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Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(i)	$P(X \leq x) = F_B(x) \cdot \frac{1}{2} + F_G(x) \cdot \frac{1}{2}$ ie cdf of X is $F(x) = \frac{1}{2}\{F_B(x) + F_G(x)\}$ ie (by differentiating) pdf of X is $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}\{f_B(x) + f_G(x)\}$	M1 A1 A1 [3]	use of cdfs Answer given
1	(ii)	$E(X) = \left(\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int x f_B(x) dx + \int x f_G(x) dx \right\} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \mu_B + \frac{1}{2} \mu_G$	M1 [1]	[answer given; needs <i>some</i> indication of method]
1	(iii)	$E(X^2) = \int x^2 f(x) dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int x^2 f_B(x) dx + \int x^2 f_G(x) dx \right\}$ Use of " $E(X^2) = \sigma^2 + \mu^2$ " $= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \sigma^2 + \mu_B^2 + \sigma^2 + \mu_G^2 \right\}$ $\therefore \text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - \{E(X)\}^2$ $= \sigma^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu_B^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu_G^2 - \frac{1}{4} \mu_B^2 - \frac{1}{4} \mu_G^2 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_B \mu_G$ $= \sigma^2 + \frac{1}{4} (\mu_B - \mu_G)^2$	M1 M1 M1 A1 M1 A1 A1 [7]	Answer given
1	(iv)	[Central Limit Theorem] Approx dist of \bar{X} is $N\left(\frac{1}{2} \mu_B + \frac{1}{2} \mu_G, \frac{1}{2n} \left(\sigma^2 + \frac{1}{4} (\mu_B - \mu_G)^2 \right)\right)$ B1 B1 B1 B1	B4 [4]	4 marks as shown
1	(v)	$\bar{X}_{st} = \frac{1}{2} (\bar{X}_B + \bar{X}_G) \quad \text{Var}(\bar{X}_{either}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$ $\therefore E(\bar{X}_{st}) = \frac{1}{2} (\mu_B + \mu_G)$ and $\text{Var}(\bar{X}_{st}) = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{\sigma^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \right) = \frac{\sigma^2}{2n}$	M1M1 B1 B1 [4]	

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1	(vi)	$E(\bar{X}) = E(\bar{X}_{st}) = \frac{1}{2}(\mu_B + \mu_G) = E(X)$ <p>ie they are unbiased. Clearly $\text{Var}(\bar{X}) > \text{Var}(\bar{X}_{st})$,</p> <p>$\therefore \bar{X}_{st}$ is the more efficient.</p>	<p>E1</p> <p>E1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>E1</p> <p>[5]</p>	<p>for any attempt to compare variances Candidates are not required to note that the variances are equal in the case $\mu_B = \mu_G$.</p> <p>for deduction that $\text{Var}(\bar{X}) > \text{Var}(\bar{X}_{st})$ [FT c's variances]</p> <p>More efficient</p>
2	(i)	<p>Mean of $X = 3.5$ (immediate by symmetry)</p> $E(X^2) = \frac{1}{6}(1 + 4 + \dots + 36) = \frac{91}{6}$ $\therefore \text{Var}(X) = \frac{91}{6} - \left(\frac{7}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{35}{12}$	<p>B1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[3]</p>	<p>Answer given</p>
2	(ii)	$G(t) = E(t^X) = \left(t^1 \cdot \frac{1}{6}\right) + \left(t^2 \cdot \frac{1}{6}\right) + \dots + \left(t^6 \cdot \frac{1}{6}\right)$ $= \frac{1}{6}(t + t^2 + \dots + t^6) = \frac{t(1-t^6)}{6(1-t)}$	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>Answer given</p>
2	(iii)	$[P(N=0) = \frac{1}{2}, P(N=1) = (\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{2}), \dots, P(N=r) = (\frac{1}{2})^r \cdot (\frac{1}{2})]$	<p>B1</p> <p>[1]</p>	<p>answer given; must be convincing</p>
2	(iv)	$H(t) = E(t^N) = \left(t^0 \cdot \frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(t^1 \cdot \frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(t^2 \cdot \frac{1}{8}\right) + \dots$ $= \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{t}{2}} = \frac{1}{2-t} = (2-t)^{-1}$	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p>	<p>Answer given</p>

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2 (v)	Mean = $H'(1)$, variance = $H''(1) + \text{mean} - \text{mean}^2$. $H'(t) = (-1)(2-t)^{-2}(-1) = (2-t)^{-2} \quad \therefore \text{mean} = 1$ $H''(t) = (-2)(2-t)^{-3}(-1) = 2(2-t)^{-3}$ $\therefore \text{variance} = 2 + 1 - 1 = 2$	M1 A1 M1 A1 [4]	for <u>use</u> of 1st derivative for <u>use</u> of 2nd derivative For variance
2 (vi)	$K(t) = H\{G(t)\} = \{2 - G(t)\}^{-1}$ $= \left(2 - \frac{t(1-t^6)}{6(1-t)}\right)^{-1} = \left(\frac{12(1-t) - t(1-t)(1+t+t^2+\dots+t^5)}{6(1-t)}\right)^{-1}$ $= \left(\frac{12-t-t^2-t^3-\dots-t^6}{6}\right)^{-1} = 6(12-t-t^2-\dots-t^6)^{-1}$	M1 M1 M1 A1 [4]	inserting $G(t)$ use of hint given Answer given
2 (vii)	$K'(t) = 6(12-t-t^2-\dots-t^6)^{-2}(1+2t+3t^2+4t^3+5t^4+6t^5)$ $K''(t) = 12(12-t-t^2-\dots-t^6)^{-3}(1+2t+3t^2+4t^3+5t^4+6t^5)^2$ $+ 6(12-t-t^2-\dots-t^6)^{-2}(2+6t+12t^2+20t^3+30t^4)$ $\therefore \text{mean} = K'(1) = 6(12-6)^{-2}(21) = 21/6 = 7/2$ $\therefore K''(1) = (12 \times 6^{-3} \times 21^2) + (6 \times 6^{-2} \times 70) = (49/2) + (70/6)$ $\therefore \text{variance} =$ $\frac{49}{2} + \frac{70}{6} + \frac{7}{2} - \frac{49}{4} = \frac{294+140+42-147}{12} = \frac{329}{12}$	M1 M1 M1 A1 A1 A1 [6]	reasonable attempt to differentiate $K(t)$ reasonable attempt at 2nd derivative for <u>use</u> of derivatives Substitution shown Ft c's $K'(1)$ and/or $K''(1)$ provided variance positive Exact.

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2	(viii)	We have: $\mu_x = 7/2$ $\sigma_x^2 = 35/12$ $\mu_N = 1$ $\sigma_N^2 = 2$ $\sigma_Q^2 = 329/12$ Inserting in the quoted formula gives $\left[2 \times \left(\frac{7}{2} \right)^2 \right] + \left[1 \times \frac{35}{12} \right] = \frac{294 + 35}{12} = \frac{329}{12}$ as required.	M1 A1 [2]	for correct use of candidate's values for means and variances answer honestly obtained (common denominator shown). A0 if different from (vii)
3	(i)	H_0 : population medians are equal H_1 : population median for A < population median for B Wilcoxon rank sum test (or Mann-Whitney form of test) Ranks are: A 1 2 4 5 9 11 B 3 6 7 8 10 12 13 14 $W = 1 + 2 + 4 + 5 + 9 + 11 = 32$ [or $0 + 0 + 1 + 1 + 4 + 5 = 11$ if M-W used] Refer to $W_{6,8}$ [or $MW_{6,8}$] tables Lower 5% critical point is 31 [or 10 if M-W used] Result is not significant Seems median yields may be assumed equal	B1 B1 M1 A1 B1 M1 A1 A1 A1 [9]	[Note: "population" must be explicit] 1) Explicit statement re shapes of distributions. (eg that they are the same shape) is not required. 2) More formal statements of hypotheses gain both marks [eg cdfs are $F(x)$ and $F(x - \Delta)$, H_0 is $\Delta = 0$ etc]. Combined ranking Correct [allow up to 2 errors; FT provided M1 earned] No FT if wrong No FT if wrong

