

Markscheme

2013 - 2014

CODE	INTERPRETATION
M	A specific Method is required.
D	A correct Diagram is required.
R	Point(s) for required clear Reasoning (including but not limited to verbal modeling, modeling with an equation, and/or diagramming).
W	Point(s) for required Work shown (including but not limited to correct substitution and manipulation of values).
E	Exact, simplified, non-decimal answer values are required. There are VERY few exceptions, e.g., SOMETIMES when comparing/graphing numbers, giving responses to "real-life" problems, specifically directed to approximate an answer...i.e., there must be a REASON. Even exact decimal values should be expressed as fractions (proper or improper; no "mixed" numbers).
A	Correct Answer. Points are not automatically awarded for a correct answer; when preceded by M/D/R/W, point(s) depend upon answer being adequately and correctly substantiated. It is not possible to award M0 or W0 followed by A1.
F	Follow through, only applied after an error is made, are awarded where an incorrect answer from one part of a question is used correctly in subsequent part(s).
N	If no work shown, points may be awarded for correct answers but there will be fewer points available than the total of other marks to penalize for not showing work.
()	Brackets indicate M/R/W may be IMPLIED by correct subsequent work shown. NOTE: Marks without brackets indicate points are only awarded if correct work is seen.
e.g., M/D1	Method AND Diagram both required; 1 pt total.
e.g., M1/D1	Method 1 pt and Diagram 1 pt; 2 pts total.
W2 or A3	Marks cannot be split (i.e., no partial credit).