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Mathematics A Unit MAS2/W

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Key to Mark Scheme

Mmark is for	method
	on one or more M marks and is for method
*	on M or m marks and is for
	ent of M or m marks and is formethod and accuracy
	explanation
	follow through from previous
V Or II Or F	
	incorrect result
	correct answer only
	anything which falls within
AWRT	anything which rounds to
AG	answer given
SC	special case
	or equivalent
	deduct x marks for each error
	no method shown
	possibly implied
	substantially correct approach
c	candidate
SF	significant figure(s)
	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
	given benefit of doubt
	work replaced by candidate
	formulae booklet
± ±	

Application of Mark Scheme

No method shown:

More than one method/choice of solution:

2 or more complete attempts, neither/none crossed out

1 complete and 1 partial attempt, neither crossed out

mark both/all fully and award the mean mark rounded down

award credit for the complete solution only

Crossed out work

Alternative solution using a correct or partially correct method

do not mark unless it has not been replaced

award method and accuracy marks as appropriate

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Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
1(a)(i)	$X \sim P_0(4.0)$			
	$P(X>8) = 1 - P(X \le 8)$ =1-0.9786 = 0.0214	M1	2	(0.021 accept)
(ii)	$Y \sim P_0(3.5)$			
	$Y \sim P_0(3.5)$ $P(Y < 2) = e^{-3.5}(1 + 3.5)$ = 0.136	M1 A1	2	(0.13589)
b(i)	$\lambda = E(T) = 7.5$	В1	1	
(ii)	$P(T \ge 11) = 1 - P(T \le 10)$ =1-0.8622	M1		
	= 0.1378	A1ft	2	(on their λ)
	Total		7	

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Q Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
2(a)(i)	Number of attempts = 112	B1	1	
(ii)	Number of goals = 50	B1	1	
(b)	$P(scoring) = \frac{50}{112} = 0.446 \text{ (3dp)}$	B1	1	AG
(c)(i)	Geo(0.446)	В1	1	
(ii)	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	M1		$50 \times p(x)$ attempted $\sum p = 1, \sum E_i = 50$
	$ \begin{array}{ccccccc} x & O_i & E_i & (O_i - E_i)^2 / E_i \\ 1 & 20 & 22.30 & 0.2372 \\ 2 & 14 & 12.35 & 0.2004 \\ 3 & 8 & 6.85 & 0.1931 \\ \geq 4 & 8 & 8.50 & 0.0294 \end{array} $	M1 m1		Combining $E_i < 5$ Final column attempted; dependant on first M1; based on $50 \times p$ used.
	$\sum O_i = 50 = \sum E_i \qquad 0.680$	A1		cao Awfw 0.65 to 0.69 (only if first M1A1 obtained)
	v = 4 - 2 = 2	B1		
	$\chi^2_{5\%}(2) = 5.991$	B1ft		(on their <i>v</i>)
	Geo(0.446) is a fairly good model for the			
	given data	Elft	8	on their values
	Total		12	

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Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
3(a)	$X \sim B (900, 0.01)$	B1	1	
(b)	$E(X)=900\times0.01=9$ $Var(X)=9\times0.99=8.91$	B1	2	
(c)(i)	$Var(X) = 9 \times 0.99 = 8.91$ $X \sim P_0(9.0)$	B1 B1	2	
	$\lambda = \mathrm{E}(X) \approx \mathrm{Var}(X)$	B1	2	Accept n large $(n \ge 30)$ And p small $(p < 0.1)$
(ii)	$P(X > 15) = 1 - P(X \le 15)$ $= 1 - 0.9780$	M1		[For $1 - P(X \le 15)$ for any dist. approx used]
	= 0.0780 $= 0.022$	A1	2	awrt 0.022
(d)(i)	Unreasonable that p is constant	B1	1	
(ii)	Group of friends are more likely to be excluded	B1	1	
	Total		9	

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Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
4(a)	0.5	B1		Curve from (0, 0) to (3, 0.5)
	0 3 4 5 t	B1	2	Straight line from (3, 0.5) to (5, 0)
(b)	$F(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{t^3}{54} & 0 \le t \le 3\\ \frac{1}{8} (10t - t^2 - 17) & 3 \le t \le 5 \end{cases}$	B1 M1M1 A1	4	
(c)	$P(T < 4) = F(4) = \frac{1}{8}(40 - 16 - 17)$	M1		Alternative (c): $1 - \frac{1}{2} \times 1 \times f(4)$ $1 - \frac{1}{2} \times 1 \times \frac{1}{4}$
	$= \frac{7}{8} $	A1	2	$1 - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{7}{8}$

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5(a)	$H_o: \mu=300$	IVIAINS	1 Otal	Comments
		B1		
	$H_1: \mu < 300$	Di		
	$Y \sim N(300, 16)$			
	$\overline{Y} \sim N\left(300, \frac{16}{20}\right) \sim N\left(300, 0.8\right)$	B1		For 0.8
	$z = \frac{298.1 - 300}{\sqrt{0.8}} = -2.124$	M1A1		awrt –2.12
	$z_{crit} = -2.3263$	B1		Allow ± 2.3263
	accept H _o Insufficient evidence at the 1% level to support the members' suspicion.	E1ft	6	on their z
(b)	$\frac{\overline{Y} - 300}{\sqrt{0.8}} \le -2.3263$ $\overline{Y} \le 300 - \sqrt{0.8} \times 2.3263$	M1		
	$\overline{Y} \le 300 - \sqrt{0.8} \times 2.3263$ $\overline{Y} \le 297.9$	A1	2	
(c)	P(Type II error)			
	$= P \left(Z > \frac{297.9 - 296.5}{\sqrt{0.8}} \right)$	M1√		M1 and next A1 ft on their (b) $z = 1.5868$ (1.56 – 1.59)
	= P(Z > -1.59)	A1ft		
	$=1-\Phi(1.59)$			
	=1-0.94408			
	= 0.0559 (3sf)	A1	3	Awrt 0.055 to 0.060
	Total		11	

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Q Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
6(a)(i)	$A_1 \sim N(12, 3)$			
	$A_2 \sim N(6,2)$			
	$A_3 \sim N(32,20)$			
	3			
	$T_A = A_1 + A_2 + A_3 \sim N(50, 25)$	B1B1	2	
(ii)	$P(T_A < 60) = P(Z < 2.0)$	M1		$\left[\frac{60-\mu}{\sigma}\right]$ for their μ , σ
(22)	=0.97725	A1ft	2	$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma \end{bmatrix}$ for them μ , σ
(b)	T N(52-16)			
(6)	$T_B \sim N(53, 16)$ $P(T_R < 60) = P(Z < 1.75)$			
	=0.95994	B1	1	
		21	-	
(c)(i)	P(at least one will take > 1 hour)			
	$=1-0.97725\times0.95994$			(0.02275×0.95994)+
	$= 1 - 0.97723 \times 0.93994$ $= 1 - 0.9381$	M1A1√		(0.04006×0.97725)+
	= 0.0619			(0.04006×0.02275)
	- 0.0019	A1	3	= 0.021839 + 0.03915 + 0.00091
(ii)				= 0.0619
	$T_B - T_A \sim N(3,41)$	B1		For 3
	Д А (//	M1 A1		For adding variances for 41
	$P(T_B - T_A > 0) = P(Z > -0.4685)$	M1		$\frac{0-3}{\sqrt{41}}$
	$=\Phi(0.47)$			$\sqrt{41}$
		A 1	5	overfix 0.690 and 0.691
	= 0.68082	A1	5	awfw 0.680 and 0.681
	Total		13	
	Total		60	