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## B261 (Foundation - Modular) Paper 1

Section A

| 1 | (a) 50 <br> (b) Food <br> (c) 5.75 <br> (d) Symbol can't be divided up that accurately. | 1 <br> 1 <br> 2 ft <br> 1 | M1 their (£6.50-75p) or $11.5 \times$ (a) | 5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | (a) (i) 20 <br> (ii) 13 <br> (b) 12-16 <br> (c) 10 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 2 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | M1 for any evidence of correct method | 5 |
| 3 | impossible <br> likely | $1$ <br> 1 |  | 2 |
| 4 | (a) 900 <br> (b) any multiple of 9 <br> (c) 57 and 66 <br> (d) 36 <br> (e) $\frac{3}{10}$ <br> (f) (i) square <br> (ii) Square root <br> (g) $15-(5+2)+1$ | 1 <br> 1 <br> 2 <br> 2 <br> 1 <br> 1 <br> 1 | 100 seen oe <br> including 9 <br> B1 for 4 or figs 36 or M1 complete method <br> B1 for $\frac{9}{30}$ isw | 10 |


| 5 | (a) $(4,2)$ <br> (b) Correct line | $1$ $1$ |  | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6 | 18.2-19 m | B2 | B1 for $9.1-9.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ seen <br> M1 for $\times 2$ (may be imp by 18) | 2 |
| 7 | 535 | 4 | M1 for $\frac{7}{12} \times 300$ or $\frac{9}{20} \times 800$ or 25 and 40 seen <br> A1 175 <br> A1 360 | 4 |
| 8 | (a) $\begin{aligned} & 2 x=8+5 \\ & (x=) 6.5 \mathrm{oe} \end{aligned}$ <br> (b) $x^{3}-5 x^{2}$ final answer <br> (c) (i) $a^{7}$ <br> (ii) $m^{6}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> 2 <br> B1 <br> B1 | or $x-2.5=4$ oe <br> SC1 for2 $\times 6.5-5=8$ oe <br> B1 $x^{3}-5 x^{2}$ seen or final answer with one term correct | 6 |

Section B


| 16 | (a) $150 \times 75$ $11250$ <br> (b) Sub $r=60$ into $\pi r^{2}$ 11300 to 11315 <br> (c) $100 \times 100$ soi 25000 | M1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> A1 |  | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 17 | $2 \times 3 \times 5^{2}$ <br> or $2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5$ in any order. | 2 | M1 one factor pair seen or 2,3,5,5 | 2 |
| 18 | (a) $\quad(x=) 20$ <br> (b) subtract 8 or divide by 9 $t=\frac{s-8}{9}$ | B1 <br> M1 <br> A1 | Or for correct second step | 3 |

## B262 Foundation - Terminal

## Section A

| 1 | (a) 40 <br> (b) six sectors shaded. <br> (c) 120 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | M1 for $1 \%$ is 6 or (10\%) is 60 seen | 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | (a) (i) correct point marked <br> (ii) correct angle drawn <br> (iii) their length <br> (b) (i) 1200 <br> (ii) 1.2 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \pm 1 \mathrm{~mm} \\ & \pm 2^{\circ} \\ & \pm 1 \mathrm{~mm} \end{aligned}$ | 5 |
| 3 | (a) (i) bar 4 high <br> (ii) 7 <br> (b) $\quad 1 / 7$ | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \mathrm{ft} \end{gathered}$ | Condone $3 / 21$ <br> ft for $3 /(14+$ their answer to aiii) M1 for unsimplified fraction < 1 with correct numerator or denominator | 4 |
| 4 | (a) 60 <br> (b) Isosceles <br> (c) Angle $\mathrm{ABD}=30^{\circ}$ $b=120^{\circ}$ <br> 2 reasons from opposite | 1 <br> 1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> R1 <br> R1 | Condone 30 seen in workings. <br> ABD is 30 because perpendicular is 90 <br> Equal angles because isosceles Angles in triangle total 180. | 6 |
| 5 | (a) correct diagram <br> (b) 18 <br> 22 <br> (c) goes up in 4's <br> (d) 34 <br> (e) 11 | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \mathrm{ft} \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \hline \mathrm{P} 1 \end{gathered}$ | ft 4 more than first answer oe | 6 6 |
| 6 | (a) four correct points plotted <br> (b) one correct comparison <br> (c) Feb | $\begin{gathered} \text { P1 } \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Joined or not <br> Condone 19-4 = 15 | 3 |


| 7 | (a) 2 <br> (b) 8 <br> (c) 51 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M1 for } 1+4^{2}=17 \text { soi or (their 17) } \\ & \text { x } 3 \\ & \text { SC1 for answer of } 147 \end{aligned}$ | 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | (a) $12 / 16$ <br> (b) $5 / 8,11 / 16,3 / 4$ $5 / 8=10 / 16$ seen | $\begin{gathered} \hline 1 \\ \text { B1 } \\ \text { M1 } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | cao <br> or equivalent method | 3 |
| 9 | (a) 45 <br> (b) 52 <br> (c) 9 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | 3 |
| 10 | (a) (i) $8 \leq$ answer $<8.5$ <br> (ii) any two of the figures rounded to 1SF 32 or 40 <br> (b) (i) 46.592 <br> (ii) 465.92 <br> (iii) 56 | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ \text { M1 } \\ \text { A1 } \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Or for 3200 seen Or for 4000/100 seen | 6 |
| 11 | (a) $7(2 a-1)$ <br> (b) $3 p+15$ <br> (c) $2 x^{3}+5 x$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | B1 for either term correct in answer or both correct seen | 4 |
| 12 | Reflection $y=3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | Accept reflect but not mirror, flip etc Indep <br> SC1 for equiv combination of transformations | 2 |

Section B


| 20 | (a) $£ 40$ <br> (b) $£ 125$ <br> (c) straight line with positive gradient from $(400,35)$ to (1000, their 125) <br> (d) 430-440 <br> 1100 <br> (e) Plan B cao <br> £15 | $\begin{gathered} \hline 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \mathrm{ft} \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \mathrm{ft} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 'their 125' or correct, <br> SC1 for non ruled line through both <br> ft from their graph $\pm 1 / 2$ small square ( $\pm 10$ ) <br> ft from their graph $\pm 1 / 2$ small square $( \pm 10)$ <br> ft from their graph $\pm 1 / 2$ small square ( $£ 1$ ) | 8 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 21 | $\mathrm{x}=36$ | 2 | M1 $\mathbf{x} / 3=12$ or $x+39=75$ | 2 |
| 22 | (a) $(60-40) \div 2$ <br> (b) $\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{ }\left(26^{2}-10^{2}\right) \\ & (h=) 24 \end{aligned}$ <br> (c) $\quad A=1 / 2(60+40) \times$ their 24 oe $\times 80$ $96000$ <br> $\mathrm{cm}^{3}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 1 \\ \text { M2 } \\ \text { A1 } \\ \text { M1 } \\ \text { M1 } \\ \text { A1 ft } \\ \text { U1 } \end{gathered}$ | Accept argument starting with 10 <br> square root can be implied by later work <br> M1 for $26^{2} \pm 10^{2}$ <br> If splitting up must be full method for A Indep, must have correct volume dimensions ft $4000 \times$ their (b) Indep ISW attempts to change units to eg $\mathrm{m}^{3}$ | 8 |

## B263 (Higher - Modular) Paper 1

Section A

| 1 | $\frac{19}{30}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{7}{10}, \frac{11}{15}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { M1 } \\ & \text { A1 } \end{aligned}$ | for sight of LCM all correct | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | (a) $x=80$ <br> (b) $x^{3}-5 x^{2}$ final answer | 2 | B1 $x^{3}-5 x^{2}$ seen or final answer with one term correct | 3 |
| 3 | (a) $\begin{array}{rlll}1,4 & 2,4 & 3,4 \\ & 1,5 & 2,5 & 3,5 \\ & 1,6 & 2,6 & 3,6\end{array}$ <br> (b) (i) Sums: <br> 567 <br> 678 <br> 789 <br> $P(6)=\frac{2}{9}$ <br> (ii) $\frac{6}{9}\left(=\frac{2}{3}\right)$ i.s.w | 2 <br> 1 ft <br> 1ft | B1 one error or omission | 4 |
| 4 | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{7}{12} \times 300+\frac{9}{20} \times 800 \\ & =175+360 \\ & =535 \end{aligned}$ | 4 | M1 for $\frac{7}{12} \times 300$ or $\frac{9}{20} \times 800$ <br> Or 25 and 40 seen <br> A1, A1 <br> A1 | 4 |
| 5 | (a) Sum is greater than 1 <br> (b) Because the outcomes are not mutually exclusive | $1$ |  | 2 |
| 6 | (a) $(7,6)$ <br> (b) $\frac{11-1}{17--3}=\frac{1}{2}$ | $2$ <br> M1 <br> A1 | B1+B1 <br> Correct $y$ step / correct $x$ step | 4 |
| 7 |  | M1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 | for ratio correct <br> M1 Ratio to find AC subtracts | 5 |

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 8 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) E.g. \(4 x+3 y=9 \Rightarrow 8 x+6 y=18\)
\[
3 x-2 y=28 \Rightarrow 9 x-6 y=84
\] \\
Add: \\
\(17 x=102\)
\[
\Rightarrow x=6, y=-5
\] \\
(b) (i) \(\quad a^{7}\) \\
(ii) \(m^{6}\) \\
(iii) \(64 x^{3} y^{6}\)
\end{tabular} \& 4

1
1

2 \& | M1 equates one of the coefficients M1 Adds to get one variable A1 + A1 |
| :--- |
| B1 for 2 out of 64 or 3 or 6 | \& 8 <br>

\hline 9 \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& X^{2}=48 \\
& Y^{2}=50 \\
& \Rightarrow A^{2}=98 \\
& \Rightarrow A=7 \sqrt{2}
\end{aligned}
$$ \& 4 \& \[

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { B1 or } 16 \sqrt{9} \\
& \text { B1 or } 25 \sqrt{4} \\
& \text { B1 } \\
& \text { B1 }
\end{aligned}
$$
\] \& 4 <br>

\hline
\end{tabular}

## Section B

| 10 | (a) Sub 60 into $\pi r^{2}$ $=11300 \text { to } 11315$ <br> (b) $\times 3.7=41850$ or 41810 <br> (c) $\times 0.54=22597$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { M1 } \\ \text { A1 } \\ 1 \\ \text { M1 } \\ \text { A1 } \end{gathered}$ | for sub correct <br> Anything in range 41810-41850 <br> multiply their (b) by 0.54 <br> anything in range 22577-22600 | 5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11 | (a) $(11.5,7)$ ringed <br> (b) Both points correct <br> (c) (i) Line within range <br> (ii) Their value from their line <br> (iii) Extrapolation not wise | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{ft} \pm 1 / 2$ square | 5 |
| 12 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { (a) } & 8 x+7=3 x+22 \\ & \Rightarrow 5 x=15 \\ & \Rightarrow x=3 \\ \text { (b) } & 3 y+7 \leq 25 \\ & \Rightarrow 3 y \leq 18 \\ & \Rightarrow y \leq 6 \end{array}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> A1 | Reduction to $a x=b$ <br> Reduction to $a y \leq b$ | 5 |
| 13 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { (a) } & 12360 \times 1.025 \\ & =12669 \\ \text { (b) } & 26450 \times 0.98 \times 1.014 \\ & =26280 \text { to } 26300 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M2 } \\ & \text { A1 } \\ & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { M1 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Accept } 12670 \text { or } 12700 \\ & \times 0.98 \\ & \times 1.014 \end{aligned}$ | 6 |
| 14 | (a) 5 and 17 <br> (b) Points plotted correctly Cubic curve through points. <br> (c) Roots from their graph $(-2.2,0.5$, 1.7) | 2 2 2 | B1 + B1 <br> B1 ft <br> B1 ft <br> B1 for one correct value or 2 right and one wrong (or missing) | 4 |
| 15 | $\begin{aligned} & =\frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{49-20}}{2} \\ & =-0.81 \text { and }-6.19 \end{aligned}$ | 3 | M1 attempt to sub into correct formula A1 soi <br> A1 Must be 2 d.p. | 3 |
| 16 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Circumference of base }=2 \pi \times 10 \times \frac{288}{360} \\ & \qquad(=5.027) \\ & \Rightarrow 2 \pi r=2 \pi \times 10 \times \frac{288}{360} \\ & \Rightarrow r=8 \end{aligned}$ <br> Use pythagoras $\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow h=\sqrt{100-64}=6 \\ & \Rightarrow \mathrm{Vol}=\frac{1}{3} \pi r^{2} h=402.1 \ldots \end{aligned}$ | 6 | M1 to get circum (soi) <br> M1 to get $r$ <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> DM1 A1 | 6 |

## B264 Higher -Terminal

## Section A

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 1 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) 46.592 \\
(b) 465.92 \\
(c) 56
\end{tabular} \& \[
1
\] \& \& 3 \\
\hline 2 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
\[
x+5+x+30+x+x-25=360 \text { oe }
\] \\
Collecting terms \((5 x+10)\) soi Isolating \(x\) and numbers ( \(5 x=360-10\) ) \(x=70\) WWW
\end{tabular} \& M1 M1ft M1ft B1 \& Condone 1 slip ft provided at least 3 angles these steps can be reversed \& 4 \\
\hline 3 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) \(168=2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 7\) \\
(b) 4200 \\
(c) 45
\end{tabular} \& 2
2
2 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
B1 for correct start to factor tree or factor ladder or a pair of factors eg \(2 \times\) 84 \\
M1 for \(600 \times 7\) or \(168 \times 5 \times 5\) oe SC1 for any common multiple \\
M1 for \(3 \times 3 \times 5\)
\end{tabular} \& 6 \\
\hline 4 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) \(7(2 a-1)\) \\
(b) \(2 x^{3}+5 x\) final answer
\end{tabular} \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& 1 \\
\& 2
\end{aligned}
\] \& B1 for either term correct in answer or both correct seen \& 3 \\
\hline 5 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) Reflection
\[
y=3
\] \\
(b) Correct enlargement \((6,4),(9,4)\), \((6,10)\)
\end{tabular} \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& 1 \\
\& 1
\end{aligned}
\]
\[
3
\] \& \begin{tabular}{l}
Accept reflect but not mirror, flip etc Indep \\
SC1 for equiv combination of transformations \\
B1 for each correct vertex, \(\pm 1 \mathrm{~mm}\) SC2 for enlargement centre \((0,4)\) with a wrong s.f., or enlargement s.f. 3 with wrong centre
\end{tabular} \& 5 \\
\hline 6 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) \\
(b) (i) A more consistent, reliable etc \\
(ii) B higher on average, median greater etc
\end{tabular} \& 3

1

1 \& | B2 for one error, B1 for two errors Or SC1 for UQ = 48 soi or $10,23,25$, 39, 60 |
| :--- |
| Accept comparison of range, iqr, box width, min. Accept alternative answers if fully justified |
| Accept comparison of max | \& 5 <br>

\hline
\end{tabular}

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 7 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) (i) \\
R \\
R \\
- - \\
(ii) 16 and 20 have prime factors 2 and 5 others have factors 3 and/or 7 \\
(b) \(52 / 99\) \\
(c) \(\quad 5 \sqrt{ } 2\)
\end{tabular} \& 2
2

2

2 \& | Give B1 for 3 correct |
| :--- |
| Give B1 for any mention of prime factors or 2 and 5 |
| Or B2 for full decimal conversion of all 4 |
| Or $\mathbf{B 1}$ for full decimal conversion of 3 |
| M1 for $100 \mathrm{r}=52.5252 \ldots .$. |
| M1 for $\times \sqrt{ } 2 / \sqrt{ } 2$ soi by $10 \sqrt{ } 2 / 2$ or $(5 \times$ 2) $/ \sqrt{ } 2$ | \& 8 <br>

\hline 8 \& | (a) 1st bar width 5-10, height 13 |
| :--- |
| 2nd and 3rd bars widths 10-20,2030 heights 3.3 and 2 respectively |
| (b) Reject Mode, It's lowest at 0 oe Reject Mean, too affected by 'giant' oe | \& | $1$ |
| :--- |
| 1 |
| 1 |
| 1 | \& | 13 should be on line |
| :--- |
| $3.3 \pm 1 / 2 \mathrm{sm} \mathrm{sq}, 2$ should be on line |
| Ignore 'choose line', Accept good equivalents | \& 4 <br>


\hline 9 \& | (a) $\mathrm{RC}=\mathrm{BQ}, \mathrm{CQ}=\mathrm{BP}$ Given, sides of a square (with equal amounts subtracted) SAS |
| :--- |
| (b) All $4 \Delta \mathrm{~s}$ congruent so sides equal e.g. angle CQR $+B Q P=90$ $\Rightarrow$ angle $\mathrm{PQR}=90$ | \& \[

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \hline 1 \\
& 1 \\
& 1 \\
& 1 \\
& 1
\end{aligned}
$$
\] \& B1 for 2 reasons dep on 1st mark or B1 for one pair of sides with reason \& 5 <br>

\hline 10 \& \[
$$
\begin{aligned}
& x^{2}+(3 x-2)^{2}=20 \\
& 9 x^{2}-12 x+4 \\
& 10 x^{2}-12 x-16=0 \\
& (5 x+4)(x-2) \text { oe } \\
& \\
& x=-4 / 5 \text { or } 2 \\
& y=-22 / 5, \text { or } 4
\end{aligned}
$$

\] \& | M1 |
| :--- |
| A1 |
| A1 |
| M2 |
| A1ft |
| A1 | \& | M1ft for a pair of brackets giving 2 terms correct ft their brackets Or M2ft for complete substitution in quadratic formula, |
| :--- |
| Or M1ft for substitution with 1 error | \& 7 <br>

\hline
\end{tabular}

Section B

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 11 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) 375 (g) \\
(b) 10
\end{tabular} \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& 2 \\
\& 2 \\
\& \hline
\end{aligned}
\] \& M1 for \(150 \times 15 / 6\) oe M1 for \(6 \times 125 / 75\) oe \& 4 \\
\hline 12 \& \begin{tabular}{l}
(a) \(£ 40\) \\
(b) \(£ 125\) \\
(c) straight line with positive gradient from \((400,35)\) to (1000, their 125) \\
(d) \(430-440\) \\
1100 \\
(e) Plan B cao \\
£15
\end{tabular} \& 1
1
1
1
1 ft

1
1
1
1
1

$18 t$ \& | 'their 125 ' or correct, |
| :--- |
| SC1 for non ruled line through both |
| ft from their graph $\pm 1 / 2$ small square ( $\pm$ 10) |
| ft from their graph $\pm 1 / 2$ small square ( $\pm$ 10) |
| ft from their graph $\pm 1 / 2$ small square ( $\pm$ £1) | \& 8 <br>


\hline 13 \& | (a) $1 \times 6+2 \times 4+3 \times 6+4 \times 7+5 \times 8+6 \times 9$ |
| :--- |
| $\div 40$ or their $(6+4+6+7+8+9)$ |
| 3.85 |
| (b) Not enough throws or frequencies not very different | \& | M1 |
| :--- |
| M1 |
| A1 |
| 1 | \& | condone 1 error dep |
| :--- |
| Ans 3.85 WWW scores B3 | \& 4 <br>


\hline 14 \& | (a) $(60-40) \div 2$ |
| :--- |
| (b) $\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{ }\left(26^{2}-10^{2}\right) \\ & (h=) 24 \end{aligned}$ |
| (c) $A=1 / 2(60+40) \times$ their 24 oe $\times 80$ $96000$ $\mathrm{cm}^{3}$ | \& \[

$$
\begin{gathered}
\hline 1 \\
\text { M2 } \\
\text { A1 } \\
\text { M1 } \\
\text { M1 } \\
\text { A1ft }
\end{gathered}
$$
\]

U1 \& | Accept argument starting with 10 |
| :--- |
| square root can be implied by later work |
| M1 for $26^{2} \pm 10^{2}$ |
| If splitting up must be full method for $A$ Indep, must have correct volume dimensions |
| ft $4000 \times$ their (b) |
| Indep ISW attempts to change units to eg $\mathrm{m}^{3}$ | \& 8 <br>

\hline 15 \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& x \geq 2 \\
& x+y \leq 6 \\
& y \geq 1 / 2 x
\end{aligned}
$$ \& 1

2
1 \& Condone strict inequalities. SC1 for $x+y=,>, \geq 6$ \& 4 <br>
\hline 16 \& Line parallel to road Circle centre tree lines parallel to house Arc at corner of house compass drawn arc(s) and radii ( 2 cm ), 3 cm , Distances $1.5 \mathrm{~cm}, 2 \mathrm{~cm}$ shading \& M1
M1
M1
B1

A1
1ft \& ft , dep on 3 M 1 s \& 6 <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

| 17 | (a) $R=k / d^{2}$ <br> substituting 0.25 and 8 $R=0.5 / d^{2}$ oe <br> (b) 0.35 or 0.354 | M1 <br> M1ft <br> A1 <br> 3 | ft from $R=k d^{2}$ or $R=k / d$ or $R=k / \sqrt{ } d$ <br> M1ft for substituting $R=4$ and 1 correct step in transposing their formula eg $4 d^{2}=$ their $k$. dep on one of forms in (a) <br> B1 for rounding their answer to 2 or 3 sf seen | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { (a) } & 17.4 \text { to } 17.5 \\ \text { (b) (i) } & 162.5 \text { to } 162.6\end{array}$ <br> (ii) $\quad 197.4$ to 197.5 | 1 <br> 1ft <br> 1ft <br> 1ft | ft 180 - their (a), - 1 for extra solutions <br> ft 180 + their (a) <br> ft 360 - their (a) - 1 for extra <br> solutions | 4 |
| 19 | (a) $(x-3 y)(x+2)$ <br> (b) $\frac{x(3 x+4)}{(x+1)(3 x+4)}-\frac{3 x(x+1)}{(x+1)(3 x+4)}$ or better $3 x^{2}+4 x-3 x^{2}-3 x \text { seen }$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | B1 for 2( $x-3 y$ ) or $x(x+2)-3 y(x+2)$ <br> B1 for common denominator and one numerator correct <br> indep B1 for 1 error | 6 |

## Grade Thresholds

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January 2009 Examination Series
Component Threshold Marks

| Component |  |  | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { B261 } \\ & \text { B262 } \end{aligned}$ | Raw | 72 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 50 | 42 | 35 | 28 | 21 |
|  | UMS | 83 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 72 | 60 | 48 | 36 | 24 |
|  | Raw | 100 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 67 | 56 | 45 | 35 | 25 |
|  | UMS | 139 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 120 | 100 | 80 | 60 | 40 |
| B263 | Raw | 72 | 64 | 53 | 42 | 31 | 19 | 14 | N/A | N/A |
|  | UMS | 120 | 108 | 96 | 84 | 72 | 60 | 54 | N/A | N/A |
| B264 | Raw | 100 | 77 | 62 | 47 | 32 | 20 | 14 | N/A | N/A |
|  | UMS | 200 | 180 | 160 | 140 | 120 | 100 | 90 | N/A | N/A |
| B265 | Raw | 48 | 43 | 37 | 31 | 26 | 22 | 18 | 14 | 10 |
|  | UMS | 80 | 72 | 64 | 56 | 48 | 40 | 32 | 24 | 16 |

## Specification Options

Foundation Tier

|  | Max Mark | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
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| Overall Threshold Marks | 279 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 240 | 200 | 160 | 120 | 80 |
| Percentage in Grade |  | N/A | N/A | N/A | 36.4 | 45.1 | 15.9 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| Cumulative Percentage in <br> Grade |  | N/A | N/A | N/A | 36.4 | 81.5 | 97.4 | 98.7 | 100 |

The total entry for the examination was 266
Higher Tier

|  | Max Mark | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
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| Overall Threshold Marks | 400 | 360 | 320 | 280 | 240 | 200 | 160 | N/A | N/A |
| Percentage in Grade |  | 2.5 | 25.0 | 45.0 | 15.0 | 10.0 | 0 | N/A | N/A |
| Cumulative Percentage in <br> Grade |  | 2.5 | 27.5 | 72.5 | 87.5 | 97.5 | 97.5 | N/A | N/A |

The total entry for the examination was 43

## Overall

|  | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
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| Percentage in Grade | 0.5 | 5.3 | 9.4 | 31.9 | 37.7 | 12.6 | 1.1 | 1.1 |
| Cumulative Percentage in <br> Grade | 0.5 | 5.8 | 15.2 | 47.1 | 84.8 | 97.4 | 98.4 | 99.5 |

The total entry for the examination was 309
Statistics are correct at the time of publication.

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