LC 2015 (SET B): PAPER 2

QUESTION 6 (25 MARKS) Question 6 (a)

(i) STRONG POSITIVE CORRELATION:

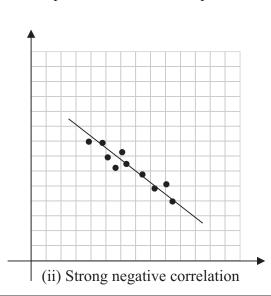
The 10 points cluster closely to a straight line that has a positive slope.

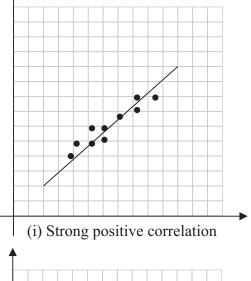
(ii) STRONG NEGATIVE CORRELATION:

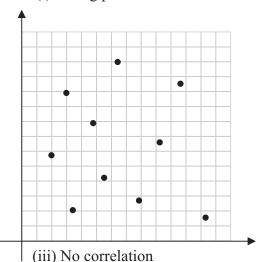
The 10 points cluster closely to a straight line that has a negative slope.

(iii) No correlation:

The 10 points form no overall pattern







MARKING SCHEME NOTES

Question 6 (a) (i) (ii) (iii) [Scale 20D (0, 5, 10, 15, 20)]

- 5: Plots some points to illustrate a scatter graph but shows no understanding of correlation in any of the cases.
 - Plots one correlation with less than ten points
- 10: Plots one correct type of correlation.
 - Plots two types of correlation only with less than ten points
- 15: Plots two correct types of correlation
 - Plots three types of correlation some with less than ten points

Question 6 (b)

Proportion p of people who support the 'No' campaign: p = 0.54 = 54%Number of people in the sample n = 1000

(i)
$$n = 1000$$

Margin of error =
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1000}} = 0.0316 = 3.2\%$$

(ii)
$$p = 54\%$$

Confidence interval =
$$[54\% - 3 \cdot 2\%, 54\% + 3 \cdot 2\%]$$

= $[50 \cdot 8\%, 57 \cdot 2\%]$

FORMULA: Statistics

Margin of error =
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Confidence interval =
$$\left[p - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}, p + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \right]$$

MARKING SCHEME NOTES Question 6 (b) (i) (ii) [Scale 5C (0, 3, 4, 5)]

- 3: Writes one/both formulae and stops e.g. $[\hat{p} E \le p \le \hat{p} + E, \ \hat{p} \pm \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}]$
 - Works with $\sqrt{1000}$
- 4: One correct solution.
 - Substantive work in both parts