

# A2 Post Mortem

## Question 1

- This question was generally well done

## Question 2

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- Some students did not show any work for how they got the resulting array after heapsort

## Question 3

- This question was generally well done
- Some students found an upper bound rather than a lower bound
- Some students only gave a specific example and did not explain how to generalize it
- Some students stated that each insertion was  $\log(n)$  which is not true rather than  $\log(i)$  for the  $i^{\text{th}}$  element to be inserted

## Question 4

- Many students only performed fix-down rather than both fix-up and fix-down
- Many students only gave an  $\Omega$ -bound rather than a  $\Theta$ -bound.
- Many students did not argue correctness

## Question 5

- This question was generally well done
- Many students made small computation errors in 5.3

## Question 6

- This question was generally well done
- Many students wrote that any adjacent swap will decrease the number of inversions by exactly 1, rather than by at most 1 in 6.4.