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M	mark is for method
m or dM	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method
A	mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy
B	mark is independent of M or m marks and is for method and accuracy
E	mark is for explanation
✓ or ft or F	follow through from previous incorrect result
CAO	correct answer only
CSO	correct solution only
AWFW	anything which falls within
AWRT	anything which rounds to
ACF	any correct form
AG	answer given
SC	special case
OE	or equivalent
A2,1	2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks
-x EE	deduct x marks for each error
NMS	no method shown
PI	possibly implied
SCA	substantially correct approach
c	candidate
sf	significant figure(s)
dp	decimal place(s)

No Method Shown

Where the question specifically requires a particular method to be used, we must usually see evidence of use of this method for any marks to be awarded.

Where the answer can be reasonably obtained without showing working and it is very unlikely that the correct answer can be obtained by using an incorrect method, we must award **full marks**. However, the obvious penalty to candidates showing no working is that incorrect answers, however close, earn **no marks**.

Where a question asks the candidate to state or write down a result, no method need be shown for full marks.

Where the permitted calculator has functions which reasonably allow the solution of the question directly, the correct answer without working earns **full marks**, unless it is given to less than the degree of accuracy accepted in the mark scheme, when it gains **no marks**.

Otherwise we require evidence of a correct method for any marks to be awarded.

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Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
1(a)	$x = 4$ $y = 12$ $z = 13$	B1 B1 B1	3	
(b)	$BDHJ$ and $CEIJ$	M1 A1	2	first correct path 2nd correct and no others
(c)	G Float = 3	B1 B1	2	
(d)	One of their CPs correct height B, D, H, J and C, E, I correct	M1 A1		and correct durations and correct durations
	A starting at 0 and ending at 3 F starting at 6 and ending at 11 G starting at 13 and ending at 14	M1 A1 A1	5	one correct with correct height two correct with correct height all correct with correct height withhold first A1 earned if it is not clear which activities take place at any given time withhold another A1 if “holes” appear in histogram
(e)	New earliest J 22 days Minimum extra time 5 days	B1 B1	2	assuming activities continuous assuming activities continuous
Total			14	

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2(a)	Hungarian algorithm used to find minimum total Each new entry gives measure of points not scored ⇒ Hungarian algorithm now finds maximum total score	E1 E1	2	First E1– fairly generous for idea of “minimising” or “points not scored”. Second E1 is strict.																																																																											
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(d)(i)	B1 and D3 <table style="margin-left: 40px; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">A4</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">B1</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">C2</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">D3</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">E5</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">A5</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">B1</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">C4</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">D3</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">E2</td></tr> </table>	A4	B1	C2	D3	E5	A5	B1	C4	D3	E2	M1 A1 A1	3	or one full matching with rings etc one correct matching second correct and no others																																																																	
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(ii)	Total = 153	B1	1																																																																												
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3(a)	For each pair of strategies Roz gain + Colum gain = 0	E2,1	2	E1 for general idea of Roz gain + Colum gain = 0												
(b)	Colum's max are -2, 3, -1 min (colum max) = -2 ⇒ play safe is C ₁	E1 B1	2	must see these values for E1												
(c)(i)	Delete R ₂ (PI by further work) Since R ₃ dominates R ₂	M1 A1	2	<table style="display: inline-table; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">C₁</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">C₂</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">C₃</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">-2</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">-6</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">-1</td> <td>R₁</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">-3</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">3</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">-4</td> <td>R₃</td> </tr> </table>	C ₁	C ₂	C ₃		-2	-6	-1	R ₁	-3	3	-4	R ₃
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-3	3	-4	R ₃													
(ii)	Let Roz play R ₁ with prob p C ₁ expected gain: $-2p - 3(1-p) = p - 3$ C ₂ : $-6p + 3(1-p) = 3 - 9p$ C ₃ : $-p - 4(1-p) = 3p - 4$	M1 A1		2 expressions unsimplified ft their matrix all correct												
		M1 A1		plotting 3 expected gains for $0 \leq p \leq 1$ correct gains plotted accurately												
	Solving $p - 3 = 3 - 9p$ ⇒ $10p = 6$ $p = \frac{3}{5}$ ⇒ Roz plays R ₁ with probability $\frac{3}{5}$ and R ₃ with probability $\frac{2}{5}$	m1 A1		choosing highest point of 'their' region or correct pair solved												
	Total		7	must see R ₁ and R ₃												
			13													

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4(a)(i)	x -column pivot = 6 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{2}{2} = 1, \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \left(\text{and } \frac{1}{2} < 1 \right) \\ \text{smallest positive quotient} \end{array} \right\}$	B1 B1 E1	3	need to see correct quotients considered negative value must be mentioned as being considered but rejected																																								
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(b)(i)	No negatives in top row	E1	1	but must have no negative values in “their” top row																																								
(ii)	One (inequality still has slack)	B1	1																																									
(c)(i)	$P = 7$ $x = \frac{1}{2}, y = 0, z = 1$	B1 ✓ B1 cao	2	FT their tableau condone one slip in final tableau																																								
(ii)	Substituting “their” values from (c) (i) $\frac{1}{2}k + 0 + 3 = 7$ $\Rightarrow k = 8$	M1 A1	2																																									
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5(a)	Stage	State	From	Calculation		B1		stage 1 correct
	1	G	T		15			
		H	T		17			
		I	T		26			
	2	D	G	$6 + 15$	21 ←	M1		7 values at stage 2 attempted with 5 unsimplified calculations correct
			H	$3 + 17$	20			
		E	G	$-3 + 15$	12			
			H	$-6 + 17$	11			
			I	$-13 + 26$	13 ←			
		F	H	$-7 + 17$	10	A1		stage 2 correct
			I	$-14 + 26$	12 ←			
	3	A	D	$-4 + 21$	17	M1		use of two of “their” maxima from Stage 2 to Stage 3
			E	$6 + 13$	19 ←			
		B	D	$12 + 21$	33 ←			
			E	$16 + 13$	29			
			F	$18 + 12$	30			
		C	E	$14 + 13$	27 ←			
			F	$13 + 12$	25	A1		stage 3 correct
	4	S	A	$12 + 19$	31*	A1cso	6	stage 4 & all other values correct
		B	$-2 + 33$	31*				
		C	$3 + 27$	30				
(b)	Maximum profit = 31					B1 [✓]		£31 million
	<i>SAEIT</i> and <i>SBDGT</i>					B1		one correct path
						B1	3	second correct path and no other
Total							9	

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6(a)	$10 + 13 - 1 + 17$ $= 39$	M1 A1	2	3 values added and -1 (condone one slip)																																																						
(b)(i)	$DE \quad 12$ $FG \quad 7$	B1 B1	2	on Figure 2																																																						
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	<p>Network</p>	M1 A1 B1	4 1	1 path correctly augmented forward and backward but must have earned M1 in part (b)(ii) network correct																																																						
(c)(i)	Max flow = 37																																																									

DEG triangle may have different flows with implications to triangle GET.

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<p>6(c) cont. (ii)</p>	<p>Max flow</p>	<p>B2</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>correct flow of 37 condone 2 slips or omissions in flow of 37 or “correct” feasible flow of 36 for SC1</p>
<p>(d)</p>	<p>Cut through <i>AB, AD, CD, FD</i> and <i>FG</i></p>	<p>B1</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>{ <i>S, A, C, F</i> } { <i>B, D, E, G, T</i> }</p>
Total			14	
TOTAL			75	