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AS MATHEMATICS

Unit Statistics 1B

Wednesday 8 June 2016

Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

- the blue AQA booklet of formulae and statistical tables.

You may use a graphics calculator.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Pencil should only be used for drawing.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Write the question part reference (eg (a), (b)(i) etc) in the left-hand margin.
- You must answer each question in the space provided for that question. If you require extra space, use an AQA supplementary answer book; do **not** use the space provided for a different question.
- Do not write outside the box around each page.
- Show all necessary working; otherwise marks for method may be lost.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.
- The **final** answer to questions requiring the use of tables or calculators should normally be given to three significant figures.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 75.
- Unit Statistics 1B has a **written paper only**.

Advice

- Unless stated otherwise, you may quote formulae, without proof, from the booklet.
- You do not necessarily need to use all the space provided.



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Answer **all** questions.

Answer each question in the space provided for that question.

- 1** The table shows the heights, x cm, and the arm spans, y cm, of a random sample of 12 men aged between 21 years and 40 years.

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|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| x | 152 | 166 | 154 | 159 | 179 | 167 | 155 | 168 | 174 | 182 | 161 | 163 |
| y | 143 | 154 | 151 | 153 | 168 | 160 | 146 | 163 | 170 | 175 | 155 | 158 |

- (a) Calculate the value of the product moment correlation coefficient between x and y .
[3 marks]
- (b) Interpret, in context, your value calculated in part (a).
[2 marks]

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- 2 A small chapel was open to visitors for 55 days during the summer of 2015. The table summarises the daily numbers of visitors.

| Number of visitors | Number of days |
|--------------------|----------------|
| 20 or fewer | 1 |
| 21 | 2 |
| 22 | 3 |
| 23 | 6 |
| 24 | 8 |
| 25 | 10 |
| 26 | 13 |
| 27 | 7 |
| 28 | 2 |
| 29 | 1 |
| 30 or more | 2 |
| Total | 55 |

- (a) For these data:
- (i) state the modal value; [1 mark]
- (ii) find values for the median and the interquartile range. [2 marks]
- (b) Name one measure of average **and** one measure of spread that cannot be calculated exactly from the data in the table. [2 marks]
- (c) Reference to the raw data revealed that the 3 unknown exact values in the table were 13, 37 and 58.
- Making use of this additional information, together with the data in the table, calculate the value of **each** of the two measures that you named in part (b). [3 marks]

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- 3 The table shows, for a random sample of 500 patients attending a dental surgery, the patients' ages, in years, and the NHS charge bands for the patients' courses of treatment. Band 0 denotes the least expensive charge band and band 3 denotes the most expensive charge band.

| | | Charge band for course of treatment | | | | Total |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| | | Band 0 | Band 1 | Band 2 | Band 3 | |
| Age of patient (years) | Under 19 | 32 | 43 | 5 | 0 | 80 |
| | Between 19 and 40 | 17 | 62 | 22 | 3 | 104 |
| | Between 41 and 65 | 28 | 82 | 35 | 31 | 176 |
| | 66 or over | 13 | 53 | 68 | 6 | 140 |
| Total | | 90 | 240 | 130 | 40 | 500 |

- (a) Calculate, **to three decimal places**, the probability that a patient, selected at random from these 500 patients, was:
- aged between 41 and 65;
 - aged 66 or over and charged at band 2;
 - aged between 19 and 40 and charged **at most** at band 1;
 - aged 41 or over, given that the patient was charged at band 2;
 - charged **at least** at band 2, given that the patient was **not** aged 66 or over.

[9 marks]

- (b) Four patients at this dental surgery, **not** included in the above 500 patients, are selected at random.

Estimate, **to three significant figures**, the probability that two of these four patients are aged between 41 and 65 and are **not** charged at band 0, and the other two patients are aged 66 or over and are charged at either band 1 or band 2.

[5 marks]

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- 4** As part of her science project, a student found the mass, y grams, of a particular compound that dissolved in 100 ml of water at each of 12 different set temperatures, x °C. The results are shown in the table.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| x | 20 | 25 | 30 | 35 | 40 | 45 | 50 | 55 | 60 | 65 | 70 | 75 |
| y | 242 | 262 | 269 | 290 | 298 | 310 | 326 | 355 | 359 | 375 | 390 | 412 |

- (a) Calculate the equation of the least squares regression line of y on x . **[4 marks]**
- (b) Interpret, in context, your value for the gradient of this regression line. **[2 marks]**
- (c) Use your equation to estimate the mass of the compound which will dissolve in 100 ml of water at 68 °C. **[1 mark]**
- (d) Given that the values of the 12 residuals for the regression line of y on x lie between -7 and $+9$, comment, with justification, on the likely accuracy of your estimate in part (c). **[2 marks]**

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5 Still mineral water is supplied in 1.5-litre bottles. The actual volume, X millilitres, in a bottle may be modelled by a normal distribution with mean $\mu = 1525$ and standard deviation $\sigma = 9.6$.

(a) Determine the probability that the volume of water in a randomly selected bottle is:

- (i)** less than 1540 ml;
- (ii)** more than 1535 ml;
- (iii)** between 1515 ml and 1540 ml;
- (iv)** not 1500 ml.

[7 marks]

(b) The supplier requires that only 10 per cent of bottles should contain more than 1535 ml of water.

Assuming that there has been no change in the value of σ , calculate the reduction in the value of μ in order to satisfy this requirement. Give your answer to one decimal place.

[4 marks]

(c) Sparkling spring water is supplied in packs of six 0.5-litre bottles. The actual volume in a bottle may be modelled by a normal distribution with mean 508.5 ml and standard deviation 3.5 ml.

Stating a necessary assumption, determine the probability that:

- (i)** the volume of water in **each** of the 6 bottles from a randomly selected pack is more than 505 ml;
- (ii)** the **mean** volume of water in the 6 bottles from a randomly selected pack is more than 505 ml.

[7 marks]

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- 6** The proportions of different colours of loom bands in a box of 10 000 loom bands are given in the table.

| Colour | Blue | Green | Red | Orange | Yellow | White |
|------------|------|-------|------|--------|--------|-------|
| Proportion | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.18 | 0.12 | 0.15 | 0.05 |

- (a) A sample of 50 loom bands is selected at random from the box.

Use a binomial distribution with $n = 50$, together with relevant information from the table, to estimate the probability that this sample contains:

- (i) exactly 4 **red** loom bands; [2 marks]
- (ii) at most 10 **yellow** loom bands; [1 mark]
- (iii) at least 30 **blue or green** loom bands; [3 marks]
- (iv) more than 35 but fewer than 45 loom bands that are **neither yellow nor white**. [4 marks]

- (b) The random variable R denotes the number of **red** loom bands in a random sample of **300** loom bands selected from the box.

Estimate values for the mean and the variance of R .

[2 marks]

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- 7 Customers buying euros (€) at a travel agency must pay for them in pounds (£). The amounts paid, £ x , by a sample of 40 customers were, in ascending order, as follows.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 54.17 | 83.33 | 83.33 | 83.33 | 104.17 | 125.00 | 154.17 | 166.67 | 187.50 | 187.50 |
| 208.33 | 229.17 | 229.17 | 250.00 | 250.00 | 291.67 | 312.50 | 312.50 | 312.50 | 333.33 |
| 333.33 | 333.33 | 354.17 | 362.50 | 375.00 | 375.00 | 395.83 | 404.17 | 416.67 | 416.67 |
| 437.50 | 437.50 | 458.33 | 458.33 | 479.17 | 500.00 | 516.67 | 520.83 | 541.67 | 625.00 |

$$\bar{x} = 317.50 \quad \text{and} \quad s = 146.30$$

This sample of 40 customers may be regarded as a random sample.

- (a) Construct a 99% confidence interval for the mean amount, in pounds, paid by customers buying euros at the travel agency. Give the limits to two decimal places. **[4 marks]**
- (b) The travel agency used an exchange rate of €1.20 to £1.00 for each of these 40 customers buying euros. There were no additional charges.
- (i) Comment, with justification, on a claim that the mean number of euros bought by customers at the travel agency is 400.
- (ii) Use the data in the table to comment on a claim that at most 25 per cent of customers at the travel agency buy fewer than €200.

[5 marks]

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Answer space for question 7



