

**ZIMBABWE SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL**  
General Certificate of Education Advanced Level

**MARKING SCHEME**

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**STATISTICS**

**6046/1**

1 (a)  $P(I) = \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{19}{20}\right)$  M1  
 $= \frac{103}{120} \quad | \quad 0.8583$  A1

[2]

(b)  $P(F/I) = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{19}{20}\right)}{\frac{103}{120}}$  B1 *dividing by the*  
 $= \frac{57}{103} \quad | \quad 0.5534$  A1  
 (c) [3] (5)

2 (a) Arranging numbers in order of size:

41 42 42 42 43 44 45 46 46 47 48 55

$Q_2 = 44.5$  B1

$Q_1 = 42$  and  $Q_3 = 46.5$  B1B1

[3]

(b) On graph paper B1B1 ~~1~~

*scale and outlier*  
[3]

(c) Distribution nearly symmetrical / normal

B1 [1] (6)

3 (a) (i) Number of ways of choosing team =  $C_4^{11}$   
 $= \frac{11!}{4!7!}$   
 $= 330$  B1

[1]

(ii) Number of ways of choosing 3 men and one woman

$= (C_3^6)(C_1^5)$

$= \left(\frac{6!}{3!3!}\right)\left(\frac{5!}{1!4!}\right)$  M1

$= 100$  A1

[2]

(b) When one man is chosen, then 3 women must be chosen

$n(M) = (C_1^6)(C_3^5)$

$= \left(\frac{6!}{5!1!}\right)\left(\frac{5!}{3!2!}\right)$  M1

$= 60$

A1 B1 sol (6)

$$\therefore P(M) = \frac{60}{330} = \frac{2}{11} \quad \text{M1A1}$$

~~17~~ (6)

4  $E(X) = 3.5$

$$1(0,1) + 2(0,3) + a(0,4) + b(0,2) = 3,5$$

$$2a + b = 14$$

(1) B1

$$\text{Var}(X) = 2.65$$

$$1^2(0,1) + 2^2(0,3) + a^2(0,4) + b^2(0,2) - 3.5^2 = 2.65$$

M1

$$2a^2 + b^2 = 68$$

(2) A1

$$2a^2 + (14 - 2a)^2 = 68$$

$$(3a - 16)(a - 4) = 0$$

$$a = 4 \quad (a = 5\frac{1}{3} \text{ not admissible})$$

A1

$$b = 6$$

A1

[6]

5 (a)  $\sum x = 225, \sum x^2 = 8875, \sum y = 361,$

$$\sum y^2 = 22641, \sum xy = 12905, n = 6$$

$$m = \frac{6(12905) - (225)(361)}{6(8875) - (225)^2}$$

M1 correct subst

$$= -1.446$$

A1

$$y - 60.17 = -1.446(x - 37.5)$$

M1A1

$$\Rightarrow y = -1.45x + 114.4$$

[4]

(b) No, because  $x$  has been controlled

B1B1 [2]

[6]

6 (a)  $\bar{x} = \frac{745}{18} = 41.4 \quad | \quad 41.3889$

B1

$$s^2 = \frac{33951}{18} - 41.4^2$$

M1

$$= \frac{173.1268}{172.2066667}$$

A1 [4]

(b) (i)  $\sum x = 41 \times 17 = 697$

$$\text{Mass of pupil who left} = 745 - 697$$

M1

$$= 48 \text{ kg}$$

A1

$$(ii) \quad S = \sqrt{\frac{31647}{17} - 41^2} = 13.4$$

M1A1 [2]  
[7]

$$7 \quad (a) \quad P(X=2) = C_2^6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= \frac{15}{17} \left(\frac{1}{36}\right) \left(\frac{125}{216}\right)$$

$$= \frac{0.200938786}{0.160711} \mid \frac{625}{3888}$$

A1

[2]

$$(b) \quad P(X \geq 4) = 1 - (PX < 4) \quad \mid \quad P(X=4 \text{ or } 5) \quad \text{B1}$$

$$= 1 - C_0^6 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^6 - C_1^6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^5 - C_2^6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^4 - C_3^6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^6 - 6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^5 - 15 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^4 - 20 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3$$

$$= \cancel{1 - 0.991298011}$$

$$= \cancel{0.008701989} \quad 0.00334 \mid \frac{13}{3888} \quad \text{A1}$$

[2]

$$(c) \quad P(X < 3) = P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2)$$

$$= C_0^6 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^6 + C_1^6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^5 + C_2^6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^4 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^6 + 6 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^5 + 15 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^4$$

$$= \cancel{0.9377143347} \quad 0.9645 \quad \text{A1} \quad [2]$$

[7]

$$8 \quad (a) \quad P(X=4) = (0,6)(0,4)^3 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= 0,0384$$

A1

[2]

$$(b) \quad E(X) = \frac{1}{0,6}$$

$$= \frac{5}{3} \mid 1.6667$$

B1

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{0,4}{(0,6)^2}$$

M1

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \mid \frac{10}{9} \mid 1.111$$

A1

[2]

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(c)} \quad P(X \geq 3) &= P(X = 3) + P(X > 3) && \wedge P(X > 2) && \text{B1} \\
 &= (0,6)(0,4)^2 + (0,4)^3 && 0,42 && \text{M1} \\
 &= 0,16 && 0,16 && \text{A1} \quad \boxed{8}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 9 \quad \text{(a)} \quad c \int_0^{\frac{5}{2}} (2x - x^2) dx &= c \left[ x^2 - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^{\frac{5}{2}} && \text{M1} \\
 &= c \left[ \frac{25}{4} - \frac{125}{24} \right] && \text{M1} \\
 &= \frac{25c}{24} > 0 && \text{A1} \quad [3]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b)} \quad \text{(i)} \quad \frac{25c}{24} &= 1 && \text{M1} \\
 c &= \frac{24}{25} && \text{A1} \quad [2]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad E(X) &= \frac{24}{25} \int_0^{\frac{5}{2}} (2x^2 - x^3) dx && \\
 &= \frac{24}{25} \left[ \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^{\frac{5}{2}} && \text{M1} \\
 &= \frac{24}{25} \left[ \frac{125}{12} - \frac{625}{64} \right] && \text{M1} \\
 &= \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{5}{8} (0,625) && \text{A1} \quad [3] \\
 &&& [8]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 10 \quad \text{(a)} \quad P(2 < X < 5) &= P\left(\frac{2-3}{3} < \frac{X-3}{3} < \frac{5-3}{3}\right) && \text{M1} \text{ standardising} \\
 &= P\left(-\frac{1}{3} < Z < \frac{2}{3}\right) \\
 &= 0,7477 + 0,6304 - 1 && \text{M1} \\
 &= 0,3779 \quad 0,3781 && \text{A1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b)} \quad P(X > 0) &= P\left(Z > \frac{0-3}{3}\right) && \text{M1} \\
 &= P(Z > -1) \\
 &= \Phi(1) \\
 &= 0,8413 && \text{A1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \quad P(|X - 3| > 6) = P(X < 3) + P(X > 9)$$

$$= P\left(Z < \frac{-3-3}{3}\right) + P\left(Z > \frac{9-3}{3}\right)$$

$$= P(Z < -2) + P(Z > 2)$$

$$= 2[1 - \Phi(2)]$$

$$= 2[1 - 0,9772]$$

$$= 0,0456$$

B1 interpretation

M1

A1 B1 table value

A1 ~~[4]~~  
[9]

11 (a) Number of years used = 8

B1

(b) Sales for 1985:

$$\hat{y} = 284 + 14.4(11)$$

M1

$$= \del{537,6} 442,4 \quad (442\ 400)$$

A1

(c) Annual increase in sales = 14.4 / 14 400

B1

(d)  $\hat{y} = \frac{284}{12} + \frac{14.4}{12} \cdot \frac{x}{12}$

M1

$$= 23,67 + 0,1x$$

To move origin to 15 July 1980, add 36,5 increments of 0,1 to 23,67:

$$\hat{y} = 23,67 + 36.5(0,1) + 0,1x$$

M1

$$= 27.32 + 0,1x$$

A1

Sales for September 1980:

$$\hat{y} = 27.32 + 0,1(2,5)$$

M1

$$= 27.57$$

A1

[9]

12 (a)  $P(X < 20) = 10 \int_{10}^{20} \frac{dx}{x^2}$

$$= 10 \left[ -\frac{1}{x} \right]_{10}^{20}$$

$$= 10 \left[ \frac{1}{10} - \frac{1}{20} \right]$$

M1

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

A1 ~~[2]~~

(b) For  $x > 10$ ,  $F(x) = 10 \int_{10}^x \frac{dt}{t^2}$

$$= 10 \left[ -\frac{1}{t} \right]_{10}^x \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{10}{x} \quad \text{A1}$$

For  $x \leq 10$ ,  $F(x) = 0$

$$\therefore F(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - \frac{10}{x}, & x > 10 \\ 0, & x \leq 10 \end{cases} \quad \text{B1} \quad \cancel{[3]}$$

(c)  $Y \sim \text{Bin}\left(6, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  B1

$$P(Y \geq 3) = 1 - P(Y < 3) \quad \text{B1}$$

$$= 1 - C_0^6 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 - C_1^6 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 - C_2^6 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 - 6 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 - 15 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6$$

$$= 1 - 0,34375$$

$$= 0,65625 \quad \text{A1} \quad \begin{matrix} [4] \\ [9] \end{matrix}$$

13 (a)  $P(A > 65) = P\left(Z > \frac{65-75}{6}\right)$  M1

$$= P(Z > -1.667)$$

$$= 0,9522 \quad \text{A1}$$

(b)  $M = A_1 + A_2 + A_3 - (B_1 + B_2 + B_3) \sim N(30, 183)$  B1B1

$$P(M > 0) = P\left(Z > \frac{0-30}{\sqrt{183}}\right) \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= P(Z > -2.218)$$

$$= 0,9867 \quad \text{A1}$$

(c)  $H = A - 1.15 B \sim N(0.25, 69.0625)$  B1B1

$$P(H > 0) = P\left(Z > \frac{0-0.25}{\sqrt{69.0625}}\right) \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= P(Z > -0,03008)$$

$$= \Phi(0,03008)$$

$$= 0,5120 \quad \text{A1}$$

[10]

- 14 (a)  $X \sim \text{Bin}(500, 0.4)$   
 $np = 200 > 5$  and  $nq = 300 > 5$   
 $X \sim N(200, 120)$  B1B1  
 $P(X = 190) = P(189.5 < X < 190.5)$  B1  
 $= P\left(\frac{189.5-200}{\sqrt{120}} < Z < \frac{190.5-200}{\sqrt{120}}\right)$  M1  
 $= P(-0.9585 < Z < -0.8672)$   
 $= \Phi(0.9585) - \Phi(0.8672)$   
 $= 0.8312 - 0.8070$   
 $= 0.0242$  A1
- (b)  $P(180 < X < 210) = P(179.5 < X < 210.5)$  B1  
 $= P\left(\frac{179.5-200}{\sqrt{120}} < Z < \frac{210.5-200}{\sqrt{120}}\right)$  M1  
 $= P(-1.871 < Z < 0.9585)$   
 $= \Phi(1.871) + \Phi(0.9585) - 1$   
 $= 0.9694 + 0.8312 - 1$   
 $= 0.8006$  A1
- (c)  $P(X > 180) = P(X > 180.5)$  B1  
 $= P\left(Z > \frac{180.5-200}{\sqrt{120}}\right)$  M1  
 $= P(Z > -1.780)$   
 $= \Phi(1.780)$   
 $= 0.9625$  A1

[11]



- 15  $H_0$ : Sample population has Poisson distribution  
 $H_a$ : Sample population has some other distribution

B1<sup>sol</sup>

$$\alpha = 0,01$$

$$df = 8 - 1 - 0 = 7$$

B1<sup>sol</sup>

Reject  $H_0$  if  $\chi_{cal}^2 > 18,48$

B1

$$E_0 = 600 \times \frac{e^{-2.5}(2.5)^0}{0!} = 49.2$$

M1A1

M1A1

$B_i$	$E_i$	$(O - E)^2/E$
34	49.3 <sup>49.25</sup>	4.723 <sup>4.7226</sup>
131	123	0.504
160	153.9	0.242
136	128.3	0.467
72	80.2	0.838
37	40.1	0.240
22	16.7	1.682
8	8.5	0.029

$$\chi_{cal}^2 = 8.725$$

A1A1

M1A1

Since  $\chi_{cal}^2 = 8.725 < 18.48$ , we do not reject  $H_0$  and conclude that <sup>M1A1</sup>  
the sample population has a Poisson distribution. [13]