

# Commentary on candidate evidence

The candidate evidence has achieved the following marks for each Design section within the Method of this course assessment component (assignment).

## Candidate 1

The candidate was awarded **4 marks** for this section because:

- ◆ they accurately identified the method and design (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they gave a clear justification for the method used in this study (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they identified the IV and DV (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they identified extraneous variables (**1 mark**)

## Candidate 2

The candidate was awarded **4 marks** for this section because:

- ◆ they accurately identified the method and design (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they gave a clear justification for the method used in this study (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they identified the co-variables (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they identified extraneous variables (**1 mark**)

## Candidate 3

The candidate was awarded **1 mark** for this section because:

- ◆ they gave a justification for the method used in this study (**1 mark**)

No further marks were awarded here as the candidate identified the method but not the design, they identified the IV but the DV was inaccurate and they did not identify extraneous variables.

## Candidate 4

The candidate was awarded **4 marks** for this section because:

- ◆ they accurately identified the method and design (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they gave a clear justification for the method used in this study (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they identified the IV and DV (**1 mark**)
- ◆ they identified extraneous variables (**1 mark**)