

basic education

Department: Basic Education **REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**



GRADE 12



MARKS: 125

This memorandum consists of 22 pages.

Please turn over

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

- 1. This question paper consists of TWO sections, namely SECTION A and SECTION B.
- 2. Answer SECTION A, in pencil only, in the spaces provided on this question paper.
- 3. Answer SECTION B, in blue or black ink only, in the ANSWER BOOK provided.
- 4. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
- 5. The last page of this question paper is manuscript paper intended for rough work. You may remove it.
- 6. You may not have access to any musical instrument for the duration of the examination.
- 7. Write neatly and legibly.

MARKING GRID

QUESTION	TOTAL MARKS	MARKER	MODERATOR
SECTION A			
1	18		
2	17		
3.1 or 3.2	10		
4 or 5	15		
SUBTOTAL	60		
SECTION B			
6	8		
7	12		
8	5		
9	5		
10	7		
11	8		
12	8		
13	7		
14	5		
SUBTOTAL	65		
GRAND TOTAL	125		

SECTION A: THEORY OF MUSIC

Answer QUESTIONS 1, 2, 3 (3.1 OR 3.2) and EITHER QUESTION 4 OR QUESTION 5.

QUESTION 1 (Suggested time allocation: 20 minutes)

Study the extract from *Caro Mio Ben* by F Giordani and answer the questions that follow.



Question / Vraag 1.4

(2)

1.1 This song is in D major. Does the piece contain a modulation to the relative minor? Motivate your answer.

Answer: No.

Motivation: No dominant – tonic chord progression in B minor / No leading note $(A^{\#})$ in the key of B minor.

Answer = 1 mark Motivation = 1 mark

1.2 Explain the function of the $G^{\#}$ in bar 3.

Answer:

Leading note of A major Alternative answer: Secondary dominant (V^7c / V) (1) 1 mark

1.3 Figure the chord progression and name the cadence in bars 1^3-2^2 .

Answer:

		$V^7 \sqrt{100}$			Interrupted cadence $\sqrt{~{f or}}$ Interrupted cadence $\sqrt{~{f or}}$	(2)
		A ⁷ √			Interrupted cadence $$	
1/2	mark fo	r each ticl	k (√) = 2 m	arks	

1.4 Figure the chord progression and name the cadence in bars 9^3-10^2 .

Answer:

D:	Ic 6/4 $\sqrt{-}$ V ⁷ $\sqrt{-}$ I $\sqrt{-}$	Perfect cadence $\sqrt{\mathbf{or}}$	
D:	$D/A \sqrt{-} A^7 \sqrt{-} D \sqrt{,}$	Perfect cadence $$	(2)
1/2	mark for each tick ($$) = 2 m	arks	

1.5 Figure the chords marked (a)–(f). Give the chord and position in each case, for example Ib, I^6 or A/C[#].

Answer:

(a) D: lb (l ⁶)	or	D: D/F [#]		
(b) D: ii	or	D: Em		
(c) D: lc (l6/4)	or	D: D/A		
(d) D: vii ^o b (vii ^{o6})	or	D: C ^{# dim} /E		
(e) D: IV	or	D: G		
(f) D: V ⁷ d (V4/2)	or	D: A ⁷ /G		
½ mark per chord = 3 marks				
$\frac{1}{2}$ mark for position = 3 marks				

1.6 Identify the non-chordal notes (x), (y) and (z).

Answer:

(x) (Upper) auxiliary note, (y) Anticipation, (z) Passing note 1 mark each

(3)

(6)

1.7 Circle ONE example of melisma in the vocal part.

Answer:		
Bar 3 ² (on ' <i>lan</i> ')	or	
Bar 4 ^{1–2} (on ' <i>cor</i> ')	or	
Bar 7 ¹ (on ' <i>te</i> ')	or	
Bar 7 ² (on ' <i>lang</i> ')	or	
Bar 7 ^{3–4} (on ' <i>guisce</i> ')		(
Any one of the melisma	s for 1 mark	

1.8 Identify the musical device (compositional technique) used in the vocal part of bars 0^3-2^2 .

Answer: Sequence

(1) **[18]**

QUESTION 2 (Suggested time allocation: 15 minutes)

Answer the following questions on the theory of music.

2.1 Transcribe the melody below in the tenor clef at the same pitch.



Answer:



2.2 Transpose the melody below for B^b trumpet (a major 2nd higher). Insert the new key signature.



Answer:



1 mark for key signature = 1 mark 1 mark per bar = 2 marks Minus ½ mark for each error

(3)

2.3 Rewrite the melody below in a compound time signature so that it sounds the same. Insert the new time signature.





2.4 Write a pentatonic scale on the given note using semibreves (whole notes).



2.5 Identify the following intervals.



Copyright reserved

(2)

(2)

2.6 Write the following triads on the given notes as instructed. Use semibreves.



Major triad in second inversion

Minor triad in first inversion

Answer:



- Major triad in second inversionMinor triad in first inversion(2)1 mark each = 2 marksBoth notes must be correct for 1 mark
- 2.7 Insert the correct time signatures for the following extracts.

Answer:





Answer EITHER QUESTION 3.1 OR QUESTION 3.2.

QUESTION 3 (Suggested time allocation: 25 minutes)

3.1 Use the given opening motif below to complete a twelve-bar melody in ABA form. Add dynamic and articulation marks.

Guideline for the Marker:



The melody will be marked according to the following guidelines:

DESCRIPTION	MARK ALLOCATION
Form and cadential points	3
Musicality: melodic shape and climax	4
Dynamics and articulation	1
Correct notation: note stems, beats per bar, accidentals, spacing	2
TOTAL	10

[10]

Markers are free to use ½ marks

OR

3.2 Use the opening motif below to complete a twelve-bar melody in ABA form. Add dynamic and articulation marks.

Guideline for the Marker:



The melody will be marked according to the following guidelines:

DESCRIPTION	MARK ALLOCATION
Form and cadential points	3
Musicality: melodic shape and climax	4
Dynamics and articulation	1
Correct notation: note stems, beats per bar, accidentals, spacing	2
TOTAL	10

[10]

Markers are free to use ½ marks

Answer EITHER QUESTION 4 OR QUESTION 5.

QUESTION 4 (Suggested time allocation: 30 minutes)

Complete the four-part vocal harmonisation below by adding the alto, tenor and bass parts. You will be credited for the creative use of non-chordal notes.

Possible answer 1:



Possible answer 2:



The harmonisation will be marked according to the following guidelines:

DESCRIPTION	MARK ALLOCATION
Correctness: doubling, spacing, voice-	14
leading, parallel movement, et cetera	
Choice of chords: progression, cadences	12
General impression: creativity, non-chordal	4
notes	
TOTAL	30 ÷ 2 = 15

[15]

Markers are free to use 1/2 marks

Correctness:	Assess the 14 chords vertically for 1 mark each = 14 marks minus $\frac{1}{2}$ for each error, however, not more than minus 1 per chord	
Choice of chords:	Assess the 12 progressions for 1 mark each = 12 marks minus ½ for each error, however, not more than minus 1 per progression	
General impression:	$\begin{array}{llllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllll$	

QUESTION 5 (Suggested time allocation: 30 minutes)

Complete the piano piece, *Waltz Goodbye,* in the style of the given material by adding suitable chords in the empty bars.

Possible answer:



The piece will be marked according to the following guidelines:

DESCRIPTION	MARK ALLOCATION
Choice of appropriate chords, accidentals	16
Correctness: rhythm, note stems, chord voicing	8
General impression: creativity, articulation	6
TOTAL	30 ÷ 2 = 15

[15]

Markers are free to use $\frac{1}{2}$ *marks*

Choice of chords:	2 marks per bar = 16 marks minus $\frac{1}{2}$ for each error, to a maximum of 2 per bar
Correctness: General impression:	per bar Minus $\frac{1}{2}$ for each error to a maximum of 1 mark per bar 6 = 100% $5\frac{1}{2} = 92\%$ 5 = 83% $4\frac{1}{2} = 75\%$ 4 = 67% $3\frac{1}{2} = 58\%$ 3 = 50% $2\frac{1}{2} = 42\%$ 2 = 33% $1\frac{1}{2} = 25\%$ 1 = 17% $\frac{1}{2} = 8\%$

SECTION B: GENERAL MUSICAL KNOWLEDGE 90 MINUTES

Answer the questions in this section in the ANSWER BOOK.

ONE mark will be allocated for each fact. Candidates must be credited for any other correct answers not found in the memorandum.

QUESTION 6

Candidates will be credited if meaning is clear, even if full sentences are not used. 6.1 False. Brahms borrowed the theme of this movement from Bach's Cantata No. 150. (1) False = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark Cantata = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark 6.2 False. The work is in **Theme and Variation** form. False = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark (1) Theme and Variation = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark 6.3 True (1)6.4 True (1)6.5 True (1)6.6 False. The eight-bar theme is first introduced by brass and woodwind instruments. (1)False =1/2 mark Brass (instruments) = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark 6.7 True (1) 6.8 False. At the end of the Coda-section the orchestra plays *fortissimo*. (1)False = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark Fortissimo = $\frac{1}{2}$ mark [8]

Kamien, R. *Music: An Appreciation*, 8th edition, 2004. McGraw-Hill, p 351 - 355 OBE/UGO PLUS: *Music Learner's Book*, p 85 - 88

QUESTION 7

	Ragtime	Blues
Melody	 Highly syncopated Played by the right hand Melodic sections similar in character Lots of semiquaver passages <i>Any 2</i> 	 Lyrics sung in three-line stanzas Singers repeat the same basic melody to the same series of chords for each stanza Melodies contain: many blue notes bent notes vocal scoops slides Any 2
Rhythm and Metre	 Duple meter (2/4) Syncopated rhythm in the right hand Steady march-like beat in the left hand <i>Any 2</i> 	 Quadruple metre (4/4) Strong rhythmic patterns with a heavy beat Notes accented before or after the beat Three four-bar phrases <i>Any 2</i>
Form	 AA BB A CC DD OR Intro AA BB CC DD EE Different sections of 8 or 16 bars each Any 2 	 12 bar blues Three sections of four bars each Call-and-response patterns Any 2

Kamien, R. *Music: An Appreciation*, 8th edition, 2004. McGraw-Hill, p 520 - 526 OBE/UGO PLUS: *Music Learner's Book*, p 215 - 217 Hurry, P. and Phillips M: *Heinemann Advanced Music*. Heinemann, p143 - 150

[12]

QUESTION 8

Chopin: Polonaise in A ^b major, Op. 53 8.4 8.6 8.7 8.13 8.15 8.19 8.23 Any 5	[5]
Schubert: Der Erlkönig 8.1 8.4 8.7 8.14 8.21 8.22	
8.24 8.25 <i>Any 5</i> Puccini: <i>La Bohème</i>	[5]
8.2 8.5 8.8 8.18 8.21 8.22 Any 5	[5]
Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto in E minor, first movement 8.4 8.11 8.16 8.17 8.20	
Smetana: <i>The Moldau</i> 8.3 8.7 8.9 8.10 8.12	[5]
Kamien, R. <i>Music: An Appreciation</i> , 8 th edition, 2004. McGraw-Hill, p 286 - 289, 305 - 306, 312 - 316, 368 - 377, 339 - 341 OBE/UGO PLUS: <i>Music Learner's Book</i> , p 60 – 103	[5]

9.1

QUESTION 9

- (a) *Voiles,* from Preludes Book 1 C Debussy, **or**
 - (b) The Rite of Spring I Stravinsky, or
 - (c) Maria from West Side Story Lerner & Loewe Name of work = ½ mark Composer = ½ mark

9.2 (a) **Character piece:**

- An instrumental piece, often for piano
- Usually evokes a particular mood or scene
- Often has a descriptive title and / or is programmatic Any 2

OR

(b) Ballet:

- Dramatic stage work
- Relates a story through the mediums of dance, costumes and decor
- Musical accompaniment provided by an orchestra or ensemble Any 2

OR

(c) **Song (from Musical Theatre)**:

- Solo vocal piece
- With or without accompaniment
- Lyrics / text portray feelings or atmosphere Any 2

9.3 Voiles, from Preludes Book 1 – C Debussy

- A short piano piece
- Descriptive title (Sails)
- Evokes a peaceful mood through subdued dynamics
- Whole-tone scale suggests the movement of sails in the wind Any 2

OR

The Rite of Spring – I Stravinsky

- Prominent role of rhythm lends itself to dancing
- A primitive story including omens, ritual abduction, sacrifice, tribes and evocation of ancestors is told through dance
- Different moods
- Different tempos
 - Any 2

OR

Maria from West Side Story – Lerner & Loewe

- A solo sung by the character Tony
- The lyrics sung after Tony meets Maria and discovers her name, portray a joyful mood
- Catchy melodic structure Any 2

Kamien, R. *Music: An Appreciation*, 8th edition, 2004. McGraw-Hill, p 418 - 419, 428 - 433, 552 - 553 OBE/UGO PLUS: *Music Learner's Book*, p 205 - 207, 123 -142

(2)

(2)

[5]

(1)

16 NSC – Memorandum

QUESTION 10

10.1 10.2 10.3 10.4 10.5	J Zaidel-Rudolph: English text, re-arrangement (2x1 = 2) M L de Villiers : Die Stem = ½ mark, Composer of music = ½ mark E Sontonga: Nkosi Sikelele = ½ mark, Composer of music = ½ mark C J Langenhoven: Afrikaans text M Khumalo: Arrangement of Nkosi Sikelele, connection of two songs, modulation between the two songs Any 2	(2) (1) (1) (1) (2)
OBE/UGO	PLUS: <i>Music Learner's Book</i> , p 161 - 166	[7]

QUESTION 11

Liedwerk van Klip

11.1	Niel van der Watt - Song cycle	Composer = 1 mark Genre = 1 mark	(2)
		Como I man	

11.2 1962

(1)

[8]

(1)

(1)

(4)

[8]

- 11.3 Missa de Meridiana, Leaving School Blues, Because of You (1) Any 1
- Mixes various styles: Western and African; Poly-stylist
 - Composes mostly choral music but also chamber music
 - Uses a variety of texts: Afrikaans, English, Latin, Sepedi
 - Music is tonal but also contains extended tonality
 - Interval of a 4th prominently used melodically and harmonically
 - Dissonance occurs frequently but is functional and never dominates
 - Makes extensive use of typically African rhythmic patterns
 (4)

OR

Ushaka KaSenzangakhona

- 11.1 Mzilikazi Khumalo Oratorium Composer = 1 mark (2) Genre = 1 mark
- 11.2 1932
- 11.3 *Kwadengendlale, Princess Magogo Songs Any 1*
- Traditional Zulu music fused with European instrumental music
 - Composes mostly choral music
 - Mostly uses isiZulu text
 - Typically African features are abundantly present: syncopation, call-and-response, diatonic harmony
 - Uses a lot of contrast, e.g. male versus female voices
 - Often uses spoken text against humming sounds Any 4

Copyright reserved

Famban' Kahle

11.1	<i>Famban' Kahle</i> S J Khosa – Choral work	Composer = 1 mark Genre = 1 mark	(2)
11.2	1936		(1)
11.3	<i>Ndzhaka ya tinsimu</i> (A collection of son <i>Any 1</i>	gs), Chunchani Midzwalo	(1)
11.4	 Focuses on vocal music, especially Uses mostly Tsonga texts Sometimes uses English texts Composes mostly traditional African Typically African features are abund response, diatonic harmony Texts often reflect tradition and more 	music lantly present: syncopation, call-and-	(4)

Any 4

OBE/UGO PLUS: Music Learner's Book, p 169 -184

QUESTION 12

Style characteristics = 4 marks Contribution to the style = 3 marks Essay format = 1 mark

Heavy Metal: Metallica

Style Characteristics:

- Highly amplified distorted sound
- Complex arrangements
- Extended guitar solos
- Fast tempi
- Socially and politically charged lyrics
- Interplay of bass and guitar
 Any 4

Contribution to the style:

- Credited as one of the innovators who led the way towards Thrash Metal with other bands such as Slayer, Anthrax and Megadeth
- Expanded the limits of Heavy Metal through the use of speed of execution and volume
- Created intricately structured compositions
- Brought the sound of Thrash Metal into the Top 40 of the charts Any 3

[8]

(4)

[8]

R&B: Michael Jackson

Style Characteristics:

- Predominantly vocal style
- Combines elements of Hip-Hop, Soul and Funk
- Polished record production style
- Drum machine-backed rhythms
- Smooth, lush style of vocal arrangements
- Lead singers often known for their use of melismas Any 4

Contribution to the style:

- A revolutionary transformation of music videos
- Popularised the Moonwalk
- Brought contemporary R&B to the mainstream
- Combined contemporary R&B with elements of contemporary Pop and Rock to create a more youthful sound Any 3

OR

Glam Rock: David Bowie

Style Characteristics:

- Uses all stylistic elements of Rock and Heavy Metal but with a lighter feel
- Replaced acoustic guitar with heavy Rock accompaniment
- · Has a strong visual and image component
- Tempo is much faster than that of Rock 'n' Roll
- Lyrics based on teenage revolution Any 4

Contribution to the style:

- Use of octave switches for different repetitions of the same melody
- Innovative stage craft
- Inspired the innovators of the Punk Rock music movement
- Prompted the adoption of Glam styles among artists like Lou Reed and Iggy Pop Any 3

[8]

[8]

Brit Pop: Oasis

Style Characteristics:

- The electric guitar is used as a lead instrument
- Music relies on catchy hooks consisting of simple melodies with a repetitive structure
- Rock beats are often used
- Lyrics are relevant to British youth
- Lyrics refer to uniquely British topics
- Lyrics sung in regional British accents
- Style is firmly rooted in the music of the British Guitar Pop music of the 1960s Any 4

Contribution to the style:

- Inspired bands like Kasabian and Arctic Monkey with their embodiment of Rock 'n' Roll hedonism and swagger
- They brought British Alternative Rock into the mainstream
- Brought a strong sense of self-assurance and even arrogance into the popular music scene
- Achieved sustained sales and commercial success in the United States Any 3

[8]

[8]

OR

Girl Band: Spice Girls

Style Characteristics:

- Ensemble singing with tight, polished instrumental arrangements instead of solo singing
- Music geared towards women/girls
- Lyrics concern love, sex and expression of strong bonds between friends
- The music is easy to listen to
- The sound is generally energetic and fresh
- The image portrayed is upbeat and cheerful Any 4

Contribution to the style:

- Pioneers that paved the way for the commercial breakthrough of Pop music for teenagers in the late 1990s
- The group's slogan 'Girl Power' became a symbol for feminist empowerment
- Influenced female fashion of the 1990s
- Influenced a lot of girl bands like the Pussycat Dolls, Sugababes and Atomic Kitten *Any 3*

OR

Boy Band: Westlife

Style Characteristics:

- Ensemble singing with tight, polished instrumental arrangements instead of solo singing
- Catchy Pop hooks, melodies and harmonies prevail
- Target audiences are preteens and teens
- The group's image is an important part of its commercial success
- Lyrics are mostly about love
- Uses mostly R&B and Pop genres Any 4

Contribution to the style:

- The band evolved from Teen Pop to Pop sound with emphasis on ballads

 They experimented with Jazz and Big-band styles in <i>Allow Us To Be Frank</i> Re-mixes on single releases make use of 'club' or electronic sounds <i>Any 3</i> 	
OBE/UGO PLUS: <i>Music Learner's Book</i> , p 190 - 204	[8]
QUESTION 13	
<i>Plea From Africa</i>John Knox Bokwe	(1)
 Text meaning A supplication for deliverance from earthly hardship Also a plea for eternal salvation Any other correct answer. 	(2)
 Style characteristics Hymn-like melody in the verse section for solo soprano Brief Call-and-response singing between solo soprano and the SATB-choir at refrain/chorus 	
 Tonal harmony with two chromatic inflections Homophonic singing in the chorus Any 3 	(3)

(1)Form [7] • Verse and Chorus or Binary form or AB-form

OR

 Gabi Gabi Traditional arr. William C Powell 	(1)
 Text meaning A praise song expressing pride in being a Christian Creating friendship or Christian community Any other correct answer 	(2)
 Style characteristics Parallel movement in voices Extensive Call-and-response Tonal harmony with small chromatic inflections Repetition Any 3 	(3)
 Binary form or AB-form 	(1) [7]
OR	
 Monna e Motenya Folk song arranged by Bonisile Gcisa 	(1)
 Text meaning A musical joke about an overweight family riding bicycles The composer mocks them light-heartedly Any other correct answer 	(2)
 Style characteristics Repetition Call-and-response throughout Tonal harmony Parallel movement in voices 	
Any 3	(3)
 Verse and Chorus or Binary form or AB-form OBE/UGO PLUS: <i>Music Learner's Book</i>, p 148- 160 	(1) [7]

21

NSC – Memorandum

Music/P1

DBE/Feb.-Mar. 2014

QUESTION 14

Kwaito Bass guitar, Lead guitar, Drumkit, Keyboard, Synthesizer, Voice etc. <i>(Any 5)</i>	(5)
OR	
Music for social occasions Voices / Choir, Body percussion (clapping), Drums, Rattles, Shakers, Mbira etc. <i>(Any 5)</i>	(5)
OR	
Moppie and Ghoema songs Voices / Ensemble, Guitar, Banjo, Saxophone, Trumpet, Ghoema, Tambourine, etc. <i>(Any 5)</i>	(5)
OBE/UGO PLUS: <i>Music Learner's Book</i> p 107 – 113	[5]
TOTAL SECTION B: GRAND TOTAL:	65 125