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#### **MEMORANDUM**

**MARKS: 150** 

SYMBOL	EXPLANATION
A	Accuracy
CA	Consistent accuracy
C	Conversion
J	Justification (Reason/Opinion)
M	Method
MA	Method with accuracy
P	Penalty, e.g. for no units, incorrect rounding off, etc.
R	Rounding off
RT/RG	Reading from a table/Reading from a graph
S	Simplification
SF	Correct substitution in a formula
О	Own opinion/Example

This memorandum consists of 13 pages.

QUEST	[ON 1 [28 MARKS]		
Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
1.1.1	45  mm = 4.5  cm <b>OR</b> $265  cm = 2650  mm$	1C converting	12.3.1
	Scale: 4,5 cm : 265 cm <b>OR</b> 450 mm : 2 650 mm	1M ratio in correct order	
	= 1: 58,888 = 1: 58,888		
	= 1: 58,89  ✓CA  = 1: 58,89	1CA simplification (3)	
	√0		12.1.3
1.1.2	6 m wide plastic: He would have to buy 3 m (and would have lots left over).	1 O recognising that only 6 m is suitable	12.3.1
	$Cost = \stackrel{\checkmark}{3} \stackrel{A}{m} \times R44,99/m$ $= R134,97 \stackrel{\checkmark}{\checkmark} CA$	1A length of the 6 m wide plastic 1CA cost of plastic	12.3.2
	Cut to order plastic:  Area = 380 cm × 265 cm  = 3,80 m × 2,65 m $\checkmark$ C  = 10,07 m <sup>2</sup> $\checkmark$ CA	1C conversion 1CA area of plastic	
	Cost (ex. VAT) = $10,07 \text{ m}^2 \times \text{R}12,24/\text{m}^2$ = $\text{R}123,26  \checkmark \text{CA}$	1CA cost excl VAT	
	Cost including VAT:  OR		
		1M calculating increased %	
	$= R140,52 \checkmark CA                                  $	1CA cost including VAT	
	The most economical way of buying the ground sheet is to buy the 6 m wide plastic. ✓O	1O opinion (9)	

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Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
1.2.1	9 hours ✓✓RG	(Accept answers with ± 15 min.) 2RG reading from graph (2)	12.4.4
1.2.2	7 °C	(Accept answers from 6,5° to 7°) 1RG temperature 1RG time	12.4.4
		(2)	
1.2.3	Between 00:00 and 09:00 ✓RG ✓RG	2RG reading from graph (2)	12.4.4
			12.4.3
1.2.4	DAY 1 Range $\approx 15 ^{\circ}\text{C} - (-4 ^{\circ}\text{C}) ^{\checkmark}\text{RG}$ $\approx 19 ^{\circ}\text{C} ^{\checkmark}\text{CA}$	1 RG correct values 1 CA range	12.4.4
	DAY 2 Range $\approx 7 ^{\circ}\text{C} - (-1, 6 ^{\circ}\text{C})$ $\approx 8,6 ^{\circ}\text{C}  \checkmark \text{CA}$	Accept difference of ±0,1 1CA range	
	He should go on DAY 1. Although the night-time temperatures are colder than on Day 2, the day-time temperatures are higher and the temperature range is larger.	1O opinion	
	OR	2R reason	
	He should go on DAY 2. Although the day-time temperatures are colder than DAY 1, the night-time temperatures are warmer.	1O opinion	
		2R reason	
		(6)	
1.3.1	1 513 912 1513 1 003 1 052 ✓A 5 ✓A	1A identifying the values	12.4.3
	5 ✓A	1A the value	
		Answer only: full marks	
		(2)	
1.3.2	Median ✓A ✓A	2A median (2)	12.4.3

<b>Ques</b> 2.1.1	Solution  ✓ A  The profits for the years 2008 and 2010 were not plotted in	Explanation	AS
2.1.1	✓A ✓A 12010 ✓ A 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		12 4 6
2.1.1	I ha profite for the vagre /IIIX and /IIII ware not plotted in	1A mentioning profits 1A not plotting 2008	12.4.6
	graph B.	and 2010	
	graph B.	(2)	
			12.4.6
2.1.2	Graph B ✓A	1A choice of graph	120
	Graph B conceals the years where the annual profit went	<i>O</i> 1	
	down or where it remained the same, thus creating an		
	impression that profits only went up every year. $\checkmark R \checkmark R$	2R reasons	
		(3)	
	VA.		12.1.1
2.2.1	Volume = $3.14 \times (10 \text{ cm})^2 \times 35 \text{ cm}  \checkmark \text{SF}$	1SF substitution	12.3.1
	$= 10.990 \text{ cm}^3$	1A correct radius	
	= 10 990 m ℓ ✓S	1S simplification	
	Total volume of juice = $9 \times 1200 \text{ m} \ell \checkmark \text{A}$		
	$= 10 800 \text{ m} \ell \checkmark \text{CA}$	1A using dilution	
	10 000 m v · C/1	1CA total volume	
	The container is big enough to mix the juice in. ✓C		
		1C conclusion	
		(6)	10 1 1
2.2.2	40 servings of 200 m $\ell = 40 \times 200$ m $\ell$		12.1.1 12.3.1
2.2.2	$= 8000 \mathrm{m}\ell \checkmark\mathrm{A}$	1A correct servings	12.3.1
	✓ M	1M subtraction	12.3.2
	Juice left after 40 servings = $10\ 800\ \text{m}\ \ell - 8\ 000\ \text{m}\ \ell$ $\checkmark$ CA	1CA simplification	
	$= 2 800 \mathrm{m}\ell$	1	
	Number of 140 m $\ell$ servings = $\frac{2800 \mathrm{m} \ell}{140 \mathrm{m} \ell} \checkmark\mathrm{M}$	1M dividing	
	Number of 140 m $\ell$ servings $-\frac{140 \mathrm{m}\ell}{140 \mathrm{m}\ell}$	1CA simplification	
	= 20 ✓CA	(5)	
		(-)	12.2.1
2.2.3	Number of 140 m ℓ servings	1A numerator	
	_ 10 800 - 200 × x ✓A		
	$= \frac{10\ 800\ -\ 200\ \times\ x}{140\ \checkmark A} \ \checkmark A$	1A denominator	
	OR		
	Number of 140 m ℓ servings		
	$540 - 10 \times x \checkmark \Delta$	1A numerator	
	$= \frac{540 - 10 \times x}{7} \checkmark A$	1 A damanda da	
	, <b>v</b> A	1A denominator	
		(2)	

QUESTION 3 [30 MARKS]			
Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
3.1.1	Theft, using vulgar language, etc. ✓R ✓R	2R any valid reason	12.4.4
		(2)	
3.1.2	Percentage copying in Gr $10 = \frac{156}{559} \times 100\%$ $^{\checkmark}$ M	1M calculating %	12.1.2 12.4.4
	= 27,91% ✓A	1A percentage in Gr 10	
	Percentage copying in Gr 11 = $\frac{187}{550} \times 100\%$		
	Percentage copying in Gr 11 = $\frac{187}{559} \times 100\%$ = 33,45% $\checkmark$ A	1A % in Gr 11	
	Percentage copying in Gr $12 = \frac{216}{559} \times 100\%$ = 38,64% $\checkmark$ A	1A % in Gr 12	
	Increase from Gr 10 to Gr 11 = $33,45\% - 27,91\%$ = $5,54\%$ CA	1CA % increase Gr 10 to 11	
	Increase from Gr 11 to Gr 12 = $38,64\% - 33,45\%$ = $5,19\%$ $\checkmark$ CA	1CA % increase Gr 11 to 12	
	Mr Khan was correct; the percentage does increase by more than 5 % in each grade.  The reasons could be:	1J verify Mr Khan's statement	
	• Senior learners are more stressed about the marks for assignments, test and examinations and fall in the trap of copying. ✓ R	1R one valid reason	
	• The increase in copying could be attributed to the higher academic demands in Grades 11 and 12. ✓R (Any other relevant reason)	1R second valid reason (9)	

Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
3.1.3	In most types of offences there has been a decrease/decline in the number of offences from Grade 10 to Grade 12, except for copying that has increased.	1A correct trend 1R reason for decline	12.4.4
	<ul> <li>The decline could be as a result of learners getting more mature as they grow.</li> <li>Most prefects/team captains are in senior classes and they behave better as they are in leadership roles.</li> <li>In Grade 10 they do not know each other in their chosen subjects and they are not as tolerant of each other.</li> </ul>	1R reason for increase	
	• The increase in copying could be attributed to the higher academic demands in Grades 11 and 12. ✓ R	in copying	
	(Any other relevant reason)	(3)	
3.1.4	✓O  He could have used a compound bar graph to represent the data. It would clearly show the comparison between the	1O correct graph	12.4.2
	different offences and between the different grades. ✓R	1R valid reason	
	OR ✓O	OR	
	He could have used three pie charts. Each pie chart will represent each grade and a comparison of the sectors of the pie charts can be done. ✓R	1O correct graph 1R valid reason (2)	
3.2	% of learners arriving late daily (12A)		12.2.1
	$= \frac{115}{50 \times 28} \times 100\% \approx 8,21\% $ $\checkmark$ A	1A simplification	
	% of learners arriving late daily (12B)		
	$= \frac{172}{50 \times 42} \times 100\% \approx 8{,}19\%$	1A simplification	
	Mr Abel's claim is invalid as the number of learners arriving late daily is approximately the same for both classes.	1A conclusion	
	Mr Abel probably based his claim on the fact that more learners from 12B arrived late than from 12A.  There are more learners in 12B than in 12A, so we could expect more absentees in 12B than in 12A. ✓R	1R reason (4)	

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Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
3.3.1	School starts at 07:35 Time for assembly and period 1 = 5 minutes + 45 minutes = 50 minutes ✓ M	1M adding	12.3.3
	Time up to start of period 2 = 7 hours 35 min. + 50 min. = 8 hours 25 min. ∴ Tom arrived at 08:25. ✓ A	1A time of arrival (2)	
3.3.2	Tom did not come to school. ✓R✓R		12.4.4
	OR		
	Tom arrived at school after Mr Abel had left the school to attend a workshop. $\checkmark R$ $\checkmark R$	2R reason	
	OR		
	Mr Abel was teaching another class. ✓R ✓R	(2)	
3.3.3	Zara arrived late at school seven times. $\checkmark A \checkmark A$ Total = 33 + 16 + 4 + 21 + 7 + 27 + 11 minutes $\checkmark M$ = 119 minutes $\checkmark CA$	2A correct number of minutes 1M adding correct numbers 1CA total	12.4.3
	Zara's mean = $\frac{119}{7}$ minutes $\checkmark$ M	1M finding mean	
	= 17 minutes ✓CA	1CA simplification (6)	

Ques	ION 4 [32 MARKS] Solution	Explanation	AS
4.1.1		Zipiuiiui	12.4.3
7.1.1	Time to leave home = 08 hours 15 min. $-2\frac{1}{2}$ hours	1M subtracting time	12.3.2
	= 5 hours 45 min. ∴ Latest time to leave home is 05:45 ✓CA	1CA simplification	
		(2)	
4.1.2	Cost of petrol = $R650 \times 4 \checkmark A$ = $R2600 \checkmark M$	1A petrol cost 1M correct values used	12.1.3
	Maintenance costs = $2 \times 65 \text{ km} \times 22 \times \text{R}0,35/\text{km}$ = R1 001 $\checkmark$ A	1A maintenance cost	
	Colleague's contribution = 4 × R330 = R1 320 ✓A	1A colleague's contribution	
	Total expenses = R2 600 + R1 001 - R1 320 $\checkmark$ M = R2 281 $\checkmark$ CA	1M addition and subtraction 1CA transport cost	
	OR	1M multiplication	
	$\bigvee_{T \in A \setminus A} \bigvee_{T \in A} \bigvee_{T$	1M subtraction	
	Total expenses $= R650 \times 4 + 65 \times 22 \times 2 \times R0,35 - 4 \times R330$	2A correct values	
	$= R2 600 + R1 001 - R1 320 \checkmark CA$	used	
	= R2 281 ✓CA	1CA simplification	
	- RZ 281 - C11	1CA final amount	
		(6)	
4.2	Time taken = 42 minutes = $\frac{42}{60}$ h = 0,7 h	1C conversion	12.2.1 12.3.2
	Average speed = $\frac{\text{Distance}}{m}$		
	$85.8 \text{ km/h} = \frac{\text{Time}}{0.7 \text{ h}}$	1M substitution	
	Distance = $85.8 \text{ km/h} \times 0.7 \text{ h}$	1CA multiplication	
	= 60,06 km ✓CA	1CA simplification	
		(4)	

Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
4.3.1	A 35-day-pass would cost her R1 435,00 for 22 trips.	1A cost of 35-day-pass	12.1.2
	Cost of using Pay-As-You-Go system $ \checkmark M \qquad \checkmark A \\ = 22 \text{ days} \times 2 \times \text{R41,00/day} $	1M multiplication 1A reading from table	
	= R1 804,00  ✓CA	1CA simplification	
	Savings = R1 804,00 − R1 435,00 ✓M	1M subtraction	
	= R369,00 ✓CA	1CA simplification	
		(6)	
4.3.2	✓RT First destination is Rosebank	1RT reading from table	12.1.3 12.2.1
	Cost of the ticket to the second destination $= R70,00 - R43,00 = R27,00  \checkmark A$ Second destination is Rhodesfield $\checkmark CA$	1A subtraction 1CA second destination	
		(3)	
4.3.3	Total cost of travelling by Gautrain  = cost of ticket + cost of parking + cost of petrol + cost of bus  VA  A  A  A  A  A  A  A  A  A  A  A  A	1M correct formula used 4A correct values used	12.1.2
	$= R1 435,00 + R220,00 + R150,00 + R264,00$ $= R2 069,00 \checkmark CA$	1CA simplification	
	Cost of travelling by car (from 4.1.2) = R2 281,00 $\checkmark$ M	1M subtraction	
	Savings = R2 281,00 - R2 069,00	1CA simplification	
	= R212,00	(8)	
4.3.4	Yes ✓O	1O opinion	12.1.2
	She would save R212,00 per month. ✓R	1R saving costs	
	She would save the wear and tear on her car. ✓R	1R saving car repairs	
		(3)	

QUESTI	ON 5 [42 MARKS]		
Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
5.1.1 (a)	✓M $75\% \text{ of expenses} = R520 + R390 + R140$ $= R1\ 050 \ ✓A$	1M 75% of weekly expense 1A adding	12.1.1
	Weekly expenses $= \frac{R1050}{75\%} \checkmark M$ $= \frac{R1050}{3} = R310 \checkmark CA$ $= \frac{R1050}{0.75} \checkmark CA$ Weekly expenses = R1050 + R310	1M dividing by 75%  1CA correct values used	
	$0.75 = R1 400 \checkmark CA = R1 400 \checkmark CA$ weekly expenses – R1 030 + R310 $= R1 400 \checkmark CA$	1CA simplification	
		(5)	
5.1.1(b)	Total cost (in rand) per week = $1 400 + 4 \times x$ OR	1M for R1 400 1A correct cost per sandwich	12.2.1
	Total costs (in rand) per week $\checkmark M \qquad \checkmark A$ = 1 400 + 4 × (number of sandwiches produced)	1M for R1 400 1A correct cost per sandwich	
5.1.1(c)	$\checkmark$ A $\checkmark$ SF R2 400 = R1 400 + (R4× number of sandwiches produced)	1A correct values	12.2.1
	R1 $000 = R4 \times \text{ number of sandwiches produced}$	used 1SF substitution	
	$\frac{R1\ 000}{R4} = \text{number of sandwiches produced } \checkmark M$	1M dividing	
	250 = number of sandwiches produced ✓CA	1CA simplification (4)	

5.1.2 A will have no value since 0 sandwiches are made  OR $A = \frac{R1 \ 400}{0} + R4 \ \checkmark SF$ $= \text{not possible}  OR \text{ cannot divide by } 0 \ \checkmark J$ $\checkmark A$ B cannot have an answer since the ingredients for 1 sandwich is R4 $\therefore$ Total costs cannot be less than cost for 1 sandwich. $\checkmark J \ \checkmark J \ OR$ Cannot have a negative number of sandwiches produced  OR $R2 = \frac{R1 \ 400}{B} + R4 \ \checkmark SF$ $-R2 = \frac{R1 \ 400}{B}$ $B = \frac{R1 \ 400}{-R2} \ \checkmark CA$ $\therefore \text{not a realistic answer}  \checkmark J$ ICA value of B $IJ \text{ explanation}$ $IJ \text{ explanation}$ $IJ  is a possible of the product of th$	Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
$R2 = \frac{R1  400}{B}$ $-R2 = \frac{R1  400}{-R2}$ $B = \frac{R1  400}{-R2}$ $B = -700$ $\therefore \text{ not a realistic answer}                                    $	5.1.2	A will have no value since 0 sandwiches are made  OR  A = R1 400/0 + R4 ✓ SF  = not possible OR cannot divide by 0 ✓ J  ✓ A  B cannot have an answer since the ingredients for 1 sandwich is R4 ∴ Total costs cannot be less than cost for 1 sandwich. ✓ J ✓ J OR Cannot have a negative number of sandwiches produced	1A no value 1J explanation  OR  1SF substitution 1J explanation  1A no answer	12.2.1
5.1.3  RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TOTAL COST OF PRODUCING ONE SANDWICH AND THE NUMBER OF SANDWICHES PRODUCED PER WEEK  1 A (100; R18,00) 1 A (200; R11,00)		$-R2 = \frac{R1  400}{B}$ $B = \frac{R1  400}{-R2}$ $B = -700$	1CA value of B  1J explanation	12.2.2
1 A smooth curve  Number of sandwiches produced per week	5.1.3	PRODUCING ONE SANDWICH AND THE NUMBER OF SANDWICHES PRODUCED PER WEEK  20 18 10 12 14 10 0 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800	1 A (200; R11,00)  1 A (400; R7,50)  1 A (700; R6,00)  Or any other correctly calculated and plotted points	12.2.2

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Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
5.1.4 (a)	700 sandwiches ✓ RG	1 RG reading from graph/table (1)	12.2.3
5.1.4 (b)	$29 = \frac{1400}{x} + 4$ $\checkmark$ SF	1SF substitution	12.2.3
	$29 - 4 = \frac{R1 \ 400}{x}$ $25 = \frac{R1 \ 400}{x} \ \checkmark A$ $x = \frac{R1 \ 400}{25}$	1A simplification	
	= 56 ✓CA	1CA value of $x$ (3)	
5.2.1 (a)	$d = \sqrt{2} \times s$ $= \sqrt{2} \times 110 \text{ mm}$ $= 155,56 \text{ mm}$	1SF substitution	12.1.1 12.3.1
	≈ 16 cm ✓ R	1R rounding (2)	
5.2.1 (b)	Diagonal of box = 105% of 16 cm = $1,05 \times 16$ cm = $16,8$ cm $\checkmark$ A	1A length (accept 163,3 mm)	12.1.1 12.3.1
	∴ length of sticker = $\frac{2}{3} \times 16.8 \text{ cm}$ = 11,2 cm ✓ CA	1 M using ratio 1 CA answer	
	OR		
	2:3 = x:16,8 ∴ $x = \frac{2 \times 16,8}{3}$ cm = 11,2 cm $\checkmark$ M	1 M using proportion	
	∴ length of sticker = 11,2 cm ✓CA	1 CA answer	
		(3)	

Ques	Solution	Explanation	AS
5.2.2	Thickness of $\Delta$ box = $60 \times \frac{105}{100}$ mm = $60 \times 1,05$ mm $\checkmark$ A $= 63 \text{ mm}$ Side of $\Delta$ box = $110 \times \frac{105}{100}$ mm = $110 \times 1,05$ mm $\checkmark$ A	1 A thickness 1 A side	12.1.1 12.3.1 12.3.2
	Sandwiches can be packed along the width or the length of the box.  With sandwiches packed like this along the breadth of the carton  Number of sandwiches length-wise = $\frac{946 \text{ mm}}{115,5 \text{ mm}} \approx 8$ Number of sandwiches beadth-wise = $\frac{580 \text{ mm}}{63 \text{ mm}} \approx 9$ The number in the bottom layer of the carton = $8 \times 9 \times 2 = 144$ sandwiches  The number of layers = $\frac{360 \text{ mm}}{115,5 \text{ mm}} \approx 3$ CA	1 CA number length- wise 1 CA number width- wise 1 CA number in bottom layer 1 CA number of layers 1 CA number in one carton	
	Number of sandwiches in a carton = $144 \times 3 = 432$ $\checkmark$ CA  With sandwiches packed like this along the length of the carton  Number of sandwiches length-wise = $\frac{946 \text{ mm}}{63 \text{ mm}} \approx 15$ Number of sandwiches width-wise = $\frac{580 \text{ mm}}{115,5 \text{ mm}} \approx 5$	1 CA number width-/length-wise	
	The number in the bottom layer of the carton $= 15 \times 5 \times 2 = 150 \text{ sandwiches}$ The number of layers = $\frac{360 \text{ mm}}{115,5 \text{ mm}}$ $\approx 3$ $\checkmark \text{CA}$ Number of sandwiches in a carton = $150 \times 3 = 450$ $\checkmark \text{CA}$ The maximum number of sandwiches would be $450$ . $\checkmark \text{C}$	1CA number in bottom layer 1 CA number of layers 1 CA number in one carton 1C conclusion (12)	