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## Mathematics tests

## Mark schemes

Test A, Test B and Mental mathematics


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## Marking the mathematics tests

As in 2009, external markers, employed by the external marking agencies under contract to QCDA, will mark the test papers. The markers will follow the mark schemes in this booklet, which is supplied to teachers for information.

This booklet contains the mark schemes for the levels 3-5 tests A, B and mental mathematics. Level threshold tables will be available on the OCDA website (http://testsandexams.qcda.gov.uk/18954.aspx) on 30 June 2010.

## General guidance

## The structure of the mark schemes

The marking information for each question is set out in the form of tables, which start on page 6 of this booklet. The 'question' column on the left-hand side of each table provides a quick reference to the question number and the question part. The 'mark' column indicates the total number of marks available for each question part. On some occasions the symbol (U1) may be shown in the mark column. The ' $U$ ' indicates that there is a Using and applying mathematics element in the question. The number, 1 , shows the number of marks attributed to using and applying mathematics in this question.

The 'requirement' column may include 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
- examples of some different types of correct response.

The 'additional guidance' column indicates alternative acceptable responses, and provides details of specific types of response which are unacceptable. Other guidance, such as the range of acceptable answers, is provided as necessary.

Additionally, for the mental mathematics test, general guidance on marking is given on page 17, together with a 'quick reference' mark scheme.

## Applying the mark schemes

In order to ensure consistency of marking, the most frequent procedural queries are listed on pages 2 and 3 along with the action the marker will take. This is followed by further guidance on pages 4 and 5 relating to the marking of questions that involve money, time and other measures. Unless otherwise specified in the mark scheme, markers will apply the following guidelines in all cases.

## What if...

The pupil's response is numerically or algebraically equivalent to the answer in the mark scheme.

The pupil's response does not match closely any of the examples given.

The pupil has responded in a non-standard way.

There appears to be a misreading affecting the working.

## No answer is given in

 the expected place, but the correct answer is given elsewhere.The pupil's answer is correct but the wrong working is shown.

The response in the answer box is wrong, but the correct answer is shown in the working.

## Marking procedure

Markers will award the mark unless the mark scheme states otherwise.

Markers will use their judgement in deciding whether the response corresponds with the statement of the requirements given in the 'requirement' column. Reference will also be made to the additional guidance and, if there is still uncertainty, markers will contact the supervising marker.

Calculations, formulae and written responses do not have to be set out in any particular format. Pupils may provide evidence in any form as long as its meaning can be understood. Diagrams, symbols or words are acceptable for explanations or for indicating a response. Any correct method of setting out working, however idiosyncratic, will be accepted.

This is when the pupil misreads the information given in the question and uses different information without altering the original intention or difficulty level of the question. For each misread that occurs, one mark only will be deducted.
In one-mark questions - 0 marks are awarded.
In two-mark questions that have a method mark - 1 mark will be awarded if the correct method is correctly implemented with the misread number.

Where a pupil has shown understanding of the question, the mark(s) will be given. In particular, where a word or number response is expected, a pupil may meet the requirement by annotating a graph or labelling a diagram elsewhere in the question.

## A correct response will always be marked as correct.

Where appropriate, detailed guidance will be given in the mark scheme, which markers will follow. If no guidance is given, markers will examine each case to decide whether:

- the incorrect answer is due to a transcription error
- the pupil has continued to give redundant extra working which does not contradict work already done
- the pupil has continued to give redundant extra working which does contradict work already done.

If so, the mark will be awarded.

If so, the mark will be awarded.

If so, the mark will not be awarded.

## What if...

The correct response has been crossed out and not replaced.

More than one answer is given.

The answer is correct but, in a later part of the question, the pupil has contradicted this response.

The pupil has drawn lines which do not meet at the correct point.

## Marking procedure

Any legible crossed-out work that has not been replaced will be marked according to the mark scheme. If the work is replaced, then crossed-out work will not be considered.

If all answers are correct (or a range of answers is given, all of which are correct), the mark will be awarded unless prohibited by the mark scheme. If both correct and incorrect responses are given, no mark will be awarded.

A mark given for one part will not be disallowed for working or answers given in a different part, unless the mark scheme specifically states otherwise.

Markers will interpret the phrase 'slight inaccuracies in drawing' to mean 'within or on a circle of radius 2 mm with centre at the correct point'.

within the circle accepted

on the circle
accepted

outside the circle not accepted

## Recording marks awarded on the test paper

In the margin, alongside each question part, there is a marking space for each question part.
Depending on the type of response made to each part of each question by the pupil, the external marker will record one of the following in each marking space:
'1' for a correct response
'0' for an incorrect response
'-' if no response is made.
A two-mark question which is correct will have '1' entered in both marking spaces. A two-mark question which is incorrect, but which has sufficient evidence of working or method as required by the mark scheme, will have ' 1 ' entered in the first marking space and ' 0 ' in the second. Otherwise ' 0 ' will be entered in both marking spaces, unless no response is made in which case ' - ' will be entered in both marking spaces.

For the written tests, the total number of marks gained on each double page will be written in the space at the bottom of the right-hand page. For all of the tests, the total number of marks gained on each paper will be recorded on the front of the test paper.

Test A carries a total of 40 marks. Test B also carries a total of 40 marks. The mental mathematics test carries a total of 20 marks.

The 2010 key stage 2 mathematics tests and mark schemes were developed by the Test Development Team at Pearson Research and Assessment on behalf of QCDA.

## Marking specific types of question - summary of additional guidance

## Responses involving money

| Accept |
| :--- |

## Responses involving time

|  | Accept | Do not accept |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| A time <br> interval <br> for example: <br> 2 hours 30 <br> minutes | 2 hours 30 minutes |  |

## Responses involving measures

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

## 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.

## Test A questions 1-6



## Test A questions 7-12

| Question | Requirement |  |  | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | 144 |  |  | 1 m |  |
| 8a <br> 8b | B AND F <br> C AND D AND |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | Letters may be given in either order. <br> Letters may be given in any order. |
| 9 | Jack |  |  | 1 m | Accept unambiguous abbreviations or recognisable misspellings. |
| 10 | Award TWO ma shown: <br> a 3-digit number <br> not a 3-digit number <br> If the answer is numbers place | for the tab <br> rrect, award rectly. | pleted as <br> not odd <br> 990 <br> 7002 <br> mark for four | Up to $2 m$ | Do not accept numbers written in more than one section. |
| 11 | 3804 |  |  | 1 m |  |
| 12 | Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 6 <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of appropriate working, eg $\begin{aligned} & 2.50 \times 2=5 \\ & 14-5=9 \\ & 9 \div 1.50=\text { wrong answer } \end{aligned}$ <br> OR $14-2.50-2.50=9$ <br> $1.50 \times$ wrong number $=9$ |  |  | Up to $2 m$ | Accept for ONE mark an answer of $£ 6$ as evidence of appropriate working. <br> Working must be carried through to reach an answer for the award of ONE mark. |

## Test A questions 13-15

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 13 a \\ & 13 b \end{aligned}$ |  |  | If the answer is incorrect, award the mark if the answers to 13 a and 13 b total 20 |
| 14 | $\left(1 \frac{1}{2}+3 \frac{1}{2}\right) \times 2$ <br> OR $\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}+3 \frac{1}{2}\right) \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$ | 1 m | Numbers in brackets may be given in either order. Accept equivalent fractions or decimals. <br> Do not accept use of the same card twice, eg $\left(2 \frac{1}{2}+2 \frac{1}{2}\right) \times 2$ |
| 15 | Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 30p. <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of appropriate working, eg $\begin{aligned} & 10 p \times 2=20 p \\ & £ 1-20 p=80 p \\ & 80 p \div 4=20 p \\ & 20 p+10 p=\text { wrong answer } \end{aligned}$ <br> OR $\begin{aligned} & £ 1 \div 2=50 p \\ & 50 p-10 p=40 p \\ & 40 p \div 2=20 p \\ & 20 p+10 p=\text { wrong answer } \end{aligned}$ | Up to $2 m$ <br> U1 | Working must be carried through to reach an answer for the award of ONE mark. |

## Test A questions 16-18

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | Award TWO marks for diagrams ticked or crossed as shown: <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for three diagrams ticked or crossed correctly. | Up to $2 m$ | Accept alternative unambiguous indications, eg Y or $\mathbf{N}$. <br> For TWO marks, accept: <br> For TWO marks accept lines of symmetry drawn on the correct two shapes and the other two shapes left blank. |
| 17 | $18+16+6$ <br> OR $18+14+8$ <br> OR $18+12+10$ <br> OR $16+14+10$ | 1 m | Numbers may be given in any order. |
| $\begin{aligned} & 18 a \\ & 18 b \end{aligned}$ | -75 in the first box <br> -200 in the second box | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | Do not accept 75- <br> Do not accept 200- <br> Accept a number 125 less than the answer to 18a, provided the answer to 18a is negative. |

## Test A questions 19-21

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 19 | Line drawn from $\mathbf{A}$ to one of the two dots marked as shown: <br> OR | 1 m | Accept slight inaccuracies in drawing (see page 3 for guidance). |
| 20 | Fraction circled as shown: $\begin{array}{llll} \frac{7}{8} & \frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{5}{8} \end{array} \frac{3}{6}$ | 1 m | Accept alternative unambiguous indications, eg fraction ticked, crossed or underlined. |
| 21 | Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 18 <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of appropriate working, eg $\begin{aligned} & 50 \div 2=25 \\ & 25-7=\text { wrong answer } \end{aligned}$ <br> OR $7 \times 2=14$ $50-14=36$ <br> $36 \div 2=$ wrong answer | Up to $2 m$ | Working must be carried through to reach an answer for the award of ONE mark. |

## Test A questions 22-26



## Test $B$ questions 1-5

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Award TWO marks for the four lines drawn as shown: <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for three correct lines drawn AND not more than one incorrect line drawn. | Up to $2 m$ | Do not award any marks if two or more incorrect lines are drawn. <br> Lines need not touch the boxes, provided the intention is clear. |
| 2a <br> 2b |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | Accept A AND D in either order. |
| 3 | 115 OR 151 OR 511 <br> OR <br> 133 OR 313 OR 331 |  |  |
| 4 | Diagram completed as shown: | 1 m | Accept slight inaccuracies in drawing (see page 3 for guidance). <br> Shape need not be shaded. |
| 5a | 4 hours | 1 m | The answer is a time interval (see page 5 for guidance). |
| 5b | Saturday | 1 m | Accept unambiguous abbreviations or recognisable misspellings. <br> Accept ' 10 am to $5: 30$ pm'. <br> Accept $7 \frac{1}{2}$ hours. |
| 5c | 35 minutes | 1 m | The answer is a time interval (see page 5 for guidance). |

## Test B questions 6-11

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $6 a$ 6b | 5 <br> Award TWO marks for the correct answer of $£ 2.85$ <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of appropriate method, eg $\begin{aligned} & 0.55 \times 3=1.65 \\ & 1.20+1.65 \end{aligned}$ | 1m <br> Up to $2 m$ | Accept for ONE mark $£ 285$ OR $£ 285 p$ as evidence of appropriate method. <br> Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark. |
| 7 | An explanation which recognises that 5 is a quarter of 20 , the total number of balloons, eg: <br> - ' $\frac{1}{4}$ are red, $\frac{1}{4}$ are blue and half are yellow' <br> - 'A quarter of 20 is $5^{\prime}$ <br> - '5 out of 20 ' <br> - 'There are 20 balloons altogether and 5 are red so she is correct'. |  | No mark is awarded for circling 'Yes' alone. <br> Do not accept vague or incomplete explanations, eg: <br> ' 5 are red, 5 are blue and 10 are yellow so that is a quarter' <br> - 'There are 20 altogether' <br> - 'Add all the balloons up and divide by 4' <br> If ' $N o$ ' is circled but a correct, unambiguous explanation is given, then award the mark. |
| 8 | Three multiples of 3, eg: <br> OR |  | Multiples may be given in any order. <br> Digits may be in either order, eg 24 OR 42 <br> Do not accept digits used more than once. <br> Do not accept digits other than those shown. |
| 9a <br> $9 b$ | $3$ <br> 2004 AND 2007 AND 2008 | $\begin{gathered} 1 \mathrm{~m} \\ 1 \mathrm{~m} \\ \text { U1 } \end{gathered}$ | Do not accept a list of years. <br> Years may be given in any order. |
| 10 | 325 | 1 m |  |
| 11 | Award TWO marks for diagrams ticked or crossed as shown: <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for three diagrams ticked or crossed correctly. | Up to $2 m$ | Accept alternative unambiguous indications, eg $\mathbf{Y}$ or $\mathbf{N}$. <br> For TWO marks, accept: |

## Test B questions 12-16



## Test $B$ questions 17-21

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 17 a \\ & 17 b \end{aligned}$ | Answer in the range of 8:40pm to 8:50pm inclusive $3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | The answer is a specific time (see page 5 for guidance). <br> Do not accept -3 |
| 18 | Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 45 <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of appropriate method, eg: $\begin{aligned} & 70 \div 2=35 \\ & 80-35 \end{aligned}$ <br> OR $\begin{aligned} & 80-70=10 \\ & 70 \div 2=35 \\ & 35+10 \end{aligned}$ <br> OR $\begin{aligned} & 80+80=160 \\ & 160-70=90 \\ & 90 \div 2 \end{aligned}$ <br> OR $\begin{aligned} & 80+80+70=230 \\ & 230 \div 2=115 \\ & 115-70 \end{aligned}$ | Up to $2 m$ <br> U1 | Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark. <br> Sarah and Amy must weigh the same ... <br> Liam must weigh 10kg more than Sarah ... <br> Add the bottom two rows and subtract the top ... <br> Add all three rows and halve the total ... |
| 19 | Award TWO marks for the diagram completed as shown: <br> If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for two shapes correct and no more than one incorrect. | Up to $2 m$ | Accept slight inaccuracies in drawing provided the intention is clear. <br> Circle and square need not be shaded. |
| 20 | 126 | 1 m |  |
| 21 | Measurements circled as shown: | 1 m | Accept alternative unambiguous indications, eg measurements ticked, crossed or underlined. |

## Test B questions 22-24

| Question | Requirement |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 22 | Award TWO marks for three rows ticked correctly as shown: |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { less than } \\ 1000 \end{gathered}$ | equal to 1000 | more than 1000 |
|  | $5 \times 15 \times 25$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
|  | $16 \times(80.3-17.8)$ |  | $\checkmark$ |  |
|  | $3888 \div(4.32-0.57)$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
|  | $(32-5.7) \times(32+5.7)$ | $\checkmark$ |  |  |

If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for two rows ticked correctly.

Award TWO marks for all three expressions correct, eg
$k-2$
$2 k+3$
$6+\frac{1}{2} k$
If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for two expressions correct.

## Mark

Up to $2 m$

Up to $2 m$
Accept equivalent or unconventional notation, eg
$k+k+3$ OR $3+2 \times k$
$\frac{k}{2}+6$ OR $6+k \div 2$

No mark is awarded for circling ' A ' alone.
Do not accept vague or incomplete explanations, eg:

- 'A is more likely even though there are more blues in $B^{\prime}$
- 'A has an even chance'.

If ' $B$ ' is circled but a correct, unambiguous explanation is given, then award the mark.

# Mark scheme for the mental mathematics test 

## Applying the mark scheme

Please note that pupils will not be penalised if they record any information given in the question or show their working. Markers will ignore any annotation, even if in the answer space, and mark only the answer. Markers will accept an unambiguous answer written in the stimulus box, or elsewhere on the page.

Full mark scheme information is given on page 19. In addition, a 'quick reference' mark scheme is provided on page 18. This is presented in a similar format to the pupil's answer sheet.

## General guidance

The general guidance for marking the written tests also applies to marking the mental mathematics test. In addition, the following principles apply.

1. Unless stated otherwise in the mark scheme, accept answers written in words, or a combination of words and figures.
2. Where units are specified, they are given on the answer sheet. Pupils are not penalised for writing in the units again.
3. Where answers are required to be ringed, do not accept if more than one answer is ringed, unless it is clear which is the pupil's intended answer. Accept also any other way of indicating the correct answer, eg underlining.

# Mental mathematics 2010 quick reference mark scheme 

## Practice question



Time: 5 seconds

| 1 | 41 |
| :--- | :--- |


| 2 | 300 |
| :--- | :--- |


| 3 | 0.1 | Do ont accept <br> fraction or <br> percentages |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 4 | 9 |
| :--- | :--- |


| 5 | 7500 |
| :--- | :--- |

Time: 10 seconds

| 6 | 20 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 7 | 775 |


| $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{8} \frac{1}{2}$ | Accept equivalent <br> fractions or decimals |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 9 | 50 | g |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 10 | 6.4 |
| :--- | :--- |


| 11 | 20 |
| :--- | :--- |


| 12 | $£ \quad 5.40$ | Do not accept $£ 5.4$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 13 | $\frac{5}{7}$ | OR $\frac{20}{28}$ ORany equivalent <br> fraction |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 14 | 34 | $\circ$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 15 | 10 cm |
| :--- | :--- |

Time: 15 seconds

| 16 | 92 |
| :--- | :--- |


| 17 | 0.36 | 3.6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 36 | 360 |
|  | 3600 |  |


| 18 | 9 hours |
| :--- | :--- |



| 20 | 252 |
| :--- | :--- |

## Mental mathematics questions 1-20

| Question | Requirement | Mark | Additional guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 41 | 1 m |  |
| 2 | 300 | 1 m |  |
| 3 | 0.1 | 1 m | Do not accept fractions or percentages. |
| 4 | 9 | 1 m |  |
| 5 | 7500 | 1 m |  |
| 6 | 20 | 1 m |  |
| 7 | 775 | 1 m |  |
| 8 | $8 \frac{1}{2}$ | 1 m | Accept equivalent fractions or decimals. |
| 9 | 50 g | 1 m |  |
| 10 | 6.4 | 1 m |  |
| 11 | 20 | 1 m |  |
| 12 | £5.40 | 1 m | Do not accept $£ 5.4$ |
| 13 | $\frac{5}{7}$ OR $\frac{20}{28}$ OR any equivalent fraction | 1 m |  |
| 14 | $34^{\circ}$ | 1 m |  |
| 15 | 10 cm | 1 m |  |
| 16 | 92 | 1 m |  |
| 17 |  | 1 m | Accept alternative unambiguous indications, eg underlining. <br> Do not accept if more than one answer is indicated unless the intention is clear. |
| 18 | 9 hours | 1 m |  |
| 19 | Any multiple of 20 greater than 100, eg 120 OR 200 | 1 m |  |
| 20 | 252 | 1 m |  |

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