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5054 PHYSICS

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Paper 2 (Theory), maximum raw mark 75

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1 unit penalty per question, expect 2 or more sig. figs and 1 where 2nd fig is zero.

Fractions are treated as not showing final answer but can score C marks. Accept a fraction in Question 5.

Section A

- 1 (a) accelerates or speed increases **from rest/for 2-4s/for 8-20m** B1
then a constant/uniform speed **or** velocity B1
- (b) between 7 and 8 m B1
- (c) distance 80 (+ 2) or $s = d/t$ in any algebraic or numerical form C1
7.3 **or** 7.27 **or** 7.273 m/s A1 [5]
- 2 (a) (i) **molecules** move faster or more **kinetic energy** (when hotter) B1
(more) **molecules** have (enough) energy/speed **and** escape/leave surface/
break bonds/overcome forces of attraction B1
- (ii) large(r) area or wind or drier/dry atmosphere/draught or lower **atmospheric**
pressure B1
- (b) 40 seen or (E=) mL algebraic or numerical C1
92000 J A1 [5]
- 3 (a) mention of lower and upper fixed points **or** 0(°C) and 100(°C) **or** ice point/steam
point B1
(marks made on) thermometer with ice/**water** mixture
and (steam above) boiling water (at atmospheric pressure) B1
divided into 100 (equal) parts (**accept** 10 parts marked 10,20 etc.) B1
- (b) (i) 120°C **or** –10°C to 110°C B1
- (ii) each degree/scale marking/10°C/division is an equal distance/0.9–
1.1mm/cm/expansion B1
or appropriate graph a straight line B1
- (c) 10°C and 20°C marks clearly further up thermometer **and** roughly equal spacing B1 [6]
- 4 (a) reflections correct by eye B1
- (b) **all** the ray **reflects** back (into the denser medium/glass)
or reflection **and** no refraction/escape into air B1
- (c) more calls **or** greater bandwidth **or** more/faster data(/sec)/information **or** better
quality **or** less power loss/energy loss/attenuation **or** greater distance (between
repeaters) **or** harder to tap **or** less noise/interference B1
- (d) $f = v/\lambda$ in any form numerical or algebraic C1
 3.3×10^{14} Hz A1 [5]

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- 5 (a) any ray from top of object correct through lens within 1mm of optical centre or F
other ray from same point correct through lens meeting 1st ray **and** none wrong B1
B1
- (b) (i) image size/object size (accept image distance/object distance **or** v/u) B1
- (ii) 0.55–0.65 **ecf diagram in (a) sizes or distances** B1
- (c) rays completed to retina but would meet behind retina B1 [5]
- 6 (a) at least 3 approx straight lines in middle of coil B1
one loop around top or bottom of coil B1
correct direction shown on at least one line or loop B1
- (b) (i) 100 oscillations/cycles/waves/changes in direction (and back again) in 1 sec
or time for one oscillation etc. 0.01s B1
- (ii) coil/cone moves left to right **or** back and forth **or** oscillates/vibrates **or** in and out B1
(current in) coil produces magnetic field/pole(s)
or Left Hand Rule/current in magnetic field (gives force) B1
fields/poles (of coil) oscillate/reverse B1
force (exerted by magnet) oscillates/alternates (**accept** attracts/repels) B1 ANY 2 B2 [7]
- 7 (a) (i) 6 Ω B1
- (ii) $1/R = 1/R_1 + 1/R_2$ algebraic or numerical C1
2 Ω A1
- (b) $I = V/R$ algebraic or numerical C1
6 A **ecf** (ii) A1
- (c) ($I =$) 2 (A) **or** proportionality idea/potential divider idea seen C1
8 V A1 [7]
- 8 (a) different number of neutrons/ mass number B1
- (b) **time** taken to halve M1
(number of) nuclei/atoms/activity/count (rate)
(**not** radioactivity/amount/mass/substance/clearly **one** nucleus/particles) A1
- (c) **mark on graph** at 2000 or at two suitable points B1
12 s B1 [5]

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Section B

- 9 (a) (i) $A = B$ (assume opposite direction and co-linear) B1
- (ii) $B > A$ (assume opposite direction and co-linear) B1 [2]
maximum of 1 mark if directions wrong
- (b) towards **centre** of circle/corner B1 [1]
- (c) (i) 0 and 8–9 s B1
- (ii) chemical (potential energy) (**accept** electrical if electrical car clear) B1
to kinetic energy **or** K.E. increases B1
thermal energy/heat/internal energy produced B1
Max 2/3 if clear error
- (iii) acceleration = $(v-u)/t$ **or** gradient C1
(7.8 to) 8/5 (**accept** any corresponding period e.g. 8s 12.6–12.8, 6s 9.4–9.6) C1
1.6 m/s² (**accept** 1.56–1.60) A1
- (iv) area under graph **or** average speed 4 (m/s) **or** $\frac{1}{2}$ 5 speed used in (iii) at 5 s C1
 $\frac{1}{2} \times (7.8 \text{ to}) 8 \times 5$ C1
20 m (**accept** 19.5–20; **ecf** speed used in (iii) at 5 s) A1 [10]
- (d) speed of car/friction with road (accept slippery road or ice or water or oil on road)/
friction in engine/tyre condition or area or pressure/air resistance/wind speed or
direction/mass or inertia **of car or passengers/slope** of road B2 [2]
- 10 (a) resistance of cables B1
power/energy/heat loss **or** voltage drop **or** current low in cables/wires clear B1 [2]
- (b) low(er) current in line **or** less voltage drop/power/heat/energy loss B1
A steps voltage up or increases voltage or reduces current B1
B steps voltage down or decreases voltage or increases current B1 [3]
- (c) (i) two coils (no label needed) M1
coils labelled/described primary/input **and** secondary/output
or insulated **or** copper A1
coils on complete (soft) iron (core) B1
(accept from labelled diagram or description)
- (ii) alternating/changing **current** input B1
(alternating) magnetic field (produced in core **or** coil) B1
induced e.m.f./voltage/current (in secondary coil) B1 [6]
- (d) (i) $I = P/V$ algebraic or numerical C1
3 A A1
- (ii) $E = VIt$ **or** Pt algebraic or numerical **or** 600 (s) used C1
414 000 (J) **or** 414kJ **or** 410 000 (J) A1 [4]

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- 11 (a) –ve charge/electrons moves or rod gains electrons C1
 –ve charge/electrons move from cloth to rod A1
 positive electrons scores 0/2 in (a) and (b)(i) +ve moves max 1 mark
- (b) (i) (electrons) move to right/to X/to opposite side (to rod) / B1
 (electrons or –ve) repelled (by rod) or like charges repel B1
- (ii) +ve on left and –ve on right, inside or outside sphere B1
- (iii) +ve attracted to rod or unlike charges or +ve and –ve attract B1
 repulsion of –ve on sphere (by rod) weaker (than attraction) B1 [7]
- (c) (i) connection of sphere to earth/ground/0 V B1
- (ii) move down to the ground/earth **or** electrons on right/at X removed B1
 repelled (by –ve on rod) **or** move from –ve to 0 potential B1
- (iii) only +ve on sphere at left or clearly more positive on left than on right B1 [4]
- (d) Sensible example of a **use** of charging,
 e.g. precipitator, photocopier, spray painting, gold leaf electroscope, plates in CRO M1
 ink jet printer, Van de Graff generator, piezoelectric devices, capacitor, lightning
 conductor
 simple diagram showing effect A1
 a correctly charged object clear A1
 description of the function that the charge performs A1 [4]