

# Mark Scheme (Results)

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## General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

## EDEXCEL IAL MATHEMATICS

### **General Instructions for Marking**

- 1. The total number of marks for the paper is 75.
- 2. The Edexcel Mathematics mark schemes use the following types of marks:
- **M** marks: method marks are awarded for 'knowing a method and attempting to apply it', unless otherwise indicated.
- A marks: Accuracy marks can only be awarded if the relevant method (M) marks have been earned.
- **B** marks are unconditional accuracy marks (independent of M marks)
- Marks should not be subdivided.
- 3. Abbreviations

These are some of the traditional marking abbreviations that will appear in the mark schemes.

- bod benefit of doubt
- ft follow through
- the symbol  $\sqrt{}$  will be used for correct ft
- cao correct answer only
- cso correct solution only. There must be no errors in this part of the question to obtain this mark
- isw ignore subsequent working
- awrt answers which round to
- SC: special case
- oe or equivalent (and appropriate)
- dep dependent
- indep independent
- dp decimal places
- sf significant figures
- **\*** The answer is printed on the paper
- The second mark is dependent on gaining the first mark
- 4. All A marks are 'correct answer only' (cao.), unless shown, for example, as A1 ft to indicate that previous wrong working is to be followed through. After a misread however, the subsequent A marks affected are treated as A ft, but manifestly absurd answers should never be awarded A marks.
- 5. For misreading which does not alter the character of a question or materially simplify it, deduct two from any A or B marks gained, in that part of the question affected.
- 6. Ignore wrong working or incorrect statements following a correct answer.

Marks

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**B**1

B1

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B1

M1 M1 A1

B1

Question Number	Scheme
<b>1.</b> (a)	165, 8
(b)	Select <u>every 6<sup>th</sup> person</u> {having chosen the first person by} Selecting a random number between 1 and 6 <b>or</b> selecting a random number and then loop back to start when you reach the end.
(b)(ii)	The <u>list is alphabetical and has not been <b>sorted</b> by gender.</u>
(c)	Label male members 1- 180, female members $1 - 120$ <u>Use random numbers</u> to select a Simple random sample of <u>30 male</u> members and <u>20 female</u> members
(d)	<ul> <li>Any one of</li> <li>It (a stratified sample) is <u>not biased</u> as the members are chosen randomly.</li> <li>You <u>can estimate</u> the <u>sampling errors</u> (for a stratified sample)</li> <li>It (a stratrified sample) gives <u>more accurate estimates</u> as it is a random process.</li> <li>A quota sample may <u>be biased</u> (whereas a stratrified sample is not).</li> <li>It's <u>not possible</u> to <u>estimate/find</u> the <u>sampling errors</u> for a <u>quota sample</u> (whereas you can for a stratified sample)</li> </ul>

	(*	whereas you can for a stratified sample)	
			[1] 8
		Notes	0
(a)	B1	165 followed by 8 or 008.	
(b)(i)	1 <sup>st</sup> B1	For selecting every $6^{\text{th}}$ (name on the list)	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> dB1	is dependent on the first B1 mark being awarded.	
		For idea of using random numbers to select first from 1 to 6 or 0 to 5 (o.e	e.)
		or selecting a random number between 1 and 300 and then looping back	when the
		end of the list has been reached.	
(b)(ii)	B1	A comment that implies the list (or sampling frame) has not been sorted	by gender.
	Note	B0 for "the ordered list is not truly random"	
	Note	B0 for "sample does not divide the members into gender."	
(c)	1 <sup>st</sup> M1	For suitable labelling of all 180 males and all 120 females. E.g.	
		Allow labelling female members 181 – 300.	
		Also allow labelling male members $0 - 179$ and female members	
		either 0 to 119 or 180 to 299.	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> M1	For use of random numbers to select males and females.	
	A1	For 30 males and 20 females (dependent on 2 <sup>nd</sup> M1 only)	
	Note	A simple random sample of 30 males and 20 females scores 2 <sup>nd</sup> M1 and 2	A1.
(d)	Note	B0 for "a stratified sample can reflect the population structure."	
		B0 for "estimates obtained from each of the strata."	

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Question		Scheme		Mar	:ks
Number	V follows	a continuous unform distribution over	$[\alpha - 3, 2\alpha + 3]$		
<b>2.</b> (a)		$u = \frac{2\alpha + 3 + \alpha - 3}{2}$	[a - 5, 2a + 5]	M1	
		$=\frac{3\alpha}{2}$ . So $\overline{X}$ is a biased estimator.		A1	
	bias $\left\{=\frac{3}{2}\right\}$	$\left\{\frac{\alpha}{2}-\alpha\right\} = \pm \frac{\alpha}{2}$	bias = $\pm \frac{\alpha}{2}$	B1	
(b)	$k = \frac{2}{3}$		$\frac{2}{3}$	B1	[3]
	$\alpha = \frac{2}{3}\overline{X} =$	$=\frac{2}{2}(8)$	"their $k$ " $\times$ 8	M1	[1]
	5 Max value	$e = 2\left(\frac{16}{3}\right) + 3$	$2 \times$ "their $\alpha$ " + 3 See notes	M1	
		$=\frac{41}{3}$	$\frac{41}{3}$ or $13\frac{2}{3}$ or awrt 13.7	A1	
					[3] 7
		Not			
(a)	M1	Using the formula $\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$ or getting	$\frac{3\alpha}{2}$		
	A1	$\frac{3\alpha}{2}$ and concluding. Allow A1 for $\frac{3\alpha}{2}$	$\frac{\alpha}{2} \neq \alpha$ .		
	Note	Also allow A1 for bias = $\pm \frac{\alpha}{2} \neq 0$			
(c)	1 <sup>st</sup> M1	An attempt to use the sample data g	given to find $\overline{x}$ and multiply by	their k	•
		Allow full expression for $\overline{x}$ or $\frac{\sum x}{n}$			
	Note	1 <sup>st</sup> M1 can be implied by a correct rece	overy leading to $\alpha = \frac{16}{2}$		
	2 <sup>nd</sup> M1	$2 \times$ "their $\alpha$ " + 3 where their $\alpha$ is a f	5	h found	l by
		applying $\frac{\sum x}{n}$ from the data values			
	Note	n 2(13) + 3 = 39 is M0M0A0			

Question Number		Scheme	Marks						
<b>3.</b> (a)	$H_0: \mu_A = \mu_B$	$H_1: \mu_A > \mu_B$	B1						
	s.e. = $\sqrt{\frac{35^2}{80} + \frac{28}{10}}$	M1 A1							
	$z = \frac{532 - 520}{48117}$	$\frac{0}{2}; = 2.4939 \qquad \frac{\pm (532 - 520)}{2.48117}$	dM1;						
	4.0117	awrt 2.49	A1						
		$Z = 2.3263$ or CR: $Z \ge 2.3263$ Critical value of 2.3263 $rt 0.006 < 0.01$ or " $0.994$ " > $0.99$ Or a correct probability comparison.	B1						
	[in the CR/signif Conclude either	ficant/Reject $H_0 / "0.006" < 0.01 / "0.994" > 0.99$ ]							
	<ul> <li>that the from far farm B.</li> <li>that the grapefru than that</li> </ul>	mean weight of grapefruit $\underline{mA}$ is greater than that of average weight of tit from farm $\underline{A}$ is greater 	A1						
	- that the		[7] 7						
	<b>B1</b> If	arm <i>B</i> .							
		Condone minor slips e.g. $\sqrt{\frac{35^2}{100} + \frac{28^2}{80}}$ or $\sqrt{\frac{35}{80} + \frac{28^2}{100}}$ etc.							
		. swapped <i>n</i> or one s.d. and one variance.							
	<b>1<sup>st</sup> A1</b> s.e	s.e. $=\sqrt{\frac{35^2}{80} + \frac{28^2}{100}}$ . Or can be implied by s.e. $=$ awrt 4.81 <i>is dependent upon the 1<sup>st</sup> M1.</i> You can follow through their s.e. if 1 <sup>st</sup> M1 mark has been awarded. M1A1dM1 is scored for writing $z = \pm \frac{(532 - 520)}{\sqrt{\frac{35^2}{80} + \frac{28^2}{100}}}$							
	Yo								
	Special Case SC	<b>C: M1A0M0A0 for</b> s.e. = $\sqrt{\frac{35}{80} + \frac{28}{100}}$ {= 0.847}							
		pendent on the first two method marks being scored.							
		r a contextualised comment which is rejecting $H_0$ .	TT						
		ntradictory statements score final A0. E.g. "significant, do not reject thod for 2 <sup>nd</sup> "M1A1B1" marks: Let $D = \overline{x}_A - \overline{x}_B$	H <sub>0</sub> ".						
	$2.3263 = \frac{D}{4.811}$	$\frac{0}{17}$ dM1: dependent upon the 1 <sup>st</sup> M1 for $\frac{D}{\text{their "4.8117"}} = 2.326$	53 / 2.32 / 2.33						
		A1: $D = awrt 11.2$							
	So, <i>D</i> = 11.193	B1: 2.3263							

Question Number					Sc	heme							Ma	rks
	Man	A	B	С	D	E	F	G	H	Ι	J			
<b>4.</b> (a)	Rank <i>x</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Attempt to rank		
	Rank w         2         7         4         3         1         9         6         5         8         10         Attempt to fail													
	or and for w.													
	Man	A	B	С	D	E	F	G	H	Ι	J	(at least four		
	Rank <i>x</i>	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	correct).		
	Rank w	9	4	7	8	10	2	5	6	3	1			
	$\sum d^2 = 1 + 25 + 1 + 1 + 16 + 9 + 1 + 9 + 1 + 0; = 64$ For finding the difference between each of the ranks and evaluating $\sum d^2$ .													
	$\sum d^2 = 64$													
	$r_{1} = 1 - \frac{6}{6}$	<u>64)</u> ; -	= 0.61	21212					Us	sing 1	$-\frac{6\sum_{10}}{10}$	$\frac{\sum d^2}{(99)}$ with their $\sum d^2$	dM1;	
	$r_s = 1 - \frac{6(64)}{10(99)}; = 0.6121212$ $r_s = 1 - \frac{6(64)}{10(99)}; = 0.6121212$ $\frac{101}{165}$ or awrt 0.612													
(b)	$H_0: \rho = 0, H_1: \rho > 0$ Both hypotheses stated correctly													[
(0)	0	• •		36 or	CP	r > 0	) 5636			Dou		-	B1 B1	
	Critical Value $r_s = 0.5636$ or CR: $r_s \ge 0.5636$ Critical value of 0.5636 Fither													
	Either • Since $r = 0.6121$ lies in the CR													
	<ul> <li>Since r<sub>s</sub> = 0.6121 lies in the <u>CR</u></li> <li>Result is <u>significant</u> see notes</li> </ul>													
		ject H			H, )									
						elatior	h betw						A1	
	conclude that there is a positive correlation between systolic blood pressure and weight.Conclusion in context													
														[
(c)	Both either		/ . <b>1</b>	0.5	10.4									
		tical V $\therefore r \ge$			+94									
	and either	. 1 /	0.547	т										
		ice $r =$	0 511	4 doe	s not l	ie in tł	ne CR							
		sult is											N/1	
		not re	-			H <sub>o</sub> )							M1	
	Conclude the						<u>on</u>				Cont	text not required here.	A1	
(d)	Fither													[
(u)	• A c and • "Tl	and "the relationship is non-linear" these or												
	• Da	ta is no	ot (bi-v	ariate	) norm	nal								[

		Notes
<b>4.</b> (a)	3 <sup>rd</sup> dM1 Note	<i>is dependent on</i> $I^{st}$ <i>MI</i> for use of $1 - \frac{6 \sum d^2}{10(99)}$ with their $\sum d^2$
(b)	1 <sup>st</sup> B1 M1	If a candidate finds $\sum d^2 = 266$ , leading to $r_s = awrt - 0.612$ then award M1M1A1M1A1. Both hypotheses stated in terms of $\rho$ . For a correct statement relating their $r_s$ ( $ r_s  < 1$ ) with their c.v. where  their c.v.  < 1
	A1	For a contextualised comment which is rejecting $H_0$ , which must mention " <u>positive</u> <u>correlation</u> ", " <u>blood pressure</u> " and " <u>weight</u> ". (Use of "association" is A0.) Follow through their $r_s$ with their c.v. (provided  their c.v.  < 1)
	Two-tailed test	Applying a two-tailed test scores a maximum of B0B1M1A0 <b>So Award SC B0B1</b> for $H_0: \rho = 0$ , $H_1: \rho \neq 0$ followed by critical value $r_s = (\pm) 0.6485$ and allow access to the M1 mark only.

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	t	H <sub>0</sub> : There is no association between type of drink and gender (independent) Correct											
	в	der (dependent) hypotheses						-	<b>5.</b> (a)				
		Some attempt at	0	1				1					
		(Row Total)(Column Total)	Hot Total		<b>Expected</b> Leg Cottee		Expected						
	M	(Grand Total)		hocolate				_					
	y	Can be implied by	94	13.16	.31	-	46.53	Male					
		at least one correct $E_i$ to 1d.p.	106	14.84	.69		52.47	Female					
		All expected	200	28	73		99	Total					
		frequencies are correct. Condone exact fractions.											
		At least 2 correct terms for					1						
1	t	$\frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$ or $\frac{O^2}{E}$ or correct		$\frac{O^2}{E}$	$\frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$	ed	Expecte	Observed					
1	. dN	expressions with their $E_i$ .	Э	69.825	2.3559	3	46.53	57					
		Accept 2 sf accuracy for the dM1 mark.		19.702	2.0127		34.31	26					
		At least 5 correct		9.1945	0.3545	5	13.16	11					
			2	33.619	2.0892	7	52.47	42					
	A	$\frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$ or $\frac{O^2}{E}$ terms to		57.094	1.7849	)	38.69	47					
		either 2 dp or better.	4	19.474	0.3144	1	14.84	17					
	l <b>.</b>	Allow truncation.											
		For applying either											
1	) dN	$\sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E} \text{ or } \sum \frac{O^2}{E} - 200$	б	0 ;= 8.911	$\frac{O^2}{E} - \frac{1}{2}$	or	$\frac{(-E)^2}{E}$ o	$\mathbf{X}^2 = \sum \frac{(O)}{(O)}$					
	) A	8.9 or awrt (8.88 – 8.91)											
		v = 2					· ·	v = (2-1)(3					
t	B	5.991 or ft $\chi^2_{\text{their }\nu}(0.05)$			$X^2 \ge 5.9$	CR:	$.991 \Rightarrow 0$	$\chi_2^2(0.05) = 5$					
					$H_0$ ]	/Reje	gnificant/	[in the CR/sig					
		A correct conclusion in context	of	tween type	ciation l	an as	t there is a	conclude that					
		which is based on <i>their</i> $X^2$ -value		e not	(or they	ender		drink preferre					
54.0		and <i>their</i> $\chi^2$ -critical value.					)	independent.)					
[10]	7 B1	Critical value of 10.597		.597	$X^2 \ge 1$	⇒ C	10.597 =	$\chi^2_2(0.005) =$	(b)				
								[not in the CI					
				1000 1101			C not sign	Either					
		ink preferred	type of c	n between	associat	re is i	lude there						
	D	Any one of these		ndent).	are indep	r the	gender (or	and g					
	<b>B</b>	been rejected Any one of these.	H <sub>0</sub> has	if a correct	ld chang	on wo	conclusion	• The c					
							rt (a)).	in pa					
[2] 12													

		Notes
<b>5.</b> (a)	1 <sup>st</sup> B1	For both hypotheses. Must mention "drink" and "gender" or "sex" at least once.
		Use of "relationship" or "correlation" or "connection" is B0.
	$2^{nd} dM1$	Dependent on the first method mark.
		At least 2 correct terms (as in $3^{rd}$ or $4^{th}$ column) or <i>correct expressions</i> with their $E_i$
	2 <sup>nd</sup> A1	All correct terms to either 2 d.p. or better. Allow truncated answers.
	3 <sup>rd</sup> dM1	Dependent on the second method mark.
		For applying either $\sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$ or $\sum \frac{O^2}{E}$ – 200
	3 <sup>rd</sup> A1	8.9 or awrt (8.88 – 8.91)
	2 <sup>nd</sup> B1	v = 2 This mark can be implied by a correct critical value of 5.991
	Note	If 8.9 or awrt (8.88 – 8.91) is seen (from a calculator) without the expected frequencies
		stated then award <b>special case</b> M0A0M1A1M1A1.
	Final A1	Dependent on the third method mark.
		A correct contextualised conclusion which is rejecting $H_0$ .
		Must mention "drink" and "gender" or "sex".
		No follow through. If e.g. hypotheses are the wrong way round A0 here.
	Note	Contradictory statements score A0. E.g. "significant, do not reject H <sub>0</sub> ".
	Note	Condone "relationship" or "connection" here but <b>not</b> "correlation".
		e.g. "There is evidence of a relationship between grades and gender"
	Note	<b>Full accuracy gives</b> $X^2 = 8.911619$ and p-value 0.0116 to 0.0117

Question Number				Scheme				Mar	rks
<b>6.</b> (a)	$\hat{p} = \frac{0(2) + 0}{8(2+1)}$	1(21) - +21 +	+2(45) + 3 45 + 42 + 1	(42) + 4(12) 2 + 3) or 8	$\frac{23}{(125)} + \frac{5(3)}{10} = \frac{3}{10}$	$\left. \frac{00}{000} \right\} = 0.3 (*)$	Answer is given. See notes.	M1 A	
(b)		5		(	23} (formula 625} (tables)	a)			[2]
	s = 125 - (7) or $s = 125 = 125$				r + 17.02 + 5.8	(33) = 1.40477  or  1	1.4075}	M1	
	r = 31.7652					r = awrt 31.77	7 or $r = awrt 31.76$	A1	
	<i>s</i> = 1.40477	or 1.4	4075 or 1.4	125		s = 1.4 or awrt1.	40 or $s = awrt1.41$	A1	[3]
(c)	# failed	$O_i$	$E_i$	Comb	Comb	$\frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$	$O^2$		
	tasks	$O_i$	$L_i$	$O_i$	$E_i$	E	$\frac{O^2}{E}$		
	0	2	7.21	2	7.21	3.7648	0.5548		
	1	21	24.71	21	24.71	0.5570	17.8470		
	2	45	37.06	45	37.06	1.7011	54.6411		
	3	42	31.77	42	31.77	3.2941	55.5241		
	4	12	(31.76) 17.02	12	(31.76)	(3.3016)	(55.5416)		
	4 5	3	5.83	12	17.02 7.23	<u>1.4806</u> 2.4748	8.4606 1.2448		
	≥ 6	0	<u> </u>	3	(7.24) {7.25}	(2.4831)	(1.2431)	M1 M1	
					Totals	13.2724 (13.2882)	138.2724 (138.2882)		
							For applying either		
	$X^2 = \sum \frac{(C)}{(C)}$	$\frac{(D-E)}{E}$	$\frac{2}{2}$ or $\sum$	$\frac{O^2}{E} - 125$	;= awrt 13.3	$\sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$	or $\sum \frac{O^2}{E} - 125$	dM1	
							awrt 13.3	A1	
	v = 6 - 1 - 1	1 = 4					see notes	B1 ft	
	$\chi_4^2(0.05) =$	9.488	$\Rightarrow$ CR: X	$X^2 \ge 9.488$			for their $\chi_k^2(0.05)$ , 1-1 from their <i>n</i> .	B1	
	$H_0$ : Binom $H_1$ : Binom				suitable) model ble model.	(or fit).	Correct hypotheses	B1	
	[in the CR/s	ignific	ant/Reject	H <sub>0</sub> ]					
						correct conclusion (c	-		
	Binomial di	stribut	ion is not a	suitable m	odel.	here) which is based and <i>thei</i>	on <i>their</i> $X^2$ -value $r \chi^2$ -critical value.	A1	
(L)	Ealland C			almai	ant (a) -	•/1	-		[8
(d)			correct con	clusion in p	oart (c), a comn	nent conveying eithe	er		
	-			not justified				B1	
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		Notes
<b>6.</b> (a)	M1	Must show clearly how to get either 300 or 1000.
	A1 cso	Showing how to get <u>both</u> 300 and 1000 and reaching $p = 0.3$
(b)	M1	For any correct method (or a correct expression) for finding either r or s.
	A1	r = awrt 31.77 or $r = $ awrt 31.76
	A1	s = 1.4 or awrt1.40 or $s = awrt1.41$
(c)	1 <sup>st</sup> M1	For an attempt to pool 5 failed tasks and $\ge 6$ failed tasks ONLY.
	Note	Give 1 <sup>st</sup> M0 for pooling 0 failed tasks and 1 failed task.
	2 <sup>nd</sup> M1	For an attempt at the test statistic, at least 2 correct expressions/values
	ard man	(to awrt 2 d.p. or truncated 2 d.p.)
	3 <sup>rd</sup> dM1	Dependent on the second method mark. $O^2$
		For applying either $\sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$ or $\sum \frac{O^2}{E} - 125$
	1 <sup>st</sup> A1	awrt 13.3
	1 <sup>st</sup> B1ft	For their evaluated $n - 1 - 1$ . i.e. realising that they must subtract 2 from their n.
	2 <sup>nd</sup> B1	For a correct ft for their $\chi_k^2(0.05)$ , where $k = n - 1 - 1$ from their <i>n</i> .
	3 <sup>rd</sup> B1	Must have both hypotheses and mention Binomial at least once.
		Inclusion of 0.3 for $p$ in hypotheses is B0 but condone in conclusion.
	Final A1	Dependent on the $2^{nd}$ and $3^{rd}$ Method marks only.
		A correct conclusion (context not required) which is rejecting $H_0$ .
	Note	No follow through on their hypotheses if they are stated the wrong way round.
	Note	Contradictory statements score A0. E.g. "significant, do not reject $H_0$ ".
	Note	Condone mentioning of $Bin(8, 0.3)$ in conclusion
	Note	Full accuracy gives a combined expected frequency of 7.245956, $\frac{(O-E)^2}{E} = 2.4880$ ,
		$\frac{O^2}{E} = 1.2421,  X^2 = 13.28333$
	Note	p-value for the test is 0.0099 to 0.0100
	Note	No combining gives $X^2 = 13.58$
	Note	Combining 0/1 and $4/5 \ge 6$ gives $X^2 = 11.02$

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<u>Number</u> 7. (a)	$X = 4Y - 3W$ , $Y \square N(40, 3^2)$ , $W \square N(50, 2^2)$ ; $Y, W$ are independent. $\{E(X) = 4E(Y) - 3E(W) = 4(40) - 3(50)\} \Rightarrow E(X) = 10$ $E(X) = 10$ (seen or implied) $Var(X) = 16Var(Y) + 9Var(W)$ Either $(4^2)Var(Y)$ or $+ (3^2)Var(W)$ $\{Var(X) = 16(9) + 9(4)\} \Rightarrow Var(X) = 180$ For adding the variances $\{Var(X) = 16(9) + 9(4)\} \Rightarrow Var(X) = 180$ $Var(X) = 180$ $\{So \ X \square N(10, 180)\}$ Standardising $(\pm)$ with their mean and their standard deviation $= P(Z > 1.11803)$ $awrt \pm 1.12$ $= 1 - 0.8686$ $awrt \pm 1.12$	B1 M1 M1 A1 M1 A1
(b)	$= 0.1314 \text{ (or } 0.131777)  \text{awrt } 0.131 \text{ or awrt } 0.132$ $A = \sum_{i=1}^{3} Y_{i}  , C \square \text{ N}(115, \sigma^{2}); \text{ P}(A - C < 0) = 0.2; \text{ A, } C \text{ are independent.}$	A1 [ <b>7</b> ]
	$\frac{1}{i=1} \{E(A-C) = 3E(Y) - E(C) = 3(40) - (115)\} \Rightarrow E(A-C) = 5 \qquad E(A-C) = 5 \\ Var(A-C) = 3Var(Y) + Var(C) \qquad 3Var(Y) \text{ and } a + \\ \{Var(A-C) = 3(9) + \sigma^2\} \Rightarrow Var(A-C) = 27 + \sigma^2 \qquad Var(A-C) = 27 + \sigma^2 \\ \{So \ A-C \square \ N(5, 27 + \sigma^2) \} \\ \{P(A-C<0) = 0.2 \} \Rightarrow P\left(Z < \frac{-5}{\sqrt{27 + \sigma^2}}\right) = 0.2$	B1 M1 A1
	$\frac{-5}{\sqrt{27 + \sigma^2}} = k \ (= -0.8416)$ Standardising $(\pm)$ with their mean and their standard deviation which is in terms of $\sigma^2$ and setting the result equal to $k$ , where $ k $ is in the interval [0.84, 0.85]. $\pm 0.8416$ or awrt $\pm 0.8416$	M1 B1
	$\sigma^{2} = \left(\frac{-5}{-0.8416}\right)^{2} - 27 \Rightarrow \sigma^{2} = \dots$ $\sigma^{2} = 8.2962 (= 8.4308 \text{ from using } -0.84)$ $\sigma^{2} = 8.2945 \text{ from calculator, so need awrt } 8.29 \text{ for full marks if no prior working is shown.}$	A1 dM1 A1 cso [8]
(a)	NoteCondone applying reversed variances, e.g. $16(4) + 9(9)$ for the first 2 method marks.NoteVar(X) = 180 with no working gets M1M1A1NoteVar(X) = 48 with no working gets M0M1A0NoteVar(X) = 108 with no working gets M1M0A0NoteVar(X) = 24 with no working gets M0M0A0	15
(b)	2 <sup>nd</sup> M1 Allow $\frac{\pm \text{ their } E(A - C)}{\sqrt{\text{their } Var(A - C)}} = k$ , where $ k $ is in the interval (0.84, 0.85). 2 <sup>nd</sup> B1 For either -0.8416 or 0.8416 2 <sup>nd</sup> A1 E.g. Allow $\frac{-5}{\sqrt{27 + \sigma^2}} = [-0.85, -0.84]$ or $\frac{5}{\sqrt{27 + \sigma^2}} = [0.84, 0.85]$	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> M1 Dependent on the 2 <sup>nd</sup> M1 mark being awarded.	

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