

2009 Mathematics

Intermediate 2 – Units 1, 2 and 3 Paper 2

Finalised Marking Instructions

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These principles describe the approach to be taken when marking Intermediate 2 Mathematics papers. For more detailed guidance please refer to the notes which are included with the Marking Instructions.

- 1 Marks must be assigned in accordance with the Marking Instructions. The main principle in marking scripts is to give credit for the skills demonstrated and the criteria met. Failure to have the correct method may not preclude a candidate gaining credit for the calculations involved or for the communication of the answer.
- 2 The answer to one part of a question, even if incorrect, must be accepted as a basis for subsequent dependent parts of the question. Full marks in the dependent part(s) may be awarded provided the question is not simplified.
- **3** The following should not be penalised:
 - working subsequent to a correct answer (unless it provides firm evidence that the requirements of the question have not been met)
 - omission or misuse of units (unless marks have been specifically allocated for the purpose in the marking scheme)
 - bad form, eg sin $x^\circ = 0.5 = 30^\circ$
 - legitimate variation in numerical values / algebraic expressions.
- 4 Solutions which seem unlikely to include anything of relevance must nevertheless be followed through. Candidates still have the opportunity of gaining one mark or more provided the solution satisfies the criteria for the mark(s).
- 5 Full credit should only be given where the solution contains appropriate working. Where the correct answer may be obtained by inspection or mentally, credit may be given, but reference to this will be made in the Marking Instructions.
- 6 In general markers will only be able to give credit for answers if working is shown. A wrong answer without working receives no credit unless specifically mentioned in the Marking Instructions. The rubric on the outside of the question papers emphasises that working must be shown.
- 7 Sometimes the method to be used in a particular question is explicitly stated; no credit should be given where a candidate obtains the correct answer by an alternative method.
- 8 Where the method to be used in a particular question is not explicitly stated, full credit must be given for alternative methods which produce the correct answer.
- 9 Do not penalise the same error twice in the same question.
- 10 Do not penalise a transcription error unless the question has been simplified as a result.
- **11** Do not penalise inadvertent use of radians in trigonometry questions, provided their use is consistent within the question.

The Marking Instructions should be regarded as a working document and have been developed and expanded on the basis of candidates' responses to a particular paper. While the guiding principles of assessment remain constant, details can change depending on the content of a particular examination paper in a given year.

- 1 Each mark awarded in a question is referenced to one criterion in the marking scheme by means of a bullet point.
- 2 Where a candidate has scored zero marks for any question attempted, "0" should be shown against the answer in the place in the margin.
- 3 Where a marker wishes to indicate how s/he has awarded marks, the following should be used:
 - (a) Correct working should be ticked, \checkmark .
 - (b) Where working subsequent to an error is followed through, if otherwise correct and can be awarded marks, it should be marked with a crossed tick, X.
 - (c) Each error should be underlined at the point in the working where it first occurs.
- 4 Do not write any comments, words or acronyms on the scripts.

Mathematics Intermediate 2: Paper 2, Units 1, 2 and 3

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •		
1	Ans: There were 3 sales fewer in 2008 or There were fewer sales in 2008 because 2997 < 3000			
	• ¹ strategy: know how to increase by 11%	• ¹ × 1·11 (= 3330)		
	• ² strategy: know how to calculate 2008 sales	• ² 3000 × 1·11 × 0·9 (= 2997)		
	• ³ process: carry out calculations correctly and state conclusion	\bullet^3 3 sales less in 2008		
		3 marks		
NOTES:	NOTES:			
1 F	1 For an answer of "There were 3 sales fewer in 2008" without working award 3/3			
	2 For the third mark candidates must refer to the sales of both 2006 and 2008 or the difference between them.			
	Where a candidate increases 3000 by 11% and then decreases 3000 by 10%, only the first nark is available.			
4 \	Where a candidate calculates 2 increases or 2 decreases, the final mark is not available.			

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
2 (a)	 Ans: 172 cm ¹ process: calculate the mean 	• ¹ 172
		1 mark
(b)	Ans: 4.8 cm	
	• ¹ process: calculate $(x - \overline{x})^2$	• ¹ 1, 16, 16, 36, 4, 64, 1
	\bullet^2 process: substitute into formula	$\bullet^2 \sqrt{\frac{138}{6}}$
	• ³ process: calculate standard deviation	• ³ 4·8
		3 marks
NOTES:		
1 F	For use of alternative formula, award marks as follo	WS:
•	¹ process: calculate Σx and Σx^2	• ¹ 1204, 207226
•	² process: substitute into formula	• ² $\sqrt{\frac{207226 - 1204^2 / 7}{6}}$
•	³ process: calculate standard deviation	\bullet^3 4.8
2 F	For correct answer, without working	award 0/3

	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •	
ns: 882 000 mm ³		
strategy: know to subtract the volume of two cylinders	• ¹ evidence	
process: correct substitution into formula	• ² $\pi \times 41^2 \times 900$	
process: correct substitution into formula	• ³ $\pi \times 37^2 \times 900$	
process: calculate volume of aluminium	• ⁴ 882 159	
process: round volume to 3 significant figures	• ⁵ 882 000	
	5 marks	
	strategy:know to subtract the volume of two cylindersprocess:correct substitution into formulaprocess:correct substitution into formulaprocess:calculate volume of aluminiumprocess:round volume to 3 significant	

- 1. The final mark is for rounding an answer correct to three significant figures. Where the answer requires no rounding, the final mark cannot be awarded.
- 2. SOME COMMON ANSWERS (working must be shown)

3 530 000 mm ³	$\left(\pi \times 82^2 \times 900 - \pi \times 74^2 \times 900\right)$	award 4/5
8 620 000 mm	$\left(\pi \times 41^2 \times 900 + \pi \times 37^2 \times 900\right)$	award 4/5
76 500 mm ³	$\left(\frac{4}{3} \times \pi \times 41^3 - \frac{4}{3} \times \pi \times 37^3\right)$	award 3/5
22 600 mm ³	$(\pi imes 82 imes 900 - \pi imes 74 imes 900)$	award 3/5
115 000 mm ³	$\left(\pi imes 41^2 imes 82 - \pi imes 37^2 imes 74 ight)$	award 3/5
441 000 mm ³	$(\pi \times 82 \times 900 + \pi \times 74 \times 900)$	award 2/5
45 200 mm ³	$(\pi \times (41 - 37)^2 \times 900)$	award 2/5
181 000 mm ³	$\left(\pi \times 8^2 \times 900\right)$	award 1/5

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
4 (a)	Ans: $14x + 60y = 344 \cdot 30$ • ¹ interpret: interpret the text	• $14x + 60y = 344.30$ 1 mark
NOTES:		
(b)	Ans: $21x + 40y = 368.95$ • ¹ interpret: interpret the text	• $21x + 40y = 368.95$ 1 mark
NOTES:		

Question No		rking Scheme 1 mark for each •	Illı	ustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
(c)	Ans: A car costs £2.95	£11·95 and a passenger		
	\bullet^1 strategy:	know to solve system of equations	• ¹	evidence
	• ² process:	follow a valid strategy through to produce a value for x and y	•2	a value for <i>x</i> and <i>y</i>
	• ³ process:	correct value for x and y	•3	x = 11.95, y = 2.95
	• ⁴ communicate:	state result	•4	car costs £11.95, passenger costs £2.95
				4 marks
NOTES:			1	
1	Incorrect answers in awarding 4/4	(a) and/or (b) must be followed	d thro	ough to give the possibility of
2	Any valid strategy must involve the use of two equations			
3	Where the correct values for x and y have been obtained without using simultaneous equations, marks are available only if both values have been substituted correctly into both equations.			
		$60 \times 2 \cdot 95 = 344 \cdot 30$ $40 \times 2 \cdot 95 = 368 \cdot 95$		

a car costs £11.95 a passenger costs £2.95

leading to x = 11.95, y = 2.95

award 4/4

- 4 For an answer of x = 11.95, y = 2.95, award 3/4 (lose communication mark)
- 5 For wrong answer without working or based on an invalid strategy, the final mark cannot be awarded
- 6 Where a candidate has calculated x or y to be negative, the final mark is not available.
- 7 For the award of the final mark, the costs must be stated in pounds or pence.
- 8 For the correct answer without working, award 0/4

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •			
5	Ans: 313 square inches				
	• ¹ strategy: express sector as fraction of circle	• ¹ $\frac{160}{360}$			
	• ² process: know how to calculate shaded area	• ² evidence of difference in area of two sectors			
	• ³ process: substitute correctly into formula	• ³ $\frac{160}{360} \times \pi \times (18^2 - 10^2)$			
	• ⁴ process: calculate area correctly	• ⁴ 313 square inches			
		4 marks			
NOTES:					
1 4	Accept variations in π ; disregard premature or inco	prrect rounding of 160/360			
2 H	For 160/360 $\times 2 \times \pi \times (18 - 10)$ (leading to 22.3)	award 2/4			
3 H	3 For $\frac{160}{360} \times \pi \times (18 - 10)^2$ (leading to 89.4) award 2/4				
4 \	Where a candidate works out the area of only one se	ector, eg $\frac{160}{360} \times \pi \times 18^2$ award 1/4			
6	Ans: 68.6°				
	• ¹ strategy: know to use cosine rule	• ¹ evidence			
	• ² process: correct substitution	• ² $\frac{1000^2 + 950^2 - 1100^2}{2 \times 1000 \times 950}$			
	• ³ process: calculate the size of angle BPM	• ³ 68·6°			
		3 marks			
NOTES:					
a	Where an angle other than angle BPM has been calc a maximum of $2/3$ can be awarded provided that the s consistent with the application of the cos rule.				
2 1	·2 (RAD), 76·2 (GRAD), with working	award 3/3			

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
7	Ans: $x = -0.7, x = -4.3$	
	• ¹ strategy: know to use quadratic formula	• ¹ evidence
	• ² process: substitute correctly into quadratic formula	$\bullet^2 \qquad \frac{-5\pm\sqrt{\left(5^2-4\times1\times3\right)}}{2\times1}$
	• ³ process: calculate $b^2 - 4ac$	• ³ 13
	• ⁴ process: state both values of x correct to 1 decimal place	• $4 - 0.7, -4.3$ 4 mark
NOTES:		
1	Where $b^2 - 4ac$ is calculated incorrectly, the four	rth mark is available only if $b^2 - 4ac > 0$
2	Alternative method (graphical solution)	
	• ¹ strategy: know to graph $y = x^2 + 5x + 3$	• ¹ $y = x^2 + 5x + 3$

•² communicate: indicate position of roots \bullet^2

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• 3 communicate: state first root correct to 1 • 4 communicate: state second root correct to 1 decimal place • 5 For a correct answer, without working • $\frac{1}{1}$ to $\frac{$

 $y = x^2 + 5x + 3$

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
8	Ans: $\frac{6x}{(x-1)(x+2)}$	
	• ¹ process: state a valid common denominator	• ¹ any valid denominator
	• ² process: find correct numerator of equivalent fraction	\bullet^2 both numerators correct
	• ³ process: state answer in simplest form	$\bullet^3 \qquad \frac{6x}{(x-1)(x+2)}$
		3 marks
NOTES:		
1	In this question, working subsequent to a correct a	answer should be ignored
2	For $\frac{2(x+2)+4(x-1)}{(x-1)(x+2)} = \frac{6x}{x^2-2}$	award $3/3 \qquad \sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}}$
	$\frac{2(x+2)+4(x-1)}{x^2-2} = \frac{6x}{x^2-2}$	award $2/3 \times \sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
9	Ans: $h = \frac{2A}{(a+b)}$	
	• ¹ process: start to re-arrange the formula	• ¹ $h(a+b)=2A$
	• ² process: make <i>h</i> the subject	• ² $h = \frac{2A}{(a+b)}$
		2 marks

NOTES:

1 For
$$h(a+b) = 2A$$

or $\frac{1}{2}h = \frac{A}{a+b}$
or $h(a+b) = \frac{A}{\frac{1}{2}}$ the first mark can be awarded
2 For a final answer of
 $h = \frac{2A}{a+b}$
or $h = \frac{A}{\frac{1}{2}(a+b)}$ award 2/2
3 For a final answer of
 $h = \frac{\frac{A}{\frac{1}{2}}}{a+b}$
or $h = \frac{\frac{A}{\frac{1}{2}}}{a+b}$
award 1/2

Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
10	Ans: $x = 239$ and $x = 301$	
10	• process: solve equation for sin x°	• $\sin x^\circ = \frac{-6}{7}$ or equivalent
	• ² process: find one value for x	$\bullet^2 \qquad x = 239$
	• ³ process: find second value for x	$\bullet^3 \qquad x = 301$
		3 marks
NOTES:		
1	Where sin x° is calculated incorrectly, the second and third marks are available only when sin $x^{\circ} < 0$. Where sin $x^{\circ} > 0$, 1/3 can be awarded when two values of x are calculated consistent with the incorrect value for sin x° (working eased).	
2	Where a graphical solution has been used, the first mark is available for indicating what graph is drawn and where the values occur.	
3	For a correct answer, without working	award 0/3
11	Ans: $6\sqrt{2}$	
	• ¹ strategy: know how to rationalise denominator	$\bullet^1 \frac{12}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$
	• ² process: simplify answer	\bullet^2 $6\sqrt{2}$
		2 marks
NOTES:	1	
1	For an answer of $\frac{6\sqrt{2}}{1}$, with working	award 2/2
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Question No	Marking Scheme Give 1 mark for each •	Illustrations of evidence for awarding a mark at each •
12	Ans: $a^{-2} b^4$ or $\frac{b^4}{a^2}$	
	• ¹ process: simplify one variable	• ¹ a^{-2} or b^4
	• ² process: simplify fully with no subsequent errors	• ² $a^{-2}b^4$
		2 marks
NOTES:		
13	Ans: 8.6 metres	
	• ¹ strategy: know to apply sine rule in Δ BCD to find BD or other valid strategy	• ¹ evidence
	• ² process: correct application of the sine rule or other valid strategy	• ² $\frac{BD}{\sin 38^{\circ}} = \frac{5}{\sin 17^{\circ}}$ or
		$\frac{DC}{\sin 125^\circ} = \frac{5}{\sin 17^\circ}$
	• ³ process: calculate BD	• ³ BD = 10.5 or DC = 14.0
	• ⁴ strategy: know to use right-angled trig to find height of building	• ⁴ $\sin 55^\circ = \frac{AD}{10 \cdot 5}$ or $\sin 38^\circ = \frac{AD}{14 \cdot 0}$
	• ⁵ process: correct calculation of AD	• ⁵ 8·6
		5 marks
NOTES:		1

- 1 Disregard any errors due to premature rounding provided there is evidence.
- 2 Variations in answers for BD (or DC) or a wrong value for BD (or DC) must be accepted as a basis for calculating the height.
- 3 Where a candidate assumes that B is the midpoint of AC, the last two marks are available for a correct trig calculation.
- 4 Where an incorrect trig ratio is used to find the height, the fifth mark is still available.
- 5 For a correct answer without working, award 0/5

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4 marks
award 3/4
award 2/4
award 2/4
award 1/4
k is available.
award 0/4

TOTAL MARKS FOR PAPER 2 50

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]