

BCS Higher Education Qualification

Professional Graduate Diploma

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EXAMINERS' REPORT TEMPLATE

IT & The Environment

Questions Report:

	All markers of section A are required to add comments here:
A1	
	Most candidates answered this question, scored high marks and provided support for their answers through examples.
A2	
	Candidates scored well on questions a, b, and c, providing good examples for ISO standards and mentioning various types of construction materials.
B3	
	Candidates scored good marks on this question, but answers lacked sufficient detail to score all the marks. In particular, candidates didn't include "processing and analysis" of the remote sensing data, Examples of remote sensing technologies appeared to be confused. For part B, in general, candidates scored good marks but again, answers lacked sufficient detail to score all the marks.
B4	
	Candidates scored good marks on this question, but answers lacked sufficient detail to score all the marks. In particular, candidates didn't provide sufficient information for part B on the different types of sensors and their use.
B5	
	Candidates scored good marks on this question, but some failed to provide the information in the desired format (report) and there was a lot of duplication. For part B, the definition of the "internet of things" was confused, with candidates failing to provide sufficient detail on the "sharing data" element. Some of the protocols included internet protocols, such as http: and https:, rather than Bluetooth and LoRa Wan.