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## Mathematics C (Graduated Assessment)

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## Annotations

| Annotation | Meaning |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\checkmark$ | Correct |
| $\mathbf{x}$ | Incorrect |
| BOD | Benefit of doubt |
| FT | Follow through |
| ISW | Ignore subsequent working (after correct answer obtained), provided method has been completed |
| M0 | Method mark awarded 0 |
| M1 | Method mark awarded 1 |
| M2 | Method mark awarded 2 |
| A1 | Accuracy mark awarded 1 |
| B1 | Independent mark awarded 1 |
| B2 | Independent mark awarded 2 |
| MR | Misread |
| SC | Special case |
| $\wedge$ | Omission sign |

These should be used whenever appropriate during your marking.
The $\mathbf{M}, \mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}$ etc annotations must be used on your standardisation scripts for responses that are not awarded either 0 or full marks.
It is vital that you annotate these scripts to show how the marks have been awarded.
It is not mandatory to use annotations for any other marking, though you may wish to use them in some circumstances.

## Subject-specific Marking Instructions

i. $\quad \mathbf{M}$ marks are for using a correct method and are not lost for purely numerical errors.

A marks are for an accurate answer and depend on preceding M (method) marks. Therefore M0 A1 cannot be awarded.
B marks are independent of $\mathbf{M}$ (method) marks and are for a correct final answer, a partially correct answer, or a correct intermediate stage.
SC marks are for special cases that are worthy of some credit.
ii. Unless the answer and marks columns of the mark scheme specify $\mathbf{M}$ and $\mathbf{A}$ marks etc, or the mark scheme is 'banded', then if the correct answer is clearly given and is not from wrong working full marks should be awarded.

Do not award the marks if the answer was obtained from an incorrect method, ie incorrect working is seen and the correct answer clearly follows from it.
iii. Where follow through (FT) is indicated in the mark scheme, marks can be awarded where the candidate's work follows correctly from a previous answer whether or not it was correct.

Figures or expressions that are being followed through are sometimes encompassed by single quotation marks after the word their for clarity, eg FT $180 \times\left(\right.$ their ' 37 ' +16 ), or FT $300-\sqrt{ }\left(\right.$ their ${ }^{\prime} 5^{2}+7^{2}$ ). Answers to part questions which are being followed through are indicated by eg FT $3 \times$ their (a).

For questions with FT available you must ensure that you refer back to the relevant previous answer. You may find it easier to mark these questions candidate by candidate rather than question by question.
iv. Where dependent (dep) marks are indicated in the mark scheme, you must check that the candidate has met all the criteria specified for the mark to be awarded.
v. The following abbreviations are commonly found in GCSE Mathematics mark schemes.

- figs 237, for example, means any answer with only these digits. You should ignore leading or trailing zeros and any decimal point eg $237000,2.37,2.370,0.00237$ would be acceptable but 23070 or 2374 would not.
- isw means ignore subsequent working (after correct answer obtained).
- nfww means not from wrong working.
- oe means or equivalent.
- rot means rounded or truncated.
- $\quad$ seen 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.
- soi means seen or implied.
vi. Make no deductions for wrong work after an acceptable answer unless the mark scheme says otherwise, indicated for example by the instruction 'mark final answer'.
vii. 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).
viii. 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 $\mathbf{A}$ or $\mathbf{B}$ marks earned and record this by using the MR annotation. M marks are not deducted for misreads.
ix. Unless the question asks for an answer to a specific degree of accuracy, always mark at the greatest number of significant figures even if this is rounded or truncated on the answer line. For example, an answer in the 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.
x. 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'. Place the annotation $\checkmark$ next to the correct answer.

If the answer space is blank but the correct answer is seen in the body allow full marks. Place the annotation $\checkmark$ next to the correct answer.

If the correct answer is seen in the working but a completely different answer is seen in the answer space, then accuracy marks for the answer are lost. Method marks would still be awarded. Use the M0, M1, M2 annotations as appropriate and place the annotation $\times$ next to the wrong answer.
xi. Ranges of answers given in the mark scheme are always inclusive.
xii. For methods not provided for in the mark scheme give as far as possible equivalent marks for equivalent work. If in doubt, consult your Team Leader.
xiii. Anything in the mark scheme which is in square brackets [...] is not required for the mark to be earned, but if present it must be correct.
a = common with B281

| Question |  |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | (a) |  | Straight Line through ( $-3,-13$ ) and $(3,11)$ | 3 | M2 for correct straight line in one quadrant or M2 for 3 correct points at least one negative $x$ value <br> Or M1 for 1 correct pair of coordinates found or plotted. | Straight intended Points within 2 mm square |
|  | (b) |  | 1.5 oe | 1 | Or FT their line $\pm 0.1$ | Condone answer (1.5, 5) |
| 2 | (a) |  | $\frac{2}{15} \text { oe }$ | 2 | M1 for use of equivalent fractions with $\frac{12}{15}$ or $\frac{10}{15}$ oe | nfww so $\frac{4}{15}-\frac{2}{15}$ scores 0 |
|  | (b) |  | $\frac{4}{9} \mathrm{oe}$ | 2 | M1 for $\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{4}{3}$ or $\frac{4}{12}[\div] \frac{9}{12}$ |  |
| 3 | (a) | $\uparrow$ | $5 \quad 9 \quad 13$ | 2 | M1 for 2 terms correct in correct position or M1 for 1, 5, 9 | eg 0 for 5, 21, 85 |
|  | (b) | $\uparrow$ | No with valid reason | 1 | For example: <br> - numbers in sequence are all odd <br> - 4 goes into 32 but doesn't into the sequence numbers <br> - 33 is in the sequence <br> - 31 is not divisible by 4 <br> - $4 \times 8+1=33$ | See exemplars |
| 4 | (a) | $\uparrow$ | M Triangle (-1, 2) (-1, 4) (-2, 2) | 2 | M1 for correct reflection in $y=0$ or in $x=a, a \neq 0$ | On overlay, 2 marks for blue, 1 mark for green or for a translation of blue parallel to the $x$-axis Condone label missing |


| Question |  |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (b) | $\wedge$ | N Triangle (1, 0) $(3,0)(1,-1)$ | 2 | M1 for rotation $90^{\circ}$ anticlockwise about $(0,1)$ <br> [at $(-1,2)(-1,3)(-3,2)]$ <br> or rotation $90^{\circ}$ clockwise wrong centre <br> MR 'M' rotated, not 'L' : <br> Allow M1 for a fully correct rotation of ' $M$ ' | On overlay, 2 marks for blue, 1 mark for green or for a translation of blue Condone label missing |
|  | (c) | * | Reflection | 1 | May be earned independent of their ' M ' and N |  |
| 5 | (a) | $\wedge$ | $2 x+3+x+5+2 x+3+x+5[=43]$ oe | 1 |  |  |
|  | (b) | ^ | $x=4.5$ <br> length 12 width 9.5 oe | $2$ $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | M1 for $6 x=27$ or $[x=] \frac{27}{6}$ or $27 \div 6$ and A1 for $\frac{9}{2}$ or 4.5 or $4 \frac{1}{2}$ or $4 \frac{3}{6}$ isw or FT their ' $x$ ' $\times 2+3$ or FT their ' $x$ ' +5 FT only if $x$ is non integer Condone length and width reversed | A0 for just $\frac{27}{6}$ <br> eg after $4 \frac{3}{6}, x=4.3$, length $=11.6$, width $=9.3$ earns the last 2 marks but in such cases do not award isw as well |
| 6 | (a) | (i) | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 2 | M1 for $\frac{50}{200}$ oe |  |
|  |  | (ii) | Explanation eg 'Frequency for 5 is high' or 'Frequency for 2 is low' | 1 |  | See Exemplars |
|  | (b) |  | $\frac{1}{24} \text { oe }$ | 2 | M1 for their (a)(i) $\times \frac{1}{6}$ <br> A1 $\frac{1}{24}$ oe FT their (a)(i) |  |


| Question |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 |  | $x>6$ | 4 | M1 for first step correctly eliminating fraction or division by 2 $5 x+4>2 x+22 \text { or } 2.5 x+2>x+11$ <br> M1 for $3 x+4>22$ correctly collecting $x$ terms FT <br> M1 for $3 x>18$ correctly collecting numbers FT <br> A1 for $x>6$ or M1 correct division FT from $k x>m$ (accept simplified improper fraction isw) <br> or B3 for $x=6$ or $x<6$ <br> or SC2 for 6 embedded in inequality or SC1 for 6 embedded in equation | Condone for first three method marks the use of $=$ instead of $>$ <br> Condone use of $\geq$ throughout <br> Non-linear statements do not score |
| 8 | $\wedge$ | $a=70$ <br> alternate angles <br> isosceles triangle | 1 <br> 1 <br> 1 | Condone z angles <br> Or [sum of the] angles of a triangle is $180^{\circ}$ (and 180 may be omitted if 70 correct) | Condone wrong/no angles mentioned Condone alternative, alternating etc <br> 0 for alternate segment <br> 0 for just opposite <br> 1 for 'triangle adds to 180 ' <br> 0 for sides of triangle add to 180 <br> 0 for angles add to 180 <br> 0 for a list of angle facts |


| Question |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
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| 9 | (a) | Superior | 1 | Accept $1.2 \times 10^{13}$ |  |
|  | (b) | $2.08 \times 10^{12}$ or $2.1 \times 10^{12}$ | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M1 for } 16 \times 10^{11} \text { or } 0.48 \times 10^{12} \\ & \text { or figs } 208 \\ & \text { or } 1.6+0.48 \\ & \text { or } 16+4.8 \\ & \text { or } 1600000000000 \text { and } \\ & 480000000000 \text { seen } \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | (c) | 1000 | 1 | Accept $1 \times 10^{3}$ or $10^{3}$ or 1029 or 1030 oe |  |
| 10 | (a) | $y=\frac{2+6 x}{x+5}$ | 4 | M1 for expansion $x y-6 x=2-5 y$ M1 for rearranging so terms in $y$ (only) together FT their ${ }^{\text {st }}$ step $\text { eg } x y+5 y=2+6 x$ <br> M1 for factorising FT their $2^{\text {nd }}$ step eg $y(x+5)$ <br> A1 for $y=\frac{2+6 x}{x+5}$ <br> or FT dependent on $3^{\text {rd }}$ M1 |  |
|  | (b) | $(2 x+1)(x-5)$ <br> -0.5 and 5 | M2 <br> A1FT | M1 for factors, using integers excluding 0 , giving two terms correct when expanded or $(2 x \pm 1)(x \pm 5)$ <br> FT their factors (providing M1 scored and not $(x+m)(x+n))$ <br> If M0, B1 for ${ }^{-} 0.5$ and 5 | Accept $(2 x-10)(x+0.5)$ for M2 <br> Eg $(2 x-1)(x+5)$ then $0.5,{ }^{-} 5$ scores M1A1 |


| Question |  |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
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| 11 |  |  | $A G=A E$ and $A B=A D$ because 'sides of square' $\begin{aligned} & \angle \mathrm{GAD}=\angle \mathrm{EAB} \text { because 'both } 90+ \\ & \angle \mathrm{EAD} \text { ' } \end{aligned}$ <br> [Congruent] SAS | $1$ <br> 1 $1$ | Alternative: <br> 1 for $A G=A E$ and $A B=A D$ and $\angle G A D$ $=\angle E A B$ without adequate reasons or 1 for both reasons without facts | Accept 'two sides and an angle are the same' or SSA |
| 12 | (a) |  | -0.34 | 1 |  |  |
|  | (b) |  | Cosine graph sketched through $(0,1)\left(90,{ }^{-1}\right)(180,1)$ | 2 | Ignore $x>180$ <br> M1 for amplitude or period correct without translation | For M1 curve to start at ( 0,1 ) or $(0,2)$ or $(0,1 / 2)$ |
| 13 | (a) | $\uparrow$ | 26455 to 26456 | 3 | M2 for $1.27 \times 20831$ <br> Or M1 for 1.27 or $0.27 \times 20831$ oe or 5624(.37) <br> If MO allow SC2 for figs 2645537 | eg M1 for $2083.1+2083.1+$ 1458.17 |
|  | (b) |  | 22398 to 22399 | 3 | M2 for $\frac{20831}{0.93}$ <br> Or M1 for 0.93 or $x-7 \% x=20831$ implied |  |
|  | (c) | * | $\begin{aligned} & 24500 \text { or } 24501 \text { and } \\ & 25499 \text { or } 25500 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | Their lower boundary <br> Their upper boundary Accept answers in either order | But 0 for eg 23500 and 24500 |


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| 14 | (a) | a | 418 to 419 | 3 | M1 for $\pi \times 60$ or $188 \ldots$ or equiv for semicircle [( $\pi \times 60$ )/2 or 94...] <br> M1 for their '188' + 230 | Allow even if later doubled or halved <br> For any number + 230 (oe) eg M0M1 for $120+230$ or 350 <br> Area + 230 M0M1 <br> 418 + 120 M1M1 <br> 188 then $377+230$ M1M1 <br> But $377+230$ with no working M0M1 |
|  | (b) | $\wedge$ | Groups, eg  <br> $20-29$ 4 <br> $30-39$ 4 <br> $40-49$ 10 <br> $50-59$ 6 <br> $60-69$ 6 <br> Points plotted at correct heights FT their frequencies if shown <br> Plots at midpoints and points joined with ruled lines | 1 <br> 1 <br> 1 | For $20-24,25-29$ etc frequencies are 0,4,2,2,4,6,2,4,2,4 <br> for $25-34,35-44$ etc: $6,6,8,6,4$ <br> Allow for groups seen in stem and leaf form or tallied with or without totals <br> Condone one error <br> For groups $20-29,30-39$ etc allow plots at 24-26. | May be implied by attempt at freq polygon or bar graph with these heights correct; condone eg $20-30,30-40$ etc if freqs correct <br> Allow bars of the 'correct' height <br> Ignore lines from endpoints to axes; if bars and polygons, ignore bars |
| 15 | (a) | (i) | 32.[2...] | 2 | M1 for $\frac{29}{90}$ or $\frac{(16+13)}{(16+13+36+25)}$ |  |
|  |  | (ii) | Percentage of females absent for more than 5 days | 1 |  |  |


| Question |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (b) | 6.05(...) or 6.06 or 6.1 | 4 | M1 for 1, 4, 8, 23 condone 1 error M1 for $37 \times 1+24 \times 4+17 \times 8+12 \times$ $23(37+96+136+276)$ <br> M1 for their ' 545 ’ $\div 90$ <br> A1 FT for 22 to 24 used in place of 23 allow 6 after M3 awarded and no errors in working <br> After 0, allow SC1 for 5.3(1..) | FT their ' $1,4,8,23$ ' including eg 2 , 5, 10, 35 but not $2,2,4,24$ Addition may be implied <br> A1 FT for 5.92 or 5.9 or 6 from 22 OR 5.98.. or 5.99 or 6 from 22.5 OR 6.1(2..) or 6 from 23.5 6 or $6.18(\ldots)$ or 6.19 or 6.2 from 24 |
| 16 |  | Min 1200, max 5000 indicated LQ at $2700, U Q$ at 3600 <br> Median 3100 within completed box plot | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | Vertical lines |  |
| 17 |  | 2 correct trials of $x$ for $1.1<x \leq 1.15$ with one outcome less than 4 and one greater than 4 $1.13$ | M3 <br> 1 | M2 for 2 correct trials of $x$ for $1.1 \leq x \leq 1.2$ <br> Or M1 for any value of $x$ substituted for $1<x<2$ <br> Independent mark | Evaluation not required for M1 if correct substitution evident <br> Accept answers to 1dp, truncated or rounded |


| Question |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18 | (a) | 178.(4 ....) or 1.78(4...) | 4 | M3 197.(...) or $\sqrt{38976}$ <br> M2 $32^{2}+\mathrm{GC}^{2}=200^{2}$ or $\sqrt{ }\left(200^{2}-32^{2}\right)$ <br> M1 for attempted use of Pythagoras' theorem (or trig with angle ACG or GAC) with AG 32cm <br> Allow SC1 for $\sqrt{ }\left(200^{2}-16^{2}\right)$ and SC2 for 180.(3...) | eg $200^{2}+32^{2}$ |
|  | (b) | 9[.2...] | 3 | M2 for $\sin ^{-1}(32 / 200)$ oe [FT their GC ] <br> Or M1 for $\sin$ ACD $=32 / 200$ oe Or M1 their inverse trig function used correctly FT their trig function (must use lengths from diagram or calculations) | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { eg } \cos ^{-1}(197.4 / 200) \text { or } \\ \cos ^{-1}(178.4 / 180.7) \text { or } \\ \sin ^{-1}(28.9 / 180.7) \end{gathered}$ <br> Condone M1 for $\sin ^{-1}(24 / 200)$ (assuming BE = 8). If eg $\cos C=32 / 200$ then $C=80.8$ this is sufficient evidence for use of inverse trig function. <br> Allow M1 for correct sine rule statement eg $\frac{32}{\sin C}=\frac{200}{\sin 90}$ <br> For cosine rule allow M1 for $32^{2}=200^{2}+\mathrm{GC}^{2}-$ $2 \times 200 \times$ GC $\cos$ ACD and M2 for $\cos ^{-1}\left(\frac{200^{2}+\mathrm{GC}^{2}-32^{2}}{2 \times 200 \times \mathrm{GC}}\right)$ <br> grads 10.(2...) implies M2 rads 0.16(0...) implies M2 |


| Question |  |  | Answer | Marks | Part marks and guidance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 19 | (a) |  | $\frac{(106+41+27+65)}{4}$ | 1 |  |  |
| - | (b) | (i) | Estimate 56 to 58 | 1 |  | Ignore any calculation |
|  |  | (ii) | Their ‘ $4 \times(\mathrm{b})(\mathrm{i})$ ' -204 correctly evaluated | 2 | M1 for $65+99+40+n$ or (b)(i) $\times 4$ soi |  |
| 20 | (a) |  | 5.3 to 5.4 | 2 | M1 for (12/21) $\times 9.4$ |  |
|  | (b) |  | 3.49 to 3.5 | 2 | M1 for $(21 / 18)^{3}$ or $1.58 \ldots$ or $(18 / 21)^{3}$ or 0.629... <br> M1 implied by 3.4 to $3.52 \ldots$ |  |
| 21 | (a) |  | $\begin{aligned} & x^{2}+(3 x+1)^{2}=33 \\ & 9 x^{2}+3 x+3 x+1 \\ & 10 x^{2}+6 x-32=0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{M} 1 \\ & \mathrm{M} 1 \\ & \text { A1 } \end{aligned}$ |  | Accept $5 x^{2}+3 x=16$ at last stage |
|  | (b) |  | ( ${ }^{-2.1, ~}{ }^{-5.3}$ ) | 4 | B3 for ${ }^{-2.1(1 . . .)}$ <br> Or M2 for $\frac{-3-\sqrt{329}}{10}$ or $\frac{-3+\sqrt{329}}{10}$ <br> Or M1 for $\frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{3^{2}-4 \times 5 \times-16}}{10}$ <br> Allow B3 for (1.5, 5.5) | Marks for (b) can be gained in (a) Condone 1.5 and ${ }^{-} 2.1$ seen for B3 <br> Condone 2 errors for M1 <br> If M1 or M2 scored allow 1FT for correct coordinates from substitution of their negative 1dp answer in $y=3 x+1 \quad$ (or $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ 33 if evidence of their substitution seen) |

## APPENDIX 1

Exemplar responses for question 3(b)

| Response | Mark awarded |
| :---: | :---: |
| 32 is an even number | 0 not sufft |
| Nothing adds up to make 32 in the sequence given or used in it | 0 not sufft |
| Each term in the sequence is always an odd number | 1 |
| If you keep adding 4 it doesn't get to 32 | 1 |
| No, the $7^{\text {th }}$ number in the sequence is 29 and plus 4 would give 33 | 1 |
| No, you would have to change the sequence to fit it in | 0 |
| No, although 32 is a multiple of 4 you add 1 each time | 1 |
| No, although 32 is a multiple of 4 you add 1 each time which means the closest it gets to 32 is 29 or 34 | 1bod condone slip at end |
| No, $32-1=31,31 \div 4=17.7$ is the reverse of $4 n+1$ and 31 does not go into $4 x$ table and all numbers are odd | 1 |
| No, $5 \times 4+1=21$ and then multiplying 21,32 is skipped. As it equals 85 | 0 |
| No, it is an even number and doesn't fit the sequence | 0 not sufft |
| No, the nth term means it becomes larger than 32 | 0 |
| No - it's going up in odd numbers and 32 is even | 1 |
| No $-4 \times 7+1$ is too low and $4 \times 8+1$ is too high | 1 |
| No - each nth term goes up in fours and 32 is even | 0 not quite enough |
| No - the sequence is going up in fours and it started on an odd number | 1 |
| No - the $7^{\text {th }}$ term is 29 and the $8^{\text {th }}$ term is 33 | 1 |
| No, (the sequence goes up in 4s and in the sequence is) $5,9,13,17,21,25,29$ and 33 | 1 |

## Exemplar responses for question 6(a)(ii)

| Response | Mark awarded |
| :--- | :--- |
| Should be $1 / 6$ | 1 |
| Results are not even | 1 |
| Results are too spread out | 1 |
| Because there are 6 numbers and $1 / 4$ of the time she got a 5, and she got 5 a lot more times than any other | 1 |
| Because the probability of getting 5 should be $1 / 6$ | 1 |
| Because the probability to get each score should be equal and be $1 / 6$, but to get 5 is $1 / 4$ and is higher than the rest | 1 |
| The frequency of each score should be a lot more similar, the range between 2 and 5 is far too big | 1 |
| Because there were more results for 5 than for any other number | 1 |


| Because 5 was more frequent | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Not all similar | 1 |
| Probability of getting each number has a big difference | 1 |
| Could be heavier on the side with 5 | 0 |
| Because on the dice 5 has been scored 50 times | 0 |
| Because the range is large | 1 |
| Should be near the same for each outcome | 1 |

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