

Cambridge International Examinations Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education

COMPUTER SCIENCE

0478/23 May/June 2016

Paper 2 MARK SCHEME Maximum Mark: 50

Published

This mark scheme is published as an aid to teachers and candidates, to indicate the requirements of the examination. It shows the basis on which Examiners were instructed to award marks. It does not indicate the details of the discussions that took place at an Examiners' meeting before marking began, which would have considered the acceptability of alternative answers.

Mark schemes should be read in conjunction with the question paper and the Principal Examiner Report for Teachers.

Cambridge will not enter into discussions about these mark schemes.

Cambridge is publishing the mark schemes for the May/June 2016 series for most Cambridge IGCSE[®], Cambridge International A and AS Level components and some Cambridge O Level components.

® IGCSE is the registered trademark of Cambridge International Examinations.

This syllabus is approved for use in England, Wales and Northern Ireland as a Cambridge International Level 1/Level 2 Certificate.

This document consists of 6 printed pages.

CAMBRIDGE International Examinations

Page 2		2	Mark Scheme		Paper		
			Cambridge IGCSE – May/June 2016	0478	23		
			Section A				
1	(a)	(i)) Many correct answers, names must be meaningful. This is an example only.				
			Length, real/integer, length of parcel				
			Breadth, real/integer, breadth of parcel				
			Height, real/integer, Height of parcel		[3]		
		(ii)	Several correct answers, they must be meaningful. These are	examples o	only.		
			Dimension, 80				
			TotalDimension 200		[0]		
			MaxWeight 10.00		[2]		
	(b)	Any	/ 5 from:				
	- - - -		neck total of dimensions, not more than 200 neck weight at least 1 neck weight not more than 10 utput parcel accepted (must be in appropriate position) utput parcel rejected (must be in appropriate position) utput all reasons for rejecting parcel (reason must follow test) x 5 marks		[5]		
		Sar	nple Answer.				
		INI	PUT Length, Breadth, Height, Weight				
			Length <= 80 AND Breadth <= 80 AND Height <= 80 AN) Weight <=10 AND Length + Breadth + Height <= 200	-	>= 1		
			PRINT 'Parcel accepted'				
		E	ELSE				
			PRINT 'Parcel rejected' IF Length > 80 OR Breadth > 80 OR Height > 80 THE	N			
			PRINT 'At least one dimension too large'				
			ENDIF IF Weight < 1 THEN				
			PRINT 'Parcel too light'				
			ENDIF				
			IF Weight > 10 THEN				
		ENI	IF Weight > 10 THEN PRINT 'Parcel too heavy' ENDIF				

Page 3	Mark Scheme		Paper
	Cambridge IGCSE – May/June 2016	0478	23

(c) 1 mark for the data set and 1 mark for the matching reason all, data sets and reasons must be different. There are many possible correct answers these are examples only.

Data set 30, 29, 28, 4 Reason – normal data; parcel should be accepted

Data set 80, 60, 60, 10 Reason – boundary data; parcel should be accepted

Data set – 85, 60, 60, 11 Reason – abnormal data; parcel should be rejected

- [6]
- (d) Maximum 4 marks in total, maximum 2 marks if only programming statements used.

Explanation (may include reference to programming statements)

- loop for number of parcels
- parcels 5 kg or less use standard price
- over 5 kg use weight to calculate price
- Correct calculation of price
- keep running total of consignment price

[4]

Page 4	Mark Scheme		Paper
	Cambridge IGCSE – May/June 2016	0478	23
	Section B		
2 (i	1 mark for each change		
	Change variable name in every instance as needs to be meaningfu Set this variable to a low value line 5: change comparison from < to >	ll e.g. Large	[3]
(i	3 marks maximum, 1 mark for each change correctly included.		
	<pre>1 Large = 0 2 Counter = 0 3 REPEAT 4 INPUT Num 5 IF Num > Large THEN Large = Num 6 Counter = Counter + 1 7 UNTIL Counter = 10 2 DDINT Large</pre>		
	8 PRINT Large		[3]
3 (i	Name type – string Gender type – char/string Status type – char/string Fee type – real Team member type – Boolean		[5]

[2]

Page 5	Mark Scheme		Paper
	Cambridge IGCSE – May/June 2016		23

4

Riders	Reject	Height	Output
0	0		
1		1.4	
2		1.3	
	1	1.1	
3		1.3	
	2	1.0	
4		1.5	
5		1.2	
6		1.3	
7		1.4	
8		1.3	
			Ready to go 2
(1 mark)	(1 mark)	(1 mark)	(1 mark)

[4]

5 - FOR (... TO ... NEXT)...

- ... a set number of iterations

-WHILE (... DO ... ENDWHILE) ...

-... used where the loop may never be executed/whilst a specified condition exists

[4]

[2]

6 (a) – all (fields) have (1 mark) duplicate entries (1 mark)

- none (of the fields) (1 mark) have unique entries(1 mark)

(b) – e.g. StaffNumber

 $-\ldots$. Uniquely identifies each member of staff//no duplicates//different for each member of staff

[2]

Page 6	Mark Scheme		Paper	
	Cambridge IGCSE – May/June 2016	0478	23	

(c)

Field:	Department	Name			
Table:	STAFFPHONE	STAFFPHONE			
Sort:	Ascending	Ascending			
Show:					
Criteri					
a:					
or:					
	(2 marks)	(2 marks) (1 ma	ark for correct or	ler and number of	fields shown)

[5]