MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2010 question paper

for the guidance of teachers

9709 MATHEMATICS

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Paper 61, maximum raw mark 50

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Mark Scheme Notes

Marks are of the following three types:

- M Method mark, awarded for a valid method applied to the problem. Method marks are not lost for numerical errors, algebraic slips or errors in units. However, it is not usually sufficient for a candidate just to indicate an intention of using some method or just to quote a formula; the formula or idea must be applied to the specific problem in hand, e.g. by substituting the relevant quantities into the formula. Correct application of a formula without the formula being quoted obviously earns the M mark and in some cases an M mark can be implied from a correct answer.
- A Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. Accuracy marks cannot be given unless the associated method mark is earned (or implied).
- B Mark for a correct result or statement independent of method marks.
- When a part of a question has two or more "method" steps, the M marks are generally independent unless the scheme specifically says otherwise; and similarly when there are several B marks allocated. The notation DM or DB (or dep*) is used to indicate that a particular M or B mark is dependent on an earlier M or B (asterisked) mark in the scheme. When two or more steps are run together by the candidate, the earlier marks are implied and full credit is given.
- The symbol √ implies that the A or B mark indicated is allowed for work correctly following on from previously incorrect results. Otherwise, A or B marks are given for correct work only. A and B marks are not given for fortuitously "correct" answers or results obtained from incorrect working.
- Note: B2 or A2 means that the candidate can earn 2 or 0. B2/1/0 means that the candidate can earn anything from 0 to 2.

The marks indicated in the scheme may not be subdivided. If there is genuine doubt whether a candidate has earned a mark, allow the candidate the benefit of the doubt. Unless otherwise indicated, marks once gained cannot subsequently be lost, e.g. wrong working following a correct form of answer is ignored.

- Wrong or missing units in an answer should not lead to the loss of a mark unless the scheme specifically indicates otherwise.
- For a numerical answer, allow the A or B mark if a value is obtained which is correct to 3 s.f., or which would be correct to 3 s.f. if rounded (1 d.p. in the case of an angle). As stated above, an A or B mark is not given if a correct numerical answer arises fortuitously from incorrect working. For Mechanics questions, allow A or B marks for correct answers which arise from taking *g* equal to 9.8 or 9.81 instead of 10.

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The following abbreviations may be used in a mark scheme or used on the scripts:

- AEF Any Equivalent Form (of answer is equally acceptable)
- AG Answer Given on the question paper (so extra checking is needed to ensure that the detailed working leading to the result is valid)
- BOD Benefit of Doubt (allowed when the validity of a solution may not be absolutely clear)
- CAO Correct Answer Only (emphasising that no "follow through" from a previous error is allowed)
- CWO Correct Working Only often written by a 'fortuitous' answer
- ISW Ignore Subsequent Working
- MR Misread
- PA Premature Approximation (resulting in basically correct work that is insufficiently accurate)
- SOS See Other Solution (the candidate makes a better attempt at the same question)
- SR Special Ruling (detailing the mark to be given for a specific wrong solution, or a case where some standard marking practice is to be varied in the light of a particular circumstance)

Penalties

- MR –1 A penalty of MR –1 is deducted from A or B marks when the data of a question or part question are genuinely misread and the object and difficulty of the question remain unaltered. In this case all A and B marks then become "follow through √" marks. MR is not applied when the candidate misreads his own figures this is regarded as an error in accuracy. An MR–2 penalty may be applied in particular cases if agreed at the coordination meeting.
- PA –1 This is deducted from A or B marks in the case of premature approximation. The PA –1 penalty is usually discussed at the meeting.

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1	a + b = 0.45		B1	Correct	sum probs $= 1 \circ 0$	2	
•	-3a - b + 1.6	= 0.75	M1	Attempt	t at $\Sigma r n = 0.75$		
	-5u - b + 1.0 - 0.75		A1	Correct a			
	a = 0.2 $b = 0.25$		A1	Correct h			
	u 0.2 0 0		[4]	contect	0		
			[.]				
2	(i)		B1	Correct	stem		
		Key					
	0 2568	³ 8 1 2 represents	B1	Correct	Correct leaves must be sorted and		
	1 2 4 6 7	7 7 9 12 people		accurate	e		
	2 1 2 3 3	3 3 5 6 7					
	3 1 5		B1	Key; m	ust have people o.	e	
			[3]				
	(ii) median =	19 people	B1	Correct	median		
	LQ = 10,	UQ = 24	B1	Correct	quartiles		
	IQ range	= 24 - 10 = 14 people	B1ft	Ft their	quartiles		
			[3]				
	(iii) modion h	accuse made could be environment	D1	Corrot	ongwor must sou	comothing about	
	(III) median 0	duplicated more than twice	DI [1]	the mod	allswer must say	something about	
	which is o	duplicated more than twice	[1]	sonsible	reason	use of another	
				sensiole	Teason		
3	(+/-) 1.045. ((+/-) 0.313	B1. B1	1 correc	t z-value, the othe	er correct	
			,	z-value.	,		
	$20.9 - \mu = -0.1$	313 σ	M1	Valid at	tempt to solve 2 e	equations	
	$30 - \mu = 1.045 \sigma$			relating to μ , σ , 30, 20.9. No $\sqrt{\sigma}$, σ^2			
				8		,.	
	$\sigma = 6.70$		A1	correct	answer		
	$\mu = 23.0$		A1	correct	answer		
	·		[5]				
1	$0 - b_0$		D1*	Mustas	a this and some -	alavant	
4	(i) $sa = 0$		DI*	wiust se	t a g no chonce	elevalli	
	so all ride	s must cost the same is the mean	B1 dan		in, e.g. no change		
	so all flue	s must cost the same i.e. the mean.		0.0.			
			[4]				
	(ii) $1 \times 2.5 +$	$3 \times 2.5 + 6 \times x = 3.76 \times 10$	M1	attempt	to find cost of rev	volving drum	
	. /			ride		U U	
	6x = 37.6	- 10	A1	correct	equation		
	x = 4.6 fo	r revolving drum	A1	correct :	x		
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	$\sigma^2 = (2.5^2)^2$	$1 \times 1 + 2.5^2 \times 3 + 4.6^2 \times 6)/10 - 3.76^2$	M1	substitu	ting in correct var	riance formula	
	$\sigma = 1.03$	<i>,</i>	A1	correct	answer		
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5	(i) $P(X=2)$)	$=(0.25)^2 \times (0.75)^6 \times {}^8C_2$	M1	3 term b somethi	3 term binomial expression involving ⁸ C something, powers summing to 8 correct answer	
	= 0.311		A1 [2]	correct		
	(ii) 12 × 0.25	= 3, $<$ 5 so not possible	B1 [1]			
	(iii) mean = 4 variance =	$0 \times 0.25 (= 10)$ = 40 × 0.25 × 0.75 (= 7.5)	B1	40×0.2	25 and 40 × 0.25 ×	< 0.75 seen, o.e.
	P(X at lea	st 13) = P $\left(z > \frac{12.5 - 10}{\sqrt{7.5}}\right)$	M1	standard have sq	dising, ±, with or v rt	without cc, must
	= P(z > 0.	913)	M1	continu	ity correction 12.5	5 or 13.5
	$= 1 - \Phi(0)$.913)	M1	correct	area, i.e. < 0.5 leg	it
	= 1 - 0.81	94				
	= 0.181		A1 [5]	correct	answer	
6	(i) ${}^{10}C_1 + {}^{10}C_2$	$_{3}$ + $^{10}C_{5}$ + $^{10}C_{7}$ + $^{10}C_{9}$	M1	Summin odd nur	ng some ¹⁰ C comb nbers, all different	vinations with t
	= 512		A1 [3]	express Correct	ions answer	lined
	(ii) 6! × 7 × 6	× 5	B1 M1	6! seen multiply	ving by ${}^{7}P_{3}$ o.e.	
	= 151200		A1 [3]	correct	answer	
	(iii) 12!/(4!>	< 7!)	B1 M1	12! See dividing	n g by 4!7!	
	= 3960		A1 [3]	correct	answer	

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7 (i) $P(1^{st} \text{ correct}) = 0.7 + 0.2 \times 0.95$ = 0.89 AG	B1	
(ii) 0.7 C 0.7 C $0.1 \overline{C}$ 0.95 A	M1	Considering any 2 of <i>CC</i> , <i>CHA</i> , <i>HAC</i> or <i>HAHP</i> [where C = Peter correct, H = ask for help, A = audience correct, P = phone correct] or tree diagram with 'top half' labels and probs shown
$\begin{array}{cccc} 0.1 & \overline{C} & H & 0.7 & C \\ & & & & \\$	M1	Considering other 2
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	M1	Summing 4 probabilities
$P(CC) = 0.7 \times 0.7 (= 0.49)$	B1	Two correct probabilities
$P(CHA) = 0.7 \times 0.2 \times 0.95 (= 0.133)$ $P(HAC) = 0.2 \times 0.95 \times 0.7 (= 0.133)$ $P(HAHP) = 0.2 \times 0.95 \times 0.2 \times 0.65 (= 0.0247)$	B1	Three correct probabilities
P(both correctly answered) = 0.781	A1 [6]	Correct
(iii) P(audience both correct)		
$=\frac{P(CHA) + P(HAC) + P(HAHP)}{ans (ii)}$	M1*	Summing two or three 3-factor terms in numerator of a fraction
$= \frac{0.7 \times 0.2 \times 0.95 + 0.2 \times 0.95 \times 0.7 + 0.2 \times 0.95 \times 0.2 \times 0.65}{0.7807}$		Dividing by their (ii)
$= 0.2907/0.7807 \\= 0.372$	A1 [3]	Correct answer