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## Performance descriptors

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<b>Grade</b>	<b>Descriptor</b>
<b>Pass</b>	<p>Candidates can recall statistical procedures, terms, definitions, processes and formulae in a business context, showing an understanding of statistical concepts and conclusions.</p> <p>Candidates can select mostly appropriate statistical techniques and use them in a business context. They carry out computations with some accuracy using standard statistical methods, presenting solutions and data using tables, graphs, charts, diagrams with occasional errors.</p> <p>Candidates can analyse data from a range of sources, recognise significant patterns, make inferences and interpret the main issues in results. They draw on evidence to interpret results.</p>
<b>Distinction</b>	<p>Candidates can recall, and communicate thorough understanding of statistical procedures, terms, definitions, processes and formulae in a business context and statistical concepts and conclusions.</p> <p>Candidates can consistently select appropriate statistical techniques and interpret outcomes accurately, applying these in a business context. They carry out computations with precision using statistical methods, presenting tables/graphs/charts/diagrams appropriately and accurately.</p> <p>Candidates can make reasoned judgements and substantiated interpretations, drawing on sophisticated analyses.</p>

Performance descriptors may be revised following the first award.