

A-LEVEL **MATHEMATICS**

Decision 1 – MD01 Mark scheme

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Key to mark scheme abbreviations

M	mark is for method
m or dM	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method
Α	mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy
В	mark is independent of M or m marks and is for method and accuracy
Е	mark is for explanation
√or ft or F	follow through from previous incorrect result
CAO	correct answer only
CSO	correct solution only
AWFW	anything which falls within
AWRT	anything which rounds to
ACF	any correct form
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
С	candidate
sf	significant figure(s)
dp	decimal place(s)

No Method Shown

Where the question specifically requires a particular method to be used, we must usually see evidence of use of this method for any marks to be awarded.

Where the answer can be reasonably obtained without showing working and it is very unlikely that the correct answer can be obtained by using an incorrect method, we must award **full marks**. However, the obvious penalty to candidates showing no working is that incorrect answers, however close, earn **no marks**.

Where a question asks the candidate to state or write down a result, no method need be shown for full marks.

Where the permitted calculator has functions which reasonably allow the solution of the question directly, the correct answer without working earns **full marks**, unless it is given to less than the degree of accuracy accepted in the mark scheme, when it gains **no marks**.

Otherwise we require evidence of a correct method for any marks to be awarded.

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
1(a)	1 2 3 4 5 A 0 0 1 0 0 B 1 1 1 0 0 C 0 0 1 1 1 D 0 1 0 1 0 E 0 1 0 1 0	M1	2	5x5 matrix with some 0's, 1's oe (or transpose) This diagram (or transpose), including labelling.
(b)(i)	Ignore paths that do not lead to a complete match. For all paths, the order may start from 1 and/or 5. Initial path MUST have only 4 'terms' Correct 4 term path Correct pair of paths (order is only important if second path has 6 terms) $D-2+B-1$ and $E-4+C-5$ $D-2+B-1$ then $E-2+D-4+C-5$ $E-4+C-5$ then $D-4+E-2+B-1$	M1 A1		Or, D-4+C-5 and $E-2+B-1D-4+C-5$ then $E-4+D-2+B-1E-2+B-1$ then $D-2+E-4+C-5$
	Match - must be stated and not simply			If a candidate works on diagrams, then the marks can be earned, BUT only one path per diagram (2 paths on 1 diagram scores M0). The start vertex and path must be clear and correct to score M1. The start vertex and path on a second diagram must be clear and correct to score A1.
	'shown' on a diagram A3, B1, C5, D2, E4 or A3, B1, C5, D4, E2	В1	3	
(ii)	Match - must be stated and not simply 'shown' on a diagram Match A3, B1, C5, D4, E2 or A3, B1, C5, D2, E4	B1	1	
	Total		6	

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2(a)(i)	4 1 2 3 (7) 5 6 D E F G H I S D 120 140 80 170 140 140 E 120 - 70 80 130 130 110	M1		Some (just) rows or (just) cols crossed out, with some values circled/highlighted
	F 140 70 - 90 190 85 90 G 80 80 90 - 110 100 100	A1		Any 6 values circled/highlighted/listed seen either in table or body of script
	H 170 130 190 (110) - 140 150 I 140 130 (85) 100 140 60 S 140 110 90 100 150 60	A1		First 3 correct, EF or FE, EG or GE, GD or DG, identified AND E, F, G numbered (1, 2, 3 or (0), 1, 2)
				(if <u>no</u> numbering on table, accept order if clearly shown by a correct list)
		A1		All correct or fully correct transpose (numbering may be as first A mark, if no numbering on table, accept order if clearly shown by a correct list, condone omission of 7 at <i>H</i> . Condone row (or col) <i>H</i> not crossed out.)
		B1	5	Correct edges (not lengths), either listed or values circled/highlighted seen either in table or body of script
(ii)	485	B1	1	
(iii)	-			
	$D \downarrow F$	M1		ST with 7 vertices and 6 edges
	G	A1	2	Correct including labelling
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(b)(i)	H [†] IF (FI), IS (SI)	B1, B1		Must be in this order If only 1 edge given then 'last/2 nd last' must be clearly stated
(ii)	IF (FI), GH(HG)	B1	3	Must be clearly stated Must be in this order (SC1 if B0 scored in part (i) and (ii), and ONLY IS given for part(i) and GH for part (ii).)
	Total		11	

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
3 (a)(i)	A 0 16 B 34 37 36 29 H 28 E F G H 28 K 76 64 61	M1 A1 m1 A1 A1	6	Use of Dijkstra, 2+ values at <i>F</i> Values of 44, 37, 36 only at <i>F</i> 3 values at <i>I</i> 3 values at <i>J</i> All correct, including cancelling and boxing. (condone omission of 0 at <i>A</i>) Final value at <i>K</i> is 61 (diagram takes precedence over value in body of script) (Notation: accept correct alternative notation eg 3 'box' method etc) If working from <i>K</i> to <i>A</i> : M1 2 values at <i>F</i> A1 values of 34 and 26 at <i>F</i> m1 2 values at <i>A</i> m1 only one value at every other vertex A1 as above, B1 final value at <i>A</i> is 61
(ii)	ABEIK	B1	1	Or reverse Condone AB, BE, EI, IK
(b)	63 (mins) oe	B1	1	Condone (11), DL, LI, III
(c)	64 (mins) oe <i>ABFJK</i>	B1 B1	2	Or reverse
	Total		10	

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
4(a)	AC + EG = (6 + 9.5) = 15.5 AE + CG = 11 + 12.5 or 23.5 AG + CE = (7 + 8) = 15	M1 A2,1,0		These 3 sets of pairs stated All 3 correct, 2 correct
	79.5 + their min total = 94.5	m1 A1 cso	5	PI by their final answer (if M0 scored then 94.5 scores SC2)
(b)(i)	2	B1		
(ii)	3	B1	2	
(c)(i)	79.5 + their min edge	M1		PI by their final answer (must have 6
	= 85.5	A1		'values' in part (a)) If M0 scored then 85.5 scores 2/2
(ii)	E,G	B1	3	
	Total		10	

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5	FR 2 0 2 4 6 8 10 8 10 10 10 10 10 10 10			Accuracy: All lines must be ruled, correct to within ½ small square both horizontally and vertically, at 'key' vertices, stated below. Ignore objective lines in part (a)
(a)	x = 1, $y = 3$ and $x + y = 5x + y = 123x + 8y = 64$	B1 B1 M1		x + y = 5, correct at $(0, 5)$ and $(5, 0)Correct at (4, 8) and (8, 4)Line with 'correct' gradient (-0.5 to -0.3)passing through (0, 8).$
(1-)	Correct feasible region	A1 B1	5	Correct at (8, 5) F.R. (a pentagon) clearly identified and labelled, must have scored previous 4 marks
(b)				If multiple vertices are listed then final answer must be clearly identified. For the second B1, the coordinates must be stated explicitly. (allow <i>x</i> =9, <i>y</i> =3 etc)
(i)	30, (9, 3)	B1, B1		(anow x-2, y-3 ctc)
(ii)	29.6, (6.4, 5.6) oe	B1, B1		SC1 for 29 - 31, AND (6 - 7, 5 - 6)
(iii)	-15, (9, 3)	B1, B1	6	
	Total		11	

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
6(a)(i)	30	B1		
(ii)	20	B1	2	
(b)(i)	Quicker going via L oe	E 1	1	<i>MLN</i> (= 236), allow 126 + 110
(ii)	932 (mins) isw	B1	1	
(iii)	MLNLBLELM	M1		Any correct 'expansion' eg MLN, NLB or
		A1	2	BLE
(iv)	Script takes precedence over working on table. MBLNEM or MBLNLEM 796 (mins)	M1 m1 A1 A1 cso	4	Any tour starting and finishing at <i>M</i> Visits all vertices Correct order If M0 scored, then 796 scores SC2 If a candidate works only on a table M1 for 4 or 5 values circled m1 for 5 values circled, one per row/col A1 for correct values circled and order shown A1 for 796
	Total		10	

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
7	$4x + 10y + 10z \le 240$	M1		One correct inequality, PI by correct simplified inequalities
	$7x + 14y + 14z \le 210$ $14x + 21y + 28z \le 420$	A1		All 3 correct,(PI by correct simplified inequalities)
	(Leading to) $2x + 5y + 5z \le 120 \text{ISW}$ $x + 2y + 2z \le 30 \text{ISW}$ $2x + 3y + 4z \le 60 \text{ISW}$	m1 A1		Correctly simplifying one inequality All correct
	$x > y + z$ ISW $y \ge z$ ISW	B1 B1		OE, must have all coefficients as ± 1 OE, must have all coefficients as ± 1
	$y \ge \frac{15}{100}(x+y+z)$ (Leading to) $17y \ge 3x + 3z \qquad \text{ISW}$	M1 A1		OE (but not 15%) Any correct rearrangement involving integer coefficients
	Total		8	$eg 17y - 3x - 3z \ge 0$

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
8(a)(i)	If <i>x</i> is even, there would be three odds Hence <i>x</i> is odd.	M1 A1	2	Or, Sum = $5x + 7$, must be even, M1 (so $5x$ must be odd),
(ii)	x = 1 (if only seen in part (i), this mark can be awarded if a correct graph is given in part	B1		so x must be odd A1
	(ii)) Graph clearly having 5 vertices and 5 or 6 edges Correct graph must clearly have 5 vertices, 6 edges and degree of vertices as 1, 2, 2, 3, 4	B1 B1	3	eg
(b)(i)	(Min =) 0 (Max =) 9	B1 B1	2	
(ii)	(the degrees of the vertices must be 0, 1, 29) There would be an odd number of odds Impossible	E1 E1	2	Or, If all different, then sum = 45 Impossible, as sum must be even Or, Degrees of 0 and 9 would occur, Impossible as '9' would connect to the '0'
	Total		9	