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Detailed Marking Instructions for each question

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
1.			Ans: 27·(25408) grams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ know how to decrease by 8% •² know how to calculate the sugar content after 3 years •³ evaluate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\times 0.92$ •² 35×0.92^3 •³ 27·(25408) (grams) 	3
Notes: 1. Correct answer without working award 3/3 2. Do not penalise incorrect rounding 3. Where an incorrect percentage is used, the working must be followed through to give the possibility of awarding 2/3 eg For $35 \times 0.08^3 = 0.01792$, with working award 2/3 $\times \checkmark \checkmark$ 4. Where division is used, (a) along with 0.92 , • ¹ is not available eg $35 \div 0.92^3 = 44.94\dots$ award 2/3 $\times \checkmark \checkmark$ (b) along with an incorrect percentage, • ¹ and • ² are not available eg $35 \div 1.08^3 = 27.78\dots$ award 1/3 $\times \times \checkmark$					
Commonly Observed Responses: Working must be shown 1. $35 \times 1.08^3 = 44.0\dots$ award 2/3 $\times \checkmark \checkmark$ 2. $35 \times 0.08 = 2.8 \rightarrow 35 - 3 \times 2.8 = 26.6$ award 1/3 $\checkmark \times \times$ 3. $35 \times 0.92 = 32.2$ award 1/3 $\checkmark \times \times$ 4. $35 \times 0.92 \times 3 = 96.6$ award 1/3 $\checkmark \times \times$ 5. $35 \times 0.08 \times 3 = 8.4$ award 0/3					

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
2.			Ans: 8×10^{-9} grams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ correct method •² answer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $12 \div (1.5 \times 10^9)$ •² 8×10^{-9} 	2
Notes: 1. Correct answer without working award 2/2 2. • ² is still available if there is additional multiplication or division by 1000 (but by no other numbers). eg award 1/2 ×✓ for (a) $12 \div (1.5 \times 10^9) \div 1000 = 8 \times 10^{-12}$ (b) $(1.5 \times 10^9) \div 12 \times 1000 = 1.25 \times 10^{11}$					
Commonly Observed Responses: No working necessary 1. $(1.5 \times 10^9) \div 12 = 1.25 \times 10^8$ award 1/2 ×✓ 2. $(1.5 \times 10^9) \div 12 = 1.2 \times 10^8$ or 1.3×10^8 award 1/2 ×✓ 3. $(1.5 \times 10^9) \times 12 = 1.8 \times 10^{10}$ award 1/2 ×✓					

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3.			Ans: $v - u$ • ¹ correct answer	• ¹ $v - u$ or $-u + v$ or $v + - u$	1
Notes:					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
4.			Ans: $3(x+4)(x-4)$ • ¹ begin to factorise • ² factorise fully	• ¹ $3(x^2 - 16)$ • ² $3(x+4)(x-4)$	2
Notes: 1. Correct answer without working award 2/2 2. • ¹ is also available for $(3x+12)(x-4)$ or $(3x-12)(x+4)$ 3. • ¹ is not available for 3 or $(x^2 - 16)$ alone 4. All three factors must be shown together to obtain • ² . 5. Special cases (a) award 1/2 for $3(x-4)^2$ or $(x+4)(x-4)$ or $3(x+8)(x-8)$ (b) award 0/2 for eg $(3x-8)(x+6)$					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
5.			Ans: $ABC = 74^\circ$ • ¹ calculate the size of angle AOE or CAO • ² calculate the size of angle CAB • ³ calculate the size of angle ABC	• ¹ 37 • ² 53 • ³ 74	3
Notes: 1. Full marks may be awarded for information marked on the diagram 2. For an answer of 74° with no relevant working award 0/3 3. • ³ is available for correct calculation of $180 - 2 \times \text{angle CAB}$					
Commonly Observed Responses:					

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6.	(a)		<p>Ans: mean = 13 minutes, st dev = 5.7 minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ calculate mean •² calculate $(x - \bar{x})^2$ •³ substitute into formula •⁴ calculate standard deviation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ 13 (minutes) •² 0, 9, 9, 81, 64, 1 •³ $\sqrt{\frac{164}{5}}$ •⁴ 5.7... (minutes) 	4
<p>Notes:</p> <p>1. For an answer of 13 and 5.7 without working award 1/4 ✓ x x x.</p> <p>2. For use of alternative formula award •², •³ and •⁴ as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² calculate $\sum x$ and $\sum x^2$ •² 78, 1178 •³ substitute into formula •³ $\sqrt{\frac{1178 - \frac{78^2}{6}}{5}}$ •⁴ calculate standard deviation •⁴ 5.7... (minutes) 					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
	(b)		<p>Ans: valid statements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ compare means •² compare standard deviations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ On average Sophie's waiting time was longer. •² Sophie's waiting times were more consistent. 	2

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<p>Notes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Answers must be consistent with answers to part (a). Statements regarding the mean must show an understanding that mean is an average. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> eg Accept <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sophie's average waiting time is more In general her time is more Sophie's waiting time is more overall eg Do not accept <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sophie's mean waiting time is more Sophie's waiting time is longer (this implies that all her waiting times are longer) Statements regarding the standard deviation must show an understanding that standard deviation is a measure of spread. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> eg Accept <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The spread of Sophie's times is less Sophie's times are more consistent Her waiting is less varied eg Do not accept <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sophie's standard deviation is less The range of Sophie's times is less On average her waiting times are less varied The standard deviation is more consistent Statements must refer to Sophie/Jack or she/he eg do not accept "on average the waiting time was longer". Accept statements using 'waiting time', 'call time', 'time' or 'waiting'. <p>Commonly Observed Responses:</p>			

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7.			<p>Ans: 5300 cubic centimetres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ know to find difference in two volumes •² substitute correctly into formula for volume of large cone •³ substitute correctly into formula for volume of small cone •⁴ carry out all calculations correctly (must involve difference or sum of two volume calculations and include a fraction) •⁵ round final answer to 2 significant figures and state correct units 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ evidence of difference in two volumes •² $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 24$ (= 6433.98...) •³ $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 13.5$ (= 1145.11...) •⁴ 5288.87... •⁵ 5300 cm³ 	5

Notes:

1. Correct answer without working award 0/5.

2. Accept variations in π .

eg $\frac{1}{3} \times 3.14 \times 16^2 \times 24 - \frac{1}{3} \times 3.14 \times 9^2 \times 13.5 = 6430.72 - 1144.53 = 5286.19 = 5300 \text{ cm}^3$

3. In awarding •⁵

(a) Intermediate calculations need not be shown

eg $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 24 - \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 13.5 = 5300 \text{ cm}^3$ award 5/5

(b) Where intermediate calculations are shown, they must involve at least three significant figures

eg $6433.98... - 1145.11... = 6400 - 1100 = 5300 \text{ cm}^3$ award 4/5 ✓✓✓✓×

(c) Where the volume of **only one** cone is calculated •⁵ is available

eg $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 24 = 6400 \text{ cm}^3$ award 2/5 ×✓××✓

(d) Accept 5300 ml or 5.3 litres.

Question	Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
Commonly Observed Responses:			
Working must be shown			
1. $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 24 + \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 13 \cdot 5 = 7600 \text{ cm}^3$		award 4/5 x✓✓✓✓	
2. $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 32^2 \times 24 - \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 18^2 \times 13 \cdot 5 = 21000 \text{ cm}^3$		award 4/5 ✓x✓✓✓	
3. $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 24 - \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 10 \cdot 5 = 5500 \text{ cm}^3$		award 4/5 ✓✓x✓✓	
4. $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 24 + \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 10 \cdot 5 = 7300 \text{ cm}^3$		award 3/5 x✓x✓✓	
5. $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 10 \cdot 5 - \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 13 \cdot 5 = 1700 \text{ cm}^3$		award 4/5 ✓x✓✓✓	
6. $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16^2 \times 10 \cdot 5 + \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 9^2 \times 13 \cdot 5 = 4000 \text{ cm}^3$		award 3/5 xx✓✓✓	
7. $\pi \times 16^2 \times 24 - \pi \times 9^2 \times 13 \cdot 5 = 16000 \text{ cm}^3$		award 3/5 ✓x✓x✓	
8. $\frac{4}{3} \times \pi \times 16^3 - \frac{4}{3} \times \pi \times 9^3 = 14000 \text{ cm}^3$		award 3/5 ✓xx✓✓	

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
8.			Ans: 78° <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ correct substitution into sine rule •² re-arrange formula •³ find x 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\frac{\sin x}{150} = \frac{\sin 66}{140}$ or $\frac{150}{\sin x} = \frac{140}{\sin 66}$ •² $\sin x = \frac{150 \sin 66}{140}$ •³ $x = 78(.18...)$ 	3

Notes:

1. Correct answer without working award 0/3.
2. Do not penalise incorrect rounding in the final answer
eg $\sin x = \frac{150 \sin 66}{140} = 0.978 \rightarrow x = 77.9$ award 3/3
3. Premature rounding: rounded working must be to at least 2 decimal places.
4. Premature truncation: truncated working must be to at least 3 decimal places.
5. $\pm 0.028...$ (uses rad) award 2 marks (working must be shown)
6. 75, 74.72... (uses grad) award 3 marks (working must be shown)

Commonly Observed Responses:

1. Examples of premature rounding/truncation (apply notes 2 and 3)

(a) Premature rounding:

$$\sin x = \frac{150 \sin 66}{140}$$

$$= 0.98 \rightarrow x = 78.5$$

award 3/3

(b) Premature rounding:

$$\sin x = \frac{150 \sin 66}{140}$$

$$= \frac{150 \times 0.9}{140}$$

$$= 0.964... \rightarrow x = 74.6$$

award 2/3 ✓✓×

(c) Premature truncation:

$$\sin x = \frac{150 \sin 66}{140} (= 0.978...)$$

$$= 0.97 \rightarrow x = 75.9$$

award 2/3 ✓✓×

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
10.			<p>Ans: $\frac{1}{n^4}$</p> <p>Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ simplify $(n^2)^3$ •² simplify $n^6 \times n^{-10}$ •³ express with a positive power <p>Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ simplify $(n^2)^3$ •² express with a positive power •³ simplify $n^6 \times \frac{1}{n^{10}}$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ n^6 •² n^{-4} •³ $\frac{1}{n^4}$ •¹ n^6 •² $\frac{1}{n^{10}}$ •³ $\frac{1}{n^4}$ 	3
Notes: 1. Correct answer without working award 3/3					
Commonly Observed Responses:					

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11.			<p>Ans: £4.95</p> <p>Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ linear scale factor •² know to multiply cost by the square of the linear scale factor •³ find cost of smaller picture (calculation must involve a power of the scale factor) <p>Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ linear scale factor •² know to divide cost by the square of the linear scale factor •³ find cost of smaller picture (calculation must involve a power of the scale factor) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\frac{60}{100}$ •² $13.75 \times \left(\frac{60}{100}\right)^2$ •³ (£)4.95 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • $\frac{100}{60}$ •² $13.75 \div \left(\frac{100}{60}\right)^2$ •³ (£)4.95 	

Notes:

1. Correct answer without working award 3/3
2. Disregard incorrect units or omission of units
3. Answer must be rounded to nearest penny if required.

Commonly Observed Responses:

1. $13.75 \times \frac{60}{100} = 8.25$ award 1/3 ✓××
2. $13.75 \times \left(\frac{60}{100}\right)^3 = 2.97$ award 2/3 ✓×✓
3. $(13.75)^2 \times \frac{60}{100} = 113.44$ award 1/3 ✓××
4. $13.75 \times \left(\frac{100}{60}\right)^2 = 38.19$ award 2/3 ✓×✓
5. $13.75 \div \left(\frac{100}{60}\right)^2 = 13.75 \div 1.67^2 = 4.93$ award 2/3 ✓✓×
- (Premature rounding leads to inaccurate answer)
6. $13.75 \times \left(\frac{100}{60}\right)^2 = 13.75 \times 1.67^2 = 38.35$ award 1/3 ✓××
- (Premature rounding leads to inaccurate answer)

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12.			<p>Ans: $k = \frac{L^2 + p}{4t}$</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ square •² add p •³ divide by $4t$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $L^2 = 4kt - p$ •² $4kt = L^2 + p$ •³ $k = \frac{L^2 + p}{4t}$ 	3
<p>Notes:</p> <p>1. Correct answer without working award 3/3.</p> <p>2. Final answer should be in simplest form</p> <p>(a) $\frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{L^2 + p}{t} \right)$ award 3/3</p> <p>(b) $\frac{\left(\frac{L^2 + p}{t} \right)}{4}$ award 2/3 ✓✓×</p> <p>3. For subsequent incorrect working, •³ is not available.</p>					
<p>Commonly Observed Responses:</p> <p>1. For the response below award 1/3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • add p $L + p = \sqrt{4kt}$ × • divide by 4t $\frac{L + p}{4t} = \sqrt{k}$ × • square $k = \left(\frac{L + p}{4t} \right)^2$ ✓ 					

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
13.			<p>Ans: $\frac{8x-7}{(x-2)(x+1)}$</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ correct denominator •² correct numerator •³ remove brackets and collect like terms in numerator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $(x-2)(x+1)$ •² $3(x+1)+5(x-2)$ •³ $\frac{8x-7}{(x-2)(x+1)}$ 	3
<p>Notes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Correct answer without working award 3/3. Accept $\frac{3(x+1)}{(x-2)(x+1)} + \frac{5(x-2)}{(x-2)(x+1)}$ for the award of •¹ and •². Do not accept $x-2(x+1)$ or $x+1(x-2)$ for the award of •¹ unless the correct expansion appears in the final answer. Where a candidate chooses to expand the brackets in the denominator, then •¹ is only available for a correct expansion. <p>eg (a) $\frac{3(x+1)}{(x-2)(x+1)} + \frac{5(x-2)}{(x-2)(x+1)} = \frac{8x-7}{x^2-x-2}$ award 3/3</p> <p>(b) $\frac{3(x+1)}{(x-2)(x+1)} + \frac{5(x-2)}{(x-2)(x+1)} = \frac{8x-7}{x^2-2}$ award 2/3 ✓✓×</p> <p>(c) $\frac{3(x+1)}{x^2-2} + \frac{5(x-2)}{x^2-2} = \frac{8x-7}{x^2-2}$ award 2/3 ×✓✓</p>					
<p>Commonly Observed Responses:</p> <p>1. $\frac{3x+1}{(x-2)(x+1)} + \frac{5x-2}{(x-2)(x+1)} = \frac{8x-1}{(x-2)(x+1)}$ award 1/3 ✓××</p>					

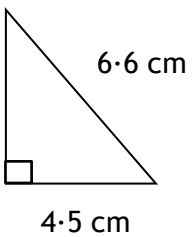
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14.			Ans: $x = 102.5, 282.5$ \bullet^1 rearrange equation \bullet^2 find one value of x \bullet^3 find another value of x	$\bullet^1 \tan x = -\frac{9}{2}$ $\bullet^2 x = 102.5$ $\bullet^3 x = 282.5$	3

Notes:

1. Correct answer without working award 2/3
2. For $x = 178.6, 358.6$ (uses RAD), award 3/3 (with working), 2/3 (without working)
3. For $x = 93.9, 273.9$ (uses GRAD), award 3/3 (with working), 2/3 (without working)
4. Do not penalise omission of degree signs throughout the question

Commonly Observed Responses:

1. If $\tan x^\circ < 0$ then award \bullet^2 and \bullet^3 for correct 2nd and 4th quadrant angles
eg $\tan x = -\frac{9}{2} \rightarrow$ (a) $x = 77.5, 102.5$ award 2/3 $\checkmark \times \checkmark$
(b) $x = 77.5, 282.5$ award 2/3 $\checkmark \times \checkmark$
(c) $x = 77.5, 257.5$ award 1/3 $\checkmark \times \times$
2. If $\tan x > 0$ then \bullet^2 is not available (working eased) but award \bullet^3 for correct 3rd quadrant angle
eg $\tan x^\circ = \frac{9}{2} \rightarrow$ (a) $x = 77.5, 257.5$ award 1/3 $\times \times \checkmark$
(b) $x = 77.5, 102.5$ award 0/3
(c) $x = 77.5, 282.5$ award 0/3
(d) $\tan x^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow x = 26.6, 206.6$ award 1/3 $\times \times \checkmark$
3. $\tan x^\circ = -\frac{9}{2} \rightarrow x = -77.5$
(a) $x = 257.5 [180 - (-77.5)], 437.5 [360 - (-77.5)]$ award 1/3 $\checkmark \times \times$
(incorrect application of CAST diagram and $437.5 > 360$)
(b) $x = 102.5 [-77.5 + 180], 282.5 [102.5 + 180]$ award 3/3
(correct application of periodicity of $\tan x^\circ$)

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
15.			<p>Ans: 11.4... (cm)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ marshal facts and recognise right-angled triangle •² correct Pythagoras statement •³ correct calculation of x •⁴ find height of label 	<div> <div>•¹</div>  </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² $x^2 = 6 \cdot 6^2 - 4 \cdot 5^2$ •³ 4.8... •⁴ 11.4... (cm) 	4
<p>Notes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> For correct answer without working award 0/4 •⁴ is for adding 6.6 to a previously calculated value In the absence of a diagram accept $x^2 = 6 \cdot 6^2 - 4 \cdot 5^2$ as evidence for the award of •¹ and •². Where a candidate assumes an angle of 45° in the right-angled triangle, only •¹ and •⁴ are available. 					
<p>Commonly Observed Responses:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> For $x^2 = 6 \cdot 6^2 + 4 \cdot 5^2 \rightarrow x = 7.988... \rightarrow \text{height} = 14.588...$ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> with correct diagram award 3/4 ✓x✓✓ without a diagram award 2/4 xx✓✓ 					

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
16.			<p>Ans: 6.8 cm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ identify $\cos A$ or angle A •² substitute into cosine rule ($\cos A$ or angle A must have been found using trigonometry) •³ calculate BC^2 •⁴ calculate BC correct to one decimal place 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\cos A = \frac{3}{4}$ or $A = 41.4$ •² $BC^2 = 6^2 + 10^2 - 2 \times 6 \times 10 \times \frac{3}{4}$ or $BC^2 = 6^2 + 10^2 - 2 \times 6 \times 10 \times \cos 41.4$ •³ $BC = 46$ •⁴ $BC = 6.8$ (cm) 	4

Notes:

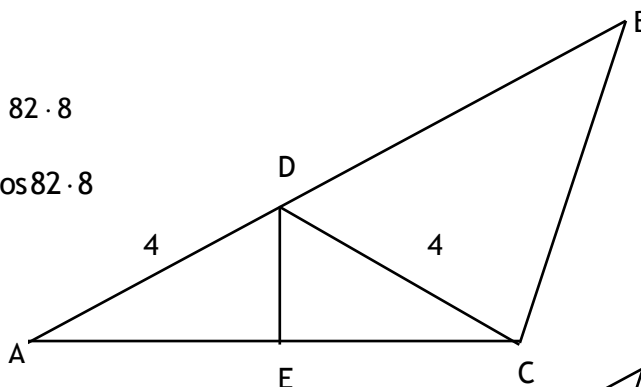
1. Correct answer without working award 0/4
2. Do not accept the substitution of a length or the value of $\sin A$ or $\tan A$ in place of angle A in the cosine rule.
3. •³ and •⁴ are only available for calculations within a valid strategy
4. Alternative valid strategies:

(a) •¹ $\angle ADE = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) = 48.6$
 $\Rightarrow \angle BDC = 180 - 2 \times 48.6 = 82.8$

•² $BC^2 = 6^2 + 4^2 - 2 \times 6 \times 4 \times \cos 82.8$

•³ $BC^2 = 45.984\dots$

•⁴ $BC = 6.8$ (cm)

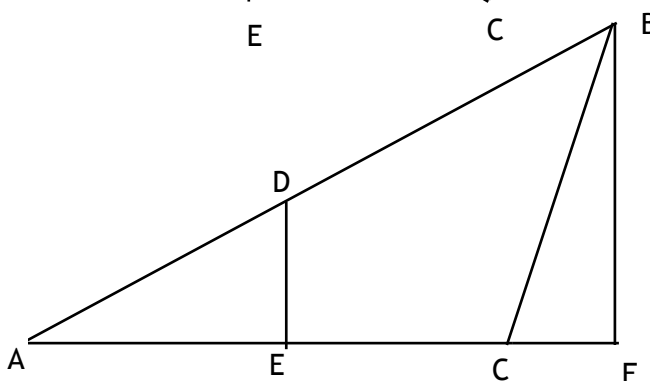


(b) •¹ $AF = \frac{10}{4} \times 3 = 7.5$

•² $BF^2 = 10^2 - 7.5^2 = 43.75$

•³ $BC^2 = 43.75 + 1.5^2 = 46$

•⁴ $BC = 6.8$ (cm)



5. If premature rounding leads to an answer other than 6.8 then •⁴ is not available.

Commonly Observed Responses:

1. $DE^2 = 4^2 - 3^2 = 7 \rightarrow DE = 2.6$ award 0/4

2. $BC^2 = 6^2 - 4^2 = 20 \rightarrow BC = 4.5$ award 0/4

[incorrectly assuming that angle BCD = 90° in note 4(a) diagram]

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]