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# **Mathematics 6360**

MD02 Decision 2

# **Mark Scheme**

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Key to mark scheme and a	bbreviations used	in marking
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M	mark is for method						
m or dM	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method						
A	mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy						
В	mark is independent of M or m marks and is for method and accuracy						
Е	mark is for explanation						
$\sqrt{\text{or ft or F}}$	follow through from previous						
	incorrect result	MC	mis-copy				
CAO	correct answer only	MR	mis-read				
CSO	correct solution only	RA	required accuracy				
AWFW	anything which falls within	FW	further work				
AWRT	anything which rounds to	ISW	ignore subsequent work				
ACF	any correct form	FIW	from incorrect work				
AG	answer given	BOD	given benefit of doubt				
SC	special case	WR	work replaced by candidate				
OE	or equivalent	FB	formulae book				
A2,1	2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks	NOS	not on scheme				
−x EE	deduct x marks for each error	G	graph				
NMS	no method shown	c	candidate				
PI	possibly implied	sf	significant figure(s)				
SCA	substantially correct approach	dp	decimal place(s)				

#### No Method Shown

Where the question specifically requires a particular method to be used, we must usually see evidence of use of this method for any marks to be awarded. However, there are situations in some units where part marks would be appropriate, particularly when similar techniques are involved. Your Principal Examiner will alert you to these and details will be provided on the mark scheme.

Where the answer can be reasonably obtained without showing working and it is very unlikely that the correct answer can be obtained by using an incorrect method, we must award **full marks**. However, the obvious penalty to candidates showing no working is that incorrect answers, however close, earn **no marks**.

Where a question asks the candidate to state or write down a result, no method need be shown for full marks.

Where the permitted calculator has functions which reasonably allow the solution of the question directly, the correct answer without working earns **full marks**, unless it is given to less than the degree of accuracy accepted in the mark scheme, when it gains **no marks**.

Otherwise we require evidence of a correct method for any marks to be awarded.

## MD02

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments			
1	A						
(a)	Network attempted (3 more activities) Up to 2 slips (boxes or connections) Correct network	M1 A1 A1	3	SCA Condone missing arrows if sequence is clear			
(b)(i)	Forward pass Correct	M1 A1	2	up to 1 slip ft			
(ii)	Backward pass Correct	M1 A1	2	up to 1 slip ft			
(c)	Minimum completion time 22 days	В1		Must be stated – not simply in <i>K</i> box			
	Critical path B E G H I K	B1	2	and no others			
( <b>d</b> )( <b>i</b> )	New start time for <i>H</i> is 15 days New start time for <i>I</i> is 16 days	M1 A1	2	For $H$ , their ( $F$ earliest time 9) + (2 + 4) both correct			
(ii)	Minimum delay is 2 days	B1	1	Condone new completion time 24 days			
	Total		12				

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
2(a)	(For each outcome) Rowena's gain + Colin's gain = 0	E1	1	One player's loss is other's gain
(b)	(Column maxima 2, 5, 4) $\Rightarrow \min(\text{col max})=2$ (OE but strict) $\Rightarrow \text{Colin's play-safe strategy is } C_1$	E1 B1	2	Withhold E mark if any value incorrect; accept column minimax = 2
(c)	$R_3$ is dominated by $R_1$	E1	1	-5 < -4; $4 < 5$ and $3 < 4E0 if R_2 mentioned as well$
(d)	Let Rowena play $R_1$ with prob $p$ and $R_2$ with prob $1-p$ Expected gain when Colin plays $C_1: -4p + 2(1-p) = 2-6p$ $C_2: 5p-3(1-p) = -3+8p$	M1		attempt at least 2 with one correct
	$C_3: 4p - (1-p) = -1 + 5p$ Plot expected gains against $p$ for $0 \le p \le 1$	A1 M1		all 3 correct unsimplified  All 3 drawn ft their exp gains
	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	A1		correct
	$\Rightarrow 2 - 6p = -3 + 8p$	M1		Using "correct" equation Choosing highest point of region
	$\Rightarrow p = \frac{5}{14}$	A1		
	Therefore Rowena plays $R_1$ with prob $\frac{5}{14}$ and $R_2$ with prob $\frac{9}{14}$	E1√	7	ft their p
	Total		11	

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
3(a)	Hungarian algorithm minimises.	E1		Or changes maximising to minimising
	17-x gives measure of criteria not met (which need minimising in order to maximise scores)	E1	2	Explanation of what each new entry or 17- <i>x</i> represents (as something which can be minimised)
(b)	4     4     8     7     4       4     3     5     0     2       1     7     9     3     3       6     3     5     1     7       5     3     3     4     2	B1		array with $17-x$ values
	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	M1		reduce rows first – condone one slip
	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	A1	3	then columns; AG
(c)	Top and bottom rows and 1 <sup>st</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> columns covered	B1		Zeros covered with 2 horizontal and 2 vertical lines
	2 0 3 5 0 4 1 2 0 0 0 4 5 2 0 5 0 1 0 4 5 1 0 4 0	M1 A1CSO	3	augment by subtracting 2 from each uncovered and adding 2 to each double covered – condone one slip (may earn if 4 different lines are drawn)
(d)	T1, R2, V3, U4, S5 T1, U2, V3, S4, R5	M1 A1 M1 A1	4	3 items correctly matched First matching correct 3 items correct in second matching Second matching correct and no other matches attempted
(e)	Maximum total score = 74	B1	1	
	Total		13	

Q	+							Marks	Total	Comments
<b>4</b> (a)	$ \begin{array}{c} x+2y+3z \leqslant 7 \\ 2x+y+4z \leqslant 10 \end{array} $							B1	1	Exactly this
(b)(i)	Pivot is 2 in x-column							B1		Must be ringed or clearly indicated or stated – <b>not</b> simply implied
	P	х	у	z	S	t	value	M1		row operations (even with incorrect pivot) condone one slip
	1	0	1	8-k	0	2	20	A1		Top or 2 <sup>nd</sup> row correct using correct pivot
	0	0	-	1 2			2 5	A1	4	All correct (condone multiples of rows)
	U	1	2	2	U	2	3			
(ii)	8- <i>k</i> <	:0						M1		Their $f(k) < 0$
	$\Rightarrow k$	>8						A1	2	SC B1 for $k \ge 9$
(c)(i)	New	pivot	t from	z-colur	nn in	secon	d row	B1√		Stated or possibly implied from tableau
	P 1 0 0		$1\frac{1}{2}$	z 0 1 0	2	$\frac{1}{-\frac{1}{2}}$	<ul><li>value</li><li>24</li><li>2</li><li>1</li></ul>	M1 A1 A1	4	row operations using "their" <b>correct pivot</b> condone 1 slip one row (other than pivotal row) correct all correct (condone multiples of rows)
(ii)	P=24	ļ						B1√		Provided no negatives in top row
	Optim	um n	ow rea	ached				E1		Or <i>P</i> <sub>max</sub> =
	x=1,	y = 0	0, z =	2				B1√	3	Only ft if no more than 2 slips in final tableau
							Total		14	
	<u> </u>						I otal		17	

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments				
<b>5</b> (a)	Completing stage 2 values	B1						
	(condone unsimplified)							
	At least 6 values at stage 3	M1		Stage	State	From	Value	$\Box$
	using only "their" max I value from stage	m1		Stage	State		v uruc	
	2			1	K	T	7	
	All stage 3 values correct	A1						
	Using only may at D. E. E. C. from stage	M1			L	T	8	
	Using only max at D, E, F, G from stage 3 in stage 4 (at least 3 of these values	M1		2	Н	K	-2 + 7 = 5	
	used)				11	I A	-2+7-3	
	All stage 4 values correct	A1			I	K	4 + 7 = 11	*
			_			L	-1 + 8 = 7	
	All stage 5 values correct and all other	A1CSO	7		,		5 0 10	
	values correct unsimplified				J	L	5 + 8 = 13	
				3	D	Н	4 + 5 = 9	
						I	2+11 = 13	*
					E	H	7 + 5 = 12	*
						I	-9+11=2	
					F	I	-4+11 = 7	
					-	J	9+13=22	*
					G	I	-7+11=4	
						J	-8+13=5	*
				4	A	D	-2+13=11	
					11	E	5+12=17	*
						F	-8+22=14	
						_		
					В	E	-1+12=11 7 · 22 · 15	*
						$F \ G$	-7+22=15 -3+5=2	~
							-3 + 3 - 2	
					C	G	5 + 5 = 10	
				5	S	A	1+17=18	*
						В С	2+15 = 17 6+10 = 16	
						L	0⊤10 − 10	
	N	D.1			10			
(b)	Maximum profit £18m Sequence of actions SAEHKT	B1 B1	2	condone	: 18			
	Total	DI	9					
	10001	l		1				

Q Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
6(a)	Value of cut = $30 - 10 + 12 + 20$	M1		
	= 52	A1	2	Full marks for correct answers without working
<b>(b)</b>	AE = 9;	B1		
, ,	EF = 5;	B1		
	FG = 4	B1	3	
(c)(i)	Attempt at forward and backward flows SA 2 & 4; AB 1 & 3; BT 1 & 3	M1		At least 5 pairs correct
	SD 3 & 1; DA 0 & 3; AE 0 & 3 BE 0 & 7; DE 2 & 0; ET 1 & 3 FD 2 & 1; EF 5 & 1; EG 1 & 5	A1		10 pairs correct
	FG 1 & 2; GT 3 & 0	A1	3	all correct
(ii)	First flow augmenting path and correct			May end up with
	flow on table	M1		<u> </u>
	Table correct	A1		$S \longrightarrow S$
	Adjusting flows – forward and back Correct	M1 A1	4	4/\\0 0
	Correct	Al	4	3
	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{c}                                     $	T 321	Path Extra flow SABT 1 SADET 1 Or SDET SDFGT 1 SDEGT 1
(d)	Max flow of 44 shown on figure 5	M1		up to 2 slips
	S 36 A 30	A1	2	all correct
	8 J3 5 E 17 14 F 5	12 G	13 T	May have
(e)	Cut through their saturated arcs	M1	2	On DT ET EC and EC
	Cut passes through AB, AE, DE and DF  Total	A1	2 16	Or BT, ET, EG, and FG
	TOTAL		75	
	TOTAL		, ,	