

Markscheme

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Physics

Higher level

Paper 2

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Question			Answers	Notes	Total
1.	a		use of conservation of energy OR $v^2 = u^2 + 2as \checkmark$ $v = \llcorner\sqrt{2 \times 60.0 \times 9.81}\llcorner = 34.3 \llcorner\text{ms}^{-1}\llcorner \checkmark$		2
1.	b	i	use of impulse $F_{ave} \times \Delta t = \Delta p$ OR use of $F = ma$ with average acceleration OR $F = \frac{80.0 \times 34.3}{0.759} \checkmark$ 3620 «N» \checkmark	Allow ECF from (a).	2
1.	b	ii	upwards \checkmark clearly longer than weight \checkmark	For second marking point allow ECF from (b)(i) providing line is upwards.	2
1.	b	iii	$3620 + 80.0 \times 9.81 \checkmark$ 4400 «N» \checkmark	Allow ECF from (b)(i).	2

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(Question 1 continued)

1.	c	i	(loss in) gravitational potential energy (of block) into kinetic energy (of block) ✓	<i>Must see names of energy (gravitational potential energy and kinetic energy) – Allow for reasonable variations of terminology (eg energy of motion for KE).</i>	1
1.	c	ii	(loss in) gravitational potential and kinetic energy of block into elastic potential energy of rope ✓	<i>See note for 1(c)(i) for naming convention. Must see either the block or the rope (or both) mentioned in connection with the appropriate energies.</i>	1
1.	d		<p>k can be determined using $EPE = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$ ✓</p> <p>correct statement or equation showing</p> <p>GPE at A = EPE at C</p> <p>OR</p> <p>(GPE + KE) at B = EPE at C ✓</p>	<i>Candidate must clearly indicate the energy associated with either position A or B for MP2.</i>	2

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1.	e	i	$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{80.0}{400}} = 2.81 \text{ «s» } \checkmark$ $\text{time} = \frac{T}{4} = 0.702 \text{ «s» } \checkmark$	Award [0] for kinematic solutions that assume a constant acceleration.	2
1.	e	ii	<p>ALTERNATIVE 1</p> $\omega = \frac{2\pi}{2.81} = 2.24 \text{ «rads}^{-1}\text{» } \checkmark$ $v = 2.24 \times 3.50 = 7.84 \text{ «ms}^{-1}\text{» } \checkmark$ <p>ALTERNATIVE 2</p> $\frac{1}{2}kx^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \text{ OR } \frac{1}{2}400 \times 3.5^2 = \frac{1}{2}80v^2 \checkmark$ $v = 7.84 \text{ «ms}^{-1}\text{» } \checkmark$	Award [0] for kinematic solutions that assume a constant acceleration. Allow ECF for T from (e)(i).	2

2.	a		$\left\langle \frac{3.0 \times 8.31 \times 290}{0.15} \right\rangle$ <p>48 «kPa» ✓</p>		1
2.	b	i	$\text{mass} = \left\langle \frac{860}{3100 \times 23} \right\rangle = 0.012 \text{ «kg» } \checkmark$		1
2.	b	ii	<p>ALTERNATIVE 1</p> <p>average kinetic energy = $\frac{3}{2} 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 313 = 6.5 \times 10^{-21} \text{ «J» } \checkmark$</p> <p>number of particles = $3.0 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23} = 1.8 \times 10^{24} \checkmark$</p> <p>total kinetic energy = $1.8 \times 10^{24} \times 6.5 \times 10^{-21} = 12 \text{ «kJ» } \checkmark$</p> <p>ALTERNATIVE 2</p> <p>ideal gas so $U = KE \checkmark$</p> <p>$KE = \frac{3}{2} 8.31 \times 313 \times 3 \checkmark$</p> <p>total kinetic energy = 12 «kJ» ✓</p>		3
2.	c		<p>larger temperature implies larger (average) speed/larger (average) KE of molecules/particles/atoms ✓</p> <p>increased force/momentum transferred to walls (per collision) / more frequent collisions with walls ✓</p> <p>increased force leads to increased pressure because $P=F/A$ (as area remains constant) ✓</p>	Ignore any mention of $PV=nRT$	3

3.	a	i	superposition of light from each slit / interference of light from both slits ✓ with path/phase difference of any half-odd multiple of wavelength/any odd multiple of π (in words or symbols) ✓ producing destructive interference ✓	<i>Ignore any reference to crests and troughs.</i>	3
3.	a	ii	light waves (from slits) must have constant phase difference / no phase difference / be in phase ✓	OWTTE	1
3.	a	iii	evidence of solving for $D \ll D = \frac{sd}{\lambda}$ ✓ $\ll \frac{4.50 \times 10^{-3} \times 0.300 \times 10^{-3}}{633.0 \times 10^{-9}} \times 2 \gg = 4.27 \ll \text{m} \gg$ ✓	Award [1] max for 2.13 m.	2

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3.	b	i	$\sin \theta = \frac{4 \times 633.0 \times 10^{-9}}{0.300 \times 10^{-3}} \checkmark$ $\theta = 0.0084401... \checkmark$ <p>final answer to three sig figs (eg 0.00844 or 8.44×10^{-3}) \checkmark</p>	<p>Allow ECF from (a)(iii).</p> <p>Award [1] for 0.121 rad (can award MP3 in addition for proper sig fig)</p> <p>Accept calculation in degrees leading to 0.481 degrees.</p> <p>Award MP3 for <u>any</u> answer expressed to 3sf.</p>	3
3.	b	ii	<p>use of diffraction formula «$b = \frac{\lambda}{\theta}$»</p> <p>OR</p> $\frac{633.0 \times 10^{-9}}{0.00844} \checkmark$ <p>«\Rightarrow» $7.5\text{«00»} \times 10^{-2}$ «mm» \checkmark</p>	<p>Allow ECF from (b)(i).</p>	2

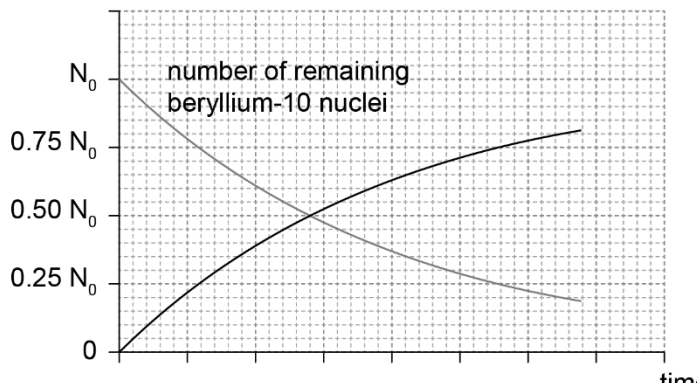
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3.	c		wavelength increases (so frequency decreases) / light is redshifted ✓ galaxy is moving away from Earth ✓	<i>Allow ECF for MP2 (ie wavelength decreases so moving towards).</i>	2
3.	d	i	$\frac{633.0}{1.33} = 476 \text{ «nm» } \checkmark$		1
3.	d	ii	distance between peaks decreases ✓ intensity decreases ✓		2

4.	a		$1.7 \times 10^{-8} \times \frac{0.10}{(0.02 \times 10^{-2})^2} \checkmark$ $0.043 \text{ «}\Omega\text{» } \checkmark$		2
4.	b		$v \text{ «} = \frac{I}{neA} \text{»} = \frac{2.0}{8.5 \times 10^{22} \times 1.60 \times 10^{-19} \times 0.02^2} \checkmark$ $0.37 \text{ «} \text{cm s}^{-1} \text{» } \checkmark$		2
4.	c	i	$V = RI = 0.086 \text{ «}V\text{» } \checkmark$ $\text{«} \frac{V}{d} = \frac{0.086}{0.10} \text{»} \Rightarrow 0.86 \text{ «}V \text{m}^{-1}\text{» } \checkmark$	<p>Allow ECF from 4(a).</p> <p>Allow ECF from MP1.</p>	2
4.	c	ii	<p>ALTERNATIVE 1 clear use of Ohm's Law ($V=IR$) \checkmark clear use of $R = \frac{\rho L}{A}$ \checkmark combining with $I = nAve$ and $V = EL$ to reach result. \checkmark</p> <p>ALTERNATIVE 2 attempts to substitute values into equation. \checkmark correctly calculates LHS as 4.3×10^9. \checkmark correctly calculates RHS as 4.3×10^9. \checkmark</p>	<p>For ALTERNATIVE 1 look for:</p> $V = IR$ $R = \frac{\rho L}{A}$ $V = EL$ $I = nAve$ $V = I \frac{\rho L}{A}$ $EL = I \frac{\rho L}{A}$ $E = I \frac{\rho}{A}$ $E = nAve \frac{\rho}{A} = nve\rho$ $\frac{v}{E} = \frac{1}{ne\rho}$	3

5.	a		out of the page plane / \odot ✓	<i>Do not accept just “up” or “outwards”.</i>	1
5.	b		$1.60 \times 10^{-19} \times 6.8 \times 10^5 \times 8.5 = 9.2 \times 10^{-13}$ «N» ✓		1
5.	c	i	the magnetic force does not do work on the electron hence does not change the electron’s kinetic energy OR the magnetic force/acceleration is at right angles to velocity ✓		1
5.	c	ii	the velocity of the electron is at right angles to the magnetic field ✓ (therefore) there is a centripetal acceleration / force acting on the charge ✓	<i>OWTTE</i>	2

6.	a	<p>${}^{10}_4\text{Be} \rightarrow {}^{10}_5\text{B} + {}^0_{-1}\text{e} + {}^0_0\bar{\nu}_e$</p> <p>antineutrino AND charge AND mass number of electron ${}^0_{-1}\text{e}$, $\bar{\nu}$ ✓</p> <p>conservation of mass number AND charge ${}^{10}_5\text{B}$, ${}^{10}_4\text{Be}$ ✓</p>	<p><i>Do not accept V.</i></p> <p><i>Accept $\bar{\nu}$ without subscript e.</i></p>	2
6.	b	<p>i</p> <p>correct shape <i>ie</i> increasing from 0 to about $0.80N_0$ ✓</p> <p>crosses given line at $0.50N_0$ ✓</p> <p>number of nuclei</p> 		2

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6.	b	ii	<p>ALTERNATIVE 1</p> <p>fraction of Be = $\frac{1}{8}$, 12.5%, or 0.125 ✓</p> <p>therefore 3 half lives have elapsed ✓</p> $t_{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{4.3 \times 10^6}{3} = 1.43 \times 10^6 \text{ «} \approx 1.4 \times 10^6 \text{» «y» ✓}$ <p>ALTERNATIVE 2</p> <p>fraction of Be = $\frac{1}{8}$, 12.5%, or 0.125 ✓</p> $\frac{1}{8} = e^{-\lambda (4.3 \times 10^6)} \text{ leading to } \lambda = 4.836 \times 10^{-7} \text{ «y}^{-1}\text{» ✓}$ $\frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} = 1.43 \times 10^6 \text{ «y» ✓}$	<p>Must see at least one extra sig fig in final answer.</p>	3
6.	b	iii	$\lambda \text{ «} = \frac{\ln 2}{1.4 \times 10^6} \text{»} = 4.95 \times 10^{-7} \text{ «y}^{-1}\text{» ✓}$ <p>rearranging of $A = \lambda N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$ to give $-\lambda t = \ln \frac{8.0 \times 10^{-3} \times 365 \times 24 \times 60 \times 60}{4.95 \times 10^{-7} \times 7.6 \times 10^{11}}$ «= -0.400» ✓</p> $t = \frac{-0.400}{-4.95 \times 10^{-7}} = 8.1 \times 10^5 \text{ «y» ✓}$	<p>Allow ECF from MP1</p>	3

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6.	c	i	emission of (infrared) electromagnetic/infrared energy/waves/radiation. ✓		1
6.	c	ii	the (peak) wavelength of emitted em waves depends on temperature of emitter/reference to Wein's Law ✓ so frequency/color depends on temperature ✓		2
6.	c	iii	$\lambda = \frac{2.90 \times 10^{-3}}{253}$ ✓ $= 1.1 \times 10^{-5}$ «m» ✓	Allow ECF from MP1 (incorrect temperature).	2
6.	c	iv	from the laboratory to the sample ✓ conduction – contact between ice and lab surface. OR convection – movement of air currents ✓	Must clearly see direction of energy transfer for MP1. Must see more than just words "conduction" or "convection" for MP2.	2
6.	c	v	correct units for Intensity (allow W , Nms^{-1} OR Js^{-1} in numerator) ✓ rearrangement into proper SI units = kgs^{-3} ✓	Allow ECF for MP2 if final answer is in fundamental units.	2

7.	a	$d = \left\langle \frac{8.85 \times 10^{-12} \times 0.025^2}{4.3 \times 10^{-12}} \Rightarrow 1.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ «m» } \checkmark \right.$		1
7.	b	$6.9 \times 10^{-11} \ll C \gg \checkmark$ negative charge/sign \checkmark		2
7.	c	charge increases \checkmark because capacitance increases AND pd remains the same. \checkmark		2

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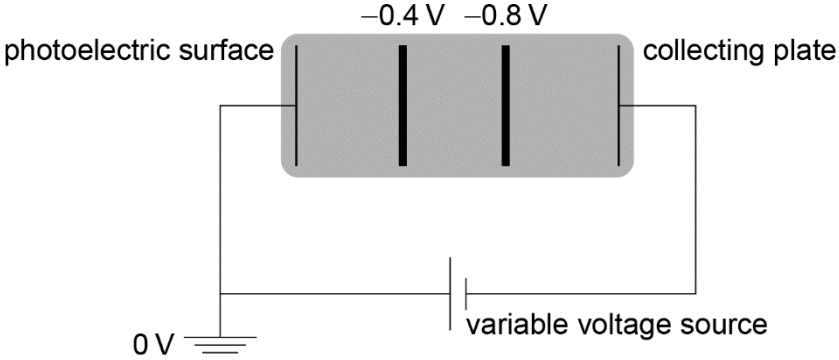
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7.	d	<p>ALTERNATIVE 1</p> $\varepsilon_s = \frac{1200}{100} \times 220 \checkmark$ $= 2640 \text{ «V» } \checkmark$ $V_{rms} = \frac{2640}{\sqrt{2}} = 1870 \text{ «V» } \checkmark$ <p>ALTERNATIVE 2</p> <p>(Primary) $V_{rms} = \frac{220}{\sqrt{2}} = 156 \text{ «V» } \checkmark$</p> <p>(Secondary) $V_{rms} = \frac{156 \times 1200}{100} \checkmark$</p> $V_{rms} = 1870 \text{ «V» } \checkmark$	<p>Allow ECF from MP1 and MP2.</p> <p>Award [2] max for 12.96 V (reversing N_p and N_s).</p>	3
7.	e	<p>step-up transformers increase voltage/step-down transformers decrease voltage \checkmark</p> <p>(step-up transformers increase voltage) from plants to transmission lines / (step-down transformers decrease voltage) from transmission lines to final utilizers \checkmark</p> <p>this decreases current (in transmission lines) \checkmark</p> <p>to minimize energy/power losses in transmission \checkmark</p>		3 max

8.	a		$E_1 = -13.6 \text{ eV}$ $E_2 = -\frac{13.6}{4} = -3.4 \text{ eV}$ ✓ energy of photon is difference $E_2 - E_1 = 10.2 \approx 10 \text{ eV}$ ✓	Must see at least 10.2 eV.	2
8.	b	i	$10 - 5.1 = 4.9 \text{ eV}$ ✓ $4.9 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} = 7.8 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ ✓	Allow 5.1 if 10.2 is used to give $8.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$.	2
8.	b	ii	EPE produced by battery ✓ exceeds maximum KE of electrons / electrons don't have enough KE ✓	For first mark, accept explanation in terms of electric potential energy difference of electrons between surface and plate.	2
8.	b	iii	4.9 V ✓	Allow 5.1 if 10.2 is used in (b)(i). Ignore sign on answer.	1

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8.	c	i	<p>two equally spaced vertical lines (judge by eye) at approximately 1/3 and 2/3 ✓ labelled correctly ✓</p> 		2
8.	c	ii	<p>kinetic energy at collecting plate = 0.9 «eV» ✓</p> $\text{speed} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 0.9 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31}}} = 5.6 \times 10^5 \text{ «ms}^{-1}\text{» } \checkmark$	Allow ECF from MP1	2