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Mathematics tests

Mark scheme

for Paper 1

Tiers 3-5, 4-6, 5-7 and 6-8





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Introduction

This booklet contains the mark scheme for paper 1 at all tiers. The paper 2 mark scheme is printed in a separate booklet. Questions have been given names so that each one has a unique identifier irrespective of tier.

The structure of the mark schemes

The marking information for each question is set out in the form of tables, which start on page 10 of this booklet. The columns on the left-hand side of each table provide a quick reference to the tier, question number, question part and the total number of marks available for that question part.

The 'Correct response' column usually includes two types of information:

- a statement of the requirements for the award of each mark, with an indication of whether credit can be given for correct working, and whether the marks are independent or cumulative
- examples of some different types of correct response, including the most common.

The 'Additional guidance' column indicates alternative acceptable responses, and provides details of specific types of response that are unacceptable. Other guidance, such as when 'follow-through' is allowed, is provided as necessary.

Questions with a *Using and applying mathematics (UAM)* element are identified in the mark scheme by the symbol (u1). The number indicates the significance of using and applying mathematics in answering the question. The U number can be any whole number from 1 to the number of marks in the question.

For graphical and diagrammatic responses, including those in which judgements on accuracy are required, marking overlays have been provided as the centre pages of this booklet.

The 2009 key stage 3 mathematics tests and mark schemes were developed by the Test Development Team at Pearson Research and Assessment.

General guidance

Using the mark schemes

Answers that are numerically equivalent or algebraically equivalent are acceptable unless the mark scheme states otherwise.

In order to ensure consistency of marking, the most frequent procedural queries are listed on the following two pages with the prescribed correct action. This is followed by further guidance relating specifically to the marking of questions that involve money, negative numbers, time, measures, coordinates, probability or algebra. Unless otherwise specified in the mark scheme, markers should apply the following guidelines in all cases.

Recording marks awarded on the test paper

All questions, even those not attempted by the pupil, should be marked, with a 1 or a 0 entered in each marking space. Where 2m can be split into 1m gained and 1m lost, with no explicit order, then this will be recorded by the marker as 1m

The total marks awarded for a double page should be written in the box at the bottom of the right-hand page, and the total number of marks obtained on the paper should be recorded on the front of the test paper.

A total of 120 marks is available in each of tiers 3–5, 4–6, 5–7 and 6–8.

Awarding levels

The sum of the marks gained on paper 1, paper 2 and the mental mathematics paper determines the level awarded. Level threshold tables, which show the mark ranges for the award of different levels, will be available on the NAA website www.naa.org.uk/tests from April 2009.

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What if	Marking procedure				
The pupil's response is numerically or algebraically equivalent to the answer in the mark scheme.	answer in				
The pupil's response does not match closely any of the examples given.	with the statement of the requirements given in the 'Correct response' column.				
The pupil has responded in a non-standard way.	e to be set out in any as long as its meaning otable for explanations out working, however mbiguity, condone the				
There appears to be a misreading affecting the working.	different information without altering the original intention or difficulty level of the question. For each misread that occurs, deduct one mark only. Where a pupil has shown understanding of the question, the mark(s) should be given. In particular, where a word or number response is expected, a pupil make meet the requirement by annotating a graph or labelling a diagram elsewhere				
No answer is given in the expected place, but the correct answer is given elsewhere.					
The final answer is wrong, but the correct answer is shown in the working.	Where appropriate, detailed guidance will be given in the mark scheme and must be adhered to. If no guidance is given, markers will need to examine each case to decide whether:				
	the incorrect answer is due to a transcription error	If so, award the mark.			
	 in questions not testing accuracy, the correct answer has been given but then rounded or truncated 				
	 the pupil has continued to give redundant extra working which does not contradict work already done 	If so, award the mark.			
	 the pupil has continued, in the same part of the question, to give redundant extra working which does contradict work already done. If so, do not award the mark. Where a question part carries more than one mark, only the final mark should be withheld. 				
The pupil's answer is accorrect response should always be marked as correct unless the mark scheme states otherwise. working is shown.					

What if... Marking procedure The pupil has made In some questions, a method mark is available provided the pupil has made a a conceptual error. computational, rather than conceptual, error. A computational error is a 'slip' such as writing $4 \times 6 = 18$ in an otherwise correct long multiplication. A conceptual error is a more serious misunderstanding of the relevant mathematics; when such an error is seen, no method marks may be awarded. Examples of conceptual errors are: • misunderstanding of place value, such as multiplying by 2 rather than 20 when calculating 35×27 • subtracting the smaller value from the larger in calculations such as 45 – 26 to give the answer 21 • incorrect signs when working with negative numbers. The correct response has Any legible crossed or rubbed out work that has not been replaced should be been crossed or rubbed out marked according to the mark scheme. If the work is replaced, then crossed or and not replaced. rubbed out work should not be considered. More than one If all answers given are correct (or a range of answers is given, all of which are correct), the mark should be awarded unless prohibited by the mark scheme. answer is given. If both correct and incorrect responses are given, no mark should be awarded. The pupil's answer Follow-through marks may be awarded only when specifically stated in the mark correctly follows scheme, but should not be allowed if the difficulty level of the question has been through from earlier lowered. Either the correct response or an acceptable follow-through response incorrect work. should be marked as correct. The answer is correct A mark given for one part should not be disallowed for working or answers given in but, in a later part of the a different part, unless the mark scheme specifically states otherwise. question, the pupil has contradicted this response. The pupil's accuracy is Overlays can never be 100% accurate. However, provided the answer is within or marginal according to the touches the boundaries given, the mark(s) should be awarded. overlay provided. The pupil has drawn lines Markers should interpret the phrase 'lines not accurate' to mean meeting within or which do not meet at the on a circle of radius 2mm with centre at the correct point. correct point. outside the circle within the circle on the circle accepted not accepted

accepted

General guidance

Responses involving money

	✓ Accept	× Do not accept
Where the £ sign is given for example: £3.20, £7	 ✓ f3.20 f7 f7.00 Any unambiguous indication of the correct amount, eg f3.20p f3 20 pence f3 20 f3,20 f3,20 f3:20 320p with £ sign crossed out 	Incorrect placement of pounds or pence, eg f320 f320p Incorrect placement of decimal point, or incorrect use or omission of 0, eg f3.2 f3 200 f32 0 f3-2-0
Where the p sign is given for example: 40p	 ✓ 40p Any unambiguous indication of the correct amount, eg £0.40p £.40p £0.40 with p sign crossed out 	Incorrect or ambiguous use of pounds or pence, eg 0.40p £40p
Where no sign is given for example: £3.20, 40p	 ✓ f3.20 320p 40p f0.40 Any unambiguous indication of the correct amount in f or p as shown above At levels 3 and 4 only also accept omission of units, eg 3.20 320 40 0.40 	Comission of final zero, eg 3.2 0.4

Responses involving negative numbers

	✓ Accept	×	Do not accept
For example: -2		×	To avoid penalising the error below more than once within each question, do not award the mark for the <i>first</i> occurence of the error within each question. Where a question part carries more than one mark, only the final mark should be withheld. Incorrect notation, eg

Responses involving time

	✓ Accept	x Do not accept
A time interval for example: 2 hours 30 minutes	✓ 2 hours 30 minutes Any unambiguous, correct indication, eg 2 ½ hours 2.5 hours 2h 30 2h 30 min 2 30 Digital electronic time, ie 2:30	Incorrect or ambiguous time interval, eg 2.3 hours 2.3h 2h 3 2.30 min 2.30 2-30 2,30 2.30
A specific time for example: 8:40am, 17:20	 ✓ 8:40am 8:40 twenty to nine Any unambiguous, correct indication, eg 08.40 8.40 0840 8 40 8-40 8,40 Unambiguous change to 12 or 24 hour clock, eg 17:20 as 5:20pm or 17:20pm 	 Incorrect time, eg 8.4am 8.40pm Incorrect placement of separators, spaces, etc or incorrect use or omission of 0, eg 840 8:4:0 8.4 084 84

Responses involving measures

	✓ Accept	× Do not accept
Where units are given (eg kg, m, l) for example: 8.6kg	 ✓ 8.6kg Any unambiguous indication of the correct measurement, eg 8.60kg 8.6000kg 8kg 600g 	➤ Incorrect or ambiguous use of units, eg 8600kg

Note

If a pupil leaves the answer box empty but writes the answer elsewhere on the page, then that answer must be consistent with the units given in the answer box and the conditions listed above.

If a pupil changes the unit given in the answer box, then their answer must be equivalent to the correct answer, using the unit they have chosen, unless otherwise indicated in the mark scheme.

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Responses involving coordinates

✓ Accept

✓ Unconventional notation, eg (05, 07)

(five, seven)

x y (5, 7)

(x=5, y=7)

x Do not accept

 $oldsymbol{x}$ Incorrect or ambiguous notation, eg

(7, 5)

(7, 5)

(5x, 7y)

 $(5^x, 7^y)$

! Take care

(x-5, y-7)

Responses involving probability

✓ Accept

✓ Equivalent decimals, fractions and percentages, eg

✓ A probability correctly expressed in one acceptable form which is then

than 1 and greater than 0, eg

incorrectly converted, but is still less

0.700

 $\frac{70}{100}$

35 50

70.0%

70 18

100 25

The f

The first **four** categories of error below should be ignored if accompanied by

× Do not accept

an acceptable response, but should not be accepted on their own.

However, to avoid penalising the first **three** types of error below more than once within each question, do not award the mark for the *first* occurrence of each type of error unaccompanied by an acceptable response. Where a question part carries more than one mark, only the final mark should be

withheld.

! A probability that is incorrectly expressed, eq

7 in 10

7 over 10

7 out of 10

7 from 10

! A probability expressed as a percentage without a percentage sign.

! A fraction with other than integers in the numerator and/or denominator.

! A probability expressed as a ratio, eg 7:10

7:3

7 to 10

✗ A probability greater than 1 or less than 0

A numerical probability

should be expressed as a decimal, fraction or percentage only.

for example:

For example:

(5, 7)

 $0.7 \quad \frac{7}{10} \quad 70\%$

Responses involving the use of algebra

✓ Accept

! Take care ✗ Do not accept

For example:

2 + n

n + 2

2n

 n^2

✓ Unambiguous use of a different case or variable, eq N used for nx used for n

! Unconventional notation, eg $n \times 2$, or $2 \times n$, or n2or n + n for 2n

 $n \times n$ for n^2

 $n \div 2$ for $\frac{n}{2}$ or $\frac{1}{2}n$ 2 + 1n for 2 + n

2 + 0n for 2

Within a question that demands simplification, do not accept as part of a final answer involving algebra. Accept

within a method when awarding partial credit, or within an explanation or general working.

x Embedded values given when solving equations, eg

in solving 3x + 2 = 32, $3 \times 10 + 2 = 32$ for x = 10

To avoid penalising the two types of error below more than once within each question, do not award the mark for the first occurrence of each type within each question. Where a question part carries more than one mark, only the final mark should be withheld.

✓ Words used to precede or follow equations or expressions, eg

> t = n + 2 tiles or tiles = t = n + 2for t = n + 2

✓ Unambiguous letters used to indicate

expressions, eg

t = n + 2 for n + 2

! Words or units used within equations or expressions, eg

n tiles + 2

n cm + 2

Do not accept on their own. Ignore if accompanying an acceptable response.

* Ambiguous letters used to indicate expressions, eg

n = n + 2 for n + 2

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 1		Correct response	Circle totals Additional guidance
	2m	Completes the diagram correctly, ie 25 40 35 40 45 45	
	1m	Gives two correct values	! For 1m, follow-through from their 25 Accept follow-through for their 30 as 55 – their 25

		tuestion			Dishes
3–5 2	4–6	5–7 6–8		Correct response	Additional guidance
а			1m	£11	
b			2m or 1m	f2.50 Gives the answer 2.5 or 250 or Shows the value 7.5(0) or 750 or Shows or implies a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg • 1.50 + 2.50 + 3.50 = 7.00 (error) Answer given as 3	
С			1m	Gives a correct pair of colours, in any order, ie Green and Orange or Blue and Red Gives a correct pair of colours, other than any previously credited	 ✓ Unambiguous indication of colour eg G and O B and R ! Response gives costs rather than colours Withhold 1 mark only for the first occurrence. Allow costs given in pence eg 1.50 and 3(.00) 2(.00) and 2.50 150 and 300 200 and 250 Mark as 0, 1

	er & Question 4–6 5–7 6-		Correct response	Five squares Additional guidance
а		1m	Draws the correct line of symmetry, ie	! Line not ruled, accurate or extended Accept lines of at least 3 diagonals in length provided the pupil's intention is clear
Ь		1m	Completes the diagram correctly, ie	! Squares not shaded Accept provided indication of squares is unambiguous

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8			Javelin
4	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
а	1m	16 to 18 inclusive	
b	1m	4	
С	1m	17 to 19 inclusive	

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8	Mark	Correct response	Digit cards
5	1m 1m U1	Gives four of the digits to make a correct calculation eg • $7 + 8 = 15$ • $5 + 6 = 11$ • $9 + 9 = 18$ Gives four of the digits to make a correct calculation eg • $6 \times 7 = 42$ • $7 \times 5 = 35$ • $9 \times 9 = 81$ Gives five of the digits to make a correct calculation eg • $23 - 4 = 19$ • $67 - 5 = 62$ • $24 - 2 = 22$ Gives four of the digits to make a correct calculation eg • $14 \div 2 = 7$ • $24 \div 4 = 6$ • $36 \div 6 = 6$! Zero used at the end of a number eg, for the first mark • 2 + 8 = 10 Penalise only the first occurrence * Zero used or card left blank at the beginning of a two-digit number eg, for the second mark, do not accept • 2 × 3 = 06 * Card left blank at the end of a number eg, for the third mark, do not accept • 2 - 1 = 1 * Extra digit inserted eg, for the fourth mark, do not accept • 36 ÷ 2 = 18

Tier & Que 3–5 4–6 5–	-7 6-8	Correct response	Heights Additional guidance
а	1m	Indicates 1.8 metres, ie	
b	1m	Indicates 7 metres, ie	

	Questic 5–7	Mark	Correct response				Additional guidance	Change
							_	
а		1m	3					
b		2m	Completes all threany order eg Number of 50p coins 2 2 2	Number of 20p coins 3 2	Number of 10p coins 0 2 4	١	✓ Cell that should contain zero let	ft blank
		or 1m	Completes two ro	0 ws of the table	correctly			

3	Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 8 1		Mark Correct response		Doctors Additional guidance	
		•		IVIGIR	Correct response	Additional guidance
i	а	а		1m	Gives a value between 49 and 53 inclusive	 ✓ Value qualified eg, for part (a)
I	2	b		1m	Gives a value between 23 and 27 inclusive	• About 50
	С	С		1m	 Gives a possible reason eg They might think their doctor's treatment is sometimes very good, but not at other times They might not think that any of the possible answers is what they think They don't have a doctor They might not want to comment They could be worried about giving an opinion They may have only ever had one doctor They don't always see the same doctor 	 ✓ Minimally acceptable reason eg Could be sometimes one category and sometimes another They may not like the choices If they're not sure They don't see their doctor very often They have just got a new doctor Not relevant They don't want to answer They can't tell what is meant by good ✗ Incomplete reason eg They don't know

3-5		6–8	Mark	Correct response	Using tens Additional guidance
				÷ 10	 Correct operation indicated, but 10 omitted eg, for the first mark ÷
			1m	+ 10 → ÷ 10	Penalise only the first occurrence

Tier & Question 3-5 4-6 5-7 6-8 10 3		Correct response	Card shape
	2m or 1m	Indicates only the three correct shapes, ie	 ✓ Unambiguous indication eg ✓ for yes and x for no ! For 1 mark, response indicates only the three shapes showing the grey side of the shape, eg ✓ ✓ ✓ Condone

	Tier & Question				Number lines
11	4		Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
			1m	Gives both the values 2 and 8 in the correct positions	
			1m	Gives the value –4 in the correct position	
			1m	Gives the value (+)6 in the correct position	! Follow-through from their –4 Accept the sum of their –4 and 10 provided their –4 is a negative number

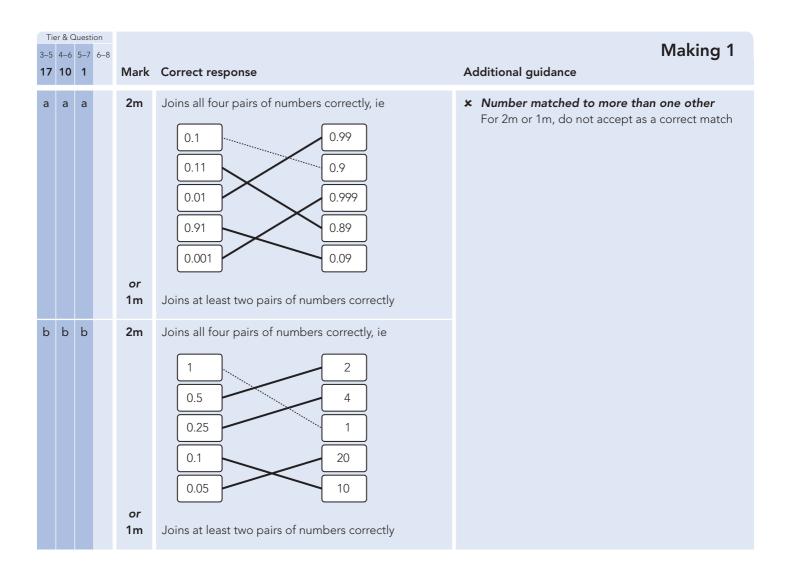
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3–5 4–					Rhombus grid						
12 5			Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance						
a a	1		1m	12							
b b			1m	Draws a correct triangle eg	! Lines not ruled or accurate, or triangle not shaded Accept provided the pupil's intention is clear ! Vertices of triangle not on the intersections of the grid Accept vertices within 2mm of the intersections of the grid ! Other shapes drawn As these may be trials, ignore						

Question 6 5–7 6–8	Mark	Correct response	Missing digits Additional guidance
	1m	Completes the second calculation correctly, ie	! Both digits placed in the same box eg
		1 7 × 3 = 5 1	17 × 3 = 5 1
			Condone
	1m	Completes the third calculation correctly, ie	
		1 4 × 3 = 4 2	
		or	
		1 5 × 3 = 4 5	
		or	
	U1)	1 6 × 3 = 4 8	

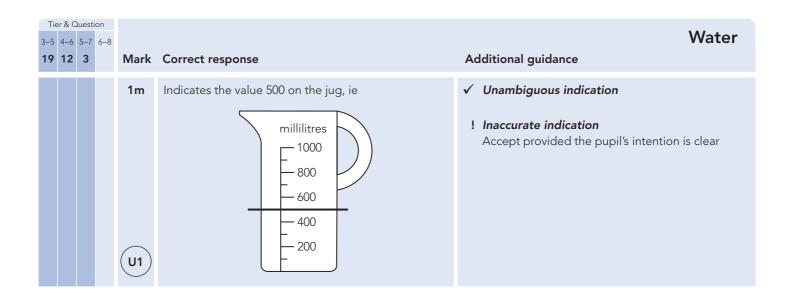
	4–6	Question 5–7	Mark	Correct response	Clocks Additional guidance
а	а		1m	10am	! Indication of am or pm incorrect or omitted Condone omission of am or pm but do not
Ь	b		1m	6pm	accept incorrect times eg, for part (a) accept • 10 (o'clock) eg, for part (a) do not accept • 10pm • 22:00 eg, for part (b) accept • 6 (o'clock) • 18:00 eg, for part (b) do not accept • 6am • 06:00

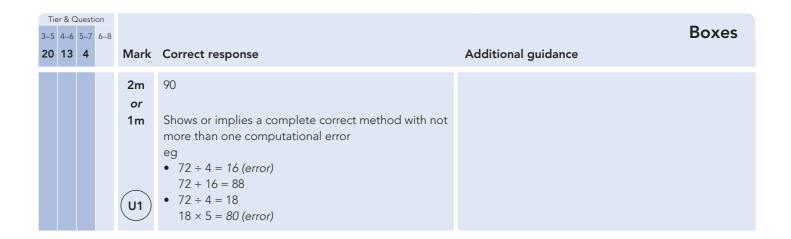
4–6	Question 5–7 6-		Correct response	Sum of 80 Additional guidance
		1m	Indicates Set A and gives a correct explanation eg • A = 74 and 80 – 74 = 6 B = 90 and 90 – 80 = 10 • A is -3, -2, -1, (0) and B is +1, +2, +3, +4, so A is only 6 less than 80, but B is 10 more	 ✓ Minimally acceptable explanation eg 6 and 10 seen 74 and 90 seen (-)3, (-)2, (-)1, (0) and 1, 2, 3, 4 seen ✓ Incomplete or incorrect explanation eg A adds up to 74 B is 10 more than 80 A adds up to 74, B adds up to 110 17, 18 and 19 are all under 20 so A is smaller

3–5		uestion 5–7 6–8		Connect year and	Number chains
				Correct response	Additional guidance
а	а		1m	Gives the values 14 and 41 in the correct positions	
b	b		1m	Shows a correct rule eg • × 3 • Multiply by 3 • Triple • × 3 then + 0	 ✓ Minimally acceptable rule eg Add the number 3 times Add on double itself Double then add the number It's the next power of 3 3× ! Rule embedded or shown in working Accept provided a correct rule is shown explicitly, even if an incorrect value for the next number in the chain is shown on the answer line eg, accept 81 × 3 seen (4 − 1) × 81 eg, do not accept 81 + 81 + 81 81 × 2 + 81 ★ Incomplete or incorrect rule eg 3 +54 3n



	Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8					T-shirts
				Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
а	а	а		1m	$\frac{1}{5}$ or equivalent probability	
b	b	b		1m	$\frac{2}{3}$ or equivalent probability	! Value rounded Accept 0.66() or 0.67 or the percentage equivalents
С	С	С		1m	$\frac{1}{3}$ or equivalent probability	! Value rounded Accept 0.33() or the percentage equivalent



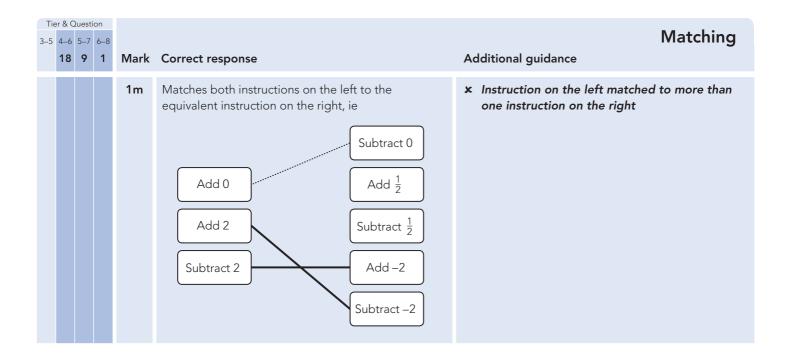


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3–5 21		5–7 5	6–8	Moule	Convert vernence	Percentages
21	14	5		IVIALK	Correct response	Additional guidance
а	а	a		1m	18	 ! Throughout the question, incorrect use of % sign eg 18% 54% Penalise only the first occurrence
b	b	b		1m	54	! For part (b) follow-through Accept follow-through as their (a) × 3, or as 36 + their (a) provided the result is less than 360

Tie 3–5 22	4–6		Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance	Number grids
			1m	Completes the first grid correctly, ie 22 13 4 35 17 52 Completes the second grid correctly, ie 7 1 3 8 4		
			U1)	12		

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 23 16 7		Correct response	Angles in a triangle Additional guidance
	3m or 2m	Gives all three correct angles, ie $x = 90$ $y = 20$ $z = 20$ Gives any two correct angles	
	or 1m	or Gives $x = 90$ and $y = z$, provided this value is < 90 and > 0 Gives any one correct angle or Gives $y = z$, provided this value is < 90 and > 0	

	er & C					Finding b
24	17	8	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance	
			2m or 1m	Shows or implies that $a = 5$ and shows the intention to substitute this value into the second equation eg • $5+7=10+b$ • $b=12-10$ or Shows a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg • $b=11-6+7-10$ • $a=11-6=6$ (error) 6+7=10+b $b=3$	x Conceptual error eg • <i>a</i> = 11 + 6 = 17	



Tiers 4-6, 5-7, 6-8

Tier & Question
3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8

Oak leaves

19 10 2 Mark Correct response

1m

Gives a correct reason from one of the five categories below that states or implies the problem, or suggests an improvement

The most common correct reasons:

Category 1: Refer to the number of leaves in the sample being too small eg, problem

- The sample is too small
- Those 10 leaves might all be diseased eg, improvement
- They should pick more than 10

Category 2: Refer to the number of trees in the sample being too small eg, problem

- One oak tree might be different from others
- May be something wrong with that tree eg, improvement
- They should use more than one tree

Category 3: Refer to the conditions in which the tree is growing being too uniform eq, problem

- Different conditions may affect the leaves on other trees
- The soil might be very bad in that area eg, improvement
- They should choose trees in different areas

Category 4: Refer to the area of the tree from which the leaves are picked being too small eg, problem

- The leaves on higher branches might be different
- Those branches may not get enough light eg, improvement
- They need leaves from all over the tree

Category 5: Refer to the period for picking the sample being too short eg, problem

- The leaves may be different at different times of year
- It may be winter
- eg, improvement

• They should collect throughout the year

1m

Gives a correct reason from a different category from one already credited

U1

Additional guidance

√ Minimally acceptable reason

eg, problem

- Too small
- Only 10
- Not enough
- Just one
- Same growing conditions for the tree
- Other branches might be different
- Only the lowest branches

eg, improvement

- 100 is better
- More than one
- Need different areas
- Use other branches
- Collect at other times

! For the first or the second reason, more than one reason given within one response

Do not accept a correct response accompanied by an incorrect response from the same category. Otherwise ignore irrelevant or incorrect further responses.

If two correct reasons from different categories are given in one response space, both marks should be awarded

eg

• They need more trees from more areas Mark as 1, 1

Incomplete reason that repeats the information given with no further explanation

• They are taking 10 leaves

- They are using one oak tree
- They are taking them from one part of the tree

						Missing lengths
			Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance	3 3
20		3	2m or 1m	Gives both correct lengths, ie $x = 10$ and $y = 3.9$ or equivalent Gives $y = 3.9$ or equivalent or Gives the two values transposed, ie $x = 3.9$ or equivalent and $y = 10$ or Shows a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg • $x = 10$, $10 - 6.1 = 4.9$ (error) • $4 \times 6.1 = 24.4$, $40 - 24.4 = 16.6$ (error) $16.6 \div 4 = 4.15$, $4.15 + 6.1 = 10.25$ • $40 \div 4 = 20$ (error)	Additional guidance	
	4–6	4–6 5–7	r & Question 4-6 5-7 6-8 20 11 3	20 11 3 Mark 2m or	Mark Correct response 2m Gives both correct lengths, ie $x = 10 \text{ and } y = 3.9 \text{ or equivalent}$ or $1m Gives y = 3.9 \text{ or equivalent}$ or Gives the two values transposed, ie $x = 3.9 \text{ or equivalent and } y = 10$ or Shows a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg $x = 10, 10 - 6.1 = 4.9 \text{ (error)}$ $4 \times 6.1 = 24.4, 40 - 24.4 = 16.6 \text{ (error)}$ $16.6 \div 4 = 4.15, 4.15 + 6.1 = 10.25$	4-6 5-7 6-8 20 11 3 Mark Correct response Additional guidance 2m Gives both correct lengths, ie $x = 10 \text{ and } y = 3.9 \text{ or equivalent}$ or Gives the two values transposed, ie $x = 3.9 \text{ or equivalent and } y = 10$ or Shows a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg $x = 10, 10 - 6.1 = 4.9 \text{ (error)}$ $4 \times 6.1 = 24.4, 40 - 24.4 = 16.6 \text{ (error)}$ $16.6 \div 4 = 4.15, 4.15 + 6.1 = 10.25$ $40 \div 4 = 20 \text{ (error)}$

	er & C					Counters
3–5		5–7 12	6–8 4	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
	a	a	a	2m or 1m	Gives the value 3, with no evidence of an incorrect method Shows or implies a correct equation for the bags and shows or implies a correct first step of algebraic manipulation that either reduces the number of terms or collects variables on one side of the equation and numbers on the other eg • $6y + 1 = 4y + 7$ $6y - 4y = 7 - 1$ • $-2y + 7 = 1$ • $6y - 6 = 4y$ • $2y = 6$! Method used is trial and improvement Note that no partial credit can be given
	b	b	b	2m or 1m	Gives an answer of 4.() or Shows or implies a correct inequality using the expressions for the bags eg • $4k > k + 12$ • $3k > 12$ • $k > 4$! Method used is trial and improvement Note that no partial credit can be given

	r & Q				Prize money
	4–6 22		Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
			2m <i>or</i> 1m	f 490 000 Shows the value 980 000	√ £ 490k
				Shows a complete correct method with not more than one error eg 1 000 000 - 20 000 = 98 000 (error), 98 000 ÷ 2 = 49 000	 ★ For 1m, one million taken to be 100 000 eg 100 000 - 20 000 = 80 000, 80 000 ÷ 2 = 40 000 ★ For 1m, computational error that simplifies the division eg 1 000 000 - 20 000 = 800 000, 800 000 ÷ 2 = 400 000

Tier &	Questi	ion			
3–5 4–6					Correlation
23	14	6	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
a	а	a	1m	Indicates B and gives a correct explanation The most common correct explanations: Refer to the 'slope' or 'gradient' of the points eg • The points make a pattern that is sloping upwards from left to right • The line of best fit would have a positive gradient Describe the relationship between the two variables eg • As the value on the x-axis increases, so does the value on the y-axis	 ✓ Minimally acceptable explanation eg • It slopes upwards • It goes up • It's like this ✓ ✓ ✓
b	b	b	1m	Indicates A and gives a correct explanation The most common correct explanations: Refer to the points being closer to a line of best fit eg • The points are practically in a straight line, so the correlation is very strong • If you drew the line of best fit, the points in A would all be close to it but many would be further away in B Refer to the 'line' or sloping pattern being clearer to see eg • You can see the pattern of a very clear, almost straight line • In B you can see a pattern sloping upward, but it's not as clear	 It is slanted towards the right ✓ Minimally acceptable explanation eg They are closer to one line In B they are less bunched together in a line ✓ Incomplete explanation eg The points are closer together In B they are more spread out ✓ Minimally acceptable explanation eg They are in a straight line The pattern sloping downwards is clear In B the line is less easy to see B's points are sloping upwards, but not as definitely as in A ✗ Incomplete explanation eg The pattern is clearer They are in a line

Tier & Ques 3–5 4–6 5–				Shape rules
24 1	5 7	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
		2m or 1m	Completes all three rules correctly, ie $H = N + 1$ $A = H \times 2$ $A = 2N + 2$ Completes two rules correctly	 ! Throughout the question, unconventional notation eg, for the first rule • 1 N + 1 Condone ! Throughout the question, words used instead of letters eg, for the second rule • A = Height × 2 Penalise only the first occurrence ! For the second rule, N + 1 used Accept provided there is no ambiguity eg, accept • (N + 1) × 2 eg, do not accept • N + 1 × 2 ✓ For the third rule, 2H used

Tier & Question 3-5 4-6 5-7 6-8			Fortieths
25 16 8	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
	1m	0.775	★ Equivalent fractions
	1m	0.575	✓ Follow-through as their value for the first mark – 0.2

Tier 8	(Qu	estio	n			
3–5 4–	-6 5	5–7	6–8			Expressions
2	6 1	17	9	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
a	1	a	a	1m	 Indicates 2n must be even and gives a correct explanation eg Any whole number multiplied by two gives a number in the two times table, so is even Odd × 2 = even, even × 2 = even 2 × odd is odd + odd = even 2 × even is even + even = even All multiples of 2 are even Halving an odd number does not give a whole number 	 ✓ Minimally acceptable explanation eg • × 2 gives even • Doubling any number gives even • All the numbers in the 2 times table are even ★ Incomplete explanation eg • 2 × 1 = 2 which is even, and 2 × 2 = 4 which is also even • Even × even is even • Even × even is even • Vern × even is even • Because when you add two odd numbers together you always make an even • Because 2 is even
E		b	b	1m	 Indicates 3n could be odd or even and gives a correct explanation eg 3 × 1 = 3 which is odd, but 3 × 2 = 6 which is even Odd × 3 = odd, even × 3 = even Multiples of 3 can be odd or even An even or odd number can have a factor of 3 	 ✓ Minimally acceptable explanation eg 3 × 1 = 3, 3 × 2 = 6 If n is 5 you get odd, if n is 6, you get even 3 × some numbers = odd, but 3 × some numbers = even Because 3 goes into both odd and even numbers In the 3 times table there are odd and even numbers Incomplete explanation eg 3n is sometimes odd and sometimes even Even × odd gives even odd × odd gives odd 3, 6, 9, 12, 15

3–5	4–6		6–8	Mark	Correct response	Ratio Additional guidance
		а	а	1m	8	
		b	b	1m	Gives a correct number of black beads and white beads such that: the number of black beads is $(3n-1)$ and the number of white beads is $(2n-3)$, provided $n \ge 2$ eg • 5 black beads, 1 white bead • 8 black beads, 3 white beads • 11 black beads, 5 white beads	Markers may find the following list of correct examples helpful: Black White 5 1 8 3 11 5 14 7 17 9 20 11

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 28 19 11 Ma	k Correct response	Powers Additional guidance
1n	Gives a correct justification that the difference between 3^2 and 3^3 is 18 eg • $3^2 = 9$, $3^3 = 27$, and $27 - 9 = 18$ • $3^3 - 3^2 = 3^2(3 - 1)$ = 9×2 = 18	 ✓ Minimally acceptable justification eg • 27 - 9 • 9 + 18 = 27 ➤ Incomplete or incorrect justification eg • 3² = 9, 3³ = 27 • 3³ - 3² = 18 • 9 - 27 = 18

Tier & Question 3-5 4-6 5-7 6-8	Sorting primes
1m Identifies a value, n, such that n is prime, and shows that 2n + 1 is not prime to demonstrate that the statement is incorrect eg • 7 is a prime number, but 2 × 7 + 1 = 15, and 15 is not a prime, but 27 is not • 13 is prime, but 27 is not	 ✓ Minimally acceptable response eg 7, 15 2 × 13 + 1 = 27 ✗ Incomplete or incorrect response eg 2 × n is even, even + 1 is odd and not all odd numbers are prime I More than one example given Accept provided a counter example is clearly identified eg, accept 11 gives 23

Tier & Question 3-5 4-6 5-7 6-8 21 13		6-8		Correct response	Score Additional guidance	
	а	a	2m or 1m	Shows the values 56 and 45 or Gives an answer of 9 [the points gained in round 5]		
	b	b	1m	Gives a response that states or implies that Derek gained the same number of points in each round eg He got the same number of points in each round To keep the gradient the same, an equal number needs to be added each time For every round going across, the line must have gone up the graph in equal steps	 ✓ Minimally acceptable response eg Same Equal No change The total increases by the same number in each round He gained 10 points each round ✗ Incomplete or incorrect response eg He gets about the same number of points in each round It increases by the same number in each round His points were consistent 	
			U1)		 A steady increase He gets maximum points each round The line could be horizontal 	

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Tier & C	5–7 6-	-8	k Correct response	Rhombus Additional guidance
		2m or 1m	Shows a correct method with not more than one computational error The most common correct methods: Calculate the area of the rhombus as half the area of the rectangle eg • ½ (6 × 8) • 48 ÷ 2 Work with 2 or 4 triangles eg • Area of one little triangle is half of 3 × 4, there are 4 little triangles so × 4 • (6 × 4) ÷ 2 = 14 (error), 14 × 2 = 28 • 8 triangles altogether, so one is 48 ÷ 8 = 7 (error), 4 shaded so 4 × 7 = 28 • Area of rectangle: 6 × 8 = 48, Area of white triangle: ½ × 3 × 4 = 6	 Conceptual error eg Area of triangle given as base × height
		1m	4 × 6 = 18 (error), answer 30 Shows the correct unit for their area or method eg • 24cm ² • 2400mm ²	! Area incorrect or omitted, but units given If the mark(s) for the correct area have not been awarded, condone cm ² seen for the third mark

er & Q 4–6	5–7	6–8	Mark	Correct response	Sums and products Additional guidance
	a	а	1m	Gives a pair of values with a negative sum and a positive product, ie where a and b are both negative eg • -2 and -1 • -9 and -10 • -0.5 and $-\frac{2}{5}$ • -3 and -3	
	b	b	1m	Gives a pair of values with a positive sum and a negative product, ie where a is positive, b is negative and $ a > b $ eg • 2 and -1 • -9 and 10 • 0.5 and $-\frac{2}{5}$	

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 24 16 Mark	Correct response	Mean Additional guidance
2m or 1m	Shows the value 66 or Shows or implies a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg • $6 \times 11 - 5 \times 10$ • $5 \times 10 = 50$, $6 \times 11 = 65$ (error) so 15	 ! For 1m, method uses arbitrary values with a mean of 10 for the original five numbers Condone eg, for 1m accept • 8 + 9 + 10 + 11 + 12 = 49 (error) 6 × 11 - 49 = 17 * For 1m, error is in the number of values in the set after one is added eg • 5 × 11 = 55, 55 - 50 = 5

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8

Simultaneous

25 17 Mark Correct response

3m

Gives both x = 5 and $y = \frac{5}{2}$ or equivalent and shows or implies a complete correct method for solving algebraically

eg

•
$$2x = 10$$
, $x = 5$ and $y = \frac{5}{2}$

•
$$3x + 18y = 60$$

$$3x + 6y = 30$$

12y = 30, so y = 2.5 and x = 5

•
$$30 - 3x = 20 - x$$

$$10 = 2x$$
, $x = 5$ and $y = 2.5$

•
$$3(20 - 6y) + 6y = 30$$

$$60 - 18y + 6y = 30$$

 $30 = 12y$, $y = 2.5$ and $x = 5$

or 2m

Gives either x = 5 or $y = \frac{5}{2}$ or equivalent and shows or implies a correct method for solving algebraically for that variable

eg

•
$$2x = 10, x = 5$$

•
$$3x + 18y = 60$$

$$3x + 6y = 30$$

$$12y = 30$$
, so $y = 2.5$

•
$$30 - 3x = 20 - x$$

$$10 = 2x, x = 5$$

•
$$3(20 - 6y) + 6y = 30$$

$$60 - 18y + 6y = 30$$

$$30 = 12y$$
, $y = 2.5$

or 1m

Subtracts the two given equations to eliminate y, or forms two correct equations that would allow elimination of x

eg

•
$$2x = 10$$

•
$$3x + 18y = 60$$

$$3x + 6y = 30$$

or

Attempts to solve by substitution and forms a correct equation in only one variable

ec

•
$$3(20 - 6y) + 6y = 30$$

•
$$x + 30 - 3x = 20$$

★ Method used is trial and improvement

Additional guidance

	Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8			
2	26 18	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
		2m or 1m	200, with no evidence of an incorrect method Shows or implies that $a=5$ or Shows or implies that the area of one rectangle	
			is 50 or Shows a complete correct method with not more than one computational error eg • $16a = 80$, so $a = 6$ (error) $6 \times 12 = 72$, $72 \times 4 = 288$! Error made in coefficient of a Follow-through with this value provided 12 ≤ coefficient of a ≤ 20 eg 12a (error) = 80, so a = 6.6 6.6 × 13.2 × 4 = 348

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 27 19		Correct response	Circle shapes Additional guidance
	1m	Gives the correct expression for area A, ie Area $A = y + 3w$! Throughout the question, unconventional notation or unsimplified expressions Condone eg, for Area A, accept y + 3 × w y + w + w + w eg, for Area B, accept 1y + 1w y + 3w - 2w
	1m	Gives the correct expression for area B, ie Area B = $y + w$! Answers for Area A and Area B transposed but otherwise correct Mark as 0, 1 ! Answers for Area A and Area B correct followed by incorrect further processing Mark as 0, 1

28 20 Mark Correct response

2m а

Gives a correct explanation

The most common correct explanations:

Give a correct counter example

- When j = 2 and k = 3, $(j + k)^2 = 25$, but $j^2 + k^2 = 13$
- If j is 2 and k is 3, $(2 + 3)(2 + 3) \neq 2^2 + 3^2$

Give the correct expansion of the expression

- $(j+k)(j+k) = j^2 + 2jk + k^2$, not $j^2 + k^2$
- It should be $j^2 + jk + jk + k^2$
- jk + jk has been missed out so it should be $j^2 + 2jk + k^2$

Address the misconception

• Both things in the first brackets should be multiplied by both things in the second brackets, but the pupil has done $j \times j$ and $k \times k$

Additional guidance

√ Minimally acceptable explanation

• When j = 2 and k = 3 you get 25 and 13

× Incomplete explanation

• When j = 2 and k = 3 you get different answers for each side, so it can't be right

✓ Minimally acceptable explanation

- $j^2 + jk + jk + k^2$
- 2*ik* is missing

! Correct expression equated to zero

$$= g$$
• $j^2 + 2jk + k^2 = 0$

Condone

✗ Incomplete or incorrect explanation

•
$$(i + k)(i + k) \neq i^2 + k^2$$

•
$$(j + k)(j + k) \neq j^2 + k^2$$

• $(j + k)^2 = j^2 + jk + k^2$

√ Minimally acceptable explanation

eg

- The pupil hasn't multiplied the j by the k or the k by the j
- There should be a jk term
- It should have been like this:



x Incomplete explanation

- There should be 3 terms in the answer
- The *jk*s should be added
- You have to multiply everything in the second brackets by everything in the first brackets
- The pupil hasn't multiplied the first set of brackets by the second set properly
- You don't square j and k, you square the answer of (j + k)

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 28 20	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance	False (cont)
	or 1m	Shows a complete correct method with not more than one computational error when substituting values eg • If $j = 2$ and $k = 3$ • $(j + k)^2 = (2 + 3)^2 = 20$ (error), • $j^2 + k^2 = 4 + 9 = 13$ or Shows or implies the four correct terms resulting from multiplying out the brackets, even if there is incorrect further working eg • j^2 , jk , jk , k^2 • $j \times j + j \times k + j \times k + k \times k$	 ★ Conceptual error eg • 3² = 6 	
b	1m	Gives a correct counter example eg • $j = 0$ • $k = 0$ • Either j or k is zero • Both j and k are zero • It doesn't work if k is nought		

Tier & Question

3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8

Dice probability

Additional guidance

21 Mark Correct response

2m

 $\frac{3}{4}$ or equivalent probability

or 1m

Shows or implies the number of possible outcomes where the product is a multiple of 3

eg

_					
•	×	3	4	5	6
	3	9	<u>12</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>18</u>
	4	<u>12</u>	16	20	<u>24</u>
	5	<u>15</u>	20	25	<u>30</u>
	6	<u>18</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>36</u>

•		3	4	5	6
	3	✓	✓	✓	✓
	4	✓			✓
	5	✓			✓
	6	✓	✓	✓	✓

• 3 × 3, 3 × 4, 3 × 5, 3 × 6, 4 × 3, 4 × 6, 5 × 3, 5 × 6, 6 × 3, 6 × 4, 6 × 5, 6 × 6

or

Shows a complete correct method but makes not more than two errors in identifying multiples of 3, then follows through to give their correct probability

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•	×	3	4	5	6
	3	9	<u>12</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>18</u>
	4	<u>12</u>	16	20	<u>24</u>
	5	15	20	25	<u>30</u>
	6	<u>18</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>36</u>

(U2)

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8	Mark	Correct response		Solving
22	Mark 2m	Correct response Gives $y = 20$ and shows or implies a correct first step of algebraic manipulation that either removes the denominator or removes the brackets eg • $5(3y - 4) = 14y$	Additional guidance	
	or 1m	• $5(3y-4) = 2y \times 7$ • $\frac{15y-20}{2y} = 7$ • $\frac{5 \times 3y - 5 \times 4}{2y} = 7$ • $15y-20 = 14y$ • $y-20 = 0$ Shows or implies a correct first step of algebraic		
	2m	manipulation that either removes the denominator or removes the brackets, even if there are other errors Gives $x = 5$ and $x = -5$, in either order and shows or implies the correct expansion of $(x + 4)(x - 4)$ eg • $x^2 + 4x - 4x - 16$		
		$\begin{array}{c cc} & x & 4 \\ x & x^2 & 4x \\ -4 & -4x & -16 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{c cc} & x^2 - 16 \\ & x^2 = 25 \end{array}$		
	or 1m	Shows or implies the correct expansion of $(x + 4)(x - 4)$, even if there are other errors		

Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–8 23		Marking overlay available Correct response	Distance from school Additional guidance	
а	2m or 1m	Draws a correct graph within the tolerance as shown on the overlay that fulfils the following conditions: 1. All four points marked correctly, ie (2, 19), (3, 25), (4, 28) and (5, 29) 2. All points joined with a series of straight lines Shows or implies the values 19, 25, 28 and 29	! For 2m or 1m, points joined with a curve Condone	
		eg • Fulfils condition 1 only • Marks the points (1.5, 19), (2.5, 25), (3.5, 28) and (4.5, 29) [ie uses midpoints of each range as x-coordinates]		
		or		
		Marks and joins at least three points correctly		
		or		
		Makes an error in marking one of the points, but follows through correctly for later points, and joins all their points	! Follow-through For 1m, accept the following values as follow-through:	
			Distance Cf f-t	
			2 19 none	
			3 25 6 + their 19	
			4 28 3 + their 25	
	(U2)		5 29 1 + their 28	
b	1m	Gives a value between 1.4 and 1.6 inclusive or	✓ Equivalent fractions or decimals	
		Follows through from an incorrect total to give the correct median for their graph	! Follow-through Follow-through can only be given for an increasing graph which reaches (5, y)	

Tier & 0			Marking overlay available	Coordinates
	24	Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
		1m	Gives A as (0, –2)	
		1m	Gives B as (1, −1)	! Answers for A and B transposed but otherwise completely correct If this is the only error, ie gives A as (1, -1) and gives B as (0, -2), mark as 0, 1

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Tier & C 3–5 4–6	5–7 6-	-8	Mark	Correct response	Regions Additional guidance
	ć	а	1m	Gives the four correct letters, ie A, B, G and H, in any order	
	ł	b	1m	Gives the four correct letters, ie B, C, D and E, in any order	
	(С	1m	Gives the four correct letters, ie A, B, E and F, in any order	

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Tier & Question 3–5 4–6 5–7 6–4	8		Average speed
27	7 Mark	Correct response	Additional guidance
	2m	Gives a correct justification that the average speed is 20km per hour eg • 1km at 15km/h takes $60 \div 15 = 4$ minutes, 1km at 30km/h takes $60 \div 30 = 2$ minutes, 2km in 6 minutes = 20km in 60 minutes = 20km per hour • $\frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{30} = \frac{3}{30}$ = $\frac{1}{10}$, 2km in $\frac{1}{10}$ hour = 20km in 1 hour	 ✓ For 2m, minimally acceptable justification eg 4 + 2 = 6 mins for 2km 1/15 + 1/30 = 1/10 for 2km ✗ For 2m, incomplete justification eg 1km at 15km per hour takes 60 ÷ 15 = 4 mins, 1km at 30km per hour takes 60 ÷ 30 = 2 mins 6 mins for 2km, so it's 60 mins for 20km which is 20km per hour
	or 1m	Shows or implies that the journey time up the hill was 4 minutes or equivalent, and the journey time down the hill was 2 minutes or equivalent eg • 4, 2 seen • $\frac{1}{15}$, $\frac{1}{30}$ seen • $60 \div 15$, $60 \div 30$ seen	! For 1m, total of 6 minutes or equivalent seen As the total of 6 minutes can be calculated from the given 20km per hour, do not accept as implying 4 minutes and 2 minutes unless a correct method is also seen

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