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Q1		
Q I	 ChannelID/The primary key of the CHANNEL table is stored in the PROGRAMME table where it is a foreign key 	[2]
	 Less data entry required because programme and channel details are stored once Avoids redundancy/don't have to repeat channel details for every programme on that channel Avoids inconsistency (when channel data changes) 	[3]
Q2		
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Q3	 A compiler translates the entire program before execution An interpreter translates one line, executes that line and then translates the next line 	
	A compiler creates a list of errors after compilation	
	An interpreter stops after the first error	
	 A compiler produces an independent executable file An interpreted program needs the interpreter each time it is run 	
	A compiled program is translated once	
	An interpreted program is translated each time it is run	
	Marks in pairs, max 1 pair.	[2]

Q4		
	Point A: • Size: 120 • Binary: 0111 1000 • Hex: 78 Point B • Size: 60 • Binary: 0011 1100 • Hex: 3C (1 mark per bullet)	[6]
Q5	 High level language(HLL) is understood by humans Computers/the CPU can only execute machine code instruction. The translator converts a program in the HLL to an equivalent program in machine code 	[3]
Q6	 it is adding instead of subtracting it will produce the wrong result/answer will be bigger than 24 Type of error: logic error 	[3]