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<b>Mathematics</b>			
<b>Advanced</b>			
<b>Paper 31: Statistics</b>			
<b>You must have:</b> Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Green), calculator			Total Marks

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- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
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- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- You should show sufficient working to make your methods clear. Answers without working may not gain full credit.
- Values from statistical tables should be quoted in full. If a calculator is used instead of tables the value should be given to an equivalent degree of accuracy.
- Inexact answers should be given to three significant figures unless otherwise stated.

### Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- The total mark for this part of the examination is 50. There are 5 questions.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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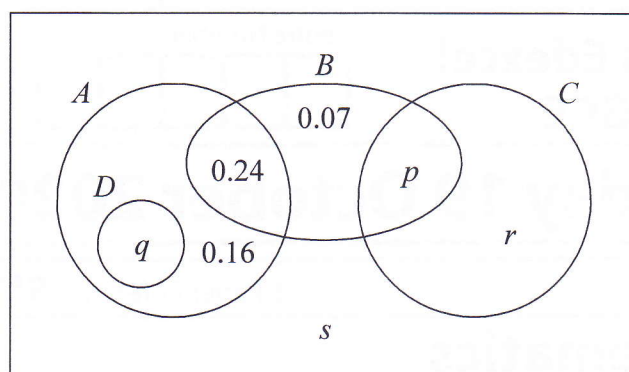
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1. The Venn diagram shows the probabilities associated with four events,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$



- (a) Write down any pair of mutually exclusive events from  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$

(1)

Given that  $P(B) = 0.4$

- (b) find the value of  $p$

(1)

Given also that  $A$  and  $B$  are independent

- (c) find the value of  $q$

(2)

Given further that  $P(B'|C) = 0.64$

- (d) find

(i) the value of  $r$

(ii) the value of  $s$

(4)

a) Mutually exclusive  $A$  and  $C$   
or  $D$  and  $B$   
or  $D$  and  $C$

b)  $P(B) = 0.4$   $p = 0.4 - 0.24 - 0.07 = 0.09$

c) IF  $A$  and  $B$  independent  
 $P(A) \times P(B) = P(A \cap B)$   
 $P(A) \times 0.4 = 0.24$   
 $P(A) = 0.6$

$q = 0.6 - 0.24 - 0.16 = 0.2$



Question 1 continued

$$d) P(B'|C) = \frac{r}{P(C)} = \frac{r}{p+r}$$

$$0.64 = \frac{r}{p+r} \quad p=0.09$$

$$0.64(0.09 + r) = r$$

$$0.0576 + 0.64r = r$$

$$0.0576 = r - 0.64r$$

$$0.0576 = 0.36r$$

$$r = 0.16$$

$$S = 1 - (0.6 + 0.07 + 0.09 + 0.16)$$

$$S = 1 - 0.92 = 0.08$$

(Total for Question 1 is 8 marks)



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2. A random sample of 15 days is taken from the large data set for Perth in June and July 1987. The scatter diagram in Figure 1 displays the values of two of the variables for these 15 days.

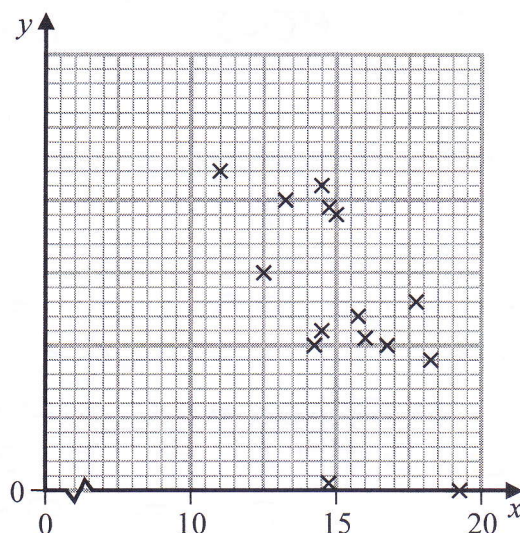


Figure 1

- (a) Describe the correlation.

(1)

The variable on the  $x$ -axis is Daily Mean Temperature measured in  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

- (b) Using your knowledge of the large data set,

(i) suggest which variable is on the  $y$ -axis,

(ii) state the units that are used in the large data set for this variable.

(2)

Stav believes that there is a correlation between Daily Total Sunshine and Daily Maximum Relative Humidity at Heathrow.

He calculates the product moment correlation coefficient between these two variables for a random sample of 30 days and obtains  $r = -0.377$

- (c) Carry out a suitable test to investigate Stav's belief at a 5% level of significance. State clearly

- your hypotheses
- your critical value

(3)

On a random day at Heathrow the Daily Maximum Relative Humidity was 97%

- (d) Comment on the number of hours of sunshine you would expect on that day, giving a reason for your answer.

(1)



Question 2 continued

2a) Negative correlation

b) (i) Rainfall  
(ii) mm

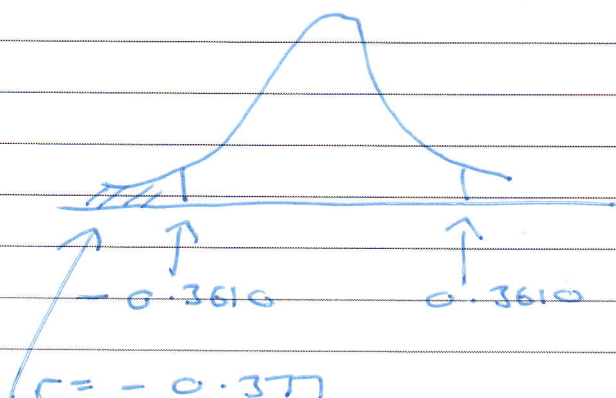
c)  $r = -0.377$

PMCC tables  $n=30$  2.5% (2 tail)  
 $PMCC = 0.3610$

$H_0: \rho = 0$

$H_1: \rho \neq 0$

two tail test



Critical value

$= -0.3610$  in  
lower tail

$r = -0.377$

(test statistic)

As  $r = -0.377$  is in  
the lower tail

reject  $H_0$ , accept  $H_1$

There is a correlation between the  
Daily Total Sunshine and Daily  
Maximum Relative humidity at  
Heathrow.

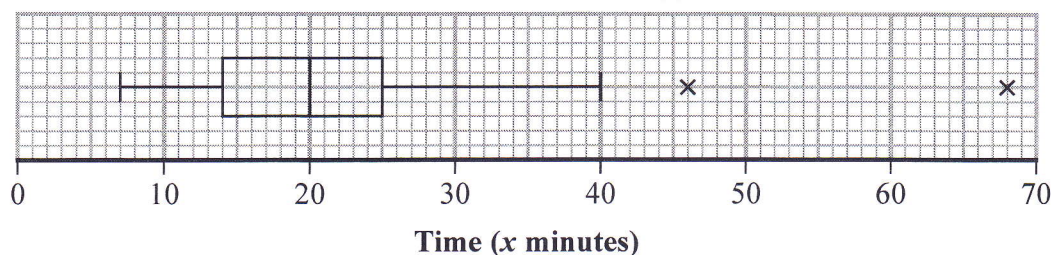
d) As humidity is high (97%) and  
there is negative correlation ( $r < 0$ )  
we would expect the number of  
hours of sunshine at Heathrow  
to be lower than the average.



3. Each member of a group of 27 people was timed when completing a puzzle.

The time taken,  $x$  minutes, for each member of the group was recorded.

These times are summarised in the following box and whisker plot.



- (a) Find the range of the times. (1)
- (b) Find the interquartile range of the times. (1)

For these 27 people  $\sum x = 607.5$  and  $\sum x^2 = 17\,623.25$

- (c) calculate the mean time taken to complete the puzzle, (1)
- (d) calculate the standard deviation of the times taken to complete the puzzle. (2)

Taruni defines an outlier as a value more than 3 standard deviations above the mean.

- (e) State how many outliers Taruni would say there are in these data, giving a reason for your answer. (1)

Adam and Beth also completed the puzzle in  $a$  minutes and  $b$  minutes respectively, where  $a > b$ .

When their times are included with the data of the other 27 people

- the median time increases
  - the mean time does not change
- (f) Suggest a possible value for  $a$  and a possible value for  $b$ , explaining how your values satisfy the above conditions. (3)
- (g) Without carrying out any further calculations, explain why the standard deviation of all 29 times will be lower than your answer to part (d). (1)

3 a) range =  $68 - 7 = 61$

b) IQR =  $uq - Lq = 25 - 14 = 11$



Question 3 continued

$$c) \text{ mean} = \frac{\sum x}{n} = \frac{607.5}{27} = 22.5$$

$$d) \sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum x^2}{n} - \bar{x}^2} = \sqrt{\frac{17623.25}{27} - 22.5^2}$$

$$\sigma = 12.1$$

$$e) 3 \times 12.1 = 36.3 = 3 \text{ sd}$$

$$\text{upper } 22.5 + 36.3 = 58.8$$

$$\text{lower } 22.5 - 36.3 = -13.8$$

Only one outlier (68) above 58.8 minutes

f) 7 . . . . 20 <sup>added</sup> 22 23 . . . . 68

↑                    ↑

14<sup>th</sup>                15<sup>th</sup> (new median)

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median

$$\text{current total time} = 22.5 \times 27 = 607.5$$

add 2 people

$$\text{total time} = 22.5 \times 29 = 652.5$$

(we've added 45)

say, 22 + 23

New median will be 15<sup>th</sup> (22)

- Median increased from 20 to 22
- Mean the same (22.5)

g) Both 22 and 23 are less than 1 s.d. (12.1 units) from the mean, so s.d. of all 29 values will be smaller.



4. The discrete random variable  $D$  has the following probability distribution

$d$	10	20	30	40	50
$P(D = d)$	$\frac{k}{10}$	$\frac{k}{20}$	$\frac{k}{30}$	$\frac{k}{40}$	$\frac{k}{50}$

where  $k$  is a constant.

- (a) Show that the value of  $k$  is  $\frac{600}{137}$

(2)

The random variables  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  are independent and each have the same distribution as  $D$ .

- (b) Find  $P(D_1 + D_2 = 80)$

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

(3)

A single observation of  $D$  is made.

The value obtained,  $d$ , is the common difference of an arithmetic sequence.

The first 4 terms of this arithmetic sequence are the angles, measured in degrees, of quadrilateral  $Q$

- (c) Find the exact probability that the smallest angle of  $Q$  is more than  $50^\circ$

(5)

$$4a) k \left( \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{30} + \frac{1}{40} + \frac{1}{50} \right) = 1$$

$$\frac{137}{600} k = 1$$

$$k = \frac{600}{137} \quad (\text{as required})$$

$$b) \text{ For } D_1 + D_2 = 80$$

$$D_1 = 30 \quad D_2 = 50$$

$$\text{or } D_1 = 50 \quad D_2 = 30$$

$$\text{or } D_1 = 40 \quad D_2 = 40$$

$$= \frac{k}{30} \times \frac{k}{50} + \frac{k}{50} \times \frac{k}{30} + \frac{k}{40} \times \frac{k}{40}$$

$$= k^2 \left( \frac{1}{1500} + \frac{1}{1500} + \frac{1}{1600} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{600}{137} \right)^2 \left( \frac{1}{1500} + \frac{1}{1500} + \frac{1}{1600} \right)$$

$$= \frac{705}{18769} = 0.03756 = 0.0376 \quad (3 \text{ sf})$$



Question 4 continued

c) 

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
a	a+d	a+2d	a+3d

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (2a + (n-1)d)$$

$$n = 4, S_n = 360 \quad (\text{angles in quadrilateral})$$

$$360 = 2(2a + 3d)$$

$$\therefore 2a + 3d = 180$$

From table

$$\text{if } d = 10, a = \frac{180 - 30}{2} = 75 \checkmark$$

$$d = 20, a = \frac{180 - 60}{2} = 60 \checkmark$$

$$d = 30, a = \frac{180 - 90}{2} = 45 \times$$

a must be  $> 50$

$$\therefore d = 10 \text{ or } d = 20$$

$$= \frac{k}{10} + \frac{k}{20}$$

$$= \frac{600}{137} \left( \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{20} \right)$$

$$= \frac{90}{137}$$

exact probability



5. A health centre claims that the time a doctor spends with a patient can be modelled by a normal distribution with a mean of 10 minutes and a standard deviation of 4 minutes.

- (a) Using this model, find the probability that the time spent with a randomly selected patient is more than 15 minutes.

(1)

Some patients complain that the mean time the doctor spends with a patient is more than 10 minutes.

The receptionist takes a random sample of 20 patients and finds that the mean time the doctor spends with a patient is 11.5 minutes.

- (b) Stating your hypotheses clearly and using a 5% significance level, test whether or not there is evidence to support the patients' complaint.

(4)

The health centre also claims that the time a dentist spends with a patient during a routine appointment,  $T$  minutes, can be modelled by the normal distribution where  $T \sim N(5, 3.5^2)$

- (c) Using this model,

- (i) find the probability that a routine appointment with the dentist takes less than 2 minutes

(1)

- (ii) find  $P(T < 2 \mid T > 0)$

(3)

- (iii) hence explain why this normal distribution may not be a good model for  $T$ .

(1)

The dentist believes that she cannot complete a routine appointment in less than 2 minutes.

She suggests that the health centre should use a refined model only including values of  $T > 2$

- (d) Find the median time for a routine appointment using this new model, giving your answer correct to one decimal place.

(5)

$$a) X \sim N(10, 4^2)$$

$$P(X > 15)$$

Normal CD

lower = 15

upper = 1000

$\sigma = 4$

$\mu = 10$

$p = 0.1056$



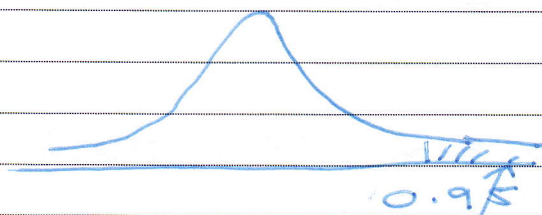
Question 5 continued

b)  $n = 20$        $\sigma = \frac{4}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{20}} = 0.8944$

$\bar{X} = 11.5$

$H_0: \mu \leq 10$      $H_1: \mu > 10$

5% 1 tail test



test statistic  
 $\bar{X} = 11.5$  minutes  
in tail

critical  
value

$X = 11.4711$

Inverse normal  
Area = 0.95

$\sigma = 0.8944$

$\mu = 10$

As 11.5 is in tail, reject  $H_0$ ,  
accept  $H_1$ , There is evidence to  
support complaint that  $\mu > 10$   
minutes for appointments now.

c) (i)  $T \sim N(5, 3.5^2)$   
 $P(T < 2)$

Normal CD

lower = -1000

upper = 2

$\sigma = 3.5$

$\mu = 5$

$p = 0.1957$  (4dp)

(ii)  $P(0 < T < 2) = 0.1191$

$P(T < 2 | T > 0)$

$= \frac{0.1191}{0.9234} \leftarrow P(T < 2)$

lower 0  
upper 1000

$= 0.1290$  (4dp)



Question 5 continued

5a) median  $p = 0.5$

$$\therefore \frac{P(T > t)}{P(T > 2)} = 0.5$$

$$P(T > t) = 0.5 \times P(T > 2)$$

Lower = 2

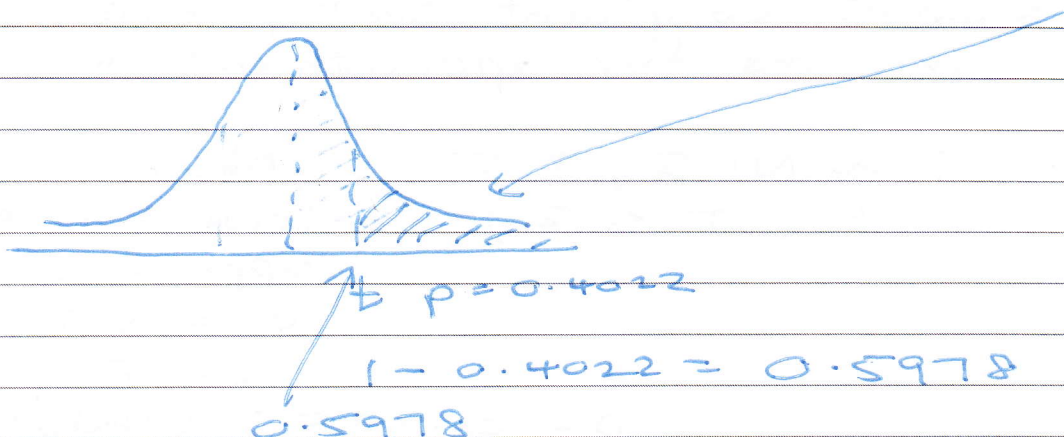
upper = 1000

$\sigma = 3.5$

$\mu = 5$

$p = 0.8043$

$$P(T > t) = 0.5 \times 0.8043 = 0.4022$$



Inverse normal

Area = 0.5978

$\sigma = 3.5$

$\mu = 5$

$t = 5.8667$

$t = 5.9$  minutes (1dp)

