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- 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.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.


# PEARSON EDEXCEL GCE MATHEMATICS 

## General Instructions for Marking

1. The total number of marks for the paper is 75
2. The Edexcel Mathematics mark schemes use the following types of marks:

- M marks: Method marks are awarded for 'knowing a method and attempting to apply it', unless otherwise indicated.
- A marks: Accuracy marks can only be awarded if the relevant method (M) marks have been earned.
- B marks are unconditional accuracy marks (independent of M marks)
- Marks should not be subdivided.

3. Abbreviations

These are some of the traditional marking abbreviations that will appear in the mark schemes.

- bod - benefit of doubt
- ft - follow through
- the symbol $\sqrt{ }$ 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)
- d... or dep - dependent
- indep - independent
- dp decimal places
- sf significant figures
-     * The answer is printed on the paper or ag- answer given
- $\square$ or d... The second mark is dependent on gaining the first mark

4. All A marks are 'correct answer only' (cao.), unless shown, for example, as A1 ft to indicate that previous wrong working is to be followed through. After a misread however, the subsequent A marks affected are treated as A ft, but manifestly absurd answers should never be awarded A marks.
5. For misreading which does not alter the character of a question or materially simplify it, deduct two from any A or B marks gained, in that part of the question affected.
6. If a candidate makes more than one attempt at any question:

- If all but one attempt is crossed out, mark the attempt which is NOT crossed out.
- If either all attempts are crossed out or none are crossed out, mark all the attempts and score the highest single attempt.

7. Ignore wrong working or incorrect statements following a correct answer.


| Question Number | Scheme Marks |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2. (a) |  |
|  | Notes |
| (a) | $1^{\text {st }} \& 2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for hypotheses. Accept $\mu_{1}, \mu_{2}$ or $\mu_{A}, \mu_{B}$ etc if there is some indication of which is which e.g. $G \sim \mathrm{~N}\left(\mu_{g}, 8.7\right)$ <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for an attempt at se with 3 out of 4 values correct. Condone switching 2.1 and 1.4 $\sqrt{\frac{2.1^{2} \text { or } 1.4^{2}}{80}+\frac{1.4^{2} \text { or } 2.1^{2}}{65}}$ <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ dM1 dependent on $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for a correct numerator(must have -1.5 ) and ft their se. <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ A1 for awrt 2.05 <br> $3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for $\pm 2.3263$ or better seen or probability of awrt 0.02 <br> $3^{\text {rd }}$ dM1 dep. on $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for a correct statement based on their normal cv and their test statistic <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{A} 1 \mathrm{ft}$ for correct comment in context. Must mention "plan" and "group or individual" and " 1.5 " or "researcher" and "belief or claim" <br> NB Use of cv for difference in means $D$ will have $D=1.5+2.3263 \times$ s.e. $=$ awrt 2.18 and requires sight of $d=2.1$ with a comment for the $3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{M} 1$ <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ B1 for mentioning "large samples" and "CLT" <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{dB} 1$ dependent on $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for stating no need to assume normality (since CLT assures it) |



| Question Number | Scheme ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Marks |
| :---: | :---: |
| 4. (a) <br> (b) |  |
|  | Notes |
| (a) | $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{B} 1 \quad$ for both hypotheses in terms of $\mu$. <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{dB} 1$ for $10 \%$ but accept $5 \%$ if they have a one-tail test as $\mathrm{H}_{1}$ <br> $3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{B} 1$ for a correct comment leading to accepting $\mathrm{H}_{0}$ Ignore any 'further calculations'. <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ M1 for $z \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{100}}=k$, using $n=100$ and where $\|z\|>1.5$ and $0.02<k<0.03$ <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ B1 for 1.6449 or better in an attempt (could be $1.6449 \sigma=k$ or even $1.6449 \sigma^{2}=k$ ) <br> $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{A} 1 \quad$ for a correct expression for $\sigma$ e.g. awrt 0.15 <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ M1 for $\bar{x} \pm z \times \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{150}}$ for any $z(>1)$ and ft their $\sigma$ and allow $\bar{x} \in(0.4633,0.5127)$ <br> Allow use of letter $\sigma$ without a value. <br> $2^{\text {nd }}$ B1 for 1.96 or better in an attempt (could be $1.96 \sigma$ or even $1.96 \sigma^{2}$ ) <br> $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{A} 1$ for awrt 0.455 and awrt 0.503 |




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