both parts, mark best comment, ignore the rest <br> Not enough choices oe | 1 | Or no box for 'other' or 'none of these' | NOT 'They might like more than one of them.' |
|  | (b) | Leading question oe | 1 | Or 'biased', 'not independent' oe etc | NOT 'It should say....' |
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| 10 | (a) | In both parts, allow embedded answer if not contradicted $-3$ | 2 | M1 for $3 x-2 x=4-7$ or better | Collecting $x$ and numbers on opposite sides of $=$ |
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|  | (b) | 7 | 3 | M1 for $3 x-1=4 \times 5$ or $\frac{3 x}{4}=5+\frac{1}{4}$ oe <br> And M1 for $3 x=$ their $4 \times 5+1$ <br> or for $3 x=4 \times(5+1 / 4)$ oe <br> Or <br> SC1 for answer 8 |  |
| 11 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \times 0.6 \times 7 \\ & 8.4 \\ & \mathrm{~cm}^{3} \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> B1 | Maybe in steps | NOT $1 \times 2 \times 0.6 \times 7$ |
| 12 |  | 5120 | 4 | M1 for $10000 \times 0.8$ oe soi And A1 for 8000 And B1 for 6400 Or M2 for $10000 \times 0.8^{3}$ oe And B1 for 0.512 seen Or <br> SC2 for Answer of 4000 |  |


| 13 | (a) | $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5$ oe final answer | 2 | M1 for any attempt at factor tree or repeated division <br> Or B1 for correct factor combination of 360 <br> or for all six correct final factors indicated. No other factors except 1 | E.g. $36 \times 5 \times 2$. Condone $360 \div 2=180$ E.g. Condone 2,180 or $2+180$ etc E.g. $2^{3}+3^{2}+5$ or $2,2,2,3,3,5$, etc |
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|  | (b) | 105 | 3 | M1 for $21=3 \times 7$ soi or $15=3 \times 5$ soi And A1 for $3 \times 7 \times 5$ <br> Or <br> M1 for attempting to list multiples of 21 <br> (at least 4 terms) <br> And M1 for attempting to list multiples of 15 (at least 4 terms) <br> Or <br> SC2 for answer 315 or 210 |  |
| 14 |  | $x=5 \quad y=-2$ | 2 | B1 for one correct value <br> Or M1 for attempt to add the given equations <br> or for attempt to multiply both equations to equalise coefficients of $x$ or $y$ |  |
| 15 | (a) | 129 to 129.5 | 1 |  |  |
|  | (b) | 133 to 140 | 1 |  |  |
|  | (c) | 36 to 40 | 2 | M1 for using $h=147$ and graph, soi by answer 360 to 364 | E.g. May be a mark on the CF graph above $h=147$ or line drawn from $h=147$ up to graph and across to CF etc |
| 16 | (a) | 2 cao | 2 | M1 for 10 and 5 seen or -10 and -5 seen | $2 x$ seen or answer $2 / 1$ implies M1 only |
|  | (b) | $y=2 x+3$ or $y=$ their(a) $x+3$ | FT2 | B1 for their(a) $x+3, y=$ their(a) $x+n$ | Any value of $n \neq 3$ |



| 20 | (a) | An attempt at Pythagoras $\begin{aligned} & x^{2}=75 \text { or }(x=) \sqrt{ } 75 \\ & x^{2}=25 \times 3 \text { or } \\ & (x=) \sqrt{ } 25 \sqrt{ } 3 \text { or } \sqrt{ } 5 \sqrt{ } 5 \sqrt{ } 3 \text { or } \sqrt{ }(25 \times 3) \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> B1 | An expression or equation involving $5^{2}$ and $10^{2}$ <br> Alternative method <br> M2 for $(5 \sqrt{ } 3)^{2}+5^{2}=10^{2}$ <br> And A1 for $75+25=100$ | 125 or 75 seen may imply M1 Condone other letters for $x$ |
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|  | (b) | Triangles: $\begin{aligned} & (2 \times) \frac{5 \times 5}{2} \sqrt{3} \text { oe } \\ & =\frac{50}{2} \sqrt{3} \text { or } 25 \sqrt{ } 3 \end{aligned}$ <br> Sector: $=\frac{100}{6} \pi$ or $\frac{50}{3} \pi$ or $16.6 \pi$ or better <br> Total $=\frac{50 \pi}{3}+25 \sqrt{ } 3$ oe final answer | M1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> A1 | Answer must be in the form $a \pi+b \sqrt{3}$ oe Any correct equivalent coefficient of $\sqrt{ } 3$ and $\pi$, may be unsimplified | Condone $\frac{50 \sqrt{ } 3}{2}$ <br> Using a numerical value for $\pi$ scores M1 only <br> Condone $\frac{100 \pi}{6}$ or $\frac{50 \pi}{3}$ |
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| 21 | (a) | $\frac{25-2 x}{2}$ oe seen | 1 |  |  |
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|  | (b) | $\begin{aligned} & x \times \frac{25-2 x}{2}=36 \\ & 25 x-2 x^{2}=72 \text { cao } \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 | FT for their formula for width for M mark |  |
|  | (c) | Allow marks for (c) if they appear in <br> (b) <br> $(2 x-9)(x-8)$ soi <br> $\mathrm{L}=8, \mathrm{~W}=4.5$ either order | M1 <br> B2 | Or for $\frac{25 \pm \sqrt{ } 49}{4}$ <br> B1 for one value correct | Last 2 marks available with no algebra |
| 22 | (a) | $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{AB}}=\mathbf{b}-\mathbf{a}$ or $\mathbf{-} \mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}$ | 1 |  |  |
|  | (b) | $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{AX}}=\frac{2}{5}(\mathrm{~b}-\mathbf{a})$ <br> or $\underline{2}$ their $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{AB}}$ 5 | FT1 | $\text { Or } \frac{2}{5} \mathbf{b}-\frac{2}{5} \mathbf{a}$ <br> $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{AB}}$ must be in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$ | Allow any correct decimal equivalents |
|  | (c) | $\begin{aligned} & \overrightarrow{\mathrm{OX}}=\mathbf{a}+\text { their } \overrightarrow{\mathrm{AX}} \\ & \text { or } \mathbf{a}+\underline{\underline{2}} \text { their } \overrightarrow{\mathrm{AB}} \\ & \overrightarrow{\mathrm{OX}}=\frac{2}{5} \mathbf{b}+\frac{3}{5} \mathbf{a} \end{aligned}$ | FT1 $1$ | $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{AB}}$ or $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{AX}}$ must be in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$ <br> Or $\frac{1}{5}(2 b+3 a)$ | Allow any correct decimal equivalents |
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| 23 | (a) | $0.4 \quad 0.1$ correctly placed <br> 0.20 .8 correctly placed <br> $0.48,0.36,0.04$ or their 3 products correct | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 1 \\ \text { FT1 } \end{gathered}$ | Each product must be less than 1 | -1 once for eg. $\frac{0.4}{1}$ or other poor notation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (b) | 0.52 oe | 2 | M1 for their0. $4 \times$ their0.1 $+0.6 \times$ their0.8 or for their Box $2+$ their Box 4 leading to their answer Or <br> SC1 for answer 0.48 or 0.04 | Total may be greater than 1 |

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