

2012 HSC Design and Technology Marking Guidelines

Section I

Multiple-choice Answer Key

Question	Answer
1	В
2	D
3	С
4	В
5	А
6	D
7	С
8	А
9	С
10	С



Section II

Question 11

Criteria	Marks
• Sketches in general terms ergonomic factors that may be considered by a designer when developing a new product	2
Identifies an ergonomic feature	1

Question 12

Criteria	Marks
• Provides characteristics and features of the changing nature of communication technologies and the effects this has had on teamwork and collaborative design processes	3
• Sketches in general terms how teamwork and/or collaborative design processes have been affected due to the changing nature of communication technologies	
Identifies a feature of teamwork OR collaborative design processes	1

Question 13

Criteria	Marks
• Makes the relationship evident between aesthetic factors and consumer purchasing decisions, through cause and effect statements	4
• Provides characteristics and features of the relationship between aesthetic factors and consumer purchasing decisions, using examples	2–3
• Identifies	
– Aesthetic factor	1
 Consumer purchasing decisions 	

Question 14

Criteria	Marks
• Provides the characteristics and features of how designers utilise new technologies in BOTH evaluating and marketing processes and products	6
• Provides characteristics and features of how designers utilise new technologies in evaluating and/or marketing processes and products	4–5
• Sketches in general terms how designers utilise new technologies with a reference to evaluating and/or marketing processes and products	2–3
Identifies a way designers utilise technology	1



Section III

Question 15 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Makes the relationship evident between technological changes and the possible integration of emerging technologies. Cites specific examples of cause and effect.	6
• Discusses or provides advantages and disadvantages of possible technological changes with direct reference to the integration of emerging technologies	4–5
• Provides characteristics and features of a possible technological change with reference to the integration of an emerging technology	2–3
Identifies an emerging technology or a possible technical change	1

Question 15 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Draws out and relates implications of both social and economic impacts in relation to these new products or systems	9
• Provides reasons why and/or how these new products or systems impact upon society and the economy	7–8
• Identifies issues and provides evidence of the social and economic impact of these new products or systems	5–6
 Provides characteristics and features of social and/or economic impacts of these new products or systems 	
 Sketches in general terms a social or economic impact of these new products or systems 	
 Identifies a social and/or economic impact of these new products or systems 	1

Design and Technology 2012 HSC Examination Mapping Grid

Section I

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
1	1	Entrepreneurial Activities	3.1
2	1	Communication and Presentation Methods	1.2, 5.2
3	1	Communication of Design Ideas	5.2
4	1	Design needs	4.1
5	1	Project Management	5.1
6	1	Cultural differences	2.1
7	1	Marketing	3.1
8	1	Obsolescence	1.1
9	1	Evaluation	4.3
10	1	Impact on society and Environment	6.2, 5.2, 4.2

Section II

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
11	2	Ergonomics	1.1
12	3	Changing nature of Work and Communication	6.1, 5.2, 1.2
13	4	Design factors and Work of Designers	1.1, 4.3
14	6	Evaluation and Marketing	3.1, 6.2

Section III

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
15 (a)	6	Emerging technologies	6.2, 2.1, 2.2
15 (b)	9	Emerging technologies	6.2, 2.1, 2.2