## Education and Manpower Bureau <br> Territory-wide System Assessment 2007 <br> Secondary 3 Mathematics <br> Marking Scheme

| Question No. | Correct answer | Marks | Remarks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | B | 1 |  |
| 2. | C | 1 |  |
| 3. | A | 1 |  |
| 4. | A | 1 |  |
| 5. | A | 1 |  |
| 6. | B | 1 |  |
| 7. | D | 1 |  |
| 8. | C | 1 |  |
| 9. | A | 1 |  |
| 10. | C | 1 |  |
| 11. | D | 1 |  |
| 12. | B | 1 |  |
| 13. | B | 1 |  |
| 14. | C | 1 |  |
| 15. | B | 1 |  |
| 16. | C | 1 |  |
| 17. | B | 1 |  |
| 18. | C | 1 |  |
| 19. | B | 1 |  |
| 20. | C | 1 |  |
| 21. | (i) +3 <br> (ii) 0 <br> (iii) -2 | 1 | Mark given only when all answers are correct. |
| 22. | $1.2 \times 10^{5}$ | 1 |  |
| 23. | (i) Ratio <br> (ii) Rate | 1 | Mark given only when both answers are correct. |
| 24. | 100-18x | 1 |  |
| 25. | 541 | 1 |  |
| 26. | 1 | 1 | Acceptable answers: +1 |


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| 27. | $4 x y-3 y$ | 1 | Acceptable answers: $\begin{aligned} & -3 y+4 x y, \\ & y(4 x-3), \text { etc. } \end{aligned}$ |
| 28. | $x^{6}$ | 1 |  |
| 29. | $(3 x+1)^{2}$ | 1 |  |
| 30. | -2 | 1 |  |
| 31. | A, C | 1 | Mark given only when both answers are correct. |
| 32. |  | 1 |  |
| 33. | congruent, AAS | 1 | Mark given only when both answers are correct. |
| 34. | 40 | 1 |  |
| 35. | 120 | 1 |  |
| 36. | AH/HA | 1 |  |
| 37. | Triangle A, Triangle B | 1 | Mark given only when both answers are correct. |
| 38. | ( $\underline{3}, \underline{-4}$ ) | 1 |  |
| 39. | 12 | 1 |  |
| 40. | 34.8 | 1 |  |
| 41 | (i) Continuous <br> (ii) Discrete | 1 | Mark given only when both answers are correct. |
| 42. | 11.5 | 1 |  |
| 43. | 81 | 1 |  |
| 44. | $\frac{18}{25} \text { or } 0.72$ | 1 | Acceptable answer : 72\% |


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| 45. | Total amount $\begin{aligned} & \approx \$ 5 \times 2+\$ 20 \times 3+\$ 15 \times 2+\$ 10 \times 1 \\ & =\$ 110 \end{aligned}$ <br> OR <br> $\because \$ 19.7, \$ 14.8$ and $\$ 9.8$ are close to \$20, \$15 and \$10 respectively. <br> $\therefore$ Total amount $\approx \$ 110$ | 1 <br> 1* <br> 1 <br> 1* | Accept other reasonable methods of estimation 1 mark for the estimated value <br> Accept other reasonable methods of estimation <br> 1 mark for the estimated value |
| 46. | The amount received after 2 years $\begin{aligned} & =\$ 50000 \times(1+4 \%)^{2} \\ & =\$ 54080 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 1^{*} \\ 1^{* *} \end{gathered}$ | Accept any other correct working <br> 1 mark for answer <br> 1 mark for literal expression / unit / presentation |
| 47(a). | $r=\frac{S-a}{S} \quad$ or $\quad r=1-\frac{a}{S}$ | 1 |  |
| 47(b). | $\begin{aligned} r & =\frac{6-9}{6} \\ & =-\frac{1}{2} \text { or }-0.5 \\ & \text { OR } \\ 6 & =\frac{9}{1-r} \\ r & =1-\frac{9}{6} \\ & =-\frac{1}{2} \text { or }-0.5 \end{aligned}$ | 1 <br> 1* <br> 1 <br> 1* | 1 mark for substituting values into the formula obtained in (a) <br> 1 mark for answer <br> 1 mark for substituting values into the formula <br> 1 mark for answer |
| 48. | $\begin{array}{ll} \angle A B C=\angle A D E & \text { (given) } \\ \angle A C B=\angle A E D & \text { (given) } \\ \angle B A C=\angle D A E & \text { (common angle) } \\ \triangle A B C \sim \triangle A D E & \text { (AAA / equiangular) } \end{array}$ | 2 <br> 1 | 1 mark for correct proof <br> 1 mark for correct reasons <br> 1 mark for correct conclusion |


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| 49. | Distance $\begin{aligned} & =\sqrt{15^{2}+8^{2}} \mathrm{~km} \\ & =17 \mathrm{~km} \end{aligned}$ | $1$ $\begin{gathered} 1^{*} \\ 1^{* *} \end{gathered}$ | Accept any other correct working <br> 1 mark for answer <br> 1 mark for literal presentation / unit / presentation |
| 50. | $\begin{aligned} x+8 & =42 \\ x & =34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 1^{*} \end{gathered}$ | Accept any other correct working 1 mark for answer |
| 51. | (a) 5 <br> (b) The bars of different widths exaggerate the difference in annual sales of Company A and Company B. <br> OR <br> The areas of the bars are not proportional to the annual sales. | $1^{*}$ $1$ | 1 mark for answer <br> Accept any reasonable explanation |
| 52. | Mean time $\begin{aligned} & =\frac{9.78+9.79+9.83+9.84+9.86}{5} \mathrm{~s} \\ & =9.82 \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ \\ 1^{*} \\ 1^{* *} \end{gathered}$ | Award 1 mark for the formula $\bar{x}=\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}}{n}$ <br> 1 mark for answer 1 mark for literal expression / unit / presentation |

## Remarks:

*Answer mark: (1) Just the correct answer without showing mathematical expression: Award the answer mark.
(2) Mathematical expression is incorrect: Do not award the answer mark.
(3) Poor presentation in the mathematical expression or working but correct answer given: Award the answer mark.
**Presentation mark: (1) Mathematical expression is correct, but wrong answer given: Award the presentation mark.
(2) Mathematical expression is incorrect: Do not award the presentation mark.
(3) Presentation mark includes holistic assessment of mathematical expressions, units (missing unit or wrong unit), explanation, statement/conclusion and use of symbols, etc.

