

5. The lifetimes of batteries sold by company  $X$  are normally distributed, with mean 150 hours and standard deviation 25 hours.

A box contains 12 batteries from company  $X$ .

- (a) Find the expected number of these batteries that have a lifetime of more than 160 hours. (3)

The lifetimes of batteries sold by company  $Y$  are normally distributed, with mean 160 hours and 80% of these batteries have a lifetime of less than 180 hours.

- (b) Find the standard deviation of the lifetimes of batteries from company  $Y$ . (3)

Both companies sell their batteries for the same price.

- (c) State which company you would recommend. Give reasons for your answer. (2)

**(Total 8 marks)**