

**Subject – Math AA(Standard Level)**  
**Topic - Statistics and Probability**  
**Year - May 2021 – Nov 2024**  
**Paper -2**  
**Answers**

**Question 1**

- (a) attempt to use the symmetry of the normal curve (M1)  
 eg diagram,  $0.5 - 0.1446$   
 $P(24.15 < X < 25) = 0.3554$  A1  
 [2 marks]
- (b) (i) use of inverse normal to find z score (M1)  
 $z = -1.0598$   
 correct substitution  $\frac{24.15 - 25}{\sigma} = -1.0598$  (A1)  
 $\sigma = 0.802$  A1
- (ii)  $P(X > 26) = 0.106$  (M1)A1  
 [5 marks]
- (c) recognizing binomial probability (M1)  
 $E(Y) = 10 \times 0.10621$  (A1)  
 $= 1.06$  A1  
 [3 marks]
- (d)  $P(Y = 3)$  (M1)  
 $= 0.0655$  A1  
 [2 marks]
- (e) recognizing conditional probability (M1)  
 correct substitution A1  
 $\frac{0.3554}{1 - 0.10621}$   
 $= 0.398$  A1  
 [3 marks]
- Total [15 marks]**

**Question 2**

- (a)  $a = 1.29$  and  $b = -10.4$  A1A1  
 [2 marks]
- (b) recognising both lines pass through the mean point (M1)  
 $p = 28.7, q = 30.3$  A2  
 [3 marks]
- Total [5 marks]**

### Question 3

- (a) recognition of binomial  
 $X \sim B(5, 0.7)$   
attempt to find  $P(X \leq 3)$   
 $= 0.472 (= 0.47178)$

(M1)

M1

A1

[3 marks]

- (b) recognition of 2 sixes in 4 tosses

(M1)

$$P(\text{3rd six on the 5th toss}) = \left[ \binom{4}{2} \times (0.7)^2 \times (0.3)^2 \right] \times 0.7 (= 0.2646 \times 0.7)$$

A1

$$= 0.185 (= 0.18522)$$

A1

[3 marks]

Total [6 marks]

### Question 4

Let  $X$  = mass of a bag of sugar

- (a) evidence of identifying the correct area

(M1)

$$P(X < 995) = 0.0765637\dots$$

$$= 0.0766$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (b)  $0.0766 \times 100$   
 $\approx 8$

A1

[1 mark]

- (c) recognition that  $P(X > 1005 | X \geq 995)$  is required

(M1)

$$\frac{P(X \geq 995 \cap X > 1005)}{P(X \geq 995)}$$

$$\frac{P(X > 1005)}{P(X \geq 995)}$$

(A1)

$$\frac{0.0765637\dots}{1 - 0.0765637\dots} \left( = \frac{0.0765637\dots}{0.923436\dots} \right)$$

$$= 0.0829$$

A1

[3 marks]

Total [6 marks]

### Question 5

(a)  $a = 0.433156\dots$ ,  $b = 4.50265\dots$

$a = 0.433$ ,  $b = 4.50$

**A1A1**

**[2 marks]**

(b) attempt to substitute  $x = 18$  into their equation

$y = 0.433 \times 18 + 4.50$

$= 12.2994\dots$

$= 12.3$

**(M1)**

**A1**

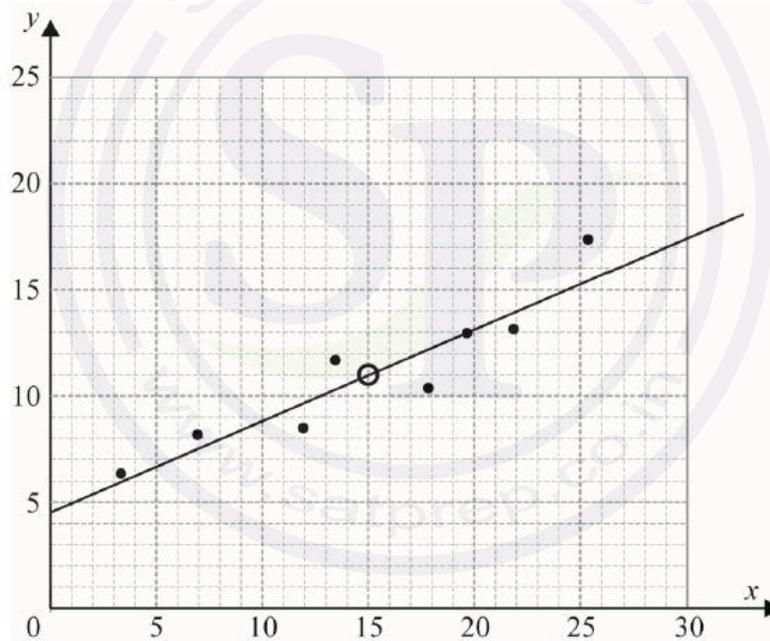
**[2 marks]**

(c)  $\bar{x} = 15$ ,  $\bar{y} = 11$

**A1**

**[1 mark]**

(d)



**A1A1**

**Note:** Award marks as follows:

**A1** for a straight line going through (15,11)

**A1** for intercepting the y-axis between their  $b \pm 1.5$  (when their line is extended), which includes all the data for  $3.3 \leq x \leq 25.3$ .

If the candidate does not use a ruler, award **A0A1** where appropriate.

**[2 marks]**  
**Total [7 marks]**

### Question 6

- (a) considering that sum of probabilities is 1 (M1)  
 $0.85 + c + 0.03 + 0.002 + 0.0001 = 1$   
 $0.1179$  A1  
[2 marks]
- (b) valid attempt to find  $E(D)$  (M1)  
 $E(D) = (0 \times 0.85) + (2 \times 0.1179) + (10 \times 0.03) + (50 \times 0.002) + (1000 \times 0.0001)$   
 $E(D) = 0.7358$  A1  
No, not a fair game A1  
for a fair game,  $E(D)$  would be \$2 OR players expected winnings are 1.264 R1  
[4 marks]
- (c) recognition of GP with  $r = 2$  (M1)  
 $1000 \times 2^{n-1}$  OR  $500(2^n)$  A1  
[2 marks]

(d) recognizing  $E(D) > 2$  (M1)

correct expression for  $w^{\text{th}}$  week (or  $n^{\text{th}}$  week) (A1)

$$(0 \times 0.85) + (2 \times 0.1179) + (10 \times 0.03) + (50 \times 0.002) + (1000 \times 2^{w-1} \times 0.0001)$$

correct inequality (accept equation) (A1)

$$0.6358 + (1000 \times 2^{w-1} \times 0.0001) > 2 \quad \text{OR} \quad 2^{w-1} > 13.642$$

**EITHER**

$$n-1 > 3.76998 \quad \text{OR} \quad w = 4.76998\dots \quad \text{(A1)}$$

**OR**

$$E(D) = 1.4358 \text{ in week 4 or } E(D) = 2.2358 \text{ in week 5} \quad \text{(A1)}$$

**THEN**

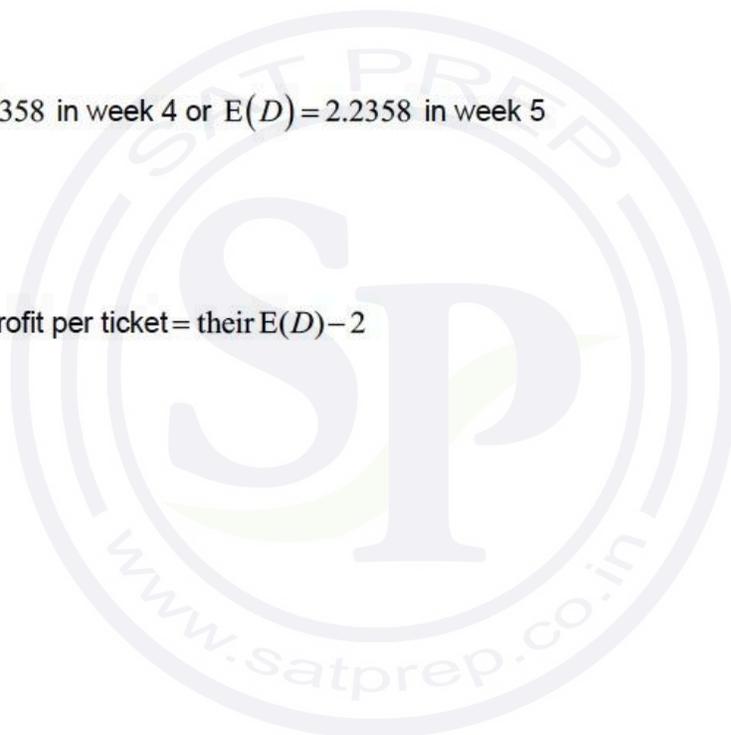
$$w = 5 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\text{expected profit per ticket} = \text{their } E(D) - 2 \quad \text{(M1)}$$

$$= 0.2358 \quad \text{A1}$$

[7 marks]

**Total [15 marks]**



### Question 7

- (a) use of inverse normal to find z-score

(M1)

$$z = 2.0537\dots$$

$$2.0537\dots = \frac{82 - 75}{\sigma}$$

(A1)

$$\sigma = 3.408401\dots$$

$$\sigma = 3.41$$

A1

[3 marks]

- (b) evidence of identifying the correct area under the normal curve

(M1)

$$P(T > 80) = 0.071193\dots$$

$$P(T > 80) = 0.0712$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (c) recognition that  $P(80 < T < 82)$  is required

(M1)

$$P(T < 82 | T > 80) = \frac{P(80 < T < 82)}{P(T > 80)} = \left( \frac{0.051193\dots}{0.071193\dots} \right)$$

(M1)(A1)

$$= 0.719075\dots$$

$$= 0.719$$

A1

[4 marks]

(d) recognition of binomial probability (M1)

$$X \sim B(64, 0.071193\dots) \text{ or } E(X) = 64 \times 0.071193\dots \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$E(X) = 4.556353\dots$$

$$E(X) = 4.56 \text{ (flights)} \quad \text{A1}$$

[3 marks]

(e)  $P(X > 6) = P(X \geq 7) = 1 - P(X \leq 6)$  (M1)

$$= 1 - 0.83088\dots \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$= 0.1691196\dots$$

$$= 0.169 \quad \text{A1}$$

[3 marks]

Total [15 marks]

### Question 8

(a) EITHER

$$P(S) + P(T) + P(S' \cap T') - P(S \cap T) = 1 \text{ OR } P(S \cup T) = P((S' \cap T')') \quad (\text{M1})$$

$$0.7 + 0.2 + 0.18 - P(S \cap T) = 1 \text{ OR } P(S \cup T) = 1 - 0.18$$

OR

a clearly labelled Venn diagram (M1)

THEN

$$P(S \cap T) = 0.08 \text{ (accept 8\%)} \quad \text{A1}$$

**Note:** To obtain the **M1** for the Venn diagram all labels must be correct and in the correct sections. For example, do not accept 0.7 in the area corresponding to  $S \cap T'$ .

[2 marks]

(b) **EITHER**

$$P(T \cap S') = P(T) - P(T \cap S) (= 0.2 - 0.08) \text{ OR}$$

$$P(T \cap S') = P(T \cup S) - P(S) (= 0.82 - 0.7)$$

(M1)

**OR**

a clearly labelled Venn diagram including  $P(S)$ ,  $P(T)$  and  $P(S \cap T)$

(M1)

**THEN**

$$= 0.12 \text{ (accept 12\%)}$$

A1

[2 marks]

(c)  $P(G \cap T) = P(T|G)P(G) (0.25 \times 0.48)$

(M1)

$$= 0.12$$

A1

[2 marks]

(d) **METHOD 1**

$$P(G) \times P(T) (= 0.48 \times 0.2) = 0.096$$

A1

$$P(G) \times P(T) \neq P(G \cap T) \Rightarrow G \text{ and } T \text{ are not independent}$$

R1

**METHOD 2**

$$P(T|G) = 0.25$$

A1

$$P(T|G) \neq P(T) \Rightarrow G \text{ and } T \text{ are not independent}$$

R1

**Note:** Do not award A0R1.

[2 marks]

**Total [8 marks]**

### Question 9

(a) (i)  $a = 0.805084\dots$  and  $b = 2.88135\dots$

$a = 0.805$  and  $b = 2.88$

**A1A1**

(ii)  $r = 0.97777\dots$

$r = 0.978$

**A1**

**[3 marks]**

(b)  $a$  represents the (average) increase in waiting time (0.805 mins) per additional customer (waiting to receive their coffee)

**R1**

**[1 mark]**

(c) attempt to substitute  $x = 7$  into their equation

**(M1)**

8.51693...

8.52 (mins)

**A1**

**[2 marks]**

**Total [6 marks]**

### Question 10

(a)  $P\left(\frac{\mu - 1.5\sigma - \mu}{\sigma} < \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} < \frac{\mu + 1.5\sigma - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$

**(M1)**

$P(-1.5 < Z < 1.5)$  OR  $1 - 2 \times P(Z < -1.5)$

**(A1)**

$P(-1.5 < Z < 1.5) = 0.866385\dots$

$P(\mu - 1.5\sigma < X < \mu + 1.5\sigma) = 0.866$

**A1**

**Note:** Do not award any marks for use of their answers from part (b).

**[3 marks]**

- (b)  $z_1 = -1.75068\dots$  and  $z_2 = 1.30468\dots$  (seen anywhere) (A1)  
 correct equations (A1)(A1)  

$$\frac{106.2 - \mu}{\sigma} = -1.75068\dots, \quad \mu + 1.30468\dots\sigma = 182.6$$
  
 attempt to solve their equations involving z values (M1)  
 $\mu = 149.976\dots, \sigma = 25.0051\dots$   
 $\mu = 150, \sigma = 25.0$  A1  
 [5 marks]

- (c) (i) new sample space is 96% (may be seen in (ii) or (iii)) (M1)  
 $P(\text{medium}|\text{not small})$  OR  $\frac{0.576}{0.96}$   
 $P(\text{Medium}) = 0.6$  A1  
 (ii)  $P(\text{Large}) = 0.3$  A1  
 (iii)  $P(\text{Premium}) = 0.1$  A1  
 [4 marks]

- (d) attempt to express revenue from avocados (M1)  
 $1.1 \times 0.6 + 1.29 \times 0.3 + 1.96 \times 0.1$  OR  $1.243n$   
 correct inequality or equation for net profit in terms of  $n$  (A1)  
 $1.1 \times 0.6n + 1.29 \times 0.3n + 1.96 \times 0.1n - 200 \geq 438$  OR  $1.243n - 200 = 438$   
 attempt to solve the inequality (M1)  
 sketch OR  $n = 513.274\dots$   
 $n = 514$  A1

**Note:** Only award follow through in part (d) for 3 probabilities which add up to 1. FT of probabilities from c) that do not add up to 1 should only be awarded **M** marks, where appropriate, in d).

[4 marks]  
 Total [16 marks]

### Question 11

- (a) recognize that the variable has a Binomial distribution

(M1)

$$X \sim B(30, 0.05)$$

attempt to find  $P(X \geq 1)$

(M1)

$$1 - P(X = 0) \text{ OR } 1 - 0.95^{30} \text{ OR } 1 - 0.214638... \text{ OR } 0.785361...$$

**Note:** The two *M* marks are independent of each other.

$$P(X \geq 1) = 0.785$$

A1

[3 marks]

- (b) recognition of conditional probability

(M1)

$$P(X \leq 2 | X \geq 1) \text{ OR } P(\text{at most 2 defective} | \text{at least 1 defective})$$

**Note:** Recognition must be shown in context either in words or symbols but not just  $P(A|B)$ .

$$\frac{P(1 \leq X \leq 2)}{P(X \geq 1)} \text{ OR } \frac{P(X=1) + P(X=2)}{P(X \geq 1)}$$

(A1)

$$\frac{0.597540...}{0.785361...} \text{ OR } \frac{0.812178... - 0.214638...}{0.785361...} \text{ OR } \frac{0.338903... + 0.258636...}{0.785361...}$$

(A1)

$$= 0.760847...$$

$$P(X \leq 2 | X \geq 1) = 0.761$$

A1

[4 marks]

Total [7 marks]

### Question 12

- (a) use of GDC to give

(M1)

$$r = 0.883529\dots$$

$$r = 0.884$$

A1

**Note:** Award the (M1) for any correct value of  $r$ ,  $a$ ,  $b$  or  $r^2 = 0.780624\dots$  seen in part (a) or part (b).

[2 marks]

- (b)  $a = 1.36609\dots$ ,  $b = 64.5171\dots$

$$a = 1.37, b = 64.5$$

A1

[1 mark]

- (c) attempt to find their difference

(M1)

$$5 \times 1.36609\dots \text{ OR } 1.36609\dots(h+5) + 64.5171\dots - (1.36609\dots h + 64.5171\dots)$$

$$6.83045\dots$$

$$= 6.83 \text{ (6.85 from 1.37)}$$

the student could have expected her score to increase by 7 marks.

A1

**Note:** Accept an increase of 6, 6.83 or 6.85.

[2 marks]

Total [5 marks]

### Question13

(a)  $P(C < 61)$  (M1)

$$= 0.365112\dots$$

$$= 0.365$$

A1

[2 marks]

(b) recognition of binomial eg  $X \sim B(12, 0.365\dots)$  (M1)

$$P(X = 5) = 0.213666\dots$$

$$= 0.214$$

A1

[2 marks]

(c) (i) Let  $CM$  represent 'chocolate muffin' and  $BM$  represent 'banana muffin'

$$P(B < 61) = 0.0197555\dots \quad (A1)$$

**EITHER**

$$P(CM) \times P(C < 61 | CM) + P(BM) \times P(B < 61 | BM) \text{ (or equivalent in words)} \quad (M1)$$

**OR**

tree diagram showing two ways to have a muffin weigh  $< 61$  (M1)

**THEN**

$$(0.6 \times 0.365\dots) + (0.4 \times 0.0197\dots) \quad (A1)$$

$$= 0.226969\dots$$

$$= 0.227$$

A1

(ii) recognizing conditional probability (M1)

**Note:** Recognition must be shown in context either in words or symbols, not just  $P(A|B)$ .

$$\frac{0.6 \times 0.365112\dots}{0.226969\dots} \quad (A1)$$

$$= 0.965183\dots$$

$$= 0.965$$

A1

[7 marks]

(d) **METHOD 1**

$$P(CM) \times P(C < 61 | CM) + P(BM) \times P(B < 61 | BM) = 0.157 \quad (M1)$$

$$(0.6 \times P(C < 61)) + (0.4 \times 0.0197555...) = 0.157$$

$$P(C < 61) = 0.248496... \quad (A1)$$

attempt to solve for  $\sigma$  using GDC (M1)

**Note:** Award **(M1)** for a graph or table of values to show their  $P(C < 61)$  with a variable standard deviation.

$$\sigma = 1.47225...$$

$$\sigma = 1.47 \text{ (g)} \quad A2$$

**METHOD 2**

$$P(CM) \times P(C < 61 | CM) + P(BM) \times P(B < 61 | BM) = 0.157 \quad (M1)$$

$$(0.6 \times P(C < 61)) + (0.4 \times 0.0197555...) = 0.157$$

$$P(C < 61) = 0.248496... \quad (A1)$$

use of inverse normal to find  $z$  score of their  $P(C < 61)$  (M1)

$$z = -0.679229...$$

correct substitution (A1)

$$\frac{61 - 62}{\sigma} = -0.679229...$$

$$\sigma = 1.47225...$$

$$\sigma = 1.47 \text{ (g)} \quad A1$$

**[5 marks]**

**Total [16 marks]**

**Question 14**

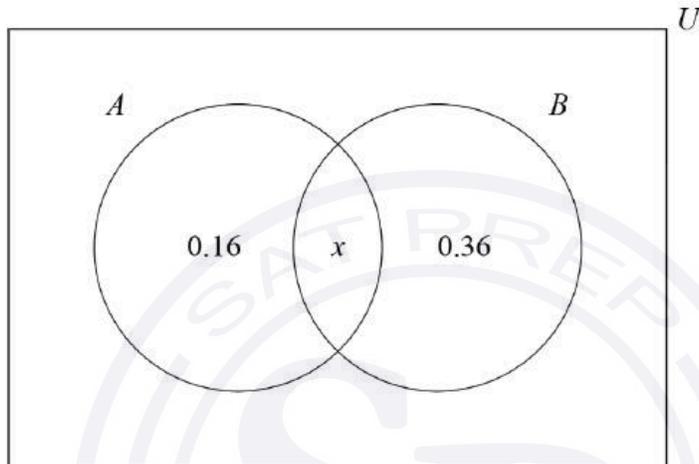
(a) **METHOD 1**

**EITHER**

one of  $P(A) = x + 0.16$  OR  $P(B) = x + 0.36$

**A1**

**OR**



**A1**

**THEN**

attempt to equate their  $P(A \cap B)$  with their expression for  $P(A) \times P(B)$

**M1**

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B) \Rightarrow x = (x + 0.16) \times (x + 0.36)$$

**A1**

$$x = 0.24$$

**A1**

**METHOD 2**

attempt to form at least one equation in  $P(A)$  and  $P(B)$  using independence

**M1**

$$(P(A \cap B') = P(A) \times P(B') \Rightarrow P(A) \times (1 - P(B)) = 0.16 \text{ OR}$$

$$(P(A' \cap B) = P(A') \times P(B) \Rightarrow (1 - P(A)) \times P(B) = 0.36$$

$$P(A) = 0.4 \text{ AND } P(B) = 0.6$$

**A1**

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B) = 0.4 \times 0.6$$

**(A1)**

$$x = 0.24$$

**A1**

**[4 marks]**

(b) **METHOD 1**

recognising  $P(A' | B') = P(A')$  (M1)

$$= 1 - 0.16 - 0.24$$

$$= 0.6 \quad \text{A1}$$

**METHOD 2**

$$P(B) = 0.36 + 0.24 (= 0.6)$$

$$P(A' | B') = \frac{P(A' \cap B')}{P(B')} \quad \left( = \frac{0.24}{0.4} \right) \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$= 0.6 \quad \text{A1}$$

[2 marks]

Total [6 marks]

**Question 15**

(a)  $0.41 + k - 0.28 + 0.46 + 0.29 - 2k^2 = 1$  OR  $k - 2k^2 + 0.01 = 0.13$  (or equivalent) A1

$$2k^2 - k + 0.12 = 0 \quad \text{AG}$$

[1 mark]

(b) one of 0.2 OR 0.3 (M1)

$$k = 0.3 \quad \text{A1}$$

reasoning to reject  $k = 0.2$  eg  $P(1) = k - 0.28 \geq 0$  therefore  $k \neq 0.2$  R1

[3 marks]

(c) attempting to use the expected value formula (M1)

$$E(X) = 0 \times 0.41 + 1 \times (0.3 - 0.28) + 2 \times 0.46 + 3 \times (0.29 - 2 \times 0.3^2)$$

$$= 1.27 \quad \text{A1}$$

[2 marks]

Total [6 marks]

### Question 16

(a) **EITHER**

recognising that half the total frequency is 10 (may be seen in an ordered list or indicated on the frequency table)

(A1)

**OR**

$$5+1+4=3+x$$

(A1)

**OR**

$$\sum f = 20$$

(A1)

**THEN**

$$x=7$$

A1

[2 marks]

(b) **METHOD 1**

$$1.58429\dots$$

$$1.58$$

A2

**METHOD 2**

**EITHER**

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{5 \times (2-4.3)^2 + 1 \times (3-4.3)^2 + 4 \times (4-4.3)^2 + 3 \times (5-4.3)^2 + 7 \times (6-4.3)^2}{20} (=2.51) \quad (\text{A1})$$

**OR**

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{5 \times 2^2 + 1 \times 3^2 + 4 \times 4^2 + 3 \times 5^2 + 7 \times 6^2}{20} - 4.3^2 (=2.51) \quad (\text{A1})$$

**THEN**

$$\sigma = \sqrt{2.51} = 1.58429\dots$$

$$= 1.58$$

A1

[2 marks]

**Total [4 marks]**

### Question 17

(a) **METHOD 1**

$$T \sim N(35, \sigma^2)$$

$$P(T > 40) = 0.25 \text{ or } P(T < 40) = 0.75 \quad (M1)$$

attempt to solve for  $\sigma$  graphically or numerically using the GDC (M1)

graph of normal curve  $T \sim N(35, \sigma^2)$  for  $P(T > 40)$  and  $y = 0.25$  OR  $P(T < 40)$  and  $y = 0.75$  OR table of values for  $P(T < 40)$  or  $P(T > 40)$

$$\sigma = 7.413011\dots$$

$$\sigma = 7.41 \text{ (min)} \quad A2$$

**METHOD 2**

$$T \sim N(35, \sigma^2)$$

$$P(T > 40) = 0.25 \text{ or } P(T < 40) = 0.75 \quad (M1)$$

$$z = 0.674489\dots \quad (A1)$$

valid equation using their  $z$ -score (clearly identified as  $z$ -score and not a probability) (M1)

$$\frac{40 - 35}{\sigma} = 0.674489\dots \text{ OR } 5 = 0.674489\dots\sigma$$

$$7.413011\dots$$

$$\sigma = 7.41 \text{ (min)} \quad A1$$

[4 marks]

(b)  $P(T > 45)$  (M1)

$$= 0.0886718\dots$$

$$= 0.0887 \quad A1$$

[2 marks]

- (c) recognizing binomial probability (M1)  
 $L \sim B(5, 0.0886718\dots)$   
 $P(L \geq 1) = 1 - P(L = 0)$  OR  
 $P(L \geq 1) = P(L = 1) + P(L = 2) + P(L = 3) + P(L = 4) + P(L = 5)$  (M1)  
 0.371400...  
 $P(L \geq 1) = 0.371$  A1

[3 marks]

- (d) recognizing conditional probability in context (M1)  
 finding  $\{L < 3\} \cap \{L \geq 1\} = \{L = 1, L = 2\}$  (may be seen in conditional probability) (A1)  
 $P(L = 1) + P(L = 2) = 0.36532\dots$  (may be seen in conditional probability) (A1)  
 $P(L < 3 | L \geq 1) = \frac{0.36532\dots}{0.37140\dots}$  (A1)  
 0.983636...  
 0.984 A1

[5 marks]

- (e) **METHOD 1**  
 recognizing that Suzi can be late no more than once (in the remaining six days) (M1)  
 $X \sim B(6, 0.0886718\dots)$ , where  $X$  is the number of days late (A1)  
 $P(X \leq 1) = P(X = 0) + P(X = 1)$  (M1)  
 = 0.907294...  
 $P(\text{Suzi gets a bonus}) = 0.907$  A1

**METHOD 2**

- recognizing that Suzi must be on time at least five times (of the remaining six days) (M1)  
 $X \sim B(6, 0.911328\dots)$ , where  $X$  is the number of days on time (A1)  
 $P(X \geq 5) = 1 - P(X \leq 4)$  OR  $1 - 0.0927052\dots$  OR  $P(X = 5) + P(X = 6)$  OR  
 $0.334434\dots + 0.572860\dots$  (M1)  
 = 0.907294...  
 $P(\text{Suzi gets a bonus}) = 0.907$  A1

[4 marks]

Total [18 marks]

### Question 18

(a) 0.28 (s)

A1

[1 mark]

(b) IQR =  $0.35 - 0.27 (= 0.08)$  (s)

(A1)

substituting **their** IQR into correct expression for upper fence

(A1)

$$0.35 + 1.5 \times 0.08 (= 0.47) \text{ (s)}$$

$$0.46 < 0.47$$

R1

so 0.46 (s) is not an outlier

AG

[3 marks]

### Question 19

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) = 0.68$$

substitution of  $P(A) \cdot P(B)$  for  $P(A \cap B)$  in  $P(A \cup B)$

(M1)

$$P(A) + P(B) - P(A)P(B) (= 0.68)$$

substitution of  $3P(B)$  for  $P(A)$

(M1)

$$3P(B) + P(B) - 3P(B)P(B) = 0.68 \text{ (or equivalent)}$$

(A1)

**Note:** The first two **M** marks are independent of each other.

attempts to solve their quadratic equation

(M1)

$$P(B) = 0.2, 1.133... \left( \frac{1}{5}, \frac{17}{15} \right)$$

$$P(B) = 0.2 \left( = \frac{1}{5} \right)$$

A2

**Note:** Award **A1** if both answers are given as final answers for  $P(B)$ .

[6 marks]

## Question 20

- (a) recognising to find  $P(T > 40)$  (M1)

$$P(T > 40) = 0.574136\dots$$

$$P(T > 40) = 0.574 \quad \text{A1}$$

[2 marks]

- (b) attempt to multiply four independent probabilities using their  $P(T > 40)$  and  $P(T < 40)$  (M1)

$$(1-p)^3 \cdot p \quad \text{OR} \quad (1-0.574136\dots)^3 \cdot 0.574136\dots \quad \text{OR} \quad (0.425863\dots)^3 \cdot 0.574136\dots \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$0.0443430\dots$$

$$0.0443, 0.0444 \text{ from 3 sf values} \quad \text{A1}$$

[3 marks]

- (c) (i) recognizing conditional probability (M1)

$$P(T < 55 | T > 40)$$

$$\frac{P(40 < T < 55)}{P(T > 40)} \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$\frac{0.461944\dots}{0.574136\dots} \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$P(T < 55 | T > 40) = 0.804590\dots$$

$$= 0.805 \quad \text{A1}$$

- (ii) recognizing binomial probability (M1)

$$X \sim B(n, p)$$

$$n = 10 \text{ and } p = 0.804589\dots \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$0.0242111\dots, 0.0240188\dots \text{ using } p = 0.805$$

$$P(X = 5) = 0.0242 \quad \text{A1}$$

[7 marks]

(d) Let  $P(T < a) = x$

recognition that probabilities sum to 1 (seen anywhere)

(M1)

**EITHER**

expressing the three regions in one variable

(M1)

$$x + 0.904 + 2x \text{ OR } P(T < a) + 0.904 + 2P(T < a) \text{ OR } \frac{1}{2}P(T > b) + 0.904 + P(T > b)$$

OR  $x$  and  $2x$  correctly indicated on labelled bell diagram

$$P(T < a) + 0.904 + 2P(T < a) = 1 \text{ OR } \frac{1}{2}P(T > b) + 0.904 + P(T > b) = 1 \text{ (or equivalent)}$$

(A1)

**OR**

expressing either  $P(T < a)$  or  $P(T > b)$  only in terms of  $P(a \leq T \leq b)$

(M1)

$$(P(T < a) =) \frac{1}{3}(1 - P(a \leq T \leq b)) \text{ OR } (P(T > b) =) \frac{2}{3} \cdot (1 - P(a \leq T \leq b))$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3}(1 - 0.904) (= 0.032) \text{ OR } P(T > b) = \frac{2}{3}(1 - 0.904) (= 0.064)$$

(A1)

**THEN**

$$P(T < a) = 0.032$$

$$a = 22.18167\dots$$

$$a = 22.2 \text{ accept } 22.1$$

A1

[4 marks]

Total [16 marks]

### Question 21

(a) 1.01206..., 2.45230...

$$a = 1.01, b = 2.45 (1.01x + 2.45)$$

A1A1

[2 marks]

(b) 0.981464...

$$r = 0.981$$

A1

**Note:** A common error is to enter the data incorrectly into the GDC, and obtain the answers  $a = 1.01700\dots$ ,  $b = 2.09814\dots$  and  $r = 0.980888\dots$ . Some candidates may write the 3 sf answers, ie.  $a = 1.02$ ,  $b = 2.10$  and  $r = 0.981$  or 2 sf answers, ie.  $a = 1.0$ ,  $b = 2.1$  and  $r = 0.98$ . In these cases award **A0A0** for part (a) and **A0** for part (b). Even though some values round to an accepted answer, they come from incorrect working.

[1 mark]

(c) correct substitution of 78 into **their** regression equation

(M1)

81.3930... 81.23 from 3 sf answer

81

A1

[2 marks]

Total [5 marks]

### Question 22

- (a) (i)  $p = 12$  A1  
(ii)  $q = 100$  A1

[2 marks]

- (b)  $P(\text{Adult}) = \frac{100}{160}$  ( $= 0.625$ ) (seen anywhere) (A1)

**Note:** Award **A1** for  $(X \sim) B(3, 0.625)$  or  $\left(\frac{100}{160}\right)^3$  but no further marks.

recognition that choice of adults is without replacement (may be seen in tree diagram) (M1)

$$\frac{100}{160} \times \frac{99}{159} \times \frac{98}{158} \quad \text{(A1)}$$

0.241372...

0.241

A1

[4 marks]

- (c) (i)  $\frac{x}{48+x} \left( = \frac{1}{3} \right)$  OR  $\frac{\frac{x}{160}}{\frac{48+x}{160}}$  (A1)(A1)

**Note:** Award **A1** for correct numerator and **A1** for correct denominator.

$$x = 24$$

A1

- (ii)  $P(A \cap M) = \frac{24}{160} \left( = \frac{3}{20} \right)$  A1

[4 marks]

(d) **METHOD 1 (using  $P(A|B) = P(A)$  )**

recognition that A and M are independent if  $P(A|M) = P(A)$

**(M1)**

$$\frac{1}{3} \neq \frac{100}{160}$$

**R1**

so they are not independent

**A1**

**METHOD 2 (using  $P(A) \cdot P(B) = P(A \cap B)$ )**

attempt to find the product  $P(A) \times P(M)$  OR  $P(A) \times P(D)$

**(M1)**

$$\frac{100}{160} \times \frac{72}{160} \neq \frac{24}{160} \left( \frac{9}{32} \neq \frac{3}{20} \right) \text{ OR } \frac{100}{160} \times \frac{88}{160} \neq \frac{76}{160} \left( \frac{11}{32} \neq \frac{19}{40} \right)$$

**R1**

so they are not independent

**A1**

**Note:** Do not award **R0A1**.

**[3 marks]**

(e)  $P(\text{dark chocolate}) = \frac{88}{160} (= 0.55)$  (maybe seen in part (d))

**(A1)**

recognize that the variable has a Binomial distribution

**(M1)**

$$X \sim B(10, 0.55)$$

recognition that  $P(X \geq 5)$  or  $1 - P(X \leq 4)$  is required

**(M1)**

**Note:** These two M marks are independent of each other.

0.738437...

0.738

**A1**

**[4 marks]**

**Total [17 marks]**

### Question 23

#### METHOD 1

$$Q_1=31.86 \text{ OR } Q_3 = 32.14 \quad (\text{A1})$$

recognition that the area under the normal curve below  $Q_1$  or above  $Q_3$  is 0.25 OR the area between  $Q_1$  and  $Q_3$  is 0.5 (seen anywhere including on a diagram) (M1)

#### EITHER

equating an appropriate correct normal CDF function to its correct probability (0.25 or 0.5 or 0.75) (A2)

#### OR

$$z = -0.674489... \text{ OR } z = 0.674489... \text{ (seen anywhere)} \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$-0.674489... = \frac{31.86 - 32}{\sigma} \text{ OR } 0.674489... = \frac{32.14 - 32}{\sigma} \quad (\text{A1})$$

#### THEN

$$0.207564...$$

$$\sigma = 0.208 \text{ (mm)} \quad \text{A1}$$

#### METHOD 2

recognition that the area under the normal curve below  $Q_1$  or above  $Q_3$  is 0.25 OR the area between  $Q_1$  and  $Q_3$  is 0.5 (seen anywhere including on a diagram) (M1)

$$z = -0.674489... \text{ OR } z = 0.674489... \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$(Q_1 =) 32 - 0.674489... \sigma \text{ OR } (Q_3 =) 32 + 0.674489... \sigma \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$(Q_3 - Q_1 =) 2 \times 0.674489... \sigma$$

$$2 \times 0.674489... \sigma = 0.28 \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$0.207564...$$

$$\sigma = 0.208 \text{ (mm)} \quad \text{A1}$$

**Total [5 marks]**

### Question 24

(a) recognising to find  $y(25)$  (M1)

$$y(25) = -0.6 \times 25^2 + 23 \times 25 + 110$$

$$= 310 \text{ (children)}$$

A1

[2 marks]

(b) recognizing  $x$  on  $y$  is required (M1)

$$0.0935114\dots \text{ and } 7.43053\dots$$

(A1)

$$x = 0.0935y + 7.43$$

A1

[3 marks]

(c) attempt to substitute their answer to part (a) into their regression equation for either  $x$  or  $y$  (M1)

$$x = 0.0935114\dots \times 310 + 7.43053\dots (= 36.4190\dots)$$

$$36 \text{ (accept 37 or 36.4)}$$

A1

**Note:** Award (M1)A1FT for  $x=37$  found from using  $y = 9.39x - 41.5$ .

Award (M1)A0FT for a correct FT answer that lies outside  $[15, 46]$ .

[2 marks]

Total [7 marks]

### Question 25

- (a) recognizing probabilities sum to 1 (M1)

$$0.213 + P(82.4 < X < 87.3) + 0.409 = 1$$

$$P(82.4 < X < 87.3) = 0.378$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (b) **METHOD 1**

recognizing the need to use inverse normal with 0.213, (1 - 0.409) or 0.409 (M1)

$$m + \text{invNorm}(0.213)_s = 82.4, m + \text{invNorm}(1 - 0.409)_s = 87.3 \text{ (or equivalent)} \quad (\text{A1})(\text{A1})$$

attempt to solve their equations in two variables using the GDC (that involve either  $z$ -values or 'invNorm' rather than probabilities) (M1)

$$\mu = 86.2011\dots, \sigma = 4.77502\dots$$

$$\mu = 86.2, \sigma = 4.78$$

A1

#### **METHOD 2**

use of inverse normal to find at least one  $z$ -score for  $P(Z < z) = 0.213$ , or  $P(Z < z) = 1 - 0.409$  (M1)

$$z_1 = -0.796055\dots \text{ OR } z_2 = 0.230118\dots$$

$$\frac{82.4 - \mu}{\sigma} = -0.796055\dots, \frac{87.3 - \mu}{\sigma} = 0.230118\dots \text{ (or equivalent)} \quad (\text{A1})(\text{A1})$$

attempt to solve their equations (that involve  $z$ -values rather than probabilities) (M1)

$$m = 86.2011\dots, s = 4.77502\dots$$

$$m = 86.2, s = 4.78$$

A1

[5 marks]

- (c) (i) recognition of Binomial distribution (M1)

$$X \sim B(100, 0.409)$$

$$P(X = 32) = 0.0157931\dots$$

$$= 0.0158$$

A1

- (ii)  $P(X < 44) = 0.702975\dots$  (seen anywhere) (A1)

recognition of conditional probability (M1)

$$(P(X = 32 | X < 44)) = \frac{P(X = 32)}{P(X < 44)} \text{ OR } \frac{P(X = 32)}{P(X \leq 43)} \left( = \frac{0.0157931\dots}{0.702975\dots} \right) \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$= 0.0224661\dots$$

$$P(X = 32 | X < 44) = 0.0225 \quad \text{A1}$$

[6 marks]

- (d)  $Q_1 = 90.54$  OR  $Q_3 = 95.06$  (may be seen on a labelled diagram with areas indicated) (A1)

$P(90.54 < F < 95.06) = 0.5$  OR  $P(F < 90.54) = 0.25$  OR  $P(F < 95.06) = 0.75$  (or equivalent)

**EITHER**

attempt to find  $d$  using graph or table (M1)

**OR**

$$1 - 2P\left(Z < -\frac{2.26}{d}\right) = 0.5 \text{ OR } P\left(Z < -\frac{2.26}{d}\right) = 0.25 \text{ OR } P\left(Z < \frac{2.26}{d}\right) = 0.75$$

$$\text{OR } P\left(-\frac{2.26}{d} < Z < \frac{2.26}{d}\right) = 0.5 \text{ (or equivalent)} \quad (\text{M1})$$

$$-\frac{2.26}{d} = -0.674489\dots \text{ OR } \frac{2.26}{d} = 0.674489\dots$$

**THEN**

$$3.35068\dots$$

$$d = 3.35 \quad \text{A1}$$

[3 marks]

Total [16 marks]

### Question 26

$$E(X) = k + 2k^2 + 3a + 4k^3 = 2.6$$

(A1)

$$k + k^2 + a + k^3 = 1$$

(A1)

**EITHER** (finding intersections of functions)

attempt to make  $a$  the subject in both of their equations

(M1)

$$a = 1 - k - k^2 - k^3 \text{ and } a = \frac{1}{3}(2.6 - k - 2k^2 - 4k^3)$$

use of graph or table to attempt to find intersection

(M1)

**OR** (solving algebraically)

attempt to solve their equations algebraically to find a cubic in  $k$

(M1)

$$k^3 - k^2 - 2k + 0.4 = 0 \text{ OR } 3(1 - k - k^2 - k^3) = 2.6 - k - 2k^2 - 4k^3 \text{ (or equivalent)}$$

attempt to solve their cubic in  $k$

(M1)

**THEN**

$$a = 0.773073... \text{ OR } k = 0.185928...$$

(Other solutions to the cubic are:  $k = 1.92921...$ ,  $k = -1.11514...$ )

$$a = 0.773$$

A1

**Total [5 marks]**

**Question 27**

(a) (i)  $\frac{10}{n}$  **A1**

(ii) multiplying probabilities for GG **(M1)**

$$P(GG) = \frac{10}{n} \times \frac{9}{n-1}$$

$$P(GG) = \frac{90}{n^2 - n} \left( \text{accept } \frac{90}{n(n-1)} \right) \quad \text{A1}$$

**[3 marks]**

(b)  $P(\text{First red}) = \frac{15}{25}$  and  $P(\text{Second red}) = \frac{14}{24}$  (seen anywhere) **(A1)**

$$P(RR) = \frac{15}{25} \times \frac{14}{24} \text{ (or equivalent)} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= 0.35 \quad \text{AG}$$

**[2 marks]**

(c)  $\frac{15}{25} \times \frac{14}{24} \times \frac{13}{23}$  OR  $0.35 \times \frac{13}{23}$  **(A1)**

$$0.197826\dots$$

$$P(\text{three red}) = 0.198 \text{ (exact answer is } \frac{91}{460} \text{)} \quad \text{A1}$$

**[2 marks]**

(d)  $P(\text{at least one green}) = 1 - P(\text{three red})$  OR

$P(\text{at least one G}) = P(\text{one G}) + P(\text{two G}) + P(\text{three G})$  **(M1)**

$$1 - \left( \frac{15}{25} \times \frac{14}{24} \times \frac{13}{23} \right) \text{ OR } 3 \left( \frac{10}{25} \times \frac{15}{24} \times \frac{14}{23} \right) + 3 \left( \frac{10}{25} \times \frac{9}{24} \times \frac{15}{23} \right) + \left( \frac{10}{25} \times \frac{9}{24} \times \frac{8}{23} \right)$$

0.802173...

$P(\text{at least one green}) = 0.802$  (exact answer is  $\frac{369}{460}$ ) **A1**

**[2 marks]**

(e)  $P(\text{first green on third draw}) = \frac{15}{25} \times \frac{14}{24} \times \frac{10}{23} \times \frac{22}{22} \left( = \frac{7}{46} = 0.152173... \right)$  **(A1)**

$P(\text{first green on fourth draw}) = \frac{15}{25} \times \frac{14}{24} \times \frac{13}{23} \times \frac{10}{22} \left( = \frac{91}{1012} = 0.0899209... \right)$  **(A1)**

**Note:** The first two **(A1)** are independent.

attempt to substitute their probabilities into expected value formula **(M1)**

expected points per game  $= 10 \times \frac{7}{46} + 50 \times \frac{91}{1012} \left( = \frac{3045}{506} = 6.01778... \right)$  **(A1)**

setting up inequality or equation in  $k$  **(M1)**

$$\frac{3045}{506}k > 100$$

$$k > 16.6174... \left( = \frac{10120}{609} \right)$$

Millie must play at least 17 times.

**A1**

**[6 marks]**

**Total [15 marks]**

**Question 28**

(a)  $7.8 = \frac{2\pi}{\text{period}}$  **(M1)**

$$\frac{2\pi}{7.8} = 0.805536\dots$$

period = 0.806  $\left( = \frac{10\pi}{39} \right)$  **A1**

**[2 marks]**

(b) **METHOD 1**

(i) amplitude =  $\frac{\text{max} - \text{min}}{2}$  **(M1)**

$$\frac{1.8 - 1}{2}$$

$a = -0.4$  **A1**

(ii)  $b = 1.4$  **A1**

**METHOD 2**

attempt to form two simultaneous equations in  $a$  and  $b$  **(M1)**

$$H(0) = 1 \Rightarrow a + b = 1, \quad H\left(\frac{\pi}{7.8}\right) = 1.8 \Rightarrow -a + b = 1.8$$

$a = -0.4, b = 1.4$  **A1A1**

**[3 marks]**

(c) **EITHER**

$$\frac{5}{\text{period}} = 6.207... < 6\frac{1}{2} \quad (\text{A1})$$

**OR**  
 consideration of number of maximums on graph in first 5 seconds (A1)

**OR**  
 maximums when  $t = 0.403, 1.21, 2.01, 2.82, 3.62, 4.43$  (A1)

**THEN**  
 6 times A1  
[2 marks]

(d) recognizing that  $H(t) = 1.5$  (M1)

$$-0.4 \cos(7.8t) + 1.4 = 1.5$$

$$0.233779...$$

$$t = 0.234 \text{ (seconds)}$$

A1  
[2 marks]

(e) finding second time height is 1.5 metres (M1)

$t = 0.571757...$   
 in each period, height is greater than 1.5 metres for 0.337978... seconds (A1)

**Note:** Award **(M1)(A1)** for total time 2.02787... seen.

multiplying their value by 6 and dividing by 5 (M1)

$$\frac{0.337978... \times 6}{5} \text{ OR } \frac{2.02787...}{5}$$

$$= 0.405574...$$

$P(\text{height is greater than 1.5 m}) = 0.406$  A1

[4 marks]

**Total [13 marks]**

### Question 29

- (a) evidence of attempting to find correct area under normal curve (M1)

$$P(W > 210) \text{ OR sketch}$$

$$P(W > 210) = 0.115069\dots$$

$$P(W > 210) = 0.115$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (b) recognizing  $P(W < w) = 1 - P(w < W < 210) - P(W > 210)$  (M1)

$$P(W < w) = 1 - 0.8 - 0.115069\dots$$

$$P(W < w) = 0.084930\dots$$

$$P(W < w) = 0.0849$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (c) evidence of attempting to use inverse normal function (M1)

$$w = 197.136\dots$$

$$w = 197 \text{ (grams)}$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (d) recognition of binomial distribution (M1)

$$X \sim B(10, 0.0849302\dots)$$

$$P(X = 1) = 0.382076\dots$$

$$P(X = 1) = 0.382$$

A1

[2 marks]

Total [8 marks]

### Question 30

- (a)  $a = 1.93258\dots$ ,  $b = 7.21662\dots$   
 $a = 1.93$ ,  $b = 7.22$

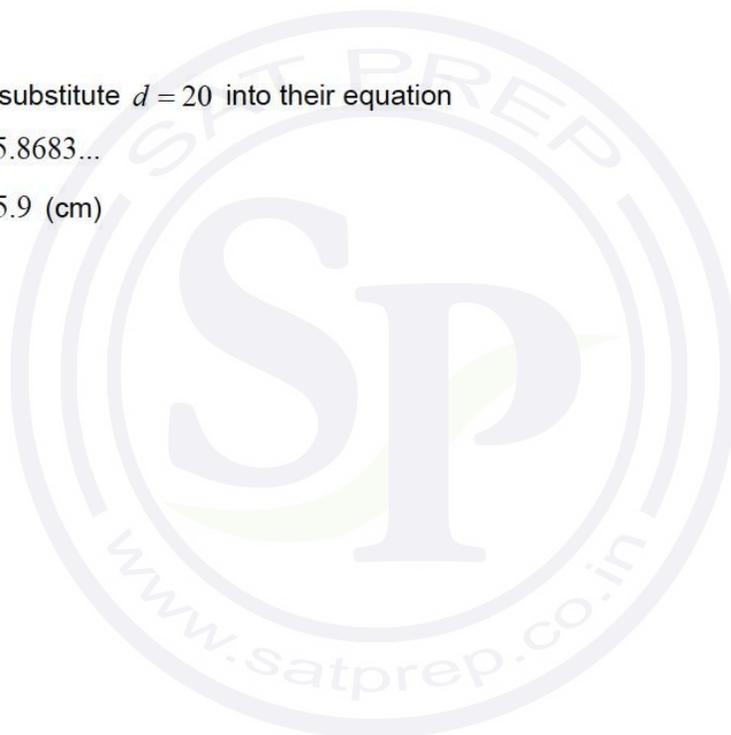
**A1A1**  
**[2 marks]**

- (b)  $r = 0.991087\dots$   
 $r = 0.991$

**A1**  
**[1 mark]**

- (c) attempt to substitute  $d = 20$  into their equation  
height = 45.8683...  
height = 45.9 (cm)

**(M1)**  
**A1**  
**[2 marks]**  
**Total [5 marks]**



### Question 31

(a) recognizing probabilities sum to 1 (M1)

$$0.288 + P(94.6 < X < 98.1) + 0.434 = 1$$

$$P(94.6 < X < 98.1) = 0.278$$

A1

[2 marks]

(b) **METHOD 1**

recognizing the need to use inverse normal with 0.288, (1-0.434) or 0.434 (M1)

$$\mu + \text{invNorm}(0.288)\sigma = 94.6, \mu + \text{invNorm}(1 - 0.434)\sigma = 98.1 \text{ (or equivalent)} \quad (\text{A1})(\text{A1})$$

attempt to solve their equations in two variables using the GDC (that involve either z-values or 'invNorm' rather than probabilities) (M1)

$$\mu = 97.2981\dots, \sigma = 4.82468\dots$$

$$\mu = 97.3, \sigma = 4.82$$

A1

#### **METHOD 2**

use of inverse normal to find at least one z-score for  $P(Z < z) = 0.288$  or  $P(Z < z) = 1 - 0.434$  (M1)

$$z_1 = -0.559236\dots \text{ OR } z_2 = 0.166199\dots$$

$$\frac{94.6 - \mu}{\sigma} = -0.559236\dots, \frac{98.1 - \mu}{\sigma} = 0.166199\dots \text{ (or equivalent)} \quad (\text{A1})(\text{A1})$$

attempt to solve their equations (that involve z-values rather than probabilities) (M1)

$$\mu = 97.2981\dots, \sigma = 4.82468\dots$$

$$\mu = 97.3, \sigma = 4.82$$

A1

[5 marks]

(c) (i) recognition of Binomial distribution (M1)

$$X \sim B(100, 0.434)$$

$$P(X = 34) = 0.0133198\dots$$

$$= 0.0133$$

A1

(ii)  $P(X < 49) = 0.848218\dots$  (seen anywhere) (A1)

recognition of conditional probability (M1)

(d)  $Q_1 = 96.19$  OR  $Q_3 = 101.01$  (may be seen on a labelled diagram with areas indicated) (A1)

$P(96.19 < F < 101.01) = 0.5$  OR  $P(F < 96.19) = 0.25$  OR  $P(F < 101.01) = 0.75$   
(or equivalent)

**EITHER**

attempt to find  $d$  using graph or table (M1)

**OR**

$$1 - 2P\left(Z < -\frac{2.41}{d}\right) = 0.5 \text{ OR } P\left(Z < -\frac{2.41}{d}\right) = 0.25 \text{ OR } P\left(Z < \frac{2.41}{d}\right) = 0.75$$

OR  $P\left(-\frac{2.41}{d} < Z < \frac{2.41}{d}\right) = 0.5$  (or equivalent) (M1)

$$-\frac{2.41}{d} = -0.674489\dots \text{ OR } \frac{2.41}{d} = 0.674489\dots$$

**THEN**

$$3.57307\dots$$

$$d = 3.57$$

A1

[3 marks]

Total [16 marks]

**Question 32**

$$E(X) = k + 2k^2 + 3a + 4k^3 = 2.3 \quad (\mathbf{A1})$$

$$k + k^2 + a + k^3 = 1 \quad (\mathbf{A1})$$

**EITHER** (finding intersections of functions)

attempt to make  $a$  the subject in both of their equations (M1)

$$a = 1 - k - k^2 - k^3 \text{ and } a = \frac{1}{3}(2.3 - k - 2k^2 - 4k^3)$$

use of graph or table to attempt to find intersection (M1)

**OR** (solving algebraically)

attempt to solve their equations algebraically to find a cubic in  $k$  (M1)

$$k^3 - k^2 - 2k + 0.7 = 0 \text{ OR } 3(1 - k - k^2 - k^3) = 2.3 - k - 2k^2 - 4k^3 \text{ (or equivalent)}$$

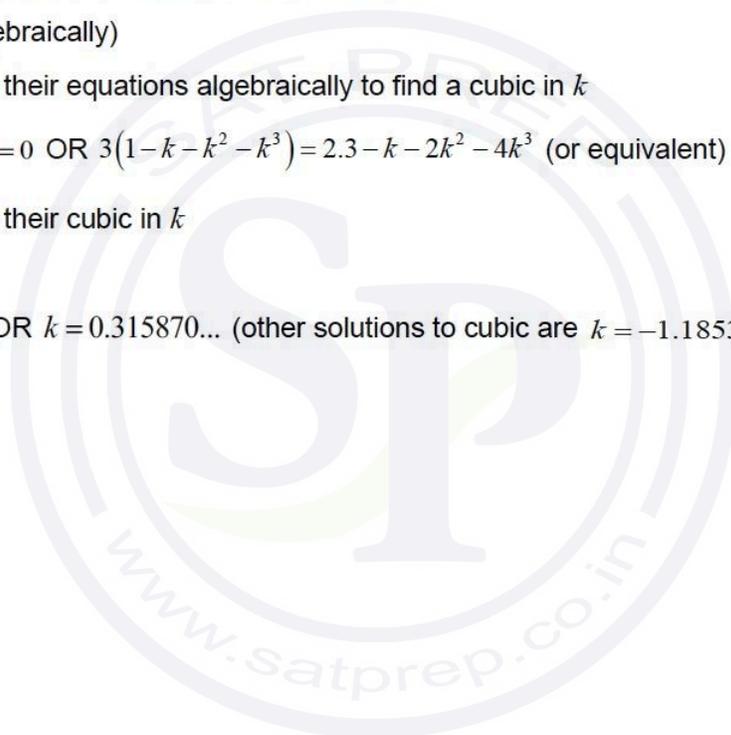
attempt to solve their cubic in  $k$  (M1)

**THEN**

$$a = 0.552839... \text{ OR } k = 0.315870... \text{ (other solutions to cubic are } k = -1.18538..., 1.86951... \text{)}$$

$$a = 0.553 \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

**Total [5 marks]**



### Question 33

(a) recognition to add  $\mu$  and  $\sigma$

(M1)

49.8 (cm)

A1

[2 marks]

(b)  $P(L > 48)$

(M1)

**Note:** Award (M1) for a clearly labelled diagram.

= 0.283854...

= 0.284

A1

[2 marks]

(c)  $P(L > x) = 0.99$  OR  $P(L < x) = 0.01$

(M1)

**Note:** Award (M1) for a clearly labelled diagram or the use of inverse normal.

$x = 35.8293...$

$x = 35.8$  (cm)

A1

[2 marks]

(d) (i)  $P(40 < L < 56) = 0.902149\dots$  (may be seen in part (ii)) **(A1)**

attempts to find  $100 \times P(40 < L < 56)$  with their probability **(M1)**

$$= 90.2149\dots$$

$$= 90.2 \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

**Note:** Accept 90 or 91.

(ii) recognizes binomial distribution **(M1)**

$$X \sim B(100, 0.902149\dots)$$

$$P(X = 95) = 0.038105\dots$$

$$= 0.0381 \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

**[5 marks]**

(e)  $P(45.55 \leq L < 45.65)$  **(M1)(A1)**

**Note:** Award **(M1)** for any reasonable interval centred on 45.6, no wider than  $P(45.5 \leq L < 45.7)$ .

Accept either of  $P(45.55 \leq L \leq 45.65)$  or  $P(45.55 < L < 45.65)$ .

$$= 0.009498\dots$$

$$= 0.00950 \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

**[3 marks]**

**Total [14 marks]**

### Question 34

#### METHOD 1

correct inequality or equation involving  $P(X = 0)$  (A1)

$$1 - P(X = 0) > 0.99 \text{ OR } P(X = 0) < 0.01 \text{ OR } 1 - P(X = 0) = 0.99 \text{ OR } P(X = 0) = 0.01$$

attempts to solve their inequality (equality) involving  $0.75^n$  for  $n$  (M1)

$$1 - 0.75^n > 0.99 \text{ OR } 0.75^n < 0.01 \text{ OR } 0.75^n = 0.01 \text{ OR } 1 - 0.75^n = 0.99$$

**Note:** Valid solving attempts include graphical, use of logarithms, tabular or trial and error.

#### EITHER

$$n > 16.0078... \text{ OR } n = 16.0078... \text{ (A2)}$$

the least value of  $n$  is 17 (A1)

#### OR

$$P(X = 0) = 0.010022... (> 0.01) \text{ (corresponding to } n = 16) \text{ (A1)}$$

$$P(X = 0) = 0.0075169... (< 0.01) \text{ (A1)}$$

corresponding to  $n = 17$  (which is the least value of  $n$ ) (A1)

**METHOD 2 (TABLE ONLY APPROACH)**

attempts to use binomial cdf to calculate a correct value of  $P(X \geq 1)$  for one value of  $n$  **(M1)**

calculates correct values of  $P(X \geq 1)$  for at least one value of  $n$  **(A1)**

$P(X \geq 1) = 0.989977\dots$  ( $< 0.99$ ) (corresponding to  $n = 16$ ) **(A1)**

$P(X \geq 1) = 0.992483\dots$  ( $> 0.99$ ) **(A1)**

corresponding to  $n = 17$  (which is the least value of  $n$ ) **A1**

**[5 marks]**



### Question 35

3. (a) EITHER

$$\bar{y} = 2.1875 \times 7 + 0.6875$$

A1

OR

$$\bar{y} = 15.3125 + 0.6875$$

A1

THEN

$$\bar{y} = 16$$

AG

[1 mark]

(b) attempts to use  $16 = \frac{\sum y}{n}$  to form a linear equation in  $p$  and  $q$

(M1)

$$16 = \frac{9+13+p+q+21}{5} \quad (80 = p+q+43 \Rightarrow p+q=37)$$

(A1)

attempts to solve two linear equations simultaneously for  $p$  and  $q$  (one of which is  $q = p+3$ )

(M1)

$$16 = \frac{9+13+p+p+3+21}{5} \quad (80 = 2p+46)$$

$$p = 17 \text{ and } q = 20$$

A1

[4 marks]

Total [5 marks]

### Question 36

(a) (i) 4.45 (hours)

**A1**

(ii) one correct quartile either  $Q_1 = 1.9$  or  $Q_3 = 5.7$

**(A1)**

$$\text{IQR} = 5.7 - 1.9$$

$$= 3.8 \text{ (hours)}$$

**A1**

**[3 marks]**

(b) attempts to find the upper fence value

**(M1)**

$$\text{upper fence} = 11.4$$

**(A1)**

$$11.7 > 11.4$$

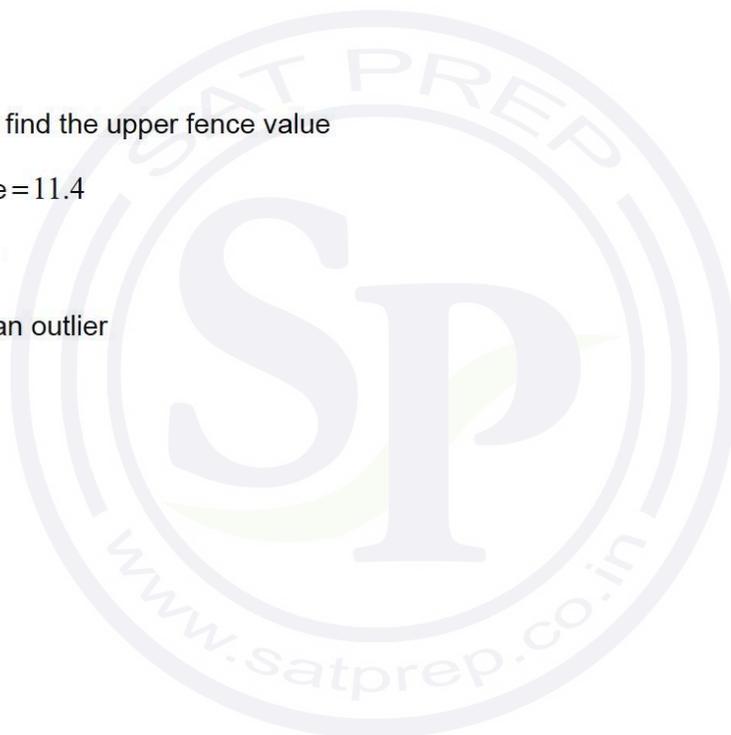
**R1**

$\Rightarrow 11.7$  is an outlier

**AG**

**[3 marks]**

**Total [6 marks]**



**Question 37**

(a)  $r = 0.901017\dots$

$r = 0.901$

**A2**

**[2 marks]**

(b) Student 11 Test B: should not extrapolate

**R1**

**[1 mark]**

(c) (i) Student 12 Test A: should not use line of  $y$  on  $x$  to predict  $x$  from  $y$  (or equivalent)

**R1**

(ii) attempt to find the equation of the regression line of  $x$  on  $y$

**(M1)**

$(x =) 0.987124\dots y - 3.21970\dots$  ( $(x =) 0.987y - 3.22$ )

**A1**

$(x =) 0.987124\dots(90) - 3.21970\dots$  ( $= 85.6214\dots$ )

**A1**

$= 86$  to nearest integer.

**AG**

**Note:** Condone notation for  $x$  and  $y$  switched if values are correct.

**[4 marks]**

**Total [7 marks]**

### Question 38

(a) recognition of  $X > 13$  OR  $Z > 1.5$  (could be seen in a diagram) (M1)

$$(P(X > 13) =) 0.0668072\dots$$

$$= 0.0668$$

A1

[2 marks]

(b) **EITHER**

equating an appropriate correct normal CDF function to 0.1 or 0.9 (M1)

$$P(X > 10 + 2k) = 0.1 \text{ OR } P(Z < k) = 0.9 \text{ OR } P(X < 10 - 2k) = 0.1 \text{ OR } P(Z < -k) = 0.1$$

**OR**

recognising need to use inverse normal with 0.1 or 0.9 (M1)

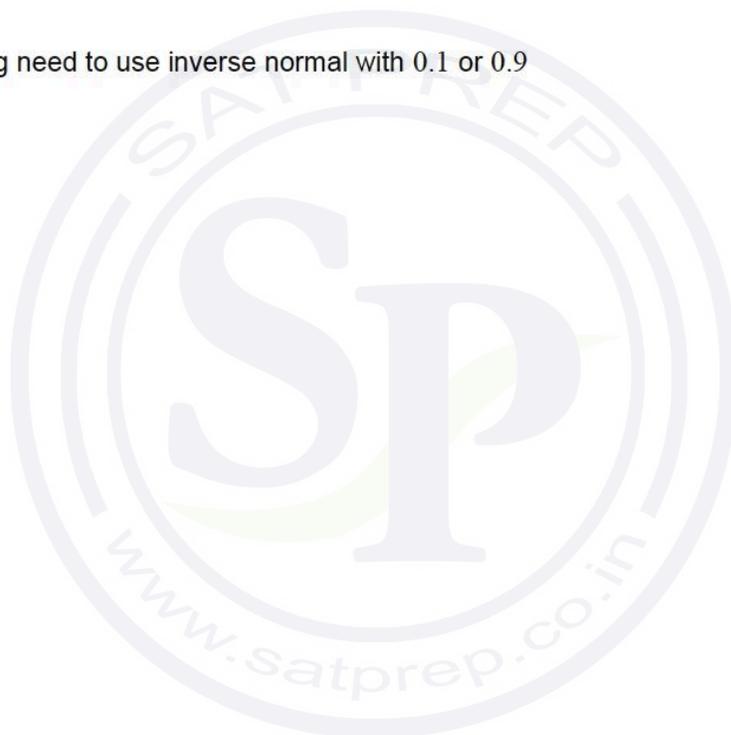
**THEN**

$$1.28155\dots$$

$$k = 1.28$$

A1

Total [4 marks]



### Question 39

- (a) median = 75 A1  
(upper quartile =) 84 OR (lower quartile =) 68 (A1)  
Interquartile range = 16 A1

**[3 marks]**

(b)

**Note:** In this part, their reasoning and answer must be consistent with their values in part (a).

In both part (i) and part (ii), award **R0A1** for a correct answer with no reasoning.

- (i)  $80 > 75$  OR Australia has a higher median OR Spain's median is lower R1

**Note:** Award **R1** for correct reasoning based on a comparison of their medians.

in general (on average), rabbits in Australia have longer ears (than rabbits in Spain)

OR

in the top 50% of each distribution, some rabbits in Spain have smaller ears than those in Australia

OR

in the bottom 50% of each distribution, some rabbits in Australia have longer ears than those in Spain A1

- (ii)  $16 > 11$  OR higher IQR in Spain OR lower IQR in Australia R1

**Note:** Award **R1** for correct reasoning based on a comparison of their IQR's.

(the IQR's suggest that) there is more variation/spread in (the middle 50% of) rabbit ears in Spain (than those in Australia) (or equivalent) A1

**Note:** Award **A1** for any correct answer which uses the IQR's to compare each distribution.

**[4 marks]**

**Total [7 marks]**

### Question 40

(a) (i)  $a = 0.358$  (exact);  $b = 30.5$  (exact answer is 30.52)

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1A0** if the values of  $a$  and  $b$  are interchanged or not labeled.

(ii)  $a$  represents the (average) rate of increase (change) in population (0.358 millions of people per year). (or equivalent)

**R1**

**[3 marks]**

(b) It is unreliable because 2030 is outside the range of data (extrapolation).

**A1**

**[1 mark]**

(c) (i) attempt to find  $B(100)$

**(M1)**

55.1633...

55.2 million OR 55,200,000

**A1**

(ii) The annual growth rate of the population is 0.5%.

**A1**

**Note:** Description must include some reference to annual rate.

**[3 marks]**

(d) 54.6094...

54.6 million OR 54,600,000

**A1**

**[1 mark]**

(e) consideration of the difference function  $C(t) - B(t)$  or  $B(t) - C(t)$  or  $|C(t) - B(t)|$   
evidence of finding the maximum (or minimum) of this function.

**(M1)**

**(M1)**

$t = 58.6283...$

2058 (accept 2059)

**A1**

**[3 marks]**

(f) (i) 0.242876...  
 $B'(75) = 0.243$

A1

(ii) 0.184941...  
 $C'(75) = 0.185$

A1

[2 marks]

(g)  $B'(75) > C'(75)$  (or equivalent in words)

A1

the population in Benoit's model is increasing at a faster rate than in Cecilia's model (in 2075) (or equivalent)

R1

**Note:** Do not award **A0R1**.

[2 marks]

**Total [15 marks]**



### Question 41

- (a) 22.4358...  
22.4(%)

A1  
[1 mark]

- (b) recognition of binomial  
 $X \sim B(1000, 0.224\dots)$

(M1)

attempt to find  $P(X < 200)$  OR  $P(X \leq 199)$

(M1)

0.0284945...

$P(X < 200) = 0.0285$  (accept 0.0303 from previous 3sf)

A1  
[3 marks]

- (c) recognition of conditional probability in context

(M1)

$P(\text{age} \geq 65 | \text{age} \geq 45)$  OR  $\frac{P(\text{age} \geq 45 \cap \text{age} \geq 65)}{P(\text{age} \geq 45)}$

**Note:** Recognition must be shown in context either in words or symbols, not just  $P(A|B)$

$$\frac{P(\text{age} \geq 65)}{P(\text{age} \geq 45)}$$

(A1)

$$\frac{3.7}{(3.7+17.3)} \text{ OR } \frac{0.0395}{0.224}$$

(A1)

0.176190...

$$0.176 \left( = \frac{37}{210} \right)$$

A1

**Note:** Condone use of "a" or "X" or any letter for age.

[4 marks]

(d) 15.5, 21.5, 35, 55, 75

**A1**  
**[1 mark]**

(e) (i) 35.7280...  
mean = 35.7

**A1**

(ii) variance is square of standard deviation  
14.3159...<sup>2</sup>  
204.945...  
variance = 205

**(M1)**

**A1**  
**[3 marks]**

(f)

(i) Graph C

**A1**

**Note:** Allow **FT** from incorrect values for mean and variance in (e).

(ii) MyLife

**A1**

**Note:** Do not award **A0A1**.

**[2 marks]**  
**Total [14 marks]**

### Question 42

- (a) recognition of sum of probabilities equals 1

(M1)

$$\frac{3k}{20} + \frac{5k}{20} + \frac{8k}{20} + \frac{11k}{20} = 1$$

$$k = 0.740740$$

$$k = 0.741 \left( = \frac{20}{27} \right)$$

A1

[2 marks]

- (b) correct probabilities:  $\frac{3}{27}, \frac{5}{27}, \frac{8}{27}, \frac{11}{27}$  OR 0.111, 0.185, 0.296, 0.407

(A1)

substitution of their probabilities into formula for expected value

(M1)

$$3 \times \frac{3}{27} + 5 \times \frac{5}{27} + 8 \times \frac{8}{27} + 11 \times \frac{11}{27} \text{ OR } \frac{219k}{20}$$

$$= 8.11111\dots$$

$$E(X) = 8.11 \left( = \frac{219}{27} = \frac{73}{9} \right) \text{ (same 3sf from previous 3sf answer)}$$

A1

[3 marks]

Total [5 marks]

### Question 43

(a) (i)  $a = 0.362$  (exact);  $b = 30.5$  (exact)

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1A0** if the values of  $a$  and  $b$  are interchanged or not labelled.

(ii)  $a$  represents the (average) rate of increase (change) in population (0.362 millions of people per year). (or equivalent)

**R1**

**[3 marks]**

(b) It is unreliable because 2030 is outside the range of data (extrapolation).

**A1**

**[1 mark]**

(c) (i) attempt to find  $B(100)$

**(M1)**

61.4707...

61.5 million OR 61,500,000

**A1**

(ii) The annual growth rate of the population is 0.7%.

**A1**

**Note:** Description must include some reference to annual rate.

**[3 marks]**

(d) 58.1070...

58.1 million OR 58,100,000

**A1**

**[1 mark]**

(e) consideration of the difference function  $C(t) - B(t)$  or  $B(t) - C(t)$  or  $|C(t) - B(t)|$   
evidence of finding the maximum (or minimum) of this function.

**(M1)**

**(M1)**

$t = 45.9583$

2045 (accept 2046)

**A1**

**[3 marks]**

(f) (i) 0.282151...  
 $B'(40) = 0.282$

**A1**

(ii) 0.325546...  
 $C'(40) = 0.326$

**A1**

**[2 marks]**

(g)  $B'(40) < C'(40)$  (or equivalent in words)

**A1**

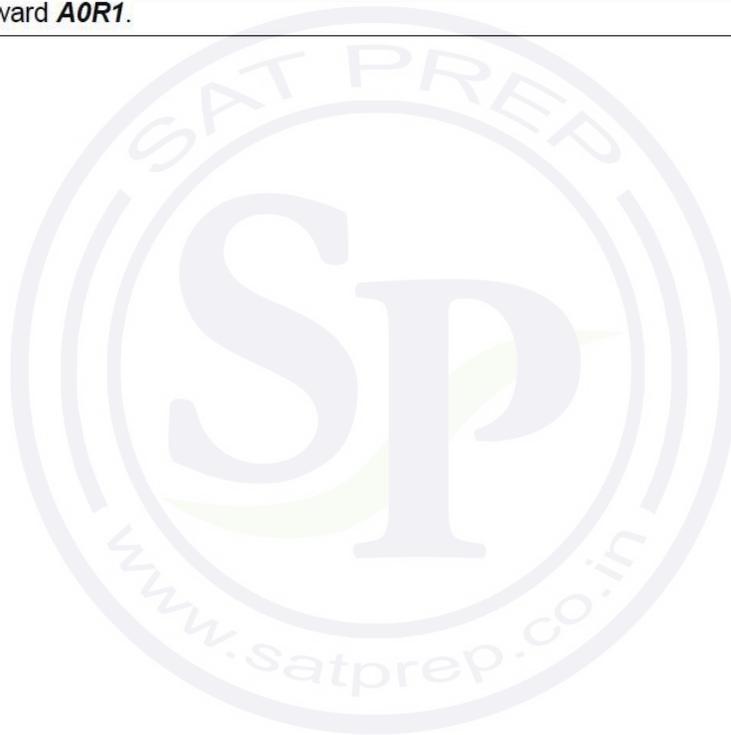
the population in Cecilia's model is increasing at a faster rate than in Benoit's model (in 2040) (or equivalent)

**R1**

**Note:** Do not award **A0R1**.

**[2 marks]**

**Total [15 marks]**



**Question 44**

- (a) 16.7037...  
16.7(%)

**A1**  
**[1 mark]**

- (b) recognition of binomial  
 $X \sim B(1000, 0.167\dots)$

**(M1)**

attempt to find  $P(X < 150)$  OR  $P(X \leq 149)$

**(M1)**

0.0669378...

$P(X < 150) = 0.0669$  (accept 0.0673 from previous 3sf)

**A1**

**[3 marks]**

- (c) recognition of conditional probability in context

**(M1)**

$P(\text{age} \geq 75 | \text{age} \geq 55)$  OR  $\frac{P(\text{age} \geq 55 \cap \text{age} \geq 75)}{P(\text{age} \geq 55)}$

**Note:** Recognition must be shown in context either in words or symbols, not just  $P(A|B)$

$\frac{P(\text{age} \geq 75)}{P(\text{age} \geq 55)}$

**(A1)**

$\frac{2.1}{(2.1+12.9)}$  OR  $\frac{0.0233853\dots}{0.167}$

**(A1)**

0.14 (exact)  $\left( = \frac{7}{50} \right)$

**A1**

**Note:** Condone use of "a" or "X" or any letter for age.

**[4 marks]**

- (d) 15, 26.5, 45, 65, 85

**A1**

**[1 mark]**

- (e) (i) 38.0740...  
mean = 38.1 A1
- (ii) variance is square of standard deviation (M1)  
16.3639...<sup>2</sup>  
267.778...  
variance = 268 A1
- [3 marks]**

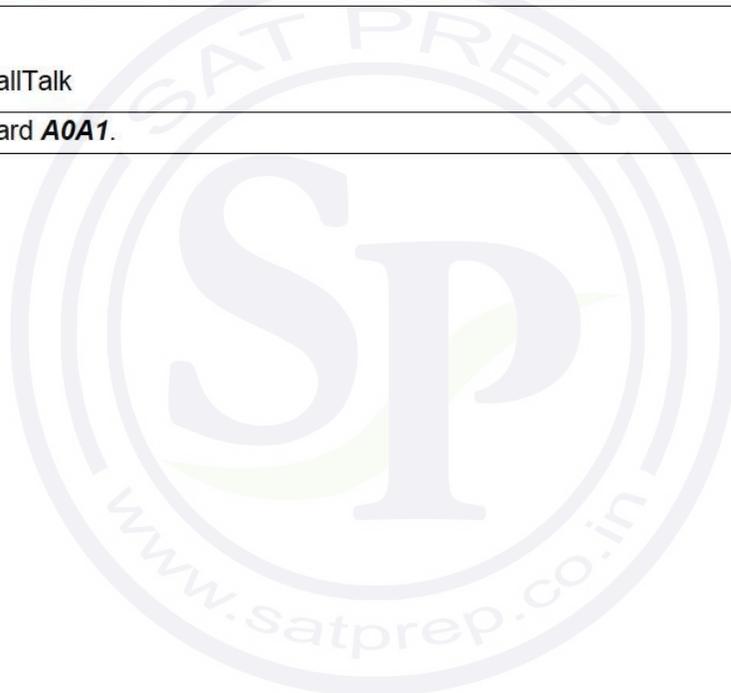
- (f) (i) Graph D A1

**Note:** Allow **FT** from incorrect values for mean and variance in (e).

- (ii) SmallTalk A1

**Note:** Do not award **A0A1**.

**[2 marks]**  
**Total [14 marks]**



**Question 45**

- (a) recognition of sum of probabilities equals 1

**(M1)**

$$\frac{2k}{15} + \frac{4k}{15} + \frac{7k}{15} + \frac{10k}{15} = 1$$

$$k = 0.652173\dots$$

$$k = 0.652 \left( = \frac{15}{23} \right)$$

**A1**

**[2 marks]**

- (b) correct probabilities:  $\frac{2}{23}, \frac{4}{23}, \frac{7}{23}, \frac{10}{23}$  OR 0.0870, 0.174, 0.304, 0.435

**(A1)**

substitution of their probabilities into formula for expected value

**(M1)**

$$2 \times \frac{2}{23} + 4 \times \frac{4}{23} + 7 \times \frac{7}{23} + 10 \times \frac{10}{23} \text{ OR } \frac{169k}{15}$$

$$= 7.34782\dots$$

$$E(X) = 7.35 \left( = \frac{169}{23} \right) \text{ (same 3sf from previous 3sf answer)}$$

**A1**

**[3 marks]**

**Total [5 marks]**

