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# Mark Scheme (Results)

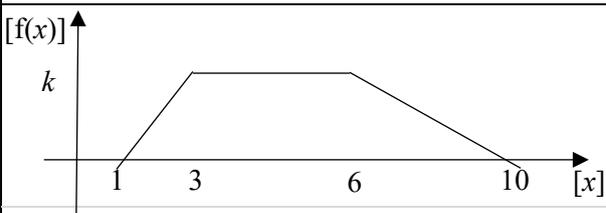
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Pearson Edexcel International A Level  
in Statistics S2 (WST02) Paper 01

Question Number	Scheme		Marks
1 (a)	$X = \text{faults in a week} \Rightarrow X \sim \text{Po}(6)$		
	$[P(X \geq x) = 0.1528 \Rightarrow P(X \leq x - 1)] = 0.8472$		M1
	Using tables $P(X \leq 8) = 0.8472 \Rightarrow x - 1 = 8$		M1
	$x = 9$		A1
			(3)
(b)	$Y = \text{faults in six weeks} \Rightarrow Y \sim N(36, 36)$		B1
	$P(Y < 32) = P\left(Z < \frac{31.5 - 36}{6}\right) [= P(Z < -0.75)]$		M1 M1
	$= 0.2266$	awrt 0.227	A1
(c)	$W = \text{Number of poor weeks} \Rightarrow W \sim B(50, 0.1528)$		B1
	$[P(W > 1)] = 1 - P(W \leq 1)$		M1
	$= 1 - (0.8472^{50} + 50 \times 0.1528 \times 0.8472^{49})$		dM1
	$= 0.99748\dots$	awrt 0.997	A1
			(4)
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 11</b>
1 (a)	<b>M1</b>	Writing or using $1 - P(X \leq x - 1)$	
	<b>M1</b>	For 0.8472 May be implied by $x - 1 = 8$	
	<b>A1</b>	$x = 9$	
(b)	<b>B1</b>	Writing or using $N(36, 36)$ (May be implied by a correct standardisation expression)	
	<b>M1</b>	Standardising with 30.5/31/31.5/32/32.5/39.5/40/40.5/41/41.5, their mean and standard deviation (Allow $\pm$ )	
	<b>M1</b>	A fully correct standardisation. May be implied by $\pm 0.75$	
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 0.227	
(c)	<b>B1</b>	Writing or using $B(50, 0.1528)$	
	<b>M1</b>	Writing or using $1 - P(W \leq 1)$ (Allow any letter)	
	<b>dM1</b>	Dependent on using binomial. Using $1 - [P(W = 0) + P(W = 1)]$ (implied by awrt 0.997 or 0.9975 or $1 - \text{awrt } 0.00257$ ) Using binomial may be implied by $(1 - p)^{50} + {}^n C_r \times p \times (1 - p)^{49}$ where $p$ is a probability Condone ${}^n C_r$ missing	
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 0.997 or 0.9975	

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2 (a)	$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4k} & -k \leq x \leq 3k \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$		M1 A1	
			(2)	
(b)	$[E(X)] = k$		B1	
			(1)	
(c)	$[\text{Var}(X)] = \frac{(3k - -k)^2}{12} = \frac{16k^2}{12} \quad \text{or} \quad \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} "f(x)" \right]_{-k}^{3k} - ("k")^2$		M1	
			$= \frac{4k^2}{3} *$	A1* cso
			(2)	
(d)	$E(X^2) = \text{Var}(X) + E(X)^2 = \frac{4k^2}{3} + ("k")^2$		M1	
			$= \frac{7k^2}{3}$	A1
			$E(3X^2) = 3E(X^2) = 3 \times \frac{7k^2}{3} = 7k^2$	A1
			(3)	
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 8</b>	
2 (a)	<b>M1</b>	For the 1 <sup>st</sup> line of the pdf including the inequality, allow use of < instead of one/both ≤ signs		
	<b>A1</b>	Fully correct, allow use of < instead of one/both ≤ signs. Allow equivalent for the 0 otherwise.		
(b)	<b>B1</b>	Cao		
(c)	<b>M1</b>	Use of $\text{Var}(X) = \frac{(\beta - \alpha)^2}{12}$ or $\left[ \frac{x^3}{3} "f(x)" \right]_{-k}^{3k} - ("k")^2$		
			<b>A1* cso</b>	Answer is given. Correct solution only with no incorrect working.
(d)	<b>M1</b>	Use of $E(X^2) = \text{Var}(X) + E(X)^2$ ft their $E(X)$ or $\left[ \frac{x^3}{3} "f(x)" \right]_{-k}^{3k}$ this integration may be seen in part (c) or part (d)		
			<b>A1</b>	$\frac{7k^2}{3}$ (This must be seen in part (d)) May be implied by $7k^2$ )
	<b>A1</b>	Cao		

Question Number	Scheme		Marks
3 (a)	We can assume breakdowns are [rare], independent events occurring at a constant rate.		B1 (1)
(b)	$H_0 : \lambda = 8$ $H_1 : \lambda \neq 8$		B1 (1)
(c)	$X \sim \text{Po}(8)$		
	$P(X \leq 2) = 0.0138$ oe $P(X \leq 3) = 0.0424$ oe		M1
	$P(X \geq 14) = 0.0342$ oe $P(X \geq 15) = 0.0173$ oe		M1
	$X \leq 2 \cup X \geq 15$ oe		A1 (3)
(d)	“0.0138” + “0.0173”		M1
	=“0.0311”		A1ft (2)
(e)	“[4 is] not in the critical region”		M1
	So there is insufficient evidence that refurbishment has changed the mean breakdown rate		A1 (2)
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 9</b>
3 (a)	<b>B1</b>	A correct statement which include the words independent or constant rate or singly. No context needed	
(b)	<b>B1</b>	Both hypotheses correct. Must be attached to $H_0$ and $H_1$ in terms of $\lambda$ or $\mu$ .	
(c)	<b>M1</b>	Use of Po(8) to find the lower critical value. May be implied by either 0.0138 or 0.0424 or $X \leq 2$ if no probabilities shown (Calculator values: 0.01375... and 0.04238...)	
	<b>M1</b>	Use of Po(8) to find the upper critical value. May be implied by 0.0342 or 0.0173 or 0.9658 or 0.9827 or $X \geq 15$ if no probabilities shown (Calculator values: 0.03418... and 0.01725... and 0.96581... and 0.98274...)	
	<b>A1</b>	$X \leq 2$ oe $[\cup] X \geq 15$ oe Condone the use of and/or Do not allow as probability statements Allow $[0, 2]$ or $[0, 3)$ and $[15, \infty]$ or $[15, \infty)$ or $(14, \infty]$ or $(14, \infty)$	
(d)	<b>M1</b>	Adding the two probabilities for their critical region	
	<b>A1ft</b>	0.0311 Allow 3.11 or awrt 3.1[0] or awrt 0.031[0] ft their critical region	
		<b>NB</b> 3.11 or 0.0311 or awrt 3.1[0] or awrt 0.031[0] will score 2/2	
(e)	<b>M1</b>	A correct statement ft their critical region e.g. Do not reject $H_0$ /Accept $H_0$ /not significant – no context needed but do not allow contradicting non contextual comments	
	<b>A1</b>	Correct conclusion in context. Must include rate/number of breakdown (Allow decreased for changed)	
		<b>NB</b> Award M1 A1 for a correct contextual statement on its own	

Question Number	Scheme		Marks
4 (a)			B1 B1
			(2)
	(b)	$\frac{1}{2}(3+9) \times k = 1$ or $\frac{1}{2}(3-1)k + (6-3)k + \frac{1}{2}(10-6)k = 1$ or $\frac{1}{2}k \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} - x \right]_1^3 + k[x]_3^6 + \frac{1}{4}k \left[ 10x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_6^{10} = 1$	M1
		$k = \frac{1}{6}$ *	A1* cso
		(2)	
(c)	$\int_1^x \frac{1}{12}(x-1) dx$ or $\int \frac{1}{12}(x-1) dx$ and using $F(1) = 0$		M1
	$\int_3^x \frac{1}{6} dx + "F(3)"$ or $\int \frac{1}{6} dx$ and using " $F(3) = \frac{1}{6}$ "		M1
	$\int_6^x \left( \frac{5}{12} - \frac{1}{24}x \right) dx + "F(6)"$ or $\int \left( \frac{5}{12} - \frac{1}{24}x \right) dx$ and using either " $F(6) = \frac{2}{3}$ " or $F(10) = 1$		M1
	$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 1 \\ \frac{1}{24}(x^2 - 2x + 1) & 1 \leq x \leq 3 \\ \frac{1}{6}(x - 2) & 3 < x \leq 6 \\ \frac{1}{48}(20x - x^2 - 52) \text{ or } 1 - \frac{(10-x)^2}{48} & 6 < x \leq 10 \\ 1 & x > 10 \end{cases}$		A1oe A1oe A1 oe B1
		(7)	
(d)	$P(X > E(X)) = 1 - F\left(\frac{61}{12}\right) = 1 - 0.51388... = 0.4861...$	awrt 0.486	M1 A1 (2)
(e)	Since (d) < 0.5 [the mean is greater than the median] therefore positive (skew) or follow through their sketch in part (a)		M1 A1ft (2)
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 15</b>
4(a)	<b>B1</b>	Correct shape. Must start and end on the $x$ axis	
	<b>B1</b>	Fully correct including 1, 3, 6, 10 and $k$ . Allow $\frac{1}{6}$ for $k$ Ignore labels for $x$ and $f(x)$ and any extras e.g. $k/2$	
(b)	<b>M1</b>	Setting up the area of the trapezium = 1 or 2 triangles + a rectangle = 1 or a fully correct integration, including limits = 1	
	<b>A1* cso</b>	Answer is given. Correct solution only with no incorrect working.	
(c)	<b>M1</b>	For a correct method to find the 2 <sup>nd</sup> line Allow in terms of $k$	

	<b>M1</b>	For a correct method to find the 3 <sup>rd</sup> line, ft their $F(3)$ . If using + c method then ft their $F(3) = \frac{1}{6}$ Allow in terms of $k$
	<b>M1</b>	For a correct method to find the 4 <sup>th</sup> line, ft their $F(6)$ . If using + c method then ft their $F(6) = \frac{2}{3}$ Allow in terms of $k$
	<b>A1</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> line correct including inequality. Allow $<$ instead of $\leq$
	<b>A1</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> line correct including inequality. Allow $<$ instead of $\leq$
	<b>A1</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> line correct including inequality. Allow $<$ instead of $\leq$
	<b>B1</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> line correct. Allow “otherwise” for the range on the 1 <sup>st</sup> or 5 <sup>th</sup> line but not both. All 5 lines must be in terms of the same letter.
(d)	<b>M1</b>	For use of $1 - F\left(\frac{61}{12}\right)$ using the their line of $F(x)$ for $3 < x \leq 6$ . May use integration/area methods
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 0.486 Allow $\frac{35}{72}$
(e)	<b>M1</b>	For correctly comparing part (d) with 0.5 (may be implied by a correct comparison of mean and median (5)) do not allow mean is greater than the median on its own
	<b>A1ft</b>	For positive skew or ft their answer to part (d) Accept “no (or negligible) skew” following a reason that “mean $\approx$ median” Allow argument based on sketch in part (a)

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5 (a)	B( $n$ , 0.045)		B1 (1)
(b)	<u>Applicants</u> are independent (no identical twins) or the <u>proportion/probability</u> identified as <u>colour blind</u> does not change over time		B1 (1)
(c)	B(120, 0.045) $\Rightarrow$ Po(5.4)		B1
	$P(X = 5) = \frac{e^{-5.4} \times 5.4^5}{5!}$		M1
	= 0.1728... awrt 0.173		A1 (3)
(d)	Binomial with large $n$ and very small $p$		B1 B1 (2)
	$H_0 : p = 0.75 \quad H_1 : p \neq 0.75$ B(96, 0.75) $\Rightarrow$ N(72, 18)		B1 B1
	$Z = \frac{67.5 - 72}{\sqrt{18}} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{x \pm 0.5 - 72}{\sqrt{18}}$ = -1.06066... or $\frac{x + 0.5 - 72}{\sqrt{18}} < -1.96$ or $\frac{x - 0.5 - 72}{\sqrt{18}} > 1.96$ P( $z < -1.06$ ) = 0.1444... / 0.1446 or CR < 63.2 awrt 0.144 or 0.145 There is insufficient evidence to reject $H_0$ Insufficient evidence against Jaymini's claim		M1 A1 A1 dM1 A1 (7)
<b>ALT</b>	Let $p$ be the probability of an applicant fail to become a pilot. $H_0 : p = 0.25 \quad H_1 : p \neq 0.25$ B(96, 0.25) $\Rightarrow$ N(24, 18)		B1 B1
	$Z = \frac{28.5 - 24}{\sqrt{18}} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{x \pm 0.5 - 24}{\sqrt{18}}$ = 1.06066... or $\frac{x + 0.5 - 24}{\sqrt{18}} < -1.96$ or $\frac{x - 0.5 - 24}{\sqrt{18}} > 1.96$ P( $z > 1.06$ ) = 0.1444... / 0.1446 or CR > 32.8 awrt 0.144 or 0.145 There is insufficient evidence to reject $H_0$ Insufficient evidence against Jaymini's claim		M1 A1 A1 dM1 A1 (7)
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 14</b>
5 (a)	<b>B1</b>	For binomial with correct parameters $n$ and 0.045	
(b)	<b>B1</b>	For one of the given reasons. Must have context Allow equivalent statements Do not allow number for proportion/probability	
(c)	<b>B1</b>	Using or writing Po(5.4)	
	<b>M1</b>	For $\frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^5}{5!}$ with any value for $\lambda$	
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 0.173	
		<b>NB</b> A correct answer with no incorrect working scores 3/3	
(d)	<b>B1</b>	$n$ is large (Allow number of trials for $n$ )	

	<b>B1</b>	$p$ is small (Allow probability for $p$ )
(e)	<b>B1</b>	Both hypotheses correct in terms of $p$ or $\pi$ Must be attached to $H_0$ and $H_1$
	<b>B1</b>	For writing or using $N(72, 18)$ (May be implied by a correct standardisation expression)
	<b>M1</b>	Standardising using 67.5 or 67 or 66.5 or $x \pm 0.5$ with their mean and standard deviation (Allow $\pm$ )
	<b>A1</b>	awrt -1.06 (may be implied by awrt 0.144 or 0.145) or a correct standardisation with $\pm 1.96$ (ignore incorrect inequality symbol and allow =)
	<b>A1</b>	Using a probability route: awrt 0.144 or 0.145 or critical value of $z = \pm 1.96$ Using a critical region route: $CR < 63.2$
	<b>dM1</b>	Dependent on M1 A1. A correct statement – no context needed but do not allow contradicting non contextual comments. (Ignore any comparisons)
	<b>A1</b>	Correct conclusion in context. Must include the word claim. If they give an answer that refers to the claim then they must include the words applicants (oe), and pilots. No hypotheses then A0
		<b>NB</b> Award M1 A1 for a correct contextual statement on its own
<b>ALT</b>	<b>B1</b>	Both hypotheses correct in terms of $p$ or $\pi$ Must be attached to $H_0$ and $H_1$
	<b>B1</b>	For writing or using $N(24, 18)$ (May be implied by a correct standardisation expression)
	<b>M1</b>	Standardising using 28.5 or 29 or 29.5 or $x \pm 0.5$ with their mean and standard deviation (Allow $\pm$ )
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 1.06 (may be applied by awrt 0.144 or 0.145) or a correct standardisation with $\pm 1.96$ (ignore incorrect inequality symbol and allow =)
	<b>A1</b>	Using a probability route: awrt 0.144 or 0.145 or critical value of $z = \pm 1.96$ Using a critical region route: $CR < 32.8$
	<b>dM1</b>	Dependent on M1 A1. A correct statement – no context needed but do not allow contradicting non contextual comments. (Ignore any comparisons)
	<b>A1</b>	Correct conclusion in context. Must include the word claim. If they give an answer that refers to the claim then they must include the words applicants (oe), and pilots. No hypotheses then A0
		<b>NB</b> Award M1 A1 for a correct contextual statement on its own

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6 (a)	A sampling distribution is <b>all</b> the <b>values</b> of a <b>statistic</b> (obtained from a random sample) and the associated <b>probabilities</b> or the <b>probability distribution</b> of the <b>statistic</b> (under random sampling).		B1 (1)												
(b)	$P(6) = \frac{6}{11} \quad P(7) = \frac{3}{11} \quad P(8) = \frac{2}{11}$		B1												
	Totals ( $T$ ) 12, 13, 14, 15, 16		B1												
	(6, 6) (6, 7) (6, 8) (7, 6) (7, 7) (7, 8) (8, 6) (8, 7) (8, 8)		B1												
	$[P(T = 12) =] \left(\frac{6}{11}\right)^2 = \left[\frac{36}{121}\right]$		M1												
	$[P(T = 13) =] 2 \times \left(\frac{6}{11}\right) \times \left(\frac{3}{11}\right) = \left[\frac{36}{121}\right]$														
	$[P(T = 14) =] 2 \times \left(\frac{6}{11}\right) \times \left(\frac{2}{11}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{11}\right)^2 = \left[\frac{33}{121}\right]$														
	$[P(T = 15) =] 2 \times \left(\frac{3}{11}\right) \times \left(\frac{2}{11}\right) = \left[\frac{12}{121}\right]$														
	$[P(T = 16) =] \left(\frac{2}{11}\right)^2 = \left[\frac{4}{121}\right]$														
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$T$	12	13	14	15	16										
$P(T=t)$	$\frac{36}{121}$	$\frac{36}{121}$	$\frac{33}{121}$	$\frac{12}{121}$	$\frac{4}{121}$										
(c)	$E(T) = "12" \times \frac{36}{121} + "13" \times \frac{36}{121} + "14" \times \frac{33}{121} + "15" \times \frac{12}{121} + "16" \times \frac{4}{121}$		M1												
	$= \frac{1606}{121} = \frac{146}{11} = 13.272\dots$		awrt 13.3 A1 (2)												
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 10</b>												
6 (a)	<b>B1</b>	A correct explanation with the words in bold													
(b)	<b>B1</b>	Correct probabilities – may be seen in an equation or implied by a correct probability for $T = 14$													
	<b>B1</b>	All 5 totals correct with no extras													
	<b>B1</b>	All 6 basic combinations correct, either seen or used (may be implied by correct probabilities) Allow S for 6, M for 7 and L for 8													
	<b>M1</b>	Correct method for one probability fit their $P(6)$ , $P(7)$ and $P(8)$ If these are not stated then they must be correct													
	<b>M1</b>	Correct method for three of the five probabilities fit their $P(6)$ , $P(7)$ and $P(8)$ If these are not stated then they must be correct													
	<b>M1</b>	Correct method for all five probabilities fit their $P(6)$ , $P(7)$ and $P(8)$ If these are not stated then they must be correct or 5 probabilities that add up to 1													
	<b>A1</b>	cao Need not be in a table but probabilities must be attached to the correct total													
(c)	<b>M1</b>	Use of $\sum tP(T = t)$ two or more products fit their table													
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 13.3 (Allow $\frac{146}{11}$ oe)													

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7 (a)	$P(L \geq 4.5) \Rightarrow P(A \geq 20.25)$		
	$P(A \geq 20.25) = (30 - 20.25) \times \frac{1}{20}$		M1
	$= 0.4875$		A1
			(2)
(b)	$\text{Var}(L) = E(L^2) - E(L)^2$		
	$[E(L^2) = E(A)] = 20$		B1
		$g(L) = \begin{cases} \frac{L}{10} & \sqrt{10} \leq L \leq \sqrt{30} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	
	$E(L) = E(\sqrt{A}) = \frac{1}{20} \int_{10}^{30} \sqrt{a} \, dA$	$E(L) = \frac{1}{10} \int_{\sqrt{10}}^{\sqrt{30}} L^2 \, dL$	M1
	$= \frac{1}{20} \left[ \frac{2}{3} a^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_{10}^{30}$	$\frac{1}{10} \left[ \frac{L^3}{3} \right]_{\sqrt{10}}^{\sqrt{30}}$	A1
	$= 4.4231\dots$		A1
	$\text{Var}(L) = "20" - ("4.4231\dots")^2$		M1
	$= 0.4358\dots$	awrt 0.436	A1
			(6)
<b>Notes</b>			<b>Total 8</b>
7 (a)	<b>M1</b>	$(30 - 20.25) \times \frac{1}{20}$	
	<b>A1</b>	cao (Allow 0.488 or $\frac{39}{80}$ )	
(b)	<b>B1</b>	For 20	
	<b>M1</b>	Attempt to integrate $\frac{1}{20} \int_{10}^{30} \sqrt{a} \, dA$ or $\frac{1}{10} \int_{\sqrt{10}}^{\sqrt{30}} L^2 \, dL$ Ignore limits and accept any letter	
	<b>A1</b>	Fully correct integration. Accept any letter. Must have limits	
	<b>A1</b>	4.42 or better	
	<b>M1</b>	Use of $\text{Var}(L) = E(L^2) - E(L)^2$ ft their $E(L^2)$ and $E(L)$ provided $\text{Var}(L) > 0$	
	<b>A1</b>	awrt 0.436	