

## STATISTICS 1 (A) TEST PAPER 2 : ANSWERS AND MARK SCHEME

1. (a) A quantity which can take only certain distinct values,  
with fixed probabilities B1
- (b) 

$x$	0	1	2
$P(X=x)$	$\frac{1}{7}$	$\frac{4}{7}$	$\frac{2}{7}$

M1 A1 A1 A1
- (c) (i)  $E(X) = \frac{8}{7}$       (ii)  $E(X^2) = \frac{12}{7}$        $\text{Var}(X) = \frac{12}{7} - \frac{64}{49} = \frac{20}{49}$  B1; M1 A1
- (iii)  $\text{Var}(2X) = 4 \text{Var}(X) = \frac{80}{49}$  or 1.63 M1 A1      10
2. (a)  $\frac{1}{8} + 9p + 26q = 4.5$ ,  $\frac{1}{8} + 3p + 4q = 1$  M1 A1 B1  
 $9p + 26q = 4.375$ ,  $3p + 4q = 0.875$       Solve:  $p = q = \frac{1}{8}$  M1 M1 A1 A1
- (b) Discrete uniform distribution B1
- (c)  $\frac{n^2-1}{12} = \frac{63}{12}$       s.d. = 2.29 M1 A1 A1      11
3. (a)  $547 - 479 = 68$  B1
- (b)  $\sum x = 531$  B1  
 $S_{xx} = 5890.8$ ,  $S_{yy} = 1654.1$ ,  $S_{xy} = 2296.3$        $r = 0.736$  M1 A1 A1
- (c)  $y - 54.7 = (2296.3/5890.8)(x - 53.1) = 0.3898x - 20.699$  M1 A1  
 $y = 0.390x + 34.0$  M1 A1
- (d) When  $x = 70$ ,  $y \approx 61.3$  M1 A1
- (e) Not very reliable, as value of  $r$  shows only moderate correlation B1 B1      13
4. (a)  $P(X < 2\mu) = P[Z < (2\mu - \mu)/(2\mu/3)] = P(Z < 1.5) = 0.933$  M1 A1 A1 M1 A1
- (b) (i)  $P(Z < 2\mu/\sigma) = 0.86$        $2\mu/\sigma = 1.08$        $\mu = 0.54\sigma$  M1 A1 M1 A1
- (ii)  $P(X > 0) = P[Z > -\mu/(\mu/0.54)] = P(Z > -0.54) = 0.705$  M1 M1 A1 A1      13
5. (a) A: Median = 33       $Q_1 = 26$        $Q_3 = 46$  B1 B1 B1  
B: Median = 34       $Q_1 = 20$        $Q_3 = 49$  B1 B1 B1
- (b)  $0.42 \times 30 = 12.6$ , so 13th value, 30 M1 A1
- (c) Box plots drawn B2 B2
- (d) A has positive skew, B is fairly symmetric B1 B1      14
6. (a)  $P(A_2) = \frac{7}{30}$  B1
- (b)  $P(A_1 \cap B_1) = \frac{5}{30} \times \frac{8}{32} = \frac{1}{24}$  M1 A1 A1
- (c)  $P(B_5) = \left(\frac{3}{30} \times \frac{5}{32}\right) + \left(\frac{27}{30} \times \frac{4}{32}\right) = \frac{41}{320}$        $P(A_6 | B_5) = \frac{3}{30} \times \frac{4}{32} + \frac{41}{320} = \frac{4}{41}$  M1 M1 A1 M1 A1
- (d)  $P(A_1 \cup B_3) = \frac{1}{6} + \left(\frac{7}{30} \times \frac{6}{32}\right) + \left(\frac{23}{30} \times \frac{5}{32}\right) = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{7}{160} + \frac{23}{192} = \frac{317}{960}$  or 0.330 M1 A1 M1 A1 A1      14