

SECTION A

- A1.** (a) 1: the lines do not go through the origin; [2]
 2: the lines are not straight (lines) / gradient is not constant;
Award full marks if the candidate combines the two statements.
- (b) the petrol is stored in cans / initial volume of petrol not taken into account;
 the radius at $t = 0$ is probably the size/radius of the can;
or
 difficulty in measuring R ;
 some comment as to the whereabouts of the zero point in the experiment; [2]
- (c) $\lg(R) = n \lg(t) + \lg(k)$;
 therefore, n is the gradient of the line;
 suitable “triangle” to find the gradient; (*at least half the length of line*)
 $n = \frac{0.20}{0.50} = 0.4$; [4]
Accept an answer based on two data points.
- (d) (i) by reading the value of R at $t = 20$ ms for each of the five lines / *OWTTE*; [1]
 (ii) smooth curve with an intercept of $R = 5.0(\pm 1.0)$ m ; [2]
 and does not go outside error bars;
 (iii) no the line is not a straight-line; [2]
 even with the error bars it cannot be made to be a straight-line / *OWTTE*;
Award [0] if “no” and incorrect explanation or if there is no explanation.
- (e) choice of suitable data point in the range $V = 5 \rightarrow 15$
e.g. $R = 10.5$ for $10 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$;
 $E = \frac{r^5}{t^2}$;
 $= \frac{10.5^5}{(20 \times 10^{-3})^2} = 320 \times 10^6$;
 divide by 10 / other chosen value of V ;
 $\approx 30 \text{ MJ}$ for $1.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$ [4]

- A2.** (a) *e.m.f.:*
 the power supplied per unit current / the energy supplied per unit charge;
Ohm's law:
 the resistance of a conductor is constant / current proportional to potential difference
 if its temperature is constant; [2]
- (b) (i) $(2.5 \times 0.10) = 0.25 \text{ W}$; [1]
- (ii) $0.23 = I^2 R$;
 $R = \left(\frac{0.23}{0.10^2} \right) = 23 \Omega$; [2]
- (iii) power dissipated in cell = $0.02 \text{ W} = I^2 r$;
 $r = \frac{0.02}{0.10^2} = 2.0 \Omega$;
- or*
 use $E = IR + Ir$
 $2.5 = 0.10 \times 23 + 0.10r$;
 $r = \frac{0.20}{0.10} = 2.0 \Omega$; [2]
- (c) new internal resistance = 4.0Ω and new e.m.f. = 5.0 V ;
 $5.0 = 0.15R + 0.15 \times 4.0$;
 to give $R = 29 \Omega$;
 therefore, a non-ohmic device as resistance has changed/increased; [4]
Allow calculation of what current should be (0.19A) if R were constant.
Allow calculation based on power.
- A3.** (a) sensible shape of continuous spectrum;
sharp characteristic spectrum (only one need be shown);
 correct labelling of characteristic spectrum; [3]
- (b) (i) $E(\text{eV}) = \frac{hc}{e\lambda}$;
 $= \frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8}{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 6.6 \times 10^{-11}}$;
 $= 1.875 \times 10^4 \text{ eV} = 19 \text{ keV}$ [2]
- (ii) difference in energy levels = 19 keV ;
 therefore, energy level = $20 - 19 = 1.0 \text{ keV}$; (*accept* -1.0 keV) [2]

SECTION B

- B1.** (a) before and after collision there are no forces acting on the objects;
 from Newton 3 when the two bodies are in contact the forces that they exert on each other are equal and opposite / *OWTTE*;
 therefore, the net force on the two balls is always zero;
 therefore, there is no change in momentum (of the objects) / momentum is conserved;

or

*Accept an argument based on change in momentum of each individual object.
 e.g.*

from Newton 3 $F_{12} = -F_{21}$; (*accept statement in words*)

$$F_{12} = \frac{\Delta p_1}{\Delta t} \text{ and } F_{21} = \frac{\Delta p_2}{\Delta t};$$

$$\frac{\Delta p_1}{\Delta t} = -\frac{\Delta p_2}{\Delta t};$$

therefore, $\Delta p_1 + \Delta p_2 = 0$;

[4]

- (b) the blades exert a force on the air and by Newton's third law the air exerts an equal and opposite force on the blades / air has change in momentum downwards giving rise to a force and from Newton 3 there will a force upwards;
 if this force equals the weight of the helicopter;
 the net vertical force on the helicopter will be zero / *OWTTE*;

[3]

- (c) area = $\pi 0.7^2$;
 = 1.5 m^2

[1]

- (d) (i) volume of air per second = $1.5 \times 4.0 (\text{m}^3 \text{ s}^{-1})$;
 mass = volume \times density = $(1.2 \times 1.5 \times 4.0) = 7.2 \text{ kg s}^{-1}$;
No unit error for 7.2 kg.

[2]

- (ii) momentum per second = $(7.2 \times 4.0) = 29 \text{ N}$;

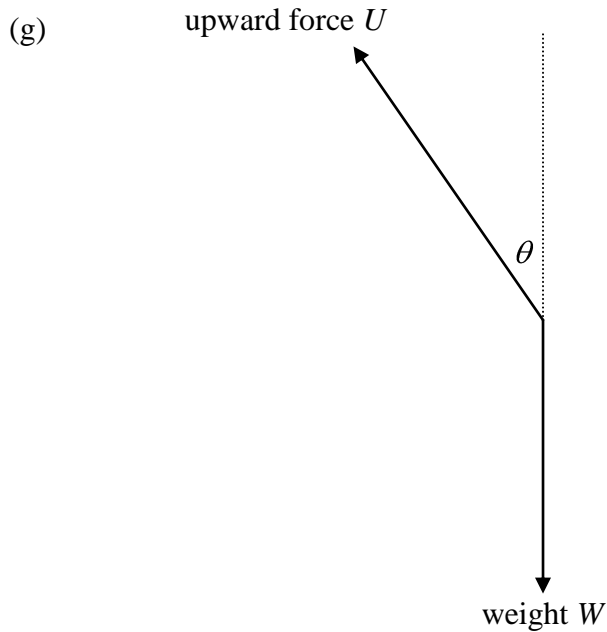
[1]

- (e) 29 N;

[1]

- (f) recognise that the force on the blades = Mg ;
 to give 3.0 kg;

[2]



correct relative directions of forces;
 upward force length greater than weight by eye;
 appropriate labelling of forces;
 angle θ as shown above;

[4]

Award [2 max] if extra force(s) drawn.

- (h) the forward force is the horizontal component of U ;
 resolve vertically $U \cos \theta = W$;
 horizontal component $F = U \sin \theta$;

divide to get $\frac{F}{W} = \tan \theta$;

$$F = (W \tan \theta) = Mg \tan \theta = Ma;$$

to give $a = g \tan \theta$

[5]

Award [5 max] for a correctly labelled force diagram incorporating mass with a justifying statement. Award [1 max] for triangle mixing accelerations and force.

- (i) work done in one cycle = $\frac{900}{300}$;
 = 3.0J

[1]

- (j) (i) isochoric / isovolumetric;

[1]

- (ii) B \rightarrow C absorbed;
 D \rightarrow A ejected;

[2]

Accept parallel arrows.

- (iii) $Q_1 - Q_2 = 3.0$;

$$1 - \frac{Q_2}{Q_1} = 0.6;$$

$$Q_1 = 5.0\text{J and } Q_2 = 2.0\text{J};$$

[3]

B2. Part 1 Waves

- (a) no energy is transferred;
variable amplitude / variable maximum displacement of particles / *OWTTE*;
points along the wave where amplitude is always zero / reference to phase / *OWTTE*; [2 max]
- (b) if two or more waves overlap / *OWTTE*;
the resultant displacement at any point is found by adding the displacements produced by each individual wave / e.g. peak/trough meets peak/trough to give maximum/minimum / *OWTTE*; [2]
- (c) (i) $t = \frac{T}{4}$: straight-line; (a line must be drawn on the diagram)
 $t = \frac{T}{2}$: negative sine; [2]
- (ii) the points of no displacement/nodes (at middle and ends) do not change with time;
therefore, the wave cannot be moving forward / does not progress; [2]
- (d) (i) maximum amplitude of oscillation;
when a periodic force is applied to it and the frequency of the force is equal to the natural frequency of vibration of the system / *OWTTE*; [2]
- (ii) frequency of wave $f = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \left(\frac{6.0 \times 10^3}{1.2 \times 10^4} \right) = 0.50 \text{ Hz}$;
natural frequency of oscillation of building = $\frac{1}{2.0} = 0.50 \text{ Hz}$;
the waves therefore, cause the building to resonate/vibrate violently / *OWTTE*; [3]
- (e) (i) the sound (heard) goes through a series of maximum and minimum intensities;
the frequency with which these occur is the beat frequency / with a regular frequency / *OWTTE*; [2]
- (ii) *beat frequency*:
time between two successive maxima = 0.05 s ;
therefore, $f = \left(\frac{1}{0.05} \right) = 20 \text{ Hz}$;
 f_x :
time for one complete oscillation = 0.01 s ;
therefore, $f_x = \left(\frac{1}{0.01} \right) = 100 \text{ Hz}$; (accept 100 → 125 Hz) [4]
- (f) 120 Hz/80 Hz; [1]
Answer to be consistent with (e)(ii).

Part 2 Neutron star

(a) the force per unit mass;
exerted on a point/small mass; [2]

(b) (i) energy required to move an object of mass m from the surface of the star to infinity = $m g_0 R$;
if objects KE is equal to this it will escape the gravitational influence of the star / *OWTTE*;
therefore, $\frac{1}{2} m v_e^2 = m g_0 R$;
to give $v_e = \sqrt{2 g_0 R}$ [3]

(ii) $g_0 = \frac{v_e^2}{2R}$;
 $\left(\frac{3.6^2 \times 10^{14}}{2 \times 1.6 \times 10^4} \right) = 4.1 \times 10^{10} \text{ N kg}^{-1}$; [2]

(c) centripetal acceleration = $\frac{v^2}{R} = \frac{4\pi^2 R}{T^2}$;
 $= \left(\frac{40 \times 1.6 \times 10^4}{4 \times 10^{-4}} \right) = 1.6 \times 10^9 \text{ ms}^{-2}$;
a comment to the effect that this is less than the gravitational field strength so that gravity will stop matter being torn away; [3]
Award [1 max] for calculation of linear speed ($5.0 \times 10^6 \text{ m s}^{-1}$) and a comment that this is less than the escape speed.

B3. Part 1 Gases and liquids

- (a) forces between gas molecules (except during collisions) are much smaller than between liquid molecules;
 speed of gas molecules much greater than speed of liquid molecules;
 motion/movement of gas molecules is less restricted than that for liquid molecules;
average separation of molecules much greater in a gas than in a liquid; [2 max]
- (b) the molecules do not have the same speed / the molecules have different speeds;
 the speed of the molecules change each time they collide / the speed of individual molecules is always changing / *OWTTE*; [2]
Accept use of words "kinetic energy" in place of speed.
- (c) the energy/heat required to raise/change the temperature of a substance by 1 K/°C; [1]
- (d) (i) the water is changing phase/boiling / KE of molecules is constant, (PE is changing); [1]
- (ii) time = 420(s);
 energy supplied = 300×420 ;
 $= 4.2 \times 10^3 \times 0.40 \times \Delta\theta$;
 to give $\Delta\theta = 75$;
 therefore, boiling temperature $\theta = 95^\circ\text{C}$; [5]
- (e) $300 \times 3.0 \times 10^3 = 0.40 L$;
 to give $L = 2.3 \times 10^6 \text{ J kg}^{-1}$; [2]

Part 2 Electrical conduction and induced currents

- (a) the force on the electrons produced by the electric field causes them to accelerate along the direction of the rod;
 however, they will (soon) collide with a lattice ion but after collision will again be accelerated (along the rod) before making another collision / *OWTTE*;
 hence the electrons gain a drift/net velocity in the direction of the wire / in the (opposite) direction to the field even though they still have random velocities / *OWTTE*; [3]

- (b) (i)  ; [1]

- (ii) Lenz's law says that the direction of the induced current is such as to oppose change;
 therefore, to produce a (magnetic) force that opposes F the current must be in direction shown / reference to left/right hand rule / *OWTTE*; [2]

- (iii) the force on the electrons is given by Bev ;
 as v increases so does this force and therefore, so does the induced current;
 therefore, net force on rod decreases / *OWTTE*; [3]

- (c) (i) the induced e.m.f. is equal/proportional to the rate of change/cutting of (magnetic) flux; [1]

- (ii) if the rod moves a distance Δx in time Δt then area swept out by rod = $l\Delta x$;
 flux = $Bl\Delta x$;
 rate of change of flux = $\frac{Bl\Delta x}{\Delta t} = Blv = \mathcal{E}$; [3]

- (iii) *induced current*:
 $I = \frac{F}{Bl}$;
 substitute to give $I = 3.1\text{ A}$;
speed v:
 $\mathcal{E} = IR = 0.47$;
 $\mathcal{E} = Bvl$ substitute to give $v = 4.5(4.4)\text{ ms}^{-1}$; [4]

B4. Part 1 Radioactive decay

- (a) (i) proton or neutron; [1]
- (ii) proton \rightarrow UUD / up, up down;
neutron \rightarrow UDD / up down down; [2]
Award [1 max] if transposed.
- (iii) both have the same number of protons but different number of neutrons;
strong force and Coulomb force between nucleons;
in Ar-36 strong force attraction and Coulomb repulsion balanced therefore nucleus stable;
in Ar-39 excess neutrons lead to an imbalance in forces hence nucleus unstable; [4]
Accept answer in terms of energy i.e. excess neutrons raises the PE of the nucleus.
- (b) (i) $Z = 19$;
 $N = 39$;
 $x \rightarrow$ anti-neutrino / $\bar{\nu}$; [3]
- (ii) (in beta decay) beta energy spectra are continuous;
this implies energy is not conserved (in beta decay);
the particle x/the anti-neutrino was postulated to account for the missing energy / *OWTTE*; [3]
- (iii) $\Delta m = 0.00061 \text{ u}$;
 $\Delta E (= 0.00061 \times 932) = 0.568 \text{ MeV}$;
 $(= 0.568 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-13}) = 9.1 \times 10^{-14} \text{ J}$; [3]
- (c) (i) the mass/amount of a sample;
activity A of the sample; [2]
- (ii) calculate the number of atoms N in the sample from the mass and the Avagadro constant;
use the relation $\frac{dN}{dt} = A = -\lambda N$ to find the decay constant;
calculate half-life from $T_{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda}$; [3]
Award [1] for (c)(i) and [2] for (c)(ii) if mass or activity of argon at two separate times measured in (c)(i) and used to find $T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ from correct equation.

Part 2 Friction

- (a) nature of the surfaces;
normal reaction;
relative motion of the surfaces; **[2 max]**
- (b) friction is the frictional force between an object and a surface / two surfaces;
static friction is (the frictional force) when the object/surfaces are at rest;
dynamic friction is (the frictional force) when the object is sliding / one of the
surfaces is sliding / moving with respect to the other;
some additional comment *e.g.* friction varies from zero to maximum / maximum
value of static friction always greater than kinetic friction; **[3 max]**
*Award [1 max] for an answer such as “friction force on an object at rest and friction
force on a moving object”. Some appreciation that it is friction between two surfaces is
required.*
- (c) $\mu_s = \left(\frac{7.2}{12}\right) = 0.60;$ **[1]**
- (d) it will accelerate;
since the coefficient of dynamic friction is less than coefficient of static friction;
therefore, frictional force acting is less than 7.2 N / a net force greater than zero
acting on the block; **[3]**
Award [0] for a bald statement or incorrect reasoning.
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