

# Commentary on candidate evidence

The evidence for this candidate has achieved the following marks for each question of this course assessment component.

## Question 1

The candidate was awarded **1/3 marks**.

No limits shown therefore only mark 3 awarded. See note 5 of the marking instructions.

## Question 2(a)

The candidate was awarded **2/3 marks**.

Mark 1 not awarded; see Commonly Observed Responses (COR 1) of the marking instructions.

## Question 2(b)

The candidate was awarded **1/3 marks**.

Mark 4 awarded, addition of £100 shows the candidate misunderstood the question.

## Question 3(a)

The candidate was awarded **1/1 mark**.

The candidate did not show their working but the answer is correct.

## Question 3(b)

The candidate was awarded **1/2 marks**.

Mark 2 not awarded as the candidate's response shows they misunderstood the question.

### Question 4

The candidate was awarded **2/2 marks**.

Marks 1 and 2 given as -4.5 comparison to -3 is implied.

### Question 5

The candidate was awarded **1/3 marks**.

Incorrect calculation; please see COR 1 of the marking instructions.

### Question 6

The candidate was awarded **1/2 marks**.

Mark 1 not awarded as the list of values is in the wrong order.

### Question 7(a)

The candidate was awarded **1/2 marks**.

Mark 2 awarded as Q1 and Q3 correct from their list.

### Question 7(b)

The candidate was awarded **2/2 marks**.

Limits correct to their list.

### Question 7(c)

The candidate was awarded **0/1 mark**.

Mark 5 not awarded as the candidate did not provide labels or indicate which answer is their final answer.

### Question 7(d)

The candidate was awarded **0/1 mark**.

It is not clear which numbers are being compared.

**Question 8(a)**

The candidate was awarded **1/2 marks**.

More than one 'vertical' shown, so there have been two attempts made. Both were marked and the lower mark awarded.

**Question 8(b)**

The candidate was awarded **1/2 marks**.

Mark 3 not given as the measurement/conversion is incorrect.

**Question 9(a)**

The candidate was awarded **1/1 mark**.

Clear from marking instructions.

**Question 9(b)**

The candidate was awarded **2/2 marks**.

The alternative strategy has been used.

**Question 10**

The candidate was awarded **2/3 marks**.

Mark 2 not awarded.

**Question 11**

The candidate was awarded **1/3 marks**.

Please see COR 1 of the marking instructions

**Question 12**

The candidate was awarded **0/3 marks**.

The candidate has trivialised the comparison so mark 2 was not awarded. The conclusion is incorrect, so mark 3 not awarded.

### Question 13

The candidate was awarded **2/4 marks**.

Mark 1 and 4 awarded, however mark 2 and 3 could not be given as the candidate's conversion is wrong and they also subtracted 30 minutes.