

2008 Applied Mathematics

Advanced Higher – Statistics

Finalised Marking Instructions

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General Marking Principles

These principles describe the approach taken when marking Advanced Higher Mathematics papers. For more detailed guidance please refer to the detailed Marking Instructions.

- 1 The main principle is to give credit for the skills demonstrated and the criteria met. Failure to have a correct method may not preclude a candidate gaining credit for their solution.
- 2 The answer to one part of a question, even if incorrect, can be accepted as a basis for subsequent dependent parts of the question.
- 3 The following are not penalised:
 - working subsequent to a correct answer (unless it provides firm evidence that the requirements of the question have not been met)
 - legitimate variation in numerical values/algebraic expressions.
- **4** Full credit will only be given where the solution contains appropriate working. Where the correct answer might be obtained by inspection or mentally, credit may be given.
- 5 Sometimes the method to be used in a particular question is explicitly stated; no credit will be given where a candidate obtains the correct answer by an alternative method.
- 6 Where the method to be used in a particular question is not explicitly stated in the question paper, full credit is available for an alternative valid method. (Some likely alternatives are included but these should not be assumed to be the only acceptable ones.)

In the detailed Marking Instructions which follow, marks are shown alongside the line for which they are awarded. There are two codes used, M and E. M indicates a method mark, so in question B6, M1 means a method mark for separating the variables. E is shorthand for error. For example, 2E1, means that a correct answer is awarded 2 marks but that 1 mark is deducted for each error.

Advanced Higher Applied Mathematics 2008 Section A – Statistics

A1. Let *V* denote 'bird infected with virus' and let + denote 'bird tests positive for virus'.

 $P(\bar{V} \mid +)$ is required.

$$P(\bar{V} \mid +) = \frac{P(+ \cap \bar{V})}{P(+)} = \frac{P(\bar{V} \cap +)}{P(+)}$$

$$= \frac{P(\bar{V}) P(+ \mid \bar{V})}{P(\bar{V}) P(+ \mid \bar{V}) + P(V) P(+ \mid V)}$$

$$= \frac{0.9999 \times 0.002}{0.0001 \times 0.999 + 0.9999 \times 0.002}$$

$$= \frac{0.0019998}{0.0020997} = 0.952$$
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Other methods, e.g. tree diagram or Venn diagram, are acceptable.

- A2. (a) A telephone number may be for a business.A household may not have a telephone.1
 - (b) A sampling frame is required i.e. a list of all households on the island.
 Now use random numbers to select a sample from the list.
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- **A3.** (a)

$$X \sim N(53.4, 4.7^2)$$

 $\Rightarrow P(X > 62)$ 1
 $= P(Z > \frac{62 - 53.4}{4.7})$ 1
 $= 0.0336$ 1

z = 2.33

$$\Rightarrow \frac{62 - \mu}{4.7} = 2.33$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = 51.05$$
1

A4. (a)
$$b = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}} = \frac{0.170456}{0.144672} = 1.1782$$
$$a = \overline{y} - b\overline{x} = 1.7268 - 1.1782 \times 0.8916 = 0.6763$$

Equation is y = 0.6763 + 1.1782x.

$$SSR = S_{yy} - \frac{(S_{xy})^2}{S_{xx}} = 0.221088 - \frac{0.170456^2}{0.144672} = 0.02025$$
$$s^2 = \frac{SSR}{n-2} = \frac{0.02025}{48} \implies s = 0.0205$$

$$t = \frac{b}{s/\sqrt{S_{xx}}} = \frac{1.1782}{0.0205/\sqrt{0.144672}} = 21.86$$

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The critical values of t with greater than 40 df for a two-tail test are approximately 3 (eg 2.576 at the 1% level) <<21.86, 1 furnishing strong evidence that the slope parameter differs from zero. 1 The evidence suggests that the model is useful for prediction. 1

- (b) Dieticians will be interested in making a prediction concerning the height of an individual patient with a given demi-span, rather than a prediction concerning the mean height of patients with a given demi-span.
- **A5.** Assume that the sample is random

(or differences are independent).

 H_0 : Median (After – Before) = 0

 H_1 : Median (After – Before) > 0

8 +; 1 -; 1 = $Bin(9, 0.5) P(B \le 1) = (C_0^9 + C_1^9)0.5^9$ 1

Bin (9, 0.5) $P(B \le 1) = (C_0^9 + C_1^9)0.5^9$ = 0.0195.

Since 0.0195 < 0.05, we reject H_0 at the 5% level

i.e. there is evidence that the therapy leads to increased self-esteem.

A6. Observed 17 56 27 Expected 25 50 25 1 $x^{2} = \sum \frac{(O - E)^{2}}{E} = \frac{(17 - 25)^{2}}{25} + \frac{(56 - 50)^{2}}{50} + \frac{(27 - 25)^{2}}{25}$ = 2.56 + 0.72 + 0.16 = 3.44

The critical value of chi-squared at the 5% level with 2 df is 5.991 > 3.44 so we would accept H_0 1 i.e. there is no evidence against the stated ratios.

A7. The variability is the same for both authors.

$$\bar{x} = 23.3, \sigma = 4.6, n = 30.$$

A 95% confidence interval for the mean word length, μ , in the manuscript of unknown authorship is given by:

$$\bar{x} \pm z \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$= 23.3 \pm 1.96 \frac{4.6}{\sqrt{30}}$$

$$= 23.3 \pm 1.65$$
 or $[21.65, 24.95]$

Since 24.9 lies within the 95% confidence interval

the data do not provide evidence against the work of unknown authorship being attributed to the medieval author.

A8. (a) (0,2) or (1,1) or (2,0)For Poi(5.5), P (0) = 0.0041, P (1) = 0.0225, P (2) = 0.0618For Poi(3.5), P (0) = 0.0302, P (1) = 0.1057, P (2) = 0.1850Probability = $0.0041 \times 0.1850 + 0.0225 \times 0.1057 + 0.0618 \times 0.0302$ = 0.0050

(b)
$$T$$
 has mean $5.5 + 3.5 = 9$ and therefore variance 9.

(c) For Poi(9),
$$P(T = 2) = 0.0062 - 0.0012 = 0.0050$$

(d)
$$P(T > k) < 0.01 \Rightarrow P(T \le k) > 0.99$$

and for a Poi(9) the smallest k is 17.

A9. (a)

Product A	У	Product E
0	1	
	2	
. 00	3	
	4	0
000	5	00
0	6	0
0	7	0
00	8	0000
	9	0
	10	

(Back-to-back stem-and-leaf or dot-plot acceptable.)

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Labels

Advert B appears to be more effective

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(b)

Rating	1	3	3	4	5	5	5	5	5	6
Product	A	A	A	В	A	A	A	В	В	A
Rank	1	2.5	2.5	4	7	7	7	7	7	10.5
Rating	6	7	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	9
Product	В	A	В	A	A	В	В	В	В	В
Rank	10.5	12.5	12.5	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.5	20

 H_0 : Median A = Median B

$$H_1$$
: Median A < Median B.

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Rank sum for B ratings is
$$W = 127$$
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$$E(W) = \frac{1}{2}n(n+m+1) = \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 21 = 105$$

$$V(W) = \frac{1}{12}nm(n+m+1) = \frac{1}{12} \times 100 \times 21 = 13.23^2$$

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$$P(W \ge 127) = P\left(Z \ge \frac{126.5 - 105}{13.23}\right) = P(Z \ge 1.63$$

$$= 1 - \Phi(1.63) = 1 - 0.9484 = 0.0516$$

$$0.0516 > 0.05$$
 so we accept H_0 at the 5% level

i.e. there is no evidence of greater likelihood to purchase in the case of Product B.

A10. (a) Taking
$$\bar{p} = 0.6807$$
 for the first 60 days as p :

Control Limits are $p \pm 3\sqrt{\frac{pq}{n}} = 0.6807 \pm 3\sqrt{\frac{0.6807 \times 0.3193}{50}}$
 $= 0.4829, 0.8785.$

(b) The fact that a number of points lie above the upper limit provides evidence that the proportion of units free from nonconformities has increased.

(c)
$$p = 0.8648$$

 $\Rightarrow \text{UCL} = 0.8648 + 3\sqrt{\frac{0.8648 \times 0.1352}{50}} = 1.01$

A proportion cannot exceed one.

(d)
$$p + 3\sqrt{\frac{pq}{n}} < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\sqrt{\frac{pq}{n}} < q$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9pq}{n} < q^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow n > 9\frac{p}{q}$$

$$\Rightarrow n > 9\frac{0.8648}{0.1352} = 57.6$$
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Section B – Mathematics for Applied Mathematics

B1. (a)
$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 0 & -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 15 \\ 12 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$
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(b)
$$4C + D = 4 \begin{pmatrix} x & 2 \\ 0 & y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 12 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 4x & 8 \\ 0 & 4y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 12 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 4x + 2 & 15 \\ 12 & 4y - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
2E1
(c)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 8 & 15 \\ 12 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4x + 2 & 15 \\ 12 & 4y - 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow x = 1 \cdot 5; y = 1$$
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B2.
$$y = e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2e^{2x} \cos x + e^{2x} (-\sin x)$$

$$= 2e^{2x} \cos x - e^{2x} \sin x$$
B3.
$$\frac{4x - 3}{x(x^2 + 3)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx + C}{x^2 + 3}$$
1M
$$4x - 3 = A(x^2 + 3) + x(Bx + C)$$

$$= (A + B)x^2 + Cx + 3A$$

$$A = -1, B = 1, C = 4$$

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B5. (a)

$$\sum_{r=1}^{n} r^2 = \frac{1}{6} n (n+1) (2n+1)$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{n} (6r^2 - r) = 6 \sum_{r=1}^{n} r^2 - \sum_{r=1}^{n} r$$

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

$$=\frac{1}{2}n(n+1)(4n+1)$$

(b)

$$\sum_{r=5}^{10} (6r^2 - r) = \sum_{r=1}^{10} (6r^2 - r) - \sum_{r=1}^{4} (6r^2 - r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 11 \times 41 - \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 5 \times 17$$

$$= 2085$$

B6. (a)

$$\int \frac{1}{T - 22} dT = \int k \, dt$$

$$\ln (T - 22) = kt + c$$

$$T - 22 = e^{kt + c}$$

$$T = Ae^{kt} + 22$$
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(b)

$$82 = Ae^{k \times 0} + 22 \Rightarrow A = 60$$

$$62 = 60e^{k \times 5} + 22 \Rightarrow 40 = 60e^{5k} \Rightarrow e^{5k} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln \frac{2}{3} = 5k \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{5} \ln \frac{2}{3}$$

$$T = 60e^{\frac{1}{5}(\ln \frac{2}{3})t} + 22 \qquad (T = 60e^{-0.08t} + 22 \text{ is acceptable})$$

$$T = 60e^{2 \ln \frac{2}{3}} + 22$$

$$= 60e^{\ln \frac{4}{9}} + 22$$

$$= 60 \times \frac{4}{9} + 22 = 48\frac{2}{3} \qquad (\approx 48.7 \text{ is acceptable})$$
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[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]