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Question	Answer	Marks
1(a)	a Blu-ray disc	1
1(b)	ROM	1
1(c)	A magnetic tape	1
1(d)	RAM	1

Question	Answer			Marks	
2		application (√)	system (√)		2
	Linker		✓		
	Database management systems	✓			
	Photo-editing software	✓			
	Compiler		✓		
	4 correct answers - 2 marks 2 or 3 correct answers - 1 mark 0 or 1 correct answers - 0 marks			-	

Question	Answer			Marks
3		true (√)	false (√)	2
	CRT monitors use more power than TFT monitors	✓		
	A touch screen can be used as an input device or an output device	<b>√</b>		
	A dot matrix printer produces high quality graphics		✓	
	A motor is an input device		✓	
	4 correct answers - 2 marks 2 or 3 correct answers - 1 mark 0 or 1 correct answers - 0 marks			

Question	Answer			Marks
4		Tick (√)		3
	Compare with source document	✓		
	Carry out a range check on the data			
	Only accept alphabetic characters			
	Get a second person to read through the document	✓		
	Ensure the data is 100% accurate			
	Type in the data twice and compare versions	✓		
	Calculate a check digit			
	Check spelling			

Question	Answer	Marks
5	Any <b>three</b> from: Part time working Job-sharing Compressed hours Flexible hours/flexi-time	3

Question	Answer	Marks
6(a)	Any <b>two</b> from: Click on the image Move the pointer to the (right hand) corner of the image Click LH mouse button and drag to new size or Click on the image Click on size Type in the dimensions Select maintain aspect ratio	2
6(b)	Cropping tool/crop	1
6(c)	Any <b>two</b> from: Click on the image Select format picture Select compress image/change the resolution Select email and OK or click on image save as a different file type/jpg	2

Question	Answer	Marks
7(a)	Any <b>two</b> from: The whole system should have been tested The operator should have checked the meter reading against the previous one The bill should have been checked before it was sent Linkages between modules should have been tested	2
7(b)	Any three from: Less expensive as the old system is removed before new one starts with parallel there are two systems There is only one set of workers but with parallel there are two sets and therefore more expensive Benefits are immediate but the parallel old system is phased out when new system is working Don't need to maintain integrity of duplicate set of data, parallel running has two sets of data.	3

Question	Answer	Marks
8(a)	Any <b>three</b> from: Scrambling of data Converting data into an unreadable form Protects sensitive data Requires an encryption key/decryption key/key to encrypt data Requires a decryption key/encryption key/public or private keys to decrypt data	3
8(b)	Any <b>two</b> from: Allows people/organisations/computers to exchange secure information over the internet Uses a PKI (Public Key Infrastructure) Unique key used by the sender and receiver	2

Question	Answer	Marks
9(a)	Any <b>three</b> from: Magnetic stripe reader Chip reader Contactless reader/RFID reader/NFC reader Using a manual/physical imprint card reader	3

Question	Answer	Marks
9(b)	Any three from: Advantages Saves time rather than travelling to the shops/No waiting in queues therefore saves time shopping Saves cost of travelling to the shops Orders can be repeated at the touch of a button Schedule in advance/choose time for delivery Can shop worldwide Shop 24/7 Shop from anywhere there is an internet connection Overall wage bill decreases Smaller/fewer shops needed reduces costs More customers from around world  Any three from: Disadvantages Extra costs for delivery/tax With fruit and vegetables customer cannot choose the ripest/best goods Takes time to order Problems if items are forgotten/alternative goods delivered Need a computer/device and stable internet connection Need online payment method Takes time to deliver Need to be in when the goods arrive Loses loyalty Increased delivery drivers (therefore more expensive)  To gain full marks candidates need at least one advantage/disadvantage.	4
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Question	Answer	Marks
10(a)	An anchor is a link within the web page/It is the destination  1 mark  Any <b>two</b> from:  Example media file, image in a hyperlink  Used to move (quickly) to the top of the page  Used to link to another web page  Used to link to a media file  Used to link to a program  Used to link to an image	3
10(b)	<a id="Top"></a> <a id="Top"></a> <a href="#Top">top</a> Any <b>three</b> from:  1 mark for <a id="Top">  1 mark for <a "#top"="" for="" href="1" mark="">  1 mark for both </a></a>	3

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Question	Answer		Marks	
10(c)	A web browser views information on the internet/Views webpages/websites		1	
11(a)	Direct data entry device	Tick		3
	Bar code reader	✓		
	Magnetic Ink Character Reader			
	Magnetic stripe readers	✓		
	Keyboard			
	Mouse			
	RFID chip reader	✓		
11(b)	Six from: Converts the image of the thumbprint into a code Searches for the code in its databaseuntil a matching record is foundor error returned Reads the number of books from the borrowers record/on loan if less than 6 transaction continuesotherwise error message produced Searches the books table for the book code datauntil a matching book record is foundflag as book as being borrowedproduces error message if no match Updates the borrowers table Updates the books table		6	

Question		Answer		Marks
12(a)	ID_number Connectivity Price	Format check/length check Lookup check/length check Range check/limit check	1 mark 1 mark 1 mark	3
12(b)	All five correct fields three correct fields less than three fields  Any three from: Appropriate spacing in the text box Forward and backward arrows drop down/radio buttons for connectivity Individual boxes for price Fills the page and is clearly a screen input form submit button/new form/clear/help button		2 marks 1 mark 0 marks	5

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Question	Answer	Marks		
12(c)	Price<\$200.00 AND Connectivity=4G			
	Price 1 mark <\$200.00 1 mark AND 1 mark Connectivity 1 mark =4G 1 mark			
13				

Question	Answer	Marks
14	Five from:  Disadvantage The cost of producing new cards The cost of producing new readers The cost of re-writing the ATM software They are liable to fraud therefore compensate customersIncreasing costs Less money removed at transaction therefore potentially more small transactionsIncreased administrationIncreased hardware use	6
	Five from: Advantage The cards last longer as they are not in contact with the machine Attracts new customers Reducing the cost of replacement cards Reduction in fraud as less money taken out Cards not retained therefore less cost for replacements The transactions are faster  A mark can be awarded for a reasoned conclusion  If one side of the argument i.e. all advantages/disadvantages then 5 marks	
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Question	Answer			Marks	
15(a)		Control (√)	Measurement (only) (√)	Expert systems (√)	6
	Computerised glasshouse	✓			
	Burglar alarm	✓			
	Chess games			✓	
	Automatic washing machines	✓			
	Recording weather conditions		✓		
	Monitoring air pollution		✓		
15(b)	An analogue to digital convertor is used to convert analogue data to digital data  Data from the sensor is input in analogue form  Computers only understand digital data			2	
15(c)	Knowledge base Inference engine Rules base User interface				4

Question	Answer	Marks
16	OMR – Optical mark reader/recognition  Example – Lottery tickets/multiple choice answers/reads marks on papers  MICR – Magnetic ink character reader/recognition  Example – Cheques/reads the data from the bottom of bank cheques	4

Question	Answer	Marks
17	To be marked as a level of response:	8
	Level 3 7–8 marks Candidates will give <b>reasoned</b> advantages <b>and</b> disadvantages. The issues raised will be justified. There will be a reasoned conclusion. The information will be relevant, clear, organised and presented in a structured and coherent format.	
	Level 2 4–6 marks Candidates will give both advantages <b>and</b> disadvantages. The issues raised <b>may</b> be justified. There <b>may</b> be a conclusion. For the most part the information will be relevant and presented in a structured and coherent format.	
	Level 1 1—3 marks Candidates may only give <b>either</b> advantages <b>or</b> disadvantages. Candidate might not give reasons. Answers may be simplistic with little or no relevance	
	Level 0 0 marks Response with no valid content	
	The following are examples only	
	Examples for advantages of social networking Increase the number of friends worldwide Send and receive live images instantaneously Real time information sharing Common groups can be formed more easily i.e. friends or social grouping and these keep in contact easier to advertise	
	to a larger number of people easier to publicise events/activitiesmusic videos Speed of news increases Similar interests can contact each other	
	Examples for disadvantages of social networking Reduces face to face communication/relationships Problem with sarcasm increases as it appears as rudeness Cyber-bullying increases Grooming increases Harder to ignore people Risks of fraud increases Risks of identity theft increases Risks of burglary as holiday reporting increases	
	Time wasting increases Invasion of privacy increases Addiction to social networking Needs the internet Needs computer/device	

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