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## EDEXCEL GCE MATHEMATICS

## General Instructions for Marking

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2. The Edexcel Mathematics mark schemes use the following types of marks:

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- A marks: Accuracy marks can only be awarded if the relevant method (M) marks have been earned.
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- Marks should not be subdivided.

3. Abbreviations

These are some of the traditional marking abbreviations that will appear in the mark schemes and can be used if you are using the annotation facility on ePEN.

- bod - benefit of doubt
- ft - follow through
- the symbol will be used for correct ft
- cao - correct answer only
- cso - correct solution only. There must be no errors in this part of the question to obtain this mark
- isw - ignore subsequent working
- awrt - answers which round to
- SC: special case
- oe - or equivalent (and appropriate)
- dep - dependent
- indep - independent
- dp decimal places
- sf significant figures
-     * The answer is printed on the paper
- $\quad$ The second mark is dependent on gaining the first mark

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## 6684 Statistics S2 <br> Mark Scheme



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| 2. <br> (a) | Poisson $\quad$B1 |
| (b) |  |
| (c) | Let $Y=$ the number of vehicles in 10 s then $Y \sim \operatorname{Po}(6)$ <br> Tables: $\mathrm{P}(Y \leq 10)=0.9574$ so $\mathrm{P}(Y \geq 11)=0.0426$ <br> so needs $\underline{11}$ vehicles |
| Notes: <br> (a) <br> (b) | B1 for Poisson or Po. Ignore their value for the mean. <br> $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for $\mathrm{H}_{0}: \mu / \lambda=9$ or $\mu / \lambda=36$ <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for $\mathrm{H}_{1}: \mu / \lambda>9$ or $\mu / \lambda>36$ <br> One tail <br> $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for writing or using $1-\mathrm{P}(X \leq 11)$ or writing $\mathrm{P}(X \leq 14)=0.9585$ or $\mathrm{P}(X \geq 15)=0.0415$. <br> May be implied by correct CR.or probability $=0.197$ <br> A1 for 0.197 or a correct CR. Allow $X>14$. NB $\mathrm{P}(X \leq 11)=0.8030$ on its own scores M1A1 <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ M1 dependent on the $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 being awarded. For a correct statement based on the table below. <br> Do not allow non-contextual conflicting statements eg "significant" and "accept $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ ". Ignore comparisons. <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ A1 for a correct contextualised statement. NB A correct contextual statement on its own scores M1A1. <br> Two tail <br> $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for writing or using $1-\mathrm{P}(X \leq 11)$ or writing $\mathrm{P}(X \leq 15)=0.9780$ or $\mathrm{P}(X \geq 16)=0.022$. May be implied by correct CR. or probability $=0.197$ <br> A1 for 0.197 or $\mathrm{CR} X \geq 16$. Allow $X>15$. NB $\mathrm{P}(X \leq 11)=0.8030$ on its own scores M1A1 $2^{\text {nd }}$ M1 dependent on the $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 being awarded. For a correct statement based on the table below. Do not allow non-contextual conflicting statements eg"significant" and "accept $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ " . Ignore |


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|  | comparisons. <br> $2^{\text {nd }} A 1$ for a correct contextualised statement. N <br> M1A1. <br>  $0.025<p<0.975$ <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{M} 1$ not significant/ accept $\mathrm{H}_{0} /$ Not in CR <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{A} 1$ $\begin{array}{l}\text { Insufficient evidence to switch on the } \\ \text { speed restrictions }\end{array}$ | A correct contextual statement on its $p<0.025 \text { or } p>0.975$ <br> significant/ reject $\mathrm{H}_{0} /$ In CR <br> Sufficient evidence to switch on the speed restrictions | own scores |
| (c) | B1 for identifying Po(6) - may be implied by use of correct tables <br> M1 any one of the probs 0.9574 or 0.0426 or 0.9799 or 0.0201 may be implied by correct answer of 11 <br> A1 cao do not accept $X \geq 11$ <br> NB answer of 11 with no working gains all three marks. |  |  |
| 3. (a) | Mode $=3$ from graph |  | B1 |
| (b) | $\int_{0}^{3} k x^{2} \mathrm{~d} x=0.5 \Rightarrow\left[\frac{k x^{3}}{3}\right]_{0}^{3}=0.5$ <br> So $\frac{27 k}{3}-0=0.5 \Rightarrow k=\frac{1}{18}$ <br> (using median $=3$ ) |  | M1 A1 <br> M1d A1 <br> (4) |
| (c) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Height of triangle }=\frac{1}{18} \times 3^{2}=\frac{1}{2} \\ & \text { Area of triangle }=\frac{1}{2} \times(a-3) \times \frac{1}{2}=\frac{1}{2} \\ & \text { so } a=5 \end{aligned}$ |  | B1ft M1 A1 |
| (d) | From graph distribution is negative skew (left tail is longer) $\mu<$ median for negative skew so $\mathrm{E}(X)<3$ <br> [ N.B. $\mathrm{E}(X)=2 \frac{23}{24}$ ] |  | B1  <br> B1d  <br>   <br>  (2) <br>  $\mathbf{1 0}$ |
| Notes: <br> (b) <br> (c) | $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for attempt to integrate $\mathrm{f}(x)$ (need $x^{3}$ ). Integration must be in part (b) <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ A1 for correct integration. Ignore limits for these two marks. <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ M1 Dependent on the previous M mark being awarded. For use of correct limits and set equal to 0.5 - leading to a linear equation for $k$. No need to see 0 substituted. <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{A} 1$ for $k=\frac{1}{18}$ or exact equivalent <br> NB $k=\frac{1}{18}$ with no working gains M0A0M0A0 <br> $k=\frac{1 / 2}{9}=\frac{1}{18}$ without sight of integration is MOA0M0A0 <br> B1 for correct height of triangle using their $k$. ie $9 k$. May be seen in working for area of triangle. <br> Or correct gradient of line ie $\frac{9 k}{(3-a)}$ o.e. |  |  |

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|  | M1 for a correct linear equation for $a$, in the form $\pm \frac{1}{2} \times(a-3) \times 9 k=\frac{1}{2}$ (Must see NB if they have stated their height and then used their height rather than $9 k$ allow M1 A1 cao <br> NB stating $a=5$ and then verifying area of the triangle $=0.5$ is acceptable. <br> NB a $=5$ on its own is B0M0A0 <br> SC Integration of both parts $=1$ or Integration of line $=0.5$ leading to $a^{2}-8 a+15=0$ <br> M1 and if they identify $a=5$ A1 | e halves) <br> gets B1 |
| (d) | $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for identifying negative skew <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ B1 dependent on previous B mark being awarded. For correct deduction $\mathrm{E}(X)<3$ |  |
| 4 (a) | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{9.5-7}{10-7} \\ & =\frac{5}{6} \quad \text { awrt } 0.833 \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> (2) |
| (b) | $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{P}(\text { Longest }>9.5)=1-\mathrm{P}(\mathrm{all}<9.5)=1-\left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{3} & \\ & =\frac{91}{216} \text { or } 0.421 \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 (2) |
| (c) | $\mathrm{P}(\text { a stick }<7.6)=\frac{0.6}{3}=0.2$ <br> Let $Y=$ number of sticks (out of 6 ) $<7.6$ then $Y \sim \mathrm{~B}(6,0.2)$ $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{P}(Y>4) & =1-\mathrm{P}(Y \leq 4) \\ & =1-0.9984 \\ & =0.0016 \text { or } \frac{1}{625} \end{aligned}$ | B1 <br> M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> (4) |
| Notes: <br> (a) <br> (b) <br> (c) | M1 for an expression for the probability e.g. $\int_{7}^{9.5} \frac{1}{3} \mathrm{~d} x$ <br> M1 for $1-(a)^{3}$ or $(1-a)^{3}+3(1-a)^{2} a+3(1-a) a^{2}$ <br> A1 awrt 0.421 <br> B1 0.2 may be implied by at least one correct probability <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for writing or using $\mathrm{B}(6, p)$ may be implied by $n p^{x}(1-p)^{6-x}$ using their $p$ and $n$ <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for writing or using $1-\mathrm{P}(Y \leq 4)$ or $n p^{5}(1-p)+p^{6}(n$ is an integer $>1)$ <br> A1 cao <br> NB 0.0016 with no working gets B0M0M0A0 |  |
| 5. <br> (a) | $X \sim \operatorname{Po}(5) ; \quad \mathrm{P}(X \leq 3)=0.2650$ | M1 A1 <br> (2) |


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| (b) | Let $Y=$ the no.of planks with at most 3 defects, $Y \sim$ Binomial $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{P}(Y<2) & =\mathrm{P}(Y \leq 1) \\ & =\left[0.735^{6}+6 \times 0.265 \times 0.735^{5}\right] \end{aligned}$ $=0.4987 \ldots . \quad \text { awrt } 0.499 \text { or } 0.498$ | M1 <br> A1ft <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> A1 <br> (5) |
| (c) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Let } T=\text { total number of defects on } 6 \text { planks, } \quad T \sim \operatorname{Po}(30) \text { so } T \approx S \sim \text { Normal } \\ & \\ & \begin{array}{rlr} S \sim \mathrm{~N}(30,30) \\ \mathrm{P}(T<18) & =\mathrm{P}(S<17.5) \\ & =P\left(z<\frac{17.5-30}{\sqrt{30}}\right) & \\ & =\mathrm{P}(Z<-2.28 \ldots) & \\ & =0.01123 \ldots & \text { awrt } \mathbf{0 . 0 1 1 2} \text { or } \mathbf{0 . 0 1 1 3} \end{array} \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> A1 <br> (6) |
| Notes: <br> (a) <br> (b) <br> (c) | M1 for identifying Po(5) - it should be clearly seen somewhere or implied <br> A1 for correct probability. Allow 0.265 <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for writing or using the binomial - may be implied by use of $n q^{x}(1-q)^{6-x}$ with $n$ <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ A1ft for $n=6$ and $p=$ their (a) may be implied by $6 p(1-p)^{5}$ or $(1-p)^{6}$ <br> NB if they write $\mathrm{B}(6,(\mathrm{a})$ ) they get M1 A1 <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for writing $\mathrm{P}(Y \leq 1)$ or $\mathrm{P}(Y=0)+\mathrm{P}(Y=1)$ or $(1-q)^{6}+\boldsymbol{n} q(1-q)^{5}$ with $n \geq 1$ <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{A} 1(1-p)^{6}+6 p(1-p)^{5}$ where $p=$ their (a) <br> $3^{\text {rd }}$ A1 for awrt 0.499 <br> SC use of a probability in the tables - lose last two marks - could get M1A1M1 M0 A0 <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for a normal approx <br> $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{A} 1$ for correct mean and sd <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for use of continuity correction, either 17.5 or 18.5 or 42.5 or 41.5 seen <br> $3^{\text {rd }}$ M1 Standardising with their mean and their sd and 17.5 or 18 or 18.5 or 41.5 or 42 <br> NB if they have not written down a mean and sd then they need to be correct in the sta to gain this mark. <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ A1 for $z= \pm 2.28$ or better. May be awarded for $\pm \frac{17.5-30}{\sqrt{30}}$ [NB no continuity co <br> 2.19] <br> $3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{A} 1$ for awrt 0.0112 or 0.0113 [NB no approximation gives $0.00727 \ldots$ ] <br> SC using $\mathrm{P}(X<18.5)$ - $\mathrm{P}(X<17.5)$ can get M1 A1 M1 M0A0A0 | $\geq 1$ <br> or 42.5 <br> ndardisation <br> rection $z=$ |

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\hline 6. \({ }^{\text {(a) }}\) \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{\begin{tabular}{l}
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\begin{aligned}
\& \mathrm{H}_{0}: p=0.15 \quad \mathrm{H}_{1}: p \neq 0.15 \\
\& X \sim \mathrm{~B}(30,0.15) \quad \mathrm{P}(X \leq 1)=0.0480 \text { or } \mathrm{CR}: X=0 \\
\& (0.0480>0.025)
\end{aligned}
\] \\
not a significant result or do not reject \(\mathrm{H}_{0}\) or not in CR \\
there is no evidence of a change in the proportion of customers buying an item from the display.
\end{tabular}} \& B1 B1
M1
A1

M1
M1
A1ft

P1
(6) <br>
\hline (b)

Notes: \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{| $\mathrm{H}_{0}: p=0.2 \quad \mathrm{H}_{1}: p>0.2$ |
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| Let $S=$ the number who buy sandwiches, $S \sim B(120,0.2)$, $\begin{array}{rlrl} S \approx W \sim \mathrm{~N}\left(24, \sqrt{19.2}^{2}\right) \\ \mathrm{P}(S \geq 31) & =\mathrm{P}(W \geq 30.5) \\ & =\mathrm{P}\left(Z>\frac{30.5-24}{\sqrt{19.2}}\right) & \text { or } & \frac{x-0.5-24}{\sqrt{19.2}}=1.2816 \\ & {[=\mathrm{P}(Z>1.48 . .)]} & & \\ & =1-0.9306 & & \\ & =0.0694 & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ \end{array}$ |
| $<0.10$ so a significant result, there is evidence that more customers are purchasing sandwiches or the shopkeepers claim is correct. |} \& $\begin{array}{ll}\text { M1 A1 } \\ \text { M1 } & \\ \text { M1 } & \\ \\ & \\ \text { M1 } & \\ \text { M1 } & \\ \text { A1 } & \\ \text { B1ft } & \\ & \text { (8) } \\ & \mathbf{1 4}\end{array}$ <br>

\hline (a) \& \multicolumn{4}{|l|}{| $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ must use $p \quad 2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for $\mathrm{H}_{1}$ must use $p$ |
| :--- |
| $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for writing or using $\mathrm{B}(30,0.15)$ - may be implied by correct CR |
| $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{A} 10.0480$ or $X=0$. Allow $X \leq 0$. Ignore upper CR. NB Allow CR $X \leq 1$ if using one tail test. |
| $2^{\text {nd }}$ M1 A correct statement (see table below) Do not allow non-contextual conflicting statements |
| eg"significant" and "accept $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ ". Ignore comparisons |
| $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{A} 1$ for a correct statement in context. For context we need idea of change/decrease in number of customers buying from display - may use different words. NB A correct contextual statement on its own scores M1A1 |} <br>


\hline (b) \& \multicolumn{4}{|l|}{| $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{B} 1$ both hypotheses correct - must use $p$. |
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| $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for a normal approx |
| $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{A} 1$ for correct mean and sd |
| $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{M} 1$ for use of continuity correction, either 30.5 or 31.5 or ( $x \pm 0.5$ ) seen |
| $3^{\text {rd }}$ M1 standardising with their mean and their sd and 30.5 , 31 or 31.5 or $x$ or $(x \pm 0.5)$ ) |
| $4^{\text {th }}$ M1 for $1-$ tables value or 1.2816 |
| $2^{\text {nd }}$ A1 for awrt 0.069 or $x=30.1$ |
| $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{B} 1 \mathrm{ft}$ For a correct conclusion in context using their probability and 0.1 For context we need idea of more customers buying sandwiches - may use different words |} <br>

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|  |  | One tail $0.1<p<0.9$ or Two tail $0.05<p<0.95$ | One tail $p<0.1$ or $p>0.9$ or Two tail $p<$ 0.05 or $p>0.95$ |  |
|  | $2^{\text {nd }}$ | not significant/ accept $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ / Not in CR or contextual | significant/ reject $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ / In CR or contextual |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 2^{\text {nd }} \\ & \text { A1 } \end{aligned}$ | There is no evidence of an increase in the proportion of customers buying sandwiches | There is evidence of a change/increase in the proportion of customers buying sandwiches. |  |
|  | SC using $\mathrm{P}(X<31.5)-\mathrm{P}(X<30.5)$ can get B1M1 A1 M1 M1M0A0B0 |  |  |  |
| 7 (a) | $\cap$ shape which does not go below the $x$-axis [condone missing patios] Graph must end at the points $(1,0)$ and $(5,0)$ and the points labelled at 1 and 5 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B1 } \\ & \text { B1 } \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  | (2) |
| (b) | $\mathrm{E}(X)=3$ (by symmetry) |  |  | B1 |
| (c) | $\begin{align*} {\left[E\left(X^{2}\right]=\int x^{2} f(x) \mathrm{d} x\right.} & =\frac{3}{32} \int\left(6 x^{3}-x^{4}-5 x^{2}\right) \mathrm{d} x \\ & =\frac{3}{32}\left[\frac{6 x^{4}}{4}-\frac{x^{5}}{5}-\frac{5 x^{3}}{3}\right]_{1}^{5} \\ & =\frac{3}{32}\left(\left[\frac{6 \times 625}{4}-625-\frac{625}{3}\right]-\left[\frac{6}{4}-\frac{1}{5}-\frac{5}{3}\right]\right)=9.8 \tag{*} \end{align*}$ |  |  | M1 <br> A1 <br> M1 <br> A1 cso <br> (4) |
| (d) | $\begin{aligned} \text { s.d. } & =\sqrt{9.8-\mathrm{E}(X)^{2}}, \\ & =0.8944 \ldots \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { A1 } \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| (e) | $\mathrm{F}(1)=0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{32}(a-15+9-1)=0$, leading to $\underline{a=7}$ |  |  | M1 A1 <br> (2) |
| (f) | $F(2.29)=0.2449 \ldots, F(2.31)=0.2515 \ldots$ <br> Since $F\left(q_{1}\right)=0.25$ and these values are either side of 0.25 then $2.29<q_{1}<2.31$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M1 A1 } \\ & \text { A1 } \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  | (3) |
| (g) | Since the distribution is symmetric $q_{3}=5-1.3=\underline{3.7}$ cao |  |  | B1 |
| (h) | We know $\mathrm{P}\left(q_{1}=2.3<X<3.7=q_{3}\right)=0.5$ so $k \sigma=0.7$ <br> so $k=\frac{0.7}{0.894 . . .}=0.7826 . .=$ awrt 0.78 |  |  | M1 |
|  |  |  |  | A1 |
|  |  |  |  | 17 |

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