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## Glossary for Mark Schemes

GCSE examinations are marked in such a way as to award positive achievement wherever possible. Thus, for GCSE Mathematics papers, marks are awarded under various categories.

M Method marks are awarded for a correct method which could lead to a correct answer.

A
Accuracy marks are awarded when following on from a correct method. It is not necessary to always see the method. This can be implied.

B Marks awarded independent of method.
Q
Marks awarded for quality of written communication.
M dep
A method mark dependent on a previous method mark being awarded.

B dep A mark that can only be awarded if a previous independent mark has been awarded.
ft Follow through marks. Marks awarded for correct working following a mistake in an earlier step.

SC Special case. Marks awarded for a common misinterpretation which has some mathematical worth.
oe
Or equivalent. Accept answers that are equivalent.
e.g. accept 0.5 as well as $\frac{1}{2}$
$[a, b] \quad$ Accept values between $a$ and $b$ inclusive.
$[a, b) \quad$ Accept values $a \leq$ value $<b$
25.3 ... Allow answers which begin 25.3 e.g. 25.3, 25.31, 25.378 .

Use of brackets It is not necessary to see the bracketed work to award the marks.

Examiners should consistently apply the following principles

## Diagrams

Diagrams that have working on them should be treated like normal responses. If a diagram has been written on but the correct response is within the answer space, the work within the answer space should be marked. Working on diagrams that contradicts work within the answer space is not to be considered as choice but as working, and is not, therefore, penalised.

## Responses which appear to come from incorrect methods

Whenever there is doubt as to whether a candidate has used an incorrect method to obtain an answer, as a general principle, the benefit of doubt must be given to the candidate. In cases where there is no doubt that the answer has come from incorrect working then the candidate should be penalised.

## Questions which ask candidates to show working

Instructions on marking will be given but usually marks are not awarded to candidates who show no working.

## Questions which do not ask candidates to show working

As a general principle, a correct response is awarded full marks.

## Misread or miscopy

Candidates often copy values from a question incorrectly. If the examiner thinks that the candidate has made a genuine misread, then only the accuracy marks (A or B marks), up to a maximum of 2 marks are penalised. The method marks can still be awarded.

## Further work

Once the correct answer has been seen, further working may be ignored unless it goes on to contradict the correct answer.

## Choice

When a choice of answers and/or methods is given, mark each attempt. If both methods are valid then M marks can be awarded but any incorrect answer or method would result in marks being lost.

## Work not replaced

Erased or crossed out work that is still legible should be marked.

## Work replaced

Erased or crossed out work that has been replaced is not awarded marks.

## Premature approximation

Rounding off too early can lead to inaccuracy in the final answer. This should be penalised by 1 mark unless instructed otherwise.

## Paper 1 Foundation Tier

| Q | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1(a) | 20 | B1 |  |
| 1(b) | 18 | B1 |  |
| 1(c) | 16 | B1 |  |
| 1(d) | 8 | B1 |  |
| 2(a) | C\&O frequency $=5$ | B1 |  |
|  | Three tally marks in BBQ | B1 |  |
|  | Key 1 circle represents 2 people | B1 | oe <br> Half circle represents 1 person One and a half circles represents 3 people |
| 2(b) | 6 circles in Plain <br> and <br> 2.5 circles in C\&O | B2ft | B1 6 circles in Plain or 2.5 circles in $\mathrm{C} \& \mathrm{O}$ <br> ft their fully completed key <br> Only award B2ft if BBQ row is also correct for their key <br> B1ft one row matching their key |
| 3(a) | (1, 2) | B1 |  |
| 3(b) | $x=2$ | B1 |  |
| 3(c) | $(3,2)$ | B1 |  |
| 4(a) | [8.9, 9.1] | B1 |  |
| 4(b) | [53, 57] | B1 |  |


| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
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| $\mathbf{5}$ <br> Alt $\mathbf{1}$ | $2.20+0.5+0.6$ or 3.3 | M1 | oe Allow mix of units |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | their $3.3-0.8$ | M1 | oe Allow mix of units |
|  | 2.50 | A1ft | ft three items added and offer subtracted if <br> M0M1 awarded |


| $\mathbf{5}$ <br> Alt 2 | $2.20-0.8$ or 1.4 | M1 | oe Allow mix of units |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | their $1.4+0.5+0.6$ | M1 | oe Allow mix of units |
|  | 2.50 | A1ft | ft offer subtracted and three items added if <br> M1M0 awarded |


| 6 | $£ 1,20$ p, 10p with 5 p change or $50 \mathrm{p}, 50$ p, 20p, 10p with 5 p change or $£ 1,20$ p, 20p with 15 p change or 50 p, 50 p, 20p, 20p with 15 p change or $£ 1$ and 50 p with 25 p change | B2 | B1 correct combination of coins used (condone no or incorrect change) <br> or <br> B1 correct totals with no indication of individual coins <br> $£ 1.30$ and 5 p change or <br> $£ 1.40$ and 15 p change or <br> $£ 1.50$ and 25 p change <br> or <br> B1 any valid combination of coins with some redundant with correct change eg $£ 1,20$ p, 20 p, 10 p with 25 p change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 7(a) | $-0.3 \quad \frac{1}{3}$ |  | 33.3 | B2 | B1 for $\frac{1}{3}=0.3(\ldots)$ <br> or B1 for - 0.3 first and 33.3 last or <br> B1 for reverse order |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


|  | No ticked and partial explanation eg <br> No, one is positive, one negative <br> No, 33.3 +0.3 | B1 | oe <br> Implied if Q1 awarded |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | No ticked and full explanation eg <br> No, it is 33.6 <br> No, 33.3 $+-0.3=33$ | Q1 | Strand (iii) <br> oe |


| 8(a) |  | B3 | B2 two correct <br> B1 one correct |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 8(b) | $(l=) 40$ | B1 | SC2 40, 24, 20 assigned to the wrong dimensions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | or |
|  | ( $h=$ ) 24 | B1 | SC2 length 40 , height 24 and width 20 with further work seen on answer line |
|  |  |  | or |
|  | $(w=) 20$ | B1 | SC1 two of 40, 24, 20 seen |
|  |  |  | May be on diagram |


| 9(a) | 15 | B1 | If answer line blank accept answer on <br> dotted line in sequence |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |


| 9(b) | Goes down by 4, $-4,4$ less | B1 | oe |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 9(c) | 9 or 21 or 33 or 45 | B2 | B1next term of both sequences seen <br> ie 18 and 25 <br> or <br> B1 <br> next two terms of either sequence seen <br> ie 18 and 21 or 25 and 21 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |


| $\mathbf{1 0 ( a )}$ | 1.5 or 1 and a half | B1 | Condone change of units <br> ie accept 1 hour 30 minutes <br> or 90 minutes |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |


| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


|  | Any one correct fact seen <br> Cycling is <br> $120^{\circ}$ or $\frac{120}{360}$ or <br> 2 hours or $\frac{2}{6}$ or $\frac{1}{3}$ or $33(\ldots) \%$ <br> or <br> Swimming or Running is <br> $90^{\circ}$ or $\frac{90}{360}$ or $\frac{1}{4}$ or $25 \%$ <br> or <br> Swimming is 1.5 hours <br> or <br> Stretching and Cycling or <br> Swimming and Running is <br> $180^{\circ}$ or $\frac{180}{360}$ or <br> 3 hours or $\frac{3}{6}$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ or $50 \%$ | M1 | May be seen on diagram <br> Must be linked with correct activity <br> Running is 1.5 hours has already been <br> tested in part (a) so M0 if no other fact seen |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Stretching is $\frac{60}{360}$ or 60 or 1 hour | A1 | oe <br> May be seen on diagram or implied by final <br> answer |  |
| $\frac{1}{6}$ | SC1 any fraction given with its correct <br> simplest form <br> or <br> SC1 Answer $\frac{1}{3}$ |  |  |


| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 11(a) | $4 a$ | B1 |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 11(b) $6 b^{2}$ B1  |  |  |  |


| $\mathbf{1 1 ( c )}$ | $6 c-3$ | B1 | Mark final answer |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 12 | $(B C A=) 180-110$ or $(B C A=) 70$ | $M 1$ | May be seen on diagram |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | $(180-$ their 70$) \div 2$ | M1dep | $110 \div 2$ is M2 |


| 13(a) | 130 | B1 |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| 13(b) Vertically opposite Q1 Strand (i) |  |  |  |


| $14$$\text { Alt } 1$ | $($ Side $=) 2$ | M1 | May be seen on diagram |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $5 \times 2$ | M1dep |  |
|  | 10 | A1 |  |


| $\mathbf{1 4}$ Alt $\mathbf{2}$ | $4 \times 5$ or 20 | $4 \times 5 \div 2$ | M1 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | 10 | May be seen on diagram |  |
|  | 10 | A1 |  |


| $\mathbf{1 4}$ Splits large square into 25 smaller <br> squares <br> Alt M1 <br> Area large square $=100$ $5 \times 5$  <br>  $\sqrt{(\text { their } 25 \times 4)}$ M1dep |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | 10 | A1 |  |



| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


|  | $(24 \div 3)+5$ or 13 or $24+15$ or 39 <br> $\mathbf{1 9}$ <br>  | M1 <br> $\frac{13}{39}$ or <br> 13 and 39 or <br> $13,13,13$ or <br> $13: 26$ | oe May be seen as a numerator/ <br> denominator of incorrect fraction eg $\frac{13}{24}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | Yes ticked and $\frac{13}{39}=\frac{1}{3}$ or <br> equivalent, eg $3 \times 13=39$, <br> or $39 \div 13=3$ | Q1ft | Strand (ii) <br> ft on wrong calculation for $24 \div 3$ and No <br> ticked <br> SC1 Yes ticked (incorrect or no working) |


|  | $\frac{5}{15}$ | M1 |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| 19 <br> Alt 2 | $\frac{5}{15}=\frac{1}{3}$ | A1 |  |
|  | Yes ticked and clear explanation that <br> same proportion of blue added | Q1 | Strand (ii) <br> SC1 Yes ticked (incorrect or no working) |

This scheme is for a 'written' explanation with no contradictory values calculated

|  | Yes ticked | B1 |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| Alt $\mathbf{3}$ | Full explanation that the extra added <br> are in the same proportion <br> eg As $\frac{1}{3}$ of the extra are blue | Q2 | Strand (ii) <br> Q1 partial explanation <br> eg 5 of each colour |


| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
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## Answer only zero marks

|  | Writes, correctly, at least two of given <br> fractions with common denominator <br> eg $\frac{40}{60}, \frac{36}{60}, \frac{42}{60}, \frac{39}{60}, \frac{45}{60}$ | M1 | NB The two fractions must have different <br> denominators to those which they started <br> with <br> Accept decimal numerators |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| $\mathbf{2 0}$ Alt 1 |  |  |  | | Writes, correctly, at least three <br> fractions with common denominator <br> eg $\frac{40}{60}, \frac{36}{60}, \frac{42}{60}, \frac{39}{60}, \frac{45}{60}$ |
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|  | Writes, correctly, at least two of given <br> fractions converted to percentages <br> eg $66 . . \%(67 . . \%), 60 \%, 70 \%, 65 \%$, <br> $75 \%$ | M1 | Condone missing \% signs |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{2 0}$ <br> Alt 2 | Writes, correctly, at least 3 fractions <br> converted to percentages <br> eg $66 . . \% ~(67 . . \%), ~ 60 \%, ~ 70 \%, ~ 65 \%, ~$ <br> $75 \%$ | M1dep | Condone missing \% signs |
|  | $\frac{7}{10}$ or 70\% with all 4 fractions <br> correctly converted to percentages | A1 | It is not necessary to write $\frac{3}{4}$ as $75 \%$ |


| $\begin{gathered} 20 \\ \text { Alt } 3 \end{gathered}$ | Writes, correctly, at least two of given fractions converted to decimals eg 0.66 (0.67), 0.6, 0.7, 0.65, 0.75 | M1 | Any appropriate representation of $\frac{2}{3}$ to at least 2dp, eg $0.6^{r}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Writes, correctly, at least 3 fractions converted to decimals eg 0.66 (0.67), 0.6, 0.7, 0.65, 0.75 | M1dep |  |
|  | $\frac{7}{10}$ or 0.7 with all 4 fractions correctly converted to decimals | A1 | It is not necessary to write $\frac{3}{4}$ as 0.75 |

See over for further Alt schemes

| $\mathbf{Q}$ | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| $\begin{gathered} 20 \\ \text { Alt } 4 \end{gathered}$ | Draws approximate diagrams of same shape for at least two of the fractions | M1 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Draws approximate diagrams for at least three fractions <br> The shaded areas must be such that $\frac{3}{5}<\frac{13}{20}<\frac{2}{3}<\frac{7}{10}<\frac{3}{4}$ | M1dep |  |
|  | $\frac{7}{10}$ with all diagrams for all 4 fractions drawn and the shaded areas such that $\frac{3}{5}<\frac{13}{20}<\frac{2}{3}<\frac{7}{10}$ | A1 | It is not necessary to draw $\frac{3}{4}$ |


| 20 <br> Alt 5 | Chooses a quantity, say, 60 and <br> calculates, correctly, the appropriate <br> fraction of that quantity for two of the <br> given fractions <br> eg 40, 36, 42, 39, 45 | M1 |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Calculates, correctly, at least 3 values <br> eg 40, 36, 42, 39, 45 | M1dep |  |
|  | A1 | It is not necessary to calculate $\frac{3}{4}$ of the <br> quantity |  |


| Q | Answer | Mark | Comments |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 21(a) <br> Alt 1 $4 \times 0.5$ or $4 \times 50$ or $200(\mathrm{p})$ or $(£) 2$ M1  <br>  or $(£) 6:(£) 2$   | M1dep |  |  |
|  | $8 \div 5(=1.6)$ | A1 |  |


| 21(a) <br> Alt 2 | Juice $=\frac{1}{5}$ and Lemonade $=\frac{4}{5}$ | M1 | 200ml of juice and 800 ml of lemonade |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | $\times 6$ and $\frac{4}{5} \times 0.5$ | M1dep | Allow mixture of units |
|  | $1.2+0.4(=1.6)$ or $120+40(=160)$ | A1 | Allow mixture of units eg $1.2+40(=1.60)$ |


| 21(a) <br> Alt 3 | $\frac{1}{5} \times 6=1.2$ or $\frac{1}{5} \times 6(00)=120$ <br> or <br> $\frac{4}{5} \times 0.5=0.4$ or $\frac{4}{5} \times 0.5$ or $50=40$ | M1 | oe <br> Must see calculation <br> Allow mixture of units |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | and <br> $\frac{4}{5} \times 0.5=1.2$ or $\frac{1}{5} \times 6(00)=120$ | M1depor $\frac{4}{5} \times 0.5$ or $50=40$ | Must see calculation <br> Allow mixture of units |
|  | A1 | Allow mixture of units eg $1.2+40(=1.60)$ |  |


| $\mathbf{2 1 ( b )}$ | 40 seen or $2 \div 1.6$ or $200 \div 160$ | M1 | 0.4 or 1.25 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- |
|  | $25 \%$ or $20 \%$ | A1 | $20 \%$ is allowed as this is defined a 'profit <br> margin' |

