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## NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE

**GRADE 12** 

**MUSIC P2** 

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**MEMORANDUM** 

MARKS: 33

This memorandum consists of 11 pages.

#### INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

- 1. This question paper consists of THREE sections.
- 2. Answer ALL the questions. Note that there are choices in QUESTION 6.
- 3. Write your answers on this question paper. Use a pencil for music notation and blue or black ink for the other answers.
- 4. This examination will be written while candidates are listening to a CD.
- 5. The music teacher of the centre must conduct the examination in the presence of the invigilator.
- 6. The last page of this question paper is manuscript paper intended for rough work. The candidate may remove this page.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE PERSON OPERATING THE SOUND EQUIPMENT

- 1. The instructions for the music teacher appear in frames.
- 2. Each musical extract (track) must be played the number of times specified in the question paper.
- 3. Allow adequate time between tracks to allow candidates to think and write their answers before playing the next track.
- 4. The number of the track must be announced clearly each time before it is played.
- 5. A battery-powered CD player must be available in case of a power failure.

#### **MARKING GRID**

QUESTION	TOTAL MARKS	MARKER	MODERATOR
SECTION A			
1	3		
2	1		
3	4		
SUBTOTAL	8		
SECTION B			
4	6		
5	3		
6	2		
7	4		
SUBTOTAL	15		
SECTION C			
8	10		
SUBTOTAL	10		
GRAND TOTAL	33		

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**SECTION A: AURAL** 

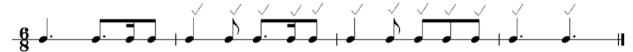
#### **QUESTION 1: RHYTHMIC DICTATION**

## Play Track 1 FIVE times. Pause for ONE minute after each repetition.

Notate the rhythm of the missing notes in bars 2, 3 and 4.



#### **Answer:**



One tick per note = 12÷4=3 marks
The last note must be a dotted crotchet.

12÷4= **[3]** 

#### **QUESTION 2: MELODIC RECOGNITION**

## Play Track 2 FOUR times in direct succession.

Make a cross (X) in the block next to the melody that corresponds with the sound example.







#### QUESTION 3: MELODIC DICTATION AND COMPOSITIONAL TECHNIQUES

Read and study the questions for ONE minute.

Play Track 3 ONCE to provide a general overview.

Play Track 4 THREE times in succession. Allow candidates a maximum of three minutes to complete the dictation, then play Track 4 ONCE more.

Complete the missing notes in bars 6–7 on the music score at (a).

#### **Answer:**



One tick per note for correct pitch and rhythm =  $6 \div 2 = 3$ 

 $6 \div 2 = (3)$ 

3.2 Play Track 5 ONCE.

Which ONE of the following features is NOT applicable to the left-hand part? Make a cross (X) in the relevant block.

Syncopation	Ostinato	Suspension	Pedal point	(1
				[4]

TOTAL SECTION A: 8

#### **SECTION B: RECOGNITION OF MUSIC CONCEPTS**

#### **QUESTION 4**

Read and study the questions for ONE minute.

## Play Track 6 TWICE.

Listen to Track 6 and answer the questions.

4.1 Which type of jazz style do you hear?

Answer: Swing/Big-band (1)

4.2 State TWO style characteristics that you hear in this extract to motivate your answer.

#### Answer:

- Big-band instrumentation
- Brass section prominent
- Strong back beat (emphasis on beats 2 and 4)
- Jazz-specific swing feeling

Any two = 2 marks (2)

4.3 Name THREE instruments playing in this extract.

#### Answer:

Piano, trumpets, trombones, saxophones (alto and tenor, baritone), bass, drums

Any three = 3 marks (3)

#### **QUESTION 5**

Read and study the questions for ONE minute.

5.1 Play Track 7 ONCE.

Identify the time signature of this extract.

**Answer:** 4/4 or C ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark for  $\frac{2}{4}$ ) (1)

5.2 Play Track 8 ONCE.

What is the predominant texture of this extract?

**Answer:** Polyphony/Counterpoint; Polyphonic/Contrapuntal (1)

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## 5.3 Play each of Tracks 9–12 TWICE.

Listen to Tracks 9–12 and identify the instrument category or instrument that you hear by making a cross (X) in the relevant block.

Track	Aerophone	Mbira	Drums and rattle	Chordophone	Drums and bells	Xylophone
9		X				
10	Х					
11				Х		
12						X

(4)

Play Tracks 9–12 ONCE more.

 $(6 \div 2)$  [3]

#### **QUESTION 6**

Read and study the questions for ONE minute.

Answer QUESTION 6.1 OR 6.2 OR 6.3.

Play Tracks 13–15 in succession while the candidates read through the questions.

## 6.1 Play Track 13 TWICE.

6.1.1 With which South African musical type do you associate the music?

Answer: Kwaito (1)

6.1.2 Give ONE reason to motivate your answer.

#### **Answer:**

- Synthetic sound combined with African singing style
- Urban/Isicamtho language used
- Shouted or chanted
- Fusion of Western Pop music and African style
- House music with disco rhythm

Any one (any other relevant answer may be marked correctly) (1) [2]

**OR** 

## 6.2 Play Track 14 TWICE. 6.2.1 With which traditional South African musical type do you associate the music? **Answer:** Moppies and ghoema songs (1) 6.2.2 Give ONE reason to motivate your answer. Answer: Typical ghoema beat (two sixteenth and an eighth note accompaniment) Typical instruments used: guitar, drum, etc. Afrikaans language used Group/Ensemble singing (1) Any one (any other relevant answer may be marked correctly). [2] **OR** 6.3 Play Track 15 TWICE. 6.3.1 With which traditional South African musical type do you associate the music? **Answer:** Music for social occasions (1) 6.3.2 Give ONE reason to motivate your answer. Answer: Call-and-response singing Vocal 'scooping' Text concerns a pre-marriage ceremony Ceremony specifically for women

Any one (any other relevant answer may be marked correctly)

(1) **[2]** 

#### **QUESTION 7**

Read and study the questions for ONE minute.

## Play Track 16 TWICE.

Listen to Anitra's Dance by E Grieg and answer the questions.

7.1 Make a cross (X) in the block that best describes the type of ensemble playing.

String quartet | String orchestra | Wind ensemble | Symphony orchestra | (1)

7.2 Name a non-melodic percussion instrument that you hear.

**Answer:** Triangle (1)

7.3 Make a cross (X) in the block that best describes the playing technique used in the accompaniment.

Col legno Pizzicato Tremolo Sul ponticello (1)

7.4 Make a cross (X) in the block that best describes the dynamic level in the opening section of this extract.

Forte Fortissimo Pianissimo Mezzo forte (1)

[4]

TOTAL SECTION B: 15

## **SECTION C: FORM**

## **QUESTION 8**

Read through the questions below.

## Play Track 17 ONCE to provide a general overview.

Study the following work while you listen to the music.

## Variation 19



## Play Track 17 again.

8.1 Identify the form of this work on the score. Indicate the different sections and the key in which each section begins.

Binary form = 1 mark
Section A = 1 mark (bar 1)
G major = 1 mark (bar 1)
Section B = 1 mark (bar 17)
G major = 1 mark (bar 17)
Total = 5 marks

Total = 5 marks (5)

#### Answer:

## Variation 19



Play	Track	17	<b>ONCE</b>	again.
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8.2 Identify the style period of this work.

Answer: Baroque (1)

8.3 How many voice parts are in this work?

**Answer:** Three voice parts (1)

8.4 Name the musical device in the bass part in bars 9–10 at (a).

Answer: Sequence (1)

8.5 Name the key and cadence in bars 23<sup>3</sup>–24<sup>2</sup> at (b) on the score.

**Answer:** Perfect cadence (V–i) in E minor.

1 mark for cadence name, 1 mark for key = 2 marks

(2)

Play Track 17 ONE last time.

TOTAL SECTION C: 10

GRAND TOTAL: 33