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Mathematics A

Unit MAP6

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Key to Mark Scheme

M	mark is for	method
m	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for.....	method
A	mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for	accuracy
B	mark is independent of M or m marks and is for	method and accuracy
E	mark is for	explanation
✓ or ft or F	follow through from previous	incorrect result
CAO	correct answer only	
AWFW	anything which falls within	
AWRT	anything which rounds to	
AG	answer given	
SC	special case	
OE	or equivalent	
A2,1	2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks	
-x EE	deduct x marks for each error	
NMS	no method shown	
PI	possibly implied	
SCA	substantially correct approach	
c	candidate	
SF	significant figure(s)	
DP	decimal place(s)	

Abbreviations used in Marking

MC – x	deducted x marks for mis-copy
MR – x	deducted x marks for mis-read
ISW	ignored subsequent working
BOD	given benefit of doubt
WR	work replaced by candidate
FB	formulae booklet

Application of Mark Scheme

No method shown:

Correct answer without working.....	mark as in scheme
Incorrect answer without working	zero marks unless specified otherwise

More than one method/choice of solution:

2 or more complete attempts, neither/none crossed out	mark both/all fully and award the mean mark rounded down
1 complete and 1 partial attempt, neither crossed out	award credit for the complete solution only

Crossed out work

do not mark unless it has not been replaced

Alternative solution using a correct or partially
correct method

award method and accuracy marks as
appropriate

MAP6

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
1(a)	$\frac{1-4}{3} = \frac{-3+4}{-1} = \frac{2-4}{2} = -1$ $\frac{1-5}{2} = \frac{-3+1}{1} = \frac{2-6}{2} = -2$	B1	1	all three must be seen
(b)	$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ $= \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ <p>Equation of plane is $4x + 2y - 5z + 12 = 0$</p>	M1A1 A1F M1A1F	6	<p>(b) Alternative:-</p> $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \mu \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{M1}$ $x = 1 + 3\lambda + 2\mu$ <p>ft miscopy $y = -3 - \lambda + \mu$ A1</p> $z = 2 + 2\lambda + 2\mu$ <p>eliminate λ M1A1F</p> <p>eliminate μ A1F</p> <p>result A1F</p>
(c)	<p>Perpendicular distance from (0,0,0)</p> $= \frac{12}{\sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + (-5)^2}}$ $= \frac{4}{5}\sqrt{5}$	M1A1F A1	3	<p>(c) Alternative</p> $\vec{OP} = -\frac{4}{15} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{M1A1F}$ <p>cao $= \frac{4\sqrt{5}}{5}$ A1 cao</p>
Total			10	

MAP6 (Cont)

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
2(a)	y -axis	B1	1	
(b)	$\sin \theta = \frac{1}{3}, \quad \cos \theta = \frac{-2\sqrt{2}}{3}$	B1B1		Correct answer with $\tan \theta = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ scores 3 marks
	angle is $\pi - \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = 2.8$	B1	3	B0 here if B0 awarded in line above cao from correct $\cos \theta$ and $\sin \theta$ 2.8 with no method B1 3.5 as an answer could be correct but needs scrutiny
Total			4	
3(a)	$\Delta = 2(0 - 2) - a(0 + 6) - a(-1 - 9)$ $= 4a - 4$	M1A1 A1F	3	M1 for correct method of expansion ft on one error
(b)	$a = 1$	B1F	1	
(c)(i)	$x = t, \quad y = 3t$	M1A1		M1 for complete method
	$z = 5t$	A1F	3	If answer given as $x = \frac{1}{3}y = \frac{1}{5}z$ o.e. deduct 1 mark Alternative $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ B1 } \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ M1A1F}$
(ii)	sheaf (oe) of planes	E1	1	
Total			8	

MAP6 (Cont)

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
4(a)	$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1-p \end{bmatrix} \quad \overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2-p \end{bmatrix}$ $\overrightarrow{AD} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 4-p \end{bmatrix}$	B2, 1, 0	2	
(b)	$\overrightarrow{AB} \times \overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{bmatrix} 2(2-p) + (-1-p) \\ -(2-p) + 2(-1-p) \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$ $= \begin{bmatrix} 3-3p \\ -4-p \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$ $(\overrightarrow{AB} \times \overrightarrow{AC}) \cdot \overrightarrow{AD} = \begin{bmatrix} 3-3p \\ -4-p \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 4-p \end{bmatrix}$ $= -11 + 11p$	M1A1F A1F M1A1F	5	Alternative $\begin{vmatrix} -1 & -3 & 4-p \\ 1 & 2 & -1-p \\ 2 & -1 & 2-p \end{vmatrix}$ expanded correctly gather terms $11p - 11$ M1 A2, 1, 0 m1 A1F
(c)	$ -11 + 11p = 22$ $p = 3$ $p = -1$	M1A1F M1A1F	4	Incorrect formula M0 here but allow this M1 even if formula is incorrect, and A1F also
Total			11	

MAP6 (Cont)

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
5(a)	$\mathbf{AX} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3p+2r & 3q+2s \\ 4p+r & 4q+s \end{bmatrix}$	M1A1	3	M1 for method of multiplying matrices
	$\mathbf{XB} = \begin{bmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5p-q \\ 5r-s \end{bmatrix}$	B1		
(b)(i)	$\mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{XB} \quad 3p+2r=5p, \quad 4p+r=5r$ $3q+2s=-q, \quad 4q+s=-s$	M1A1F	4	2 equations are sufficient
	$p=r, \quad -2q=s$	A1		cao
	$\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} p & q \\ p & -2q \end{bmatrix}$	A1F		
(ii)	Det $\mathbf{X} = -3pq \neq 0$	B1F	4	Any valid unsimplified expression $\neq 0$
	$\mathbf{X}^{-1} = -\frac{1}{3pq} \begin{bmatrix} -2q & -q \\ -p & p \end{bmatrix}$	M1		For method of finding inverse
		m1		Appropriate use of determinant
		A1F		
(iii)	$\mathbf{X}^{-1}\mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{X}^{-1}\mathbf{XB} = \mathbf{IB} = \mathbf{B}$	M1A1	2	or directly (i.e. from original matrices) $\mathbf{X}^{-1}\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{I}$ must be seen
(iv)	Eigenvectors $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$	B1B1	4	OE deduct B1 once if eigenvectors and eigenvalues are not clearly corresponding
	Eigenvalues 5, -1	B1B1		
Total			17	

MAP6 (Cont)

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
6(a)	Any method	B1	1	Must be convincing
(b)(i)	$\overrightarrow{OM} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{a} + 5\mathbf{b})$	M1A1		M1 method for either
	$\overrightarrow{ON} = \frac{1}{2}(3\mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{b})$	A1	3	
(ii)	$\Delta OMN = \frac{1}{2} \overrightarrow{OM} \times \overrightarrow{ON} $			
	$= \frac{1}{8} (\mathbf{a} + 5\mathbf{b}) \times (3\mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{b}) $	M1		M0 if modules sign missing
	Use of $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{a} = 0$	B1		
	Use of $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = -\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{a}$	B1		
	$\Delta OMN = 1.5 \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} $	A1F		Must score both B1 s for this A1
	$\Delta OQR = \frac{1}{2} 3\mathbf{a} \times 5\mathbf{b} $	B1		
	$\Delta OQR = 5 \Delta OMN$	A1	6	CAO
	Total		10	
	Total		60	