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NOTES ABOUT MARK SCHEME SYMBOLS AND OTHER MATTERS

M marks are method marks upon which further marks depend. For an M mark to be scored, the point

to which it refers **must** be seen in a candidate's answer. If a candidate fails to score a

particular M mark, then none of the dependent marks can be scored.

B marks: are independent marks, which do not depend on other marks. For a B mark to scored, the

point to which it refers must be seen specifically in the candidate's answers.

A marks In general A marks are awarded for final answers to numerical questions.

If a final numerical answer, eligible for A marks, is correct, with the correct unit and an acceptable number of significant figures, all the marks for that question are normally

awarded.

It is very occasionally possible to arrive at a correct answer by an entirely wrong approach. In these rare circumstances, do not award the A marks, but award C marks on their merits.

However, correct numerical answers with no working shown gain all the marks available.

C marks are compensatory marks in general applicable to numerical questions. These can be scored

even if the point to which they refer are not written down by the candidate, **provided subsequent working gives evidence that they must have known it.** For example, if an equation carries a C mark and the candidate does not write down the actual equation but does correct substitution or working which shows he knew the equation, then the C mark is

scored

A C marks is not awarded if a candidate makes two points which contradict each other.

Points which are wrong but irrelevant are ignored.

brackets () around words or units in the mark scheme are intended to indicate wording used to clarify

the mark scheme, but the marks do not depend on seeing the words or units in brackets, e.g.

10 (J) means that the mark is scored for 10, regardless of the unit given.

<u>underlining</u> indicates that this <u>must</u> be seen in the answer offered, or something very similar.

OR / or indicates alternative answers, any one of which is satisfactory for scoring the marks.

e.e.o.o. means "each error or omission".

o.w.t.t.e. means "or words to that effect".

Spelling Be generous about spelling and use of English. If an answer can be understood to mean

what we want, give credit. However, beware of and do not allow ambiguities, accidental or deliberate: e.g. spelling which suggests confusion between reflection/refraction/diffraction

thermistor/transistor/transformer.

Not/NOT Indicates that an incorrect answer is not to be disregarded, but cancels another otherwise

correct alternative offered by the candidate, i.e. right plus wrong penalty applies.

Ignore Indicates that something which is not correct or irrelevant is to be disregarded and does not

cause a right plus wrong penalty.

ecf meaning "error carried forward" is mainly applicable to numerical questions, but may in

particular circumstances be applied in non-numerical questions.

This indicates that if a candidate has made an earlier mistake and has carried an incorrect value forward to subsequent stages of working, marks indicated by ecf may be awarded, provided the subsequent working is correct, bearing in mind the earlier mistake. This prevents a candidate being penalised more than once for a particular mistake, but **only**

applies to marks annotated ecf.

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Significant Figures	Answers are normally acceptable to any number of significant figures this general rule will be specified in the mark scheme.	s ≽ 2. Any ex	ceptions to
Units	Deduct one mark for each incorrect or missing unit from an answer to gain all the marks available for that answer: maximum 1 per que incurred if the unit is missing from the final answer but is shown correct.	stion. No de	duction is
Arithmetic errors	Deduct one mark if the only error in arriving at a final answer is clearly an arithmetic one.		
Transcription errors	Deduct one mark if the only error in arriving at a final answer is beca calculated data has clearly been misread but used correctly	use given or	previously
Fractions	(e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$) Allow these only where specified in the mark scheme.		
Crossed out work	Work which has been crossed out and not replaced but can easily marked as if it had not been crossed out.	be read, sho	ould be
Use of NR	(# key on the keyboard) Use this if the answer space for a question is contains no readable words, figures or symbols.	s completely	blank or

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Question	Answer	Marks
1(a)(i)	Straight line from origin to (4.5 s, 7.2 m/s)	B2
	Tolerance in plotting: ½ a square	
1(a)(ii)	Use of area stated or implied by numbers used OR average speed \times time OR s = (u+v)/t/2 OR vt/2 OR 0.5 \times 4.5 \times 7.2 16(.2) m	C1 A1
1(b)	Rises from origin and curves with decreasing gradient Finishes horizontal	B1 B1
1(c)	Speed is scalar Velocity is vector Speed has magnitude/size/value (only) Velocity has magnitude/size/value and direction OR velocity has direction; speed does not	B1 B1
	Total:	8

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Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)(i)	(P =) hdg OR $15 \times 1000 \times 10$ 1.5×10^5 or 150000Pa or N/m^2 or 150kPa or kN/m^2	C1 A1
2(a)(ii)	(F =) PA OR 150 000 × 6000 9.0 x 10 ⁸ N/9.0 × 10 ⁵ kN	C1 A1
2(a)(iii)	Same value as (a)(ii) or $9.0 \times 10^8 \text{N}$	B1
2(b)	Weight of tanker has to be equal to upward force of water Depth (below surface) is/becomes less OR Tanker rises (Tanker rises) because pressure/force on bottom of tanker is greater OR because upthrust greater OR At same depth as in river, pressure/force on bottom of tanker is higher so tanker rises	B1 M1
	Total:	8

Question	Answer	Marks
3(a)	(Molecules/they) collide with/hit walls of container OR rebound from walls of container Change of momentum OR Rate of change of momentum occurs OR F = (mv - mu)/t	B1 B1
3(b)(i)	(760 + 120 =) 880 mmHg	B1
3(b)(ii)	Same value as (b)(i) or 880 mmHg	B1
3(b)(iii)	New pressure = $(760 + 240 =) 1000 \text{ (mmHg)}$ PV = constant OR P ₁ V ₁ = P ₂ V ₂ OR 12 × 880 = V × 1000 11 cm ³	C1 C1 A1
	Total:	7

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Question	Answer	Marks
4(a)	Evaporation Molecules with higher/highest (kinetic) energy OR that gain enough energy escape (from the liquid surface) Molecules remaining in liquid have low/lower (kinetic) energy OR Energy for evaporation came from remaining liquid	B1 B1 B1
4(b)	Greater decrease in temperature and/or volume than in (a). Fan removes vapour/blows vapour away/ reduces humidity/reduces return of vapour to liquid, allowing more molecules to escape OR faster/more evaporation	B1
4(c)	Metal is a good (thermal) conductor so passes heat to the liquid or from the surroundings (raising its temperature)	B1 B1
	Total:	8

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Question	Answer	Marks
5(a)	Molecular arrangement: Ice: in lattice/regular/arranged/orderly/fixed in place Water: random/irregular/not arranged/not orderly Molecular movement: Ice: vibrate Water: move (around) or slide over each other	B2
5(b)(i)	d = m/V in any form OR (m =) Vd OR $1800 \times 0.025 \times 920$ = 41 000kg	C1 A1
5(b)(ii)	(H =) mL OR $41400 \times 3.3 \times 10^5$ 1.4 x 10^{10} J OR 1.4×10^7 kJ OR $1,4 \times 10^4$ MJ	C1 A1
Total		6

Question	Answer	Mark
6(a)(i)	300 – 360 m/s	B1
6(a)(ii)	20 Hz – 20 kHz	B1
6(b)(i)	$v = f\lambda$ OR $(f =) v/\lambda$ OR $(a)(i)/0.022$ Correct answer: e.g. 330 m/s gives 15 000 Hz	C1 A1
6(b)(ii)	Vertical dotted lines midway (by eye) between each pair of compressions OR to right or left of compressions shown with correct spacing (by eye)	B1
6(b)(iii)	(At rarefactions) molecules have above normal separation/far apart/spread out Pressure (of air) is below normal/low OR Molecules exert below normal/low pressure	B1 B1
	Total:	7

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Question	Answer	Marks
7(a)(i)	Ray continues through first face, without bending, to sloping face Ray reflected vertically down at sloping face	M1 A1
7(a)(ii)	Prism drawn with correct orientation in square Correct reflection to produce emergent ray	M1 A1
7(b)	Tick in box 2 Tick in box 6	B1 B1
	Total:	6

Question	Answer	Marks
8(a)	12 V	B1
8(b)	(I =) V/R 12/8 OR 1.5 (A) $(W =) IVt OR 1.5 \times 12 \times 40 (\times 60)$ OR $(W =) I^2Rt OR 1.5^2 \times 8 \times 40 (\times 60)$ OR $W = V^2t/R OR 12^2 \times 40 (\times 60)/8$ 43000 J	C1 C1 C1 A1
8(c)	Chemical (energy) to electrical (energy) (in battery) Electrical (energy) to thermal/heat (energy) (in resistor)	B1 B1
	Total:	7

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Question	Answer	Marks
9	Mention of overheating or fire seen anywhere Mention of electric shock or electrocution seen anywhere	B1 B1
	Any two of:	
	Fire/overheating: if thin/extension cable carries too large a current OR because thin/extension cable has no fuse.	
	Fire/overheating due to extension cable being coiled (so that escape of heat is prevented)	
	Electric shock/electrocution (of gardener) if unsuitable socket lets in moisture/gets wet	B2
	Electric shock/electrocution (of gardener) if tape repair lets in moisture/gets wet	
	Electric shock/electrocution if cable is cut by mower and no circuit-breaker	
	Total:	4

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Question	Answer	Marks
10(a)	(Wire) moves vertically or down (page) Moves up (page) OR Magnetic field is into the page OR (Fleming's) left hand-rule applies	C1 A1 B1
10(b)	Moves up and down (page)/vibrates up and down (page) (Vertical) force on wire alternates OR due to interaction of field of magnet and alternating field (of current)	B1
	Total:	5

Question	Answer	Marks
11(a)(i)	(Region) where a force acts on a charge	B1
11(a)(ii)	Direction of the force acting on a positive charge	B1
11(b)	At least 4 radial equally spaced straight lines drawn from surface of sphere Arrows on lines pointing away from sphere	B1 B1
11(c)(i)	Charges on sphere attract electrons (from earth) OR There is a p.d. between the sphere and earth	B1
11(c)(ii)	I = Q/t in any form OR Q/t OR $20 \times 10^{-6}/(20 \times 60)$ 1.7 × 10^{-8} A OR I = Q/t in any form OR Q/t OR $20/(20 \times 60)$	C1 A1 (C1)
	0.017 μA	(A1)
	Total:	1

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(a)(i)	Atomic number OR number of protons OR proton number	B1
12(a)(ii)	94	B1
12(b)	²³⁷ ₉₃ Np	B1
	4 + $_{2}\alpha$	B1
12(c)	(No of Am atoms remaining = $8 \times 10^{14} - 6 \times 10^{14}$) = 2×10^{14} 4×10^{14} (Am atoms remain after) 470 yrs or 1 half-life (2×10^{14} Am atoms remain after) 940 yrs or 2 half-lives	C1 C1 A1
	Total:	7