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# GCSE DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

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Mark scheme

Additional sample

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Version 1.0

Mark schemes are prepared by the Lead Assessment Writer and considered, together with the relevant questions, by a panel of subject teachers. This mark scheme includes any amendments made at the standardisation events which all associates participate in and is the scheme which was used by them in this examination. The standardisation process ensures that the mark scheme covers the students' responses to questions and that every associate understands and applies it in the same correct way. As preparation for standardisation each associate analyses a number of students' scripts. Alternative answers not already covered by the mark scheme are discussed and legislated for. If, after the standardisation process, associates encounter unusual answers which have not been raised they are required to refer these to the Lead Assessment Writer.

It must be stressed that a mark scheme is a working document, in many cases further developed and expanded on the basis of students' reactions to a particular paper. Assumptions about future mark schemes on the basis of one year's document should be avoided; whilst the guiding principles of assessment remain constant, details will change, depending on the content of a particular examination paper.

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## Level of response marking instructions

Level of response mark schemes are broken down into levels, each of which has a descriptor. The descriptor for the level shows the average performance for the level. There are marks in each level.

Before you apply the mark scheme to a student's answer read through the answer and annotate it (as instructed) to show the qualities that are being looked for. You can then apply the mark scheme.

### Step 1 Determine a level

Start at the lowest level of the mark scheme and use it as a ladder to see whether the answer meets the descriptor for that level. The descriptor for the level indicates the different qualities that might be seen in the student's answer for that level. If it meets the lowest level then go to the next one and decide if it meets this level, and so on, until you have a match between the level descriptor and the answer. With practice and familiarity you will find that for better answers you will be able to quickly skip through the lower levels of the mark scheme.

When assigning a level you should look at the overall quality of the answer and not look to pick holes in small and specific parts of the answer where the student has not performed quite as well as the rest. If the answer covers different aspects of different levels of the mark scheme you should use a best fit approach for defining the level and then use the variability of the response to help decide the mark within the level, ie if the response is predominantly level 3 with a small amount of level 4 material it would be placed in level 3 but be awarded a mark near the top of the level because of the level 4 content.

### Step 2 Determine a mark

Once you have assigned a level you need to decide on the mark. The descriptors on how to allocate marks can help with this. The exemplar materials used during standardisation will help. There will be an answer in the standardising materials which will correspond with each level of the mark scheme. This answer will have been awarded a mark by the Lead Examiner. You can compare the student's answer with the example to determine if it is the same standard, better or worse than the example. You can then use this to allocate a mark for the answer based on the Lead Examiner's mark on the example.

You may well need to read back through the answer as you apply the mark scheme to clarify points and assure yourself that the level and the mark are appropriate.

Indicative content in the mark scheme is provided as a guide for examiners. It is not intended to be exhaustive and you must credit other valid points. Students do not have to cover all of the points mentioned in the indicative content to reach the highest level of the mark scheme.

An answer which contains nothing of relevance to the question must be awarded no marks.

## SECTION A

Qu	Part	Marking guidance	Total marks	AO
1		A Coal	1 mark	AO4
2		A A combination of two or more different materials	1 mark	AO4
3		B Two rotations	1 mark	AO4
4		A Denim	1 mark	AO4
5		A Bell crank linkage	1 mark	AO4
6		B Oak	1 mark	AO4
7		B Crowd funding	1 mark	AO4
8		C Medium density fibreboard is a man-made material used in the manufacture of flat pack furniture	1 mark	AO4
9		A A material that can withstand repeated impacts	1 mark	AO4
10		B Oscillating	1 mark	AO4
11		1 mark for each correct advantage given up to a maximum of 2 marks.  <b>Indicative content:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• no need to plug into a mains supply</li> <li>• not restricted by the length of a power cable</li> <li>• the product powered can be moved to many different locations</li> <li>• discussion of product size due to power source.</li> </ul> You should accept any other valid response.	2 marks	AO4

12	<p>1 mark for each correct reason stated up to a maximum of 2 marks.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• one programmable microcontroller can replace several discrete integrated circuits (chips)</li> <li>• reduced size of circuit boards</li> <li>• improved reliability</li> <li>• economies of scale – one programmable microcontroller can be bought in bulk and programmed differently for different applications</li> <li>• bulk buying of a standard component also can reduce component costs</li> <li>• allow for programming upgrades extending product life.</li> </ul> <p>You should accept any other valid response.</p>	2 marks	AO4
13	<p>1 mark for each valid point up to a maximum of 2 marks. A further 1 mark for a relevant example.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• built-in plan to minimise product life (1) by a manufacturer (2)</li> <li>• product designed to last only a certain time (1) because of rapid developments in technology (2)</li> <li>• so manufacturers can sell more product (1) and create a demand/ sustain a market demand (2).</li> </ul> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• disposable razors</li> <li>• printer cartridges</li> <li>• disposable cameras.</li> </ul> <p>1 mark max for an appropriate example.</p> <p>You should accept any other valid response.</p>	3 marks	AO4
14	<p>1 mark for each correct response up to a maximum of 3 marks.</p> <p>1 correct = 1 2 correct = 2 3 or 4 correct = 3</p> <p>Bevel gear = <b>Hand whisk (E)</b> Foil lined board = <b>Food container (A)</b> Glass reinforced polymer = <b>PCB (C)</b> Polyester = <b>Jumper (B)</b></p>	3 marks	AO4

SECTION B

Qu	Part	Marking guidance	Total marks	AO
15		<p>2 marks maximum for any two correct explanation points for each word. 1 mark for a simple explanation point.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <p>Reduce:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• use less materials (1) in the manufacture of a product (2)</li> <li>• produce less waste (1) like toxic by-products (2)</li> <li>• use less energy (1) by turning products off and not leaving on stand-by (2).</li> </ul> <p>Refuse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• to use more product packaging (1) than is necessary and avoid using extra materials (2)</li> <li>• to dispose of a product in the easiest way (1) like landfill as it is not good for the environment (2).</li> </ul> <p>Reuse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• use a product again for the same purpose (1) after it has done its job (2)</li> <li>• find a new use for a product (1) after it has finished the job it was designed for (2).</li> </ul> <p>Accept other correct responses <b>and</b> credit appropriate examples if used by students to explain their understanding.</p>	3×2 marks	AO4
16		<p>3 marks for a detailed descriptive point with an example. 2 marks for a detailed descriptive point or simple descriptive point with an example. 1 mark for a simple descriptive point.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• colour – ability to colour co-ordinate a product within an environment eg curtain fabric in a lounge</li> <li>• texture – upholstery fabric for use on a seat eg in a car to improve driving sensation</li> <li>• finish – a smooth finish pleasant to touch</li> <li>• shape/form – geometric or organic forms eg architecture.</li> </ul> <p>Accept other correct responses.</p>	3 marks	AO4

17	1	<p>1 mark for each correct surface treatment or finish named.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• printing</li> <li>• embossing</li> <li>• UV varnishing</li> <li>• painting</li> <li>• tanalising</li> <li>• varnishing</li> <li>• dip coating</li> <li>• powder coating</li> <li>• galvanizing</li> <li>• polishing</li> <li>• vinyl decals</li> <li>• dyes</li> <li>• stain protection</li> <li>• PCB lacquering</li> <li>• lubrication.</li> </ul> <p>Accept any other correct response.</p>	2 marks	AO4
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17	2	<p>1 mark for each simple point of explanation up to a maximum of 3 marks.</p> <p>NB allow 2 marks for a point of explanation clarified in more detail.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• improve function (1)</li> <li>• protect the material (1) by providing a barrier against moisture/UV/fungal/insect (2)</li> <li>• stop deterioration (1)</li> <li>• enhance their properties (1) by making them tougher/more resistant to wear (2)</li> <li>• make them easier to clean (1) and stop absorption of liquids that might stain (2)</li> <li>• improve aesthetics (1)</li> <li>• to make them look better/improve appearance (1).</li> </ul> <p>Accept other correct responses.</p>	3 marks	AO4
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<p>Die cutting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allows for multiple copies of card to be cut out in one go.</li> <li>• Highly suited to automation where high volumes of identical card products are required.</li> <li>• Maintains consistency and QC in all cards manufactured as the same die is used.</li> <li>• Different features like creases and perforations can be added to a die, and formed at the time of cutting.</li> </ul>		
<p>Turning</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Turning allows accurate bowl formation as wood rotates about a central axis. Hand carving a bowl is more likely to have variations and be a more time and labour intensive process.</li> <li>• Use of CAD and CAM using CNC machines has led to improved accuracy – removal of human error.</li> <li>• Fine details can consistently be applied to a turned bowl in a way that is virtually impossible with hand turning.</li> <li>• Reduction in lung and respiratory diseases for human operators (avoid fine dust particles) – CAM machining can take place in a sealed environment with efficient extraction.</li> <li>• Efficient use of available material minimising waste.</li> </ul>		
<p>Flow soldering</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Used to solder many through hole solder joints at once.</li> <li>• Improve the consistency of soldered joints.</li> <li>• Solder is heated to correct temperature to melt the solder without damaging the components.</li> <li>• Speed up the production of PCBs ie several joints are soldered at once rather than individually as with a soldering iron.</li> <li>• Significant reduction in manufacturing time, reduction in human errors and defective PCBs through soldering inconsistencies.</li> </ul>		
<p>Accept other correct responses.</p>			

19	<p>3 marks for a detailed description of how a material can be modified with an example provided.                  2 marks for a simple description and an example or a detailed description with no example.                  1 mark for a valid simple point made or named modification.</p> <p>NB where students respond with detail on surface finishes (not a material modification) allow up to 2 marks max depending on the quality of the response.</p> <p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <table border="1" data-bbox="280 638 1219 1877"> <thead> <tr> <th>Material</th> <th>How is the material category modified?</th> <th>Why does it undergo modification?</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Timbers</td> <td>Seasoning – kiln or naturally dried</td> <td>To reduce moisture content and ensure that the timber is less likely to warp, split or be subject to insect or fungal attack.</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="3">Metals</td> <td>Annealing</td> <td>Annealing – the ‘softening’ of metals by gentle heating to a predetermined temperature to make it more ductile and easier to fashion.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hardening</td> <td>Hardening – make the surface of the metal more resistant to wear eg case hardening in gears.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tempering</td> <td>Tempering – reduce the stresses set up in a metal to make them less brittle eg gardening equipment.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Papers and boards</td> <td>Addition of a waterproof barrier</td> <td>To prevent absorption of liquid and prevent moisture transfer eg waxed card.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Textiles</td> <td>Application/addition of flame-retardants</td> <td>Fabric surfaces treated to inhibit combustion and fire hazards. Reduce flammability eg fabric used in domestic furnishing ie sofas, curtains.</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="3">Polymers</td> <td>Addition of UV stabilisers</td> <td>To prevent discolouration of polymers left outside or in the sun eg UPVC window frames.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Addition of fillers</td> <td>Fillers to ‘bulk out’ polymers and reduce material costs.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Addition of plasticisers</td> <td>Plasticisers added to makes polymers easier to extrude/form.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Accept other correct responses.</p>	Material	How is the material category modified?	Why does it undergo modification?	Timbers	Seasoning – kiln or naturally dried	To reduce moisture content and ensure that the timber is less likely to warp, split or be subject to insect or fungal attack.	Metals	Annealing	Annealing – the ‘softening’ of metals by gentle heating to a predetermined temperature to make it more ductile and easier to fashion.	Hardening	Hardening – make the surface of the metal more resistant to wear eg case hardening in gears.	Tempering	Tempering – reduce the stresses set up in a metal to make them less brittle eg gardening equipment.	Papers and boards	Addition of a waterproof barrier	To prevent absorption of liquid and prevent moisture transfer eg waxed card.	Textiles	Application/addition of flame-retardants	Fabric surfaces treated to inhibit combustion and fire hazards. Reduce flammability eg fabric used in domestic furnishing ie sofas, curtains.	Polymers	Addition of UV stabilisers	To prevent discolouration of polymers left outside or in the sun eg UPVC window frames.	Addition of fillers	Fillers to ‘bulk out’ polymers and reduce material costs.	Addition of plasticisers	Plasticisers added to makes polymers easier to extrude/form.	3 marks	AO4
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<b>20</b>	<p>2 marks for calculating the most cost effective way of purchasing required zips using purchase options ie buy 1400 not 1500</p> <p>700 x 2 = 1400 zips</p> <p>1000 x 0.30 = £300 500 x 0.45 = £225 £225 + £300 = £525 (1 mark)</p> <p>1000 x 0.30 = £300 100 x 0.50 = £50 50 x 4 = £200 £300 + £200 = £500 (1 mark)</p>	2 marks	AO4
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	<p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <p>Expect responses to consider the following production aids:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• templates</li> <li>• jigs</li> <li>• patterns</li> <li>• formers</li> <li>• moulds</li> <li>• dies</li> <li>• stencils</li> <li>• fixtures.</li> </ul> <p>Quality:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• expect references to quality assurance (systems used) and quality control (steps taken during making)</li> <li>• reduce waste through faulty parts/items or batches.</li> </ul> <p>Accuracy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• production aids can be reused and provide consistency</li> <li>• provide accuracy where more than one part is required – within a tolerance.</li> </ul> <p>Speed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• no need to mark out every item/component if using a production aid, shape and form should be guaranteed each time saving on marking out</li> <li>• use of moulds and formers can reduce finishing requirements and replace the need for fabrication, as the item/component is a complete outcome.</li> </ul> <p>You should award marks for anything worthy of credit.</p>		
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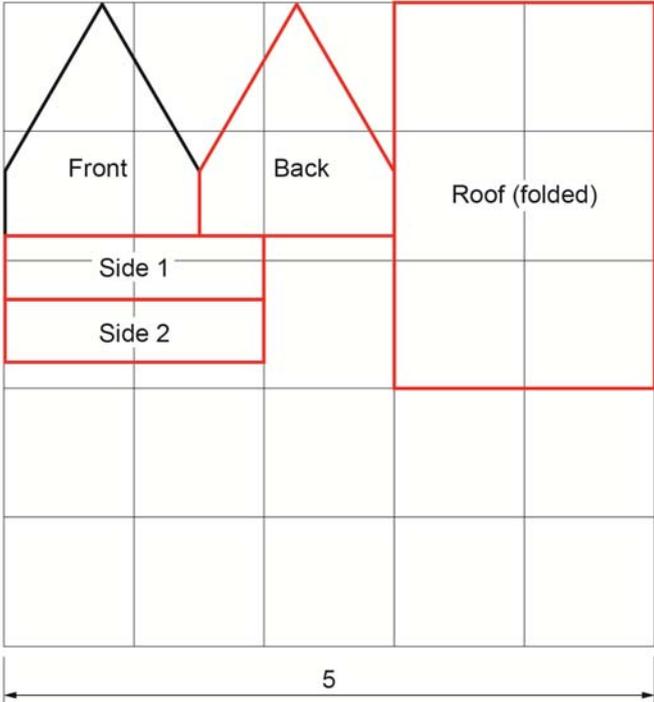
SECTION C

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22		5–6 marks	Excellent understanding of why designers research and compare products before designing. A detailed range of points made. Look for detailed reference to informing their own design ie what to incorporate and what to avoid.	6 marks	AO4
		3–4 marks	Good understanding of why designers research and compare products. Three or four points made. Link to value of informing own design is unclear/not made.		
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		<p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <p>Research (a specific product) because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• they want to see what is available on the market already</li> <li>• what a product looks like</li> <li>• what materials it is made from</li> <li>• how it is packaged</li> <li>• sustainability eg air miles, carbon footprint, percentage of recycled or reused materials.</li> </ul> <p>Compare (a range of products) because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• want to know product specifications eg guarantee, technical features</li> <li>• the price of similar products</li> <li>• ease of use</li> <li>• what target users think eg consumer group reports</li> <li>• customer service.</li> </ul> <p>Research and compare then link findings to designing their own products by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• identifying a niche market/target group</li> <li>• where market pull exists</li> <li>• a gap in the market</li> <li>• opportunities for new developments eg technology push</li> <li>• design a better product/more 'fit for purpose'</li> <li>• identify strengths and weaknesses in the competition.</li> </ul> <p>Accept any other correct response.</p>			

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23	4	<p>1 mark for correct number of parts drawn.</p> <p>1 mark for positioning of the pieces with least possible waste.</p> <p>1 mark for correct use of scale and proportions.</p> <p>1 mark for showing that 15 square metres/3 full metres of fabric will be required per tent.</p> <p>1 mark for indication of no waste when cutting ie touching parts of the product when cutting.</p> 	5 marks	AO4
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		1–2 marks	Basic description. One or two points made, with vague or no linking to the work of the chosen designer.		
		0 marks	Nothing worthy of credit/incorrect response.		
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25	1	5–6 marks	A fully coherent and logical description with clear points fully explained as to how the chosen modelling technique is used to develop products.	6 marks	AO4
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25	2	5–6 marks	A fully coherent and logical discussion with clear points fully explained as to how computer based tools might be used to develop products.	6 marks	AO4
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		<p><b>Indicative content:</b> Students are likely to focus on CAD and CAM.</p> <p><b>CAD:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internet – materials research and existing product research.</li> <li>• Social media – potential customer/client/end user opinion.</li> <li>• Shape /form – see what the final product might look like in the real world eg different surfaces finishes, views from different positions.</li> <li>• Non-destructive testing – avoid wasting unnecessary materials to find out how a material/part/product may perform when in use.</li> <li>• Share – ability to shape information worldwide instantly eg CAD file.</li> </ul> <p><b>CAM:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy – make a scaled or full size mock-up of a final part/component etc without wasting more expensive material.</li> <li>• Rapid prototyping – accurate and fast replication of a CAD design in a modelling material eg PLA.</li> <li>• CNC machinery eg 3 axis miller to realise a virtual realisation of a component/part/product.</li> <li>• Testing – check settings for CAM to ensure the settings are correct before final manufacture eg laser – power/speed/PPI in the ‘real’ material.</li> </ul> <p>You should accept any other valid responses.</p>			