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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently, e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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Question	Answer	Marks
1	Starts with an ascending interval then moves in leaps	**1**
2	Recitative	**1**
3	The music of lines 4–5 is repeated in lines 6–7 (accept similar melodic shape / imitation) [1] at a lower / different pitch / by an alto / male soloist. [1]	**2**
4	Melisma (or accurate description of a melisma)	**1**
5(a)	Baroque	**1**
5(b)	Use of harpsichord / lute / (basso) continuo [1]. Ornamentation [1]. Sequences [1]. Suspensions [1]. Small / string orchestra [1].	**2**
6	Violin	**1**
7	G minor	**1**
8	Allegro (accept Allegro moderato / Allegretto)	**1**
9(a)	The melody is played by piano [1] and the violin plays a counter melody / accompaniment (accept any description) [1]. A cello has been added playing the bass line [1] The piano and violin swap roles [1]	**2**
9(b)	The octave jump is repeated a tone higher / played in sequence [1] and is used again in the following bar [1]. The descending quaver pattern is not played / is delayed until after the repeated octave jumps etc [1]. There is an extra descending quaver sequence [1]. Allow [1] for a less detailed description	**2**
10	Romantic	**1**
11	Bansuri	**1**
12(a)	A string instrument plays a (rapidly) descending scale [1] three times. There is a drone [1]. The bansuri mostly plays low / long / sustained / legato notes [1]. The melody is improvised [1]. The tempo is slow / rhythm is free [1].	**2**
12(b)	Tabla are now playing [1] complicated / virtuosic rhythmic patterns [1]. The bansuri is playing higher / more [1]. The music is faster / more energetic / more metred [1].	**2**
13	India	**1**
14	Instruments (strings and bandoneon) play a short phrase in unison / octaves followed by a piano cadenza / improvisation (accept any description). The piano plays in octaves and uses glissando. The other instruments interject during the cadenza. 2 – Some features accurately described 1 – A few features described (but less precisely)	**2**
15	Bandoneon	**1**

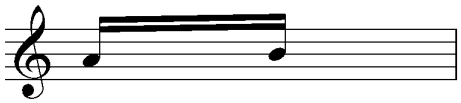
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<tr><th>Question</th><th>Answer</th><th>Marks</th></tr>
<tr><td>16</td><td>The music is in a minor key and the tempo is quite fast. The first melody is played in unison and accompanied by very short staccato chords and a pizzicato bass line. The strings play a legato melody at the end in longer notes, whilst the piano plays the original bandoneon melody.

2 – Some features accurately described
1 – A few features described (but less precisely)</td><td>2</td></tr>
<tr><td>17</td><td>Latin America / Argentina</td><td>1</td></tr>
<tr><td>18</td><td>Jah is the (Rastafarian) God</td><td>1</td></tr>
<tr><td>19</td><td>They initially sing occasional answering phrases / interjections [1] in harmony [1], then provide wordless [1] harmonies.</td><td>2</td></tr>
<tr><td>20</td><td>Instrumentation: trumpets / trombones (brass) / electric guitar / bass guitar (guitars) / drum kit (accept max 2)
Rhythm etc: 4 beats per bar [1], relaxed tempo [1], emphasis on beats 2 and 4 (off beats) by the guitar chords / ref. to empty strong beats / one drop [1].</td><td>4</td></tr>
<tr><td>21(a)</td><td>Jamaica</td><td>1</td></tr>
<tr><td>21(b)</td><td>It was spread by the recording industry [1] and played via sound systems [1] which were mobile speaker systems transported on trucks / around town [1].</td><td>2</td></tr>
<tr><td>22</td><td>E flat (major)</td><td>1</td></tr>
<tr><td>23(a)</td><td>Clarinet</td><td>1</td></tr>
<tr><td>23(b)</td><td>It is a canon / they repeat the music / imitate the melody [1] one bar later [1] and one <u>octave</u> lower [1]</td><td>2</td></tr>
<tr><td>24</td><td>Perfect [1] Fourth [1] (fourth must be correct to get the mark for perfect)</td><td>2</td></tr>
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<tr><td>Entirely or almost completely correct</td><td>3</td></tr>
<tr><td>A reasonable attempt but with too many errors for full marks</td><td>2</td></tr>
<tr><td>A few correct notes (in context) OR general shape reproduced</td><td>1</td></tr>
<tr><td>Little melodic accuracy</td><td>0</td></tr>
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<tr><td>26</td><td>The melody is played by the strings (accept violins) / the strings are added / played by many more instruments [1] in parallel harmonies [1]. There is no longer a canon / they play together [1]. There is a strong accent on the third beat [1].</td><td>2</td></tr>
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27(a)	Twentieth Century	**1**
27(b)	High clarinet part [1]. Ostinato accompaniment [1]. Piano in the orchestra [1]. Ref. to unusual harmonies (in the repeated melody) [1].	**3**
27(c)	Shostakovich	**1**
28	The piano now has the melody / is used / is playing / the violins had the melody before [1] and the (piano also plays) triplet quavers [1]. The 1st violins / all strings have the pizzicato accompaniment [1]. The leaps are larger (bars 8 and 10) [1] The dynamic stays *piano* / there is no *sfp* [1] There is no use of F minor [1] The theme is extended [1] to end on a tonic perfect cadence [1]	**4**
29	Solo exposition	**1**
30(a)	D minor	**1**
30(b)	Relative (minor)	**1**
31	Burgtheater	**1**
32	The violins play the melody [1] The wind/brass/timpani join for the cadences / end of phrases / play every two bars [1]	**2**
33	Ascending sequence	**1**
34(a)	Imperfect	**1**
34(b)	An Eingang / lead-in [1] A short improvisation [1] Trills / scalic passagework / a repeated melodic shape / descending sequence [1]	**2**
35	 One mark per note	**2**
36(a)	Dominant pedal	**1**
36(b)	Dying away	**1**
37	Woodwind play rising octave As.	**1**

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38	 One mark per note	**2**
39	It is the introduction and linking/opening section [1] before the main sonata form section begins [1] OR it is the end of Calm Sea [1] and the start of Prosperous Voyage [1]	**2**
40	1832	**1**
41(a)	In the transition	**1**
41(b)	It is played by woodwind only / violins do not play the melody [1] and it is quiet / piano / it used to be loud [1]	**2**
42	Fanfares / rising fourths [1] from the end of the exposition [1].	**1**
43(a)	A minor	**1**
43(b)	Dominant minor	**1**
44	Second subject / theme	**1**
45	Development	**1**

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