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NQF LEVEL 3**

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Symbol	Explanation
M	Method
MA	Method with accuracy
CA	Consistent accuracy
A	Accuracy
C	Conversion
S	Simplification
RT/RG/RD/RM	Reading from a table/graph/drawing/document/map
F	Choosing correct formula
SF	Substitution in formula
R/J	Reasoning / Justification
P	Penalty, e.g. for no units, incorrect rounding off etc.
R	Rounding off
E	Explanation
U	Unit

This marking guideline consists of 9 pages.



QUESTION 1 [30]

Question		Solution	Explanation
1.1	1.1.1	$= 663\checkmark\checkmark$	2 A solution (2)
	1.1.2	$0,36 + 6\checkmark$ $= 6,36\checkmark$	1 S simplify (Do not carry mistake forward) 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
	1.1.3	$= 3 \times 8\checkmark = 24\checkmark$	1 S simplify (Do not carry mistake forward) 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
1.2	1.2.1	Sand: $4x = 4 \quad \therefore x = 1\checkmark\checkmark$ Cement: $4y = 2 \quad \therefore y = \frac{1}{2}\checkmark$	3 A solution (3)
	1.2.2	$= (32 \div 85) \times 100\checkmark$ $= 37,6\% \text{ or } 38\% \text{ or } 37,65\checkmark$	1 M method 1 A solution (2)
	1.2.3	$= 4,5 \times 1000\checkmark$ $= 4\,500\text{g}\checkmark$	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
	1.2.4	8 bars = R48 $\therefore 1 \text{ bar} = R6\checkmark$ $= R6 \times 12$ $= R72\checkmark$	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
1.3	1.3.1	Percentage increase $= \frac{R4,00 - R3,35}{3,35} \times 100\checkmark$ $= 19,4 \text{ or } 19\%\checkmark$	2 M method 1 A solution (3 marks answer only) (3)
	1.3.2	$= R120 - (R120 \times 0,2)\checkmark$ $= R120 - R24\checkmark$ $= R96,00\checkmark$ or $= R120\checkmark \times 0,8\checkmark$ $= R96,00\checkmark$	2 M method 1 A solution (3 marks answer only) (3)
1.4	1.4.1	$= \frac{6\,000 + 6\,200 + 7\,900 + 7\,300}{4}\checkmark\checkmark$ $= 6\,850\checkmark$	One mark for method: addition One mark for denominator 1 A solution (3 marks answer only) (3)
	1.4.2	$= 2\,000 \text{ m}^2\checkmark\checkmark$	2 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted/incorrect) (2)



1.5	1.5.1	Perimeter = $4 + 3 + 4 + 3$ m ✓ = 14 m ✓ Or $2(1 + b) = 2(4 + 3)$ ✓ = 14 m ✓	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted/incorrect) (2)
	1.5.2	$V = 5 \times 3 \times 12$ ✓ $V = 180$ cm ³ ✓	1 SF substitution in formula 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted/incorrect) (2) [30]

QUESTION 2 [15]

Question	Solution	Explanation
2.1	= 6 ✓	1 A solution (1)
2.2	= R100 ✓✓	2 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted) (2)
2.3	= 2011-11-01 ✓✓	2 A solution (2)
2.4	$= (100) + (1 \times 40) + (2 \times 20)$ ✓ ✓ = R180 ✓	Carry forward ONE mistake only 2 method 1 A solution (3)
2.5	$FV = R82\ 600(1 + 0,05)^{10}$ ✓ $FV = R82\ 600 \times 1,6289$ ✓ or $R82\ 600 \times 1,63$ $FV = R134\ 547,14$ ✓ = R134 638 or R134 547,70	1 substitution 1 simplify 1 A solution (3)
2.6	$FV = R100\ 000 \left(1 + \frac{12}{100}\right)^{12}$ ✓✓ or $R100\ 000 \left(1 + \frac{3}{100}\right)^{12}$ $FV = R100\ 000 \times 1,42576$ ✓ or $R100\ 000 \times 1,43$ $FV = R142\ 576,00$ ✓ or = R142 576,09 or = R143 000,00	2 substitution (one mark for $i = 0,03/ \frac{3}{100}$ and one mark for 12) 1 simplify 1 A solution (4) [15]

QUESTION 3 [18]

Solution	Solution	Explanation
3.1	Electricity✓, waste removal✓, water service and sewerage Any 2 of the above given services	2 A solution (2)
3.2	Payment or Credit✓✓	2 A solution (2)
3.3 a)	$= 52,83 - 46,34$ ✓ $= 6,49$ ✓	1 method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
b)	$= 54,63 - 6,71$ ✓ $= 47,92$ ✓	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
c)	$= 439,81 + 46,34 + 131,35 + 47,92$ ✓ $= 665,42$ ✓	Carry forward with mistake in (b) 1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
d)	$= 61,57 + 6,49 + 18,39 + 6,71$ ✓ $= 93,16$ ✓	Carry forward with mistake in (a) 1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
e)	$= 501,38 + 52,83 + 149,74 + 54,63$ ✓ $= 758,58$ ✓	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
3.4	Total Payable = Total charges – Credits Total Payable = $758,58 - 2,97$ ✓ Total Payable = $755,61$ ✓	Allocate 2 marks for any attempt in Question 3.3 (mistake on Question paper) 1 M method 1 A solution (2)
3.5	$VAT\% = (61,57 \div 439,81) \times 100$ ✓ $VAT\% = 0,13999 \times 100$ $VAT\% = 14\%$ ✓ Check various alternative methods (VAT can also be calculated on waste removal, water service or sewerage)	1 M method 1 A solution (No marks to be allocated without calculations shown, e.g. no mark for 14% only) (2) [18]



QUESTION 4 [14]

Solution	Solution	Explanation
4.1	radius = $130\text{cm} \div 2 = 65\text{cm}$ ✓	1 solution (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted) (1)
4.2	$= 3,142 \times (65)^2 \times 188,325$ ✓ $= 2\,500\,004,959$ ✓ cm^3 ✓ or $= 3,14 \times (65)^2 \times 188,325$ ✓ $= 2\,498\,413,613$ ✓ cm^3 ✓	Carry forward mistake in 4.1 1 substitution 2 solution with unit cm^3 (Do not subtract a mark if 3,14 was used) (Accept answers rounded off to whole number, first or second decimals) (3)
4.3	$= 2\,500\,004,959 \div 1\,000$ ✓ $= 2\,500$ ✓	Carry forward mistake in 4.2 1 M method 1 A solution (2)
4.4	$= (2 \div 3) \times 2\,500$ ✓ $= 0,6667 \times 2\,500$ ✓ $= 1666,667$ litres✓	Carry forward mistake in 4.3 (Do not carry mistake again after second mistake) 2 M method 1 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted) (3)
4.5	$= 6,5 \times 2500$ ✓ $= 16\,250$ litres✓	Carry forward mistake in 4.3 1 M method 1 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for units omitted) (2)
4.6	✓ ✓ $2\,500 \times 1\,000 = 125 \times 100 \times \text{height}$ Height = $\frac{2500000}{125 \times 100}$ Height = 200 cm ✓	1 Conversion 1 S substitution 1 A solution (3) [14]

QUESTION 5 [15]

	Question	Solution	Explanation
5.1	5.1.1	✓ ✓ $= 1990 \div 7$ $= 284,3$ or $284,29$ or 284 ✓	2 method 1 solution (3)
	5.1.2	150 250 300 300 320 320 350 ✓ $= 300$ ✓	1 Arranging in ascending order 1 A solution (2)



	5.1.3	✓ ✓ 300 and 320	2 A solution (2)
	5.1.4	✓ ✓ = 350 - 150 = 200 ✓	2 method 1 A solution (3 marks for answer only) (3)
5.2	5.2.1 a)	8 times ✓	1 A solution (1)
	b)	7 times ✓	1 A solution (1)
	5.2.2	$= \frac{5}{5+7+8}$ ✓✓ $= 25\%$ or 0,25 or $\frac{5}{20}$ or $\frac{1}{4}$ ✓	1 mark numerator, 1 mark denominator 1 solution (accept solution in words, e.g. 5 out of twenty) (3 marks for answer only) (3) [15]

QUESTION 6 [12]

	Question	Solution	Explanation
6.1	6.1.1	✓ ✓ = 160 + 40(3) = R280 ✓	2 S substitution in formula 1 A solution (3 marks for answer only) (3)
	6.1.2	$360 = 160 + 40n$ ✓ $40n = 360 - 160$ ✓ $n = 5$ ✓	1 S substitution in formula 1 Manipulation 1 A solution (3 marks for answer only) (3)
	6.2.1	June ✓✓	2 A solution (2)
	6.2.2	R2 500 ✓✓ (Accept any value between R2 500 – R2 700)	2 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for Rand omitted) (2)
	6.2.3	March ✓✓	2 A solution (2) [12]

QUESTION 7 [16]

Question	Solution	Explanation
7.1	= R600✓	1 A solution (1)
7.2	= R720✓✓	2 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for Rand omitted) (2)
7.3	= 720 - 600✓ = 120✓	Carry forward mistake in 7.2 1 M method 1 A solution 2 marks for answer only (2)
7.4	Increases ✓✓	2 A solution (2)
7.5	= R720 × 52✓✓ = R37 440✓	Carry forward mistake in 7.2 2 M method 1 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for Rand omitted) 3 marks for answer only (3)
7.6	$\checkmark \quad \checkmark$ = $120 \div 600 \times 100$ or $\frac{720 - 600}{600} \times 100$ = $0,2 \times 100$ = 20%✓	2 M method 1 A solution (No marks for 20% without calculations) (3)
7.7	FV = $600(1 + 0,2)^5$ ✓✓ FV = R1 492,99✓	1 mark for 0,2 or $\frac{20}{100}$ 1 mark for 5 1 A solution (Do not subtract a mark for Rand omitted) (3) [16]

QUESTION 8 [13]

	Question	Solution	Explanation
8.1	8.1.1	= $8 \times 3 \text{ m}$ ✓ = 24 m✓	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
	8.1.2	= $6 \times 3 \text{ m}$ ✓ = 18 m✓	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)



8.2	$A = 24 \times 18 \checkmark$ $A = 432 \checkmark \text{ m}^2 \checkmark$	1 SF substitution in Formula 1 U unit 1 A solution (3)
8.3	$\text{Cost} = 432 \checkmark \times \text{R}70 \checkmark$ $\text{Cost} = \text{R}30\,240 \checkmark$	Carry forward mistake in 8.2 2 M method 1 A solution (3)
8.4	$x = \sqrt{4^2 + 25^2} \checkmark$ $x = \sqrt{641} \checkmark$ $x = 25,318 \checkmark$ or 25,3 or 25	1 SF substitution in Formula 1 simplify 1 A solution (3 marks for answer only) (3) [13]

QUESTION 9 [17]

	Question	Solution	Explanation
9.1	9.1.1	Check measurements again after the final paper has been printed. $2,7 \text{ cm} = 180 \text{ km} \checkmark$ $1 \text{ cm} = 66,7 \text{ km} \checkmark$	1 A measurement 1 A scale (2)
	9.1.2	Range: $[1,0 - 1,5] \text{ cm} \checkmark$ $= [66,7 - 100,05] \text{ km} \checkmark$	1 A measurement 1 A distance (2)
	9.1.3	$133+86 \checkmark = 216 \text{ km} \checkmark$ or 190 to 220 km if scale has been used $\checkmark \checkmark$	1 RM distances 1 A (2 marks answer only) (2)
	9.1.4	South West $\checkmark \checkmark$	2 A solution (2)
9.2	9.2.1	$99\,332 - 99\,108 \checkmark = 224 \text{ km} \checkmark$	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
	9.2.2	$99\,388 - 99\,108 \checkmark = 280 \text{ km} \checkmark$	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)



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	9.2.3	$= 16:30 - 14:00$ ✓ $= 2,5 \text{ hours}$ ✓ or 2h30min	1 M method 1 A solution (2 marks answer only) (2)
	9.2.4	$\text{Speed} = 280 \div 2,5$ ✓✓ $\text{Speed} = 112 \text{ km/h}$ ✓	Carry mistakes in 9.2.2 and 9.2.3 2 M substitution 1 A solution 3 marks for answer only (3) [17]

TOTAL: 150

