



2014

FORM V
EXAMINATION

Physics

Thursday 28th August 8.40AM

Working Time: 2 hours

General Instructions

- Working time – 2 hours
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- Write using blue or black pen
- Draw diagrams using pencil
- A Data Sheet, Formula Sheet and Periodic Table are provided at the back of this paper
- Write your name at the top of the Multiple Choice Answer Sheet & all pages of Part B
- Hand in your Multiple Choice Sheet and all of Part B in one bundle. (Do not staple together)

Total marks (97)

This paper has two parts: Part A and Part B.

Part A

Total marks (14)

- Attempt ALL Questions
- Allow about 20 minutes for this Part

Part B

Total marks (83)

- Attempt ALL Questions
- Allow about 1 hour 40 minutes for this Part

CHECKLIST

Each boy should have the following:

1 Question Paper

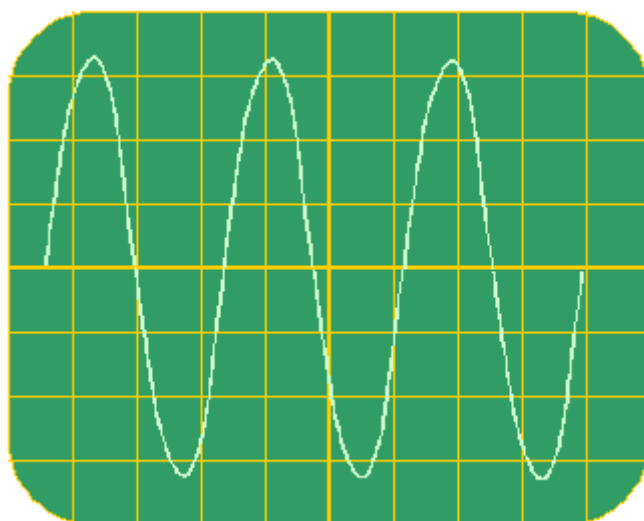
1 Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

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| 1 – PCK | 3 – AAH | 5 – AAH | 7 – PCK |
| 2 – MTK | 4 – SRW | 6 – MRW | |

EXAMINERS:

MRW/AAH/PCK/SRW/MTK

- 1 The cathode ray oscilloscope is a device that displays a graph of voltage (on the y-axis) versus time (on the x axis). In the diagram below, a cathode ray oscilloscope is used to measure the output of a microphone.



The screen scale is set to the following settings:-

- the y-scale is 2 V per division
- the x-scale is 5×10^{-4} s/division.

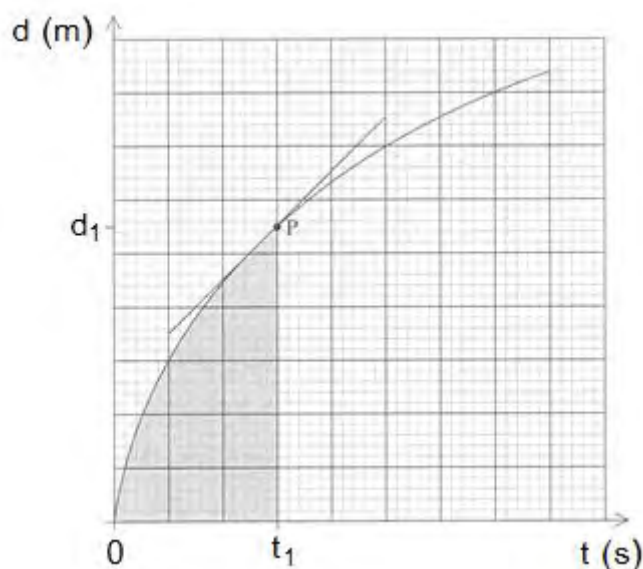
The frequency of the sound is closest to:

- (A) 1.4×10^{-3} Hz
(B) 340 Hz
(C) 357 Hz
(D) 714 Hz
- 2 Which of the following choices correctly lists components of the electromagnetic spectrum from the shortest to longest wavelength respectively?
- (A) Infrared, visible light, ultraviolet
(B) Infrared, microwave, radio waves
(C) Infrared, visible light, X-rays
(D) Gamma rays, ultraviolet, X-rays
- 3 When a water wave travels from deep water to shallow water, the wave slows down.
- This means:
- (A) frequency of the wave decreases and wavelength remains the same.
(B) both wavelength and frequency decrease.
(C) wavelength of the wave decreases and frequency remains the same.
(D) wavelength and frequency remain the same.

- 4 The time taken for an object dropped from rest to fall vertically through 16 m is 2.0 s. **Based on these measurements**, what is the best estimate for the magnitude of the acceleration of the object?

- (A) 4.0 ms^{-2}
(B) 8.0 ms^{-2}
(C) 9.8 ms^{-2}
(D) 10 ms^{-2}

- 5 The graph below shows how the displacement, d , of an object varies with time, t . The tangent to the curve at time t_1 is also shown.



Which of the following gives the instantaneous speed of the object at time t_1 ?

- (A) The gradient at P
(B) The shaded area
(C) $\frac{1}{\text{gradient at P}}$
(D) $\frac{d_1}{t_1}$

- 6 A person of weight 600 N is standing on a set of bathroom scales in a lift. The lift is accelerating upwards at 1.0 ms^{-2} .
The reading on the scales is closest to:-

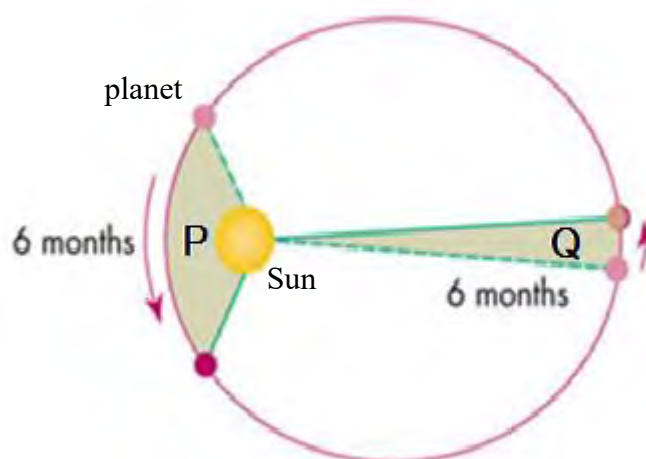
- (A) 0 N
(B) 540 N
(C) 600 N
(D) 660 N

- 7 Two objects undergo an inelastic collision in which no external forces are acting.

Which of the following describes the Conservation of Momentum and the Conservation of Kinetic Energy of the system?

| | Total Momentum | Total Kinetic Energy |
|-----|----------------|----------------------|
| (A) | conserved | not conserved |
| (B) | conserved | conserved |
| (C) | not conserved | not conserved |
| (D) | not conserved | conserved |

- 8 The diagram below depicts the motion of a planet around the Sun.



What is the ratio of the area on the left, P, to the area on the right, Q?

- (A) 1:1
(B) 1.5:1
(C) 2:1
(D) π :1

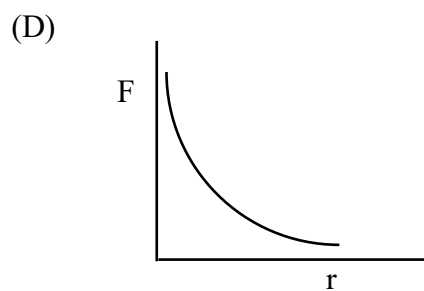
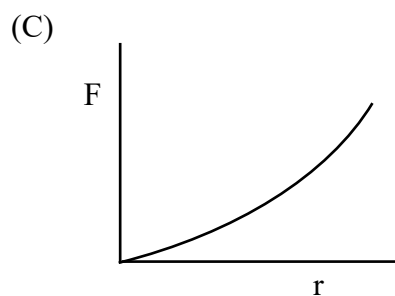
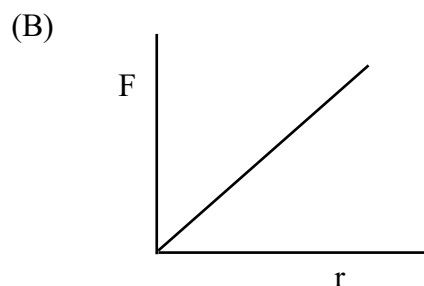
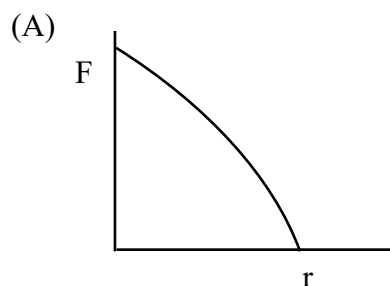
9 Who was the scientist that introduced the concept of “epicycles” into a model of the Universe?

- (A) Newton
- (B) Copernicus
- (C) Ptolemy
- (D) Kepler

10 Why is Copernicus’s model of the Solar System now considered wrong?

- (A) He placed the Earth at the centre of the Solar System.
- (B) He had nine planets rather than eight planets.
- (C) He could not explain the phases of Venus.
- (D) He showed the planets orbiting the Sun in circles.

11 The electrical force, F , between two small identical point charges is measured at different distances of separation, r . Which of the following graphs correctly shows how the electrical force, F , varies with separation, r ?



12 When drawing magnetic field lines, the stronger the magnetic field:

- (A) the closer together the magnetic field lines are.
- (B) the more nearly parallel the magnetic field lines are.
- (C) the further apart the magnetic field lines are.
- (D) the more divergent the magnetic field lines are.

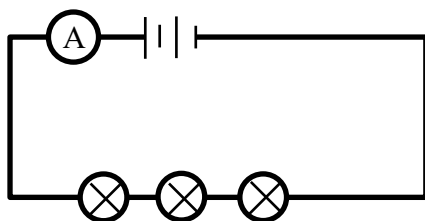
- 13 A uniform electric field exists between two parallel plates separated by 0.20 m. A force of 4.5×10^{-9} N acts on a particle of charge 2.5×10^{-12} C between the plates.

What is the potential difference between the plates?

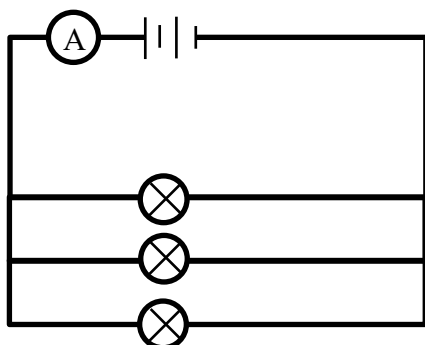
- (A) 360 V
- (B) 450 V
- (C) 1800 V
- (D) 4500 V

- 14 Which of the following arrangements of three identical light globes connected to the same battery would give the highest reading on the ammeter, A?

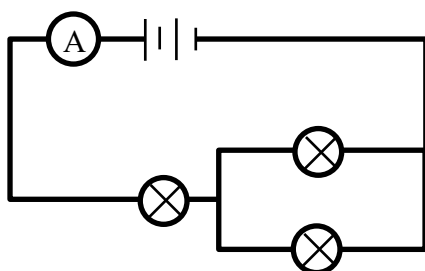
(A)



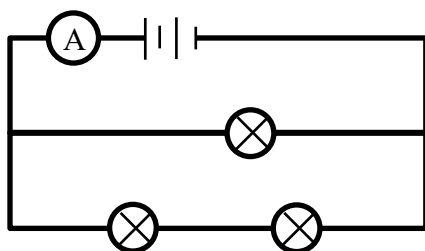
(B)



(C)



(D)



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Part B

Total marks (83)

Attempt ALL Questions

Allow about 1 hour and 40 minutes for this Part

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Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

Show all relevant working in questions involving calculations.

Question 15 (2 marks)

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The intensity of a point source of light is 10 Wm^{-2} at a distance of 2 m.

Calculate the intensity at a distance of 5 m away from the point source.

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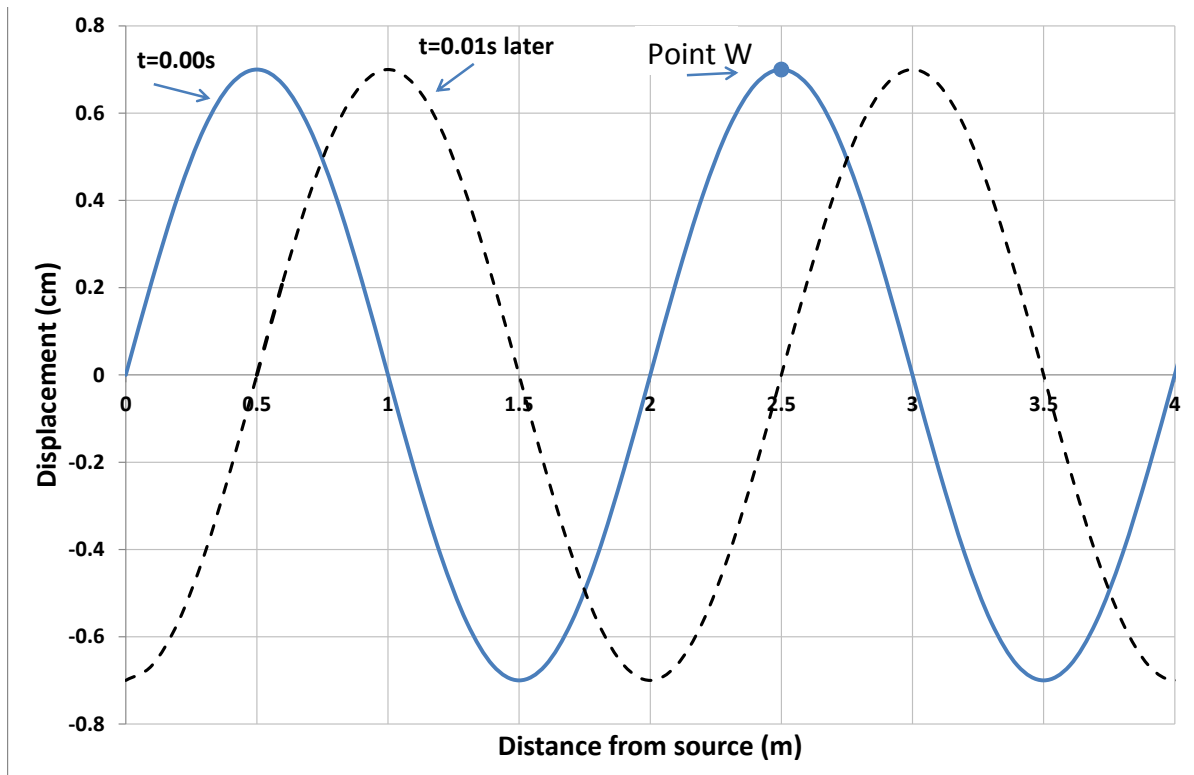
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Question 16 (6 marks)

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The following diagram shows the displacement versus distance graph for a transverse wave moving to the right at two instants of time: $t = 0.0$ s and 0.01 s later.



(a) Use the graphs above to determine:-

(i) the amplitude of the wave.

1

(ii) the wavelength of the wave.

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(iii) the speed of the wave.

1

(iv) the frequency of the wave.

1

(v) the period of the wave.

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(vi) the direction of motion of the particle at point W between $t = 0.0$ s and $t = 0.01$ s.

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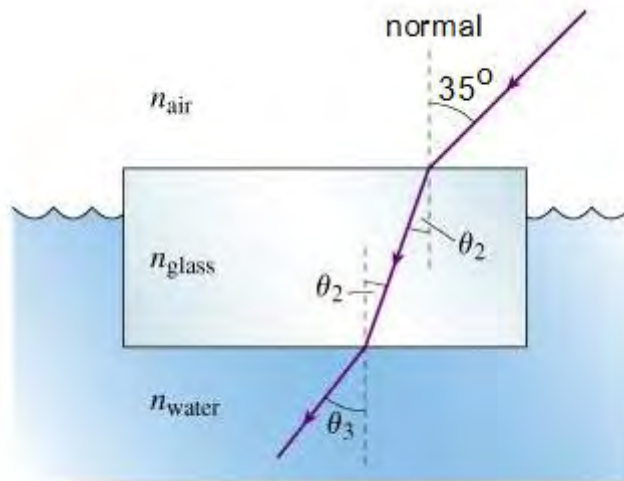
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Question 17 (5 marks)

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A light ray is shone from air ($n_{\text{air}}=1.0$) through glass ($n_{\text{glass}}= 1.49$) to water ($n_{\text{water}}=1.33$). The angle of incidence is 35°



- (a) Calculate the angle of refraction, θ_2 , as the light passes from air to glass.

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- (b) Calculate the angle of refraction into the water θ_3 , as the light passes from glass to water.

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(c) Calculate the speed of light in the water.

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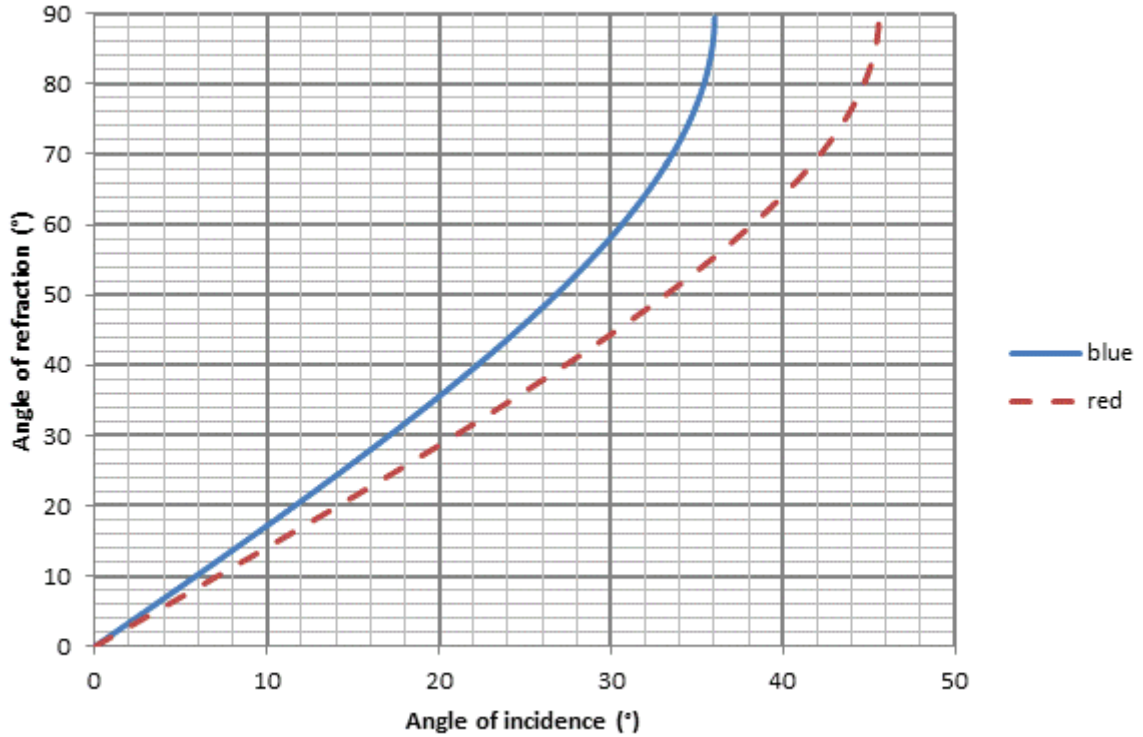
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Question 18 (7 marks)

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The refractive index of Medium X varies depending on the wavelength of the light entering it. The graph below shows how the angle of refraction varies depending on the angle of incidence when blue and red light travel **from Medium X to air**.



- (a) Use the graph to determine the critical angle for blue light in Medium X. 2

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(b) Determine the refractive index for blue light in Medium X.

2

(c) What would the angle of incidence have to be for there to be a 16 degree difference in the angle of refraction between blue and red light when the light travels from Medium X to air?

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(d) Identify which colour of light slows down the most in Medium X.
Explain your answer.

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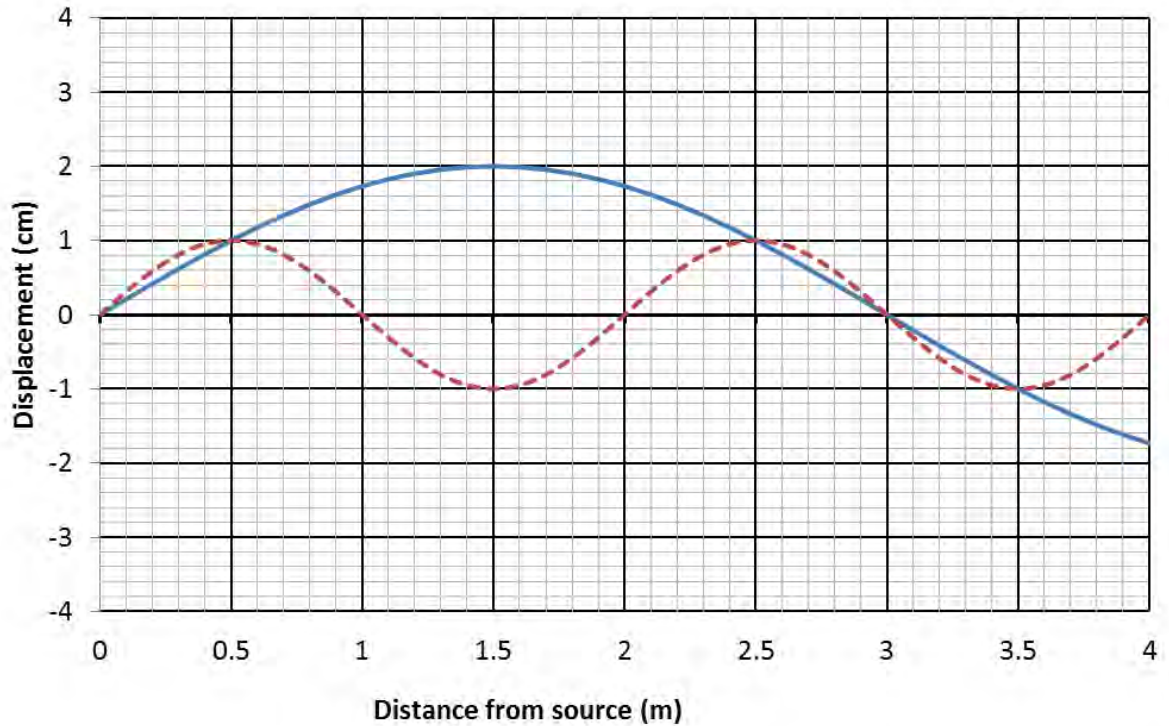
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Question 19 (2 marks)

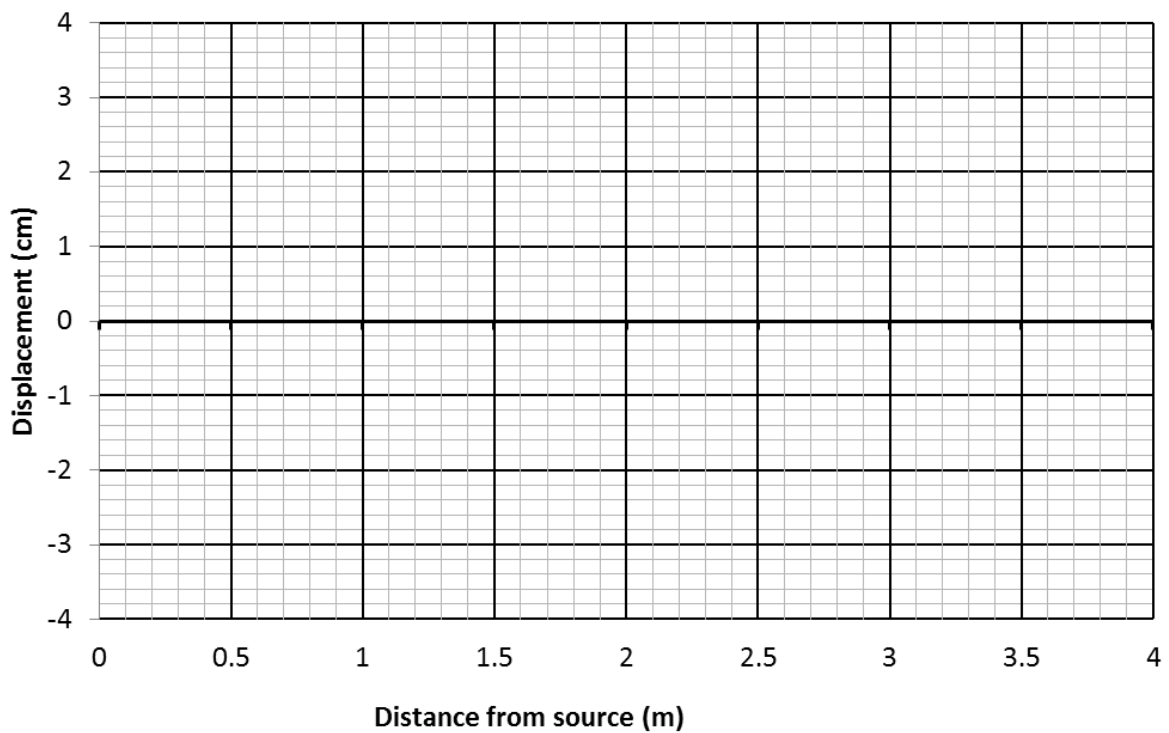
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The following graph shows a medium with 2 waves moving through it simultaneously.



Draw the combined displacement of the medium as a result of these 2 waves.

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Question 20 (2 marks)

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Ganymede and Callisto both orbit the planet Jupiter.

| Moon | Period (days) | Mean Distance from Jupiter (million km) |
|-------------|----------------------|--|
| Callisto | 16.69 | 1.88 |
| Ganymede | ? | 1.07 |

Use the data in the above table to determine the period of Ganymede's orbit around Jupiter.

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Question 21 (7 marks)

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- (a) An element of mass number 241 and atomic number 95 undergoes an alpha decay.

Write a nuclear decay equation using correct chemical symbols for this reaction.

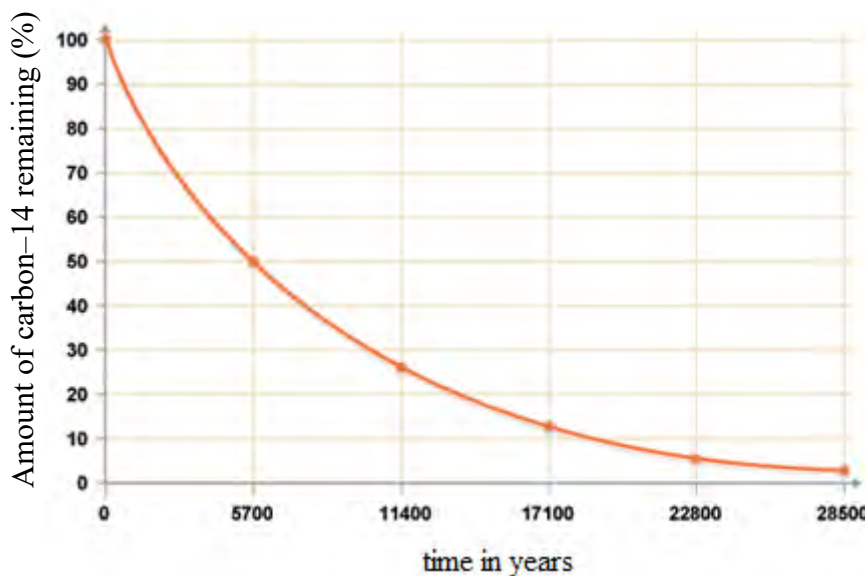
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- (b) Carbon-14 undergoes beta minus decay.

Write a nuclear decay equation for this reaction.

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- (c) (i) The decay graph for carbon-14 is depicted below.



Using this graph, determine the half-life for carbon-14.

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- (ii) If a piece of wood is measured to have only 1/16 of its original carbon-14 remaining, how old is the piece of wood?

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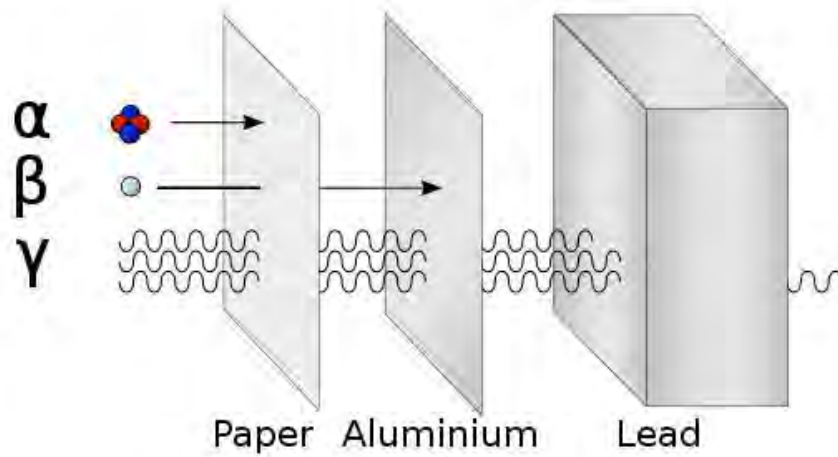
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Question 22 (2 marks)

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Consider the following diagram.



Explain why gamma rays are significantly more penetrating than alpha particles.

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Question 23 (4 marks)

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With the aid of labelled diagrams, show how the geocentric and heliocentric models of the Universe explain the retrograde motion of Mars.

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Question 24 (5 marks)

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A racing car is attempting to break the ‘standing kilometre’ time record. From rest, when the starting light turns green, the car accelerates at its maximum rate and crosses the finish line 40 s later on the race track travelling at 180 kmh^{-1} .

- (a) Calculate the final speed of the racing car in ms^{-1} . 1

- (b) Calculate the acceleration of the racing car for the 40 s. 1

- (c) Calculate the average speed of the racing car in for the 40 s. 1

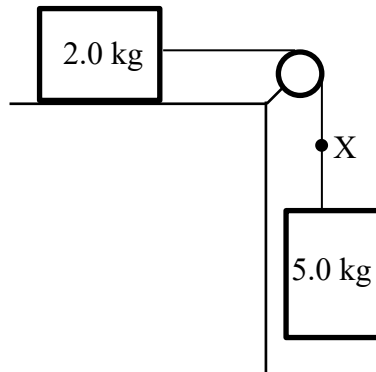
- (d) Immediately after crossing the finish line, the racing car applied the brakes. It took 90 s for the car to come to rest. Assuming uniform deceleration, calculate the distance travelled from the finishing line until the racing car came to rest. 2

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Question 25 (2 marks)**Marks**

Consider the two blocks shown in the following diagram.



The blocks are connected by a light, inextensible string over a frictionless pulley. The 2.0 kg block is resting on a smooth horizontal surface.

Calculate the magnitude of the tension force in the string at X.

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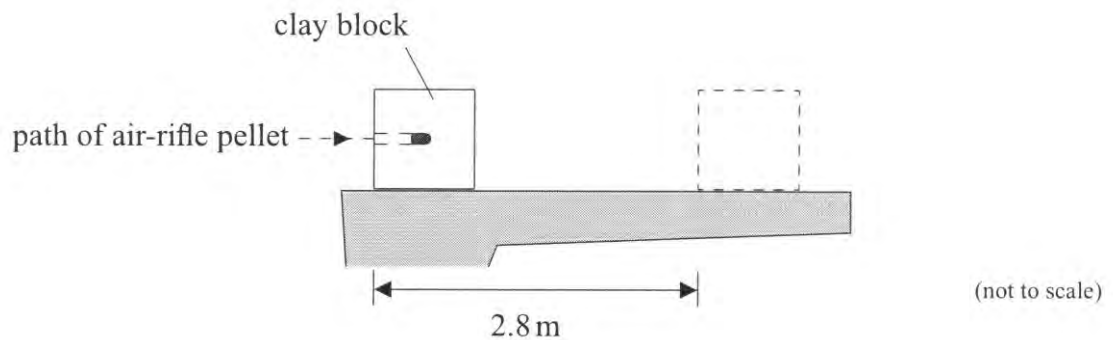
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Question 26 (5 marks)

Marks

In an experiment, an air-rifle pellet is fired into a clay block that rests on a horizontal table.



The air-rifle pellet remains inside the clay block after impact. As a result of the collision, the clay block slides along the table in a straight line and comes to rest. Further data related to the experiment are given below.

- Mass of air-rifle pellet = 2.0 g
- Mass of clay block = 56 g
- Velocity of pellet just before impact = 140 ms⁻¹
- Stopping distance of clay block = 2.8 m

- (a) Calculate the speed of the clay block immediately after the air-rifle pellet strikes it.

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- (b) Calculate the magnitude of the average force of friction that the table exerts on the clay block while it is coming to rest.

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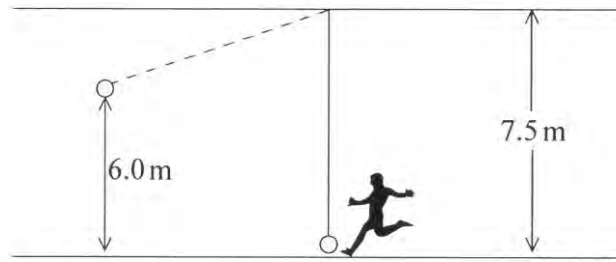
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Question 27 (4 marks)

Marks

A ball is suspended from a ceiling by a string 7.5 m long. The ball is kicked horizontally and rises to a maximum height of 6.0 m as shown in the following diagram.



- (a) Ignoring air resistance, calculate the initial speed of the ball immediately after it is kicked.

2

- (b) The mass of the ball is 0.550 kg and the impact time of the kicker's foot with the ball is 0.15 s.

Calculate the magnitude of the average force exerted on the ball by the kick.

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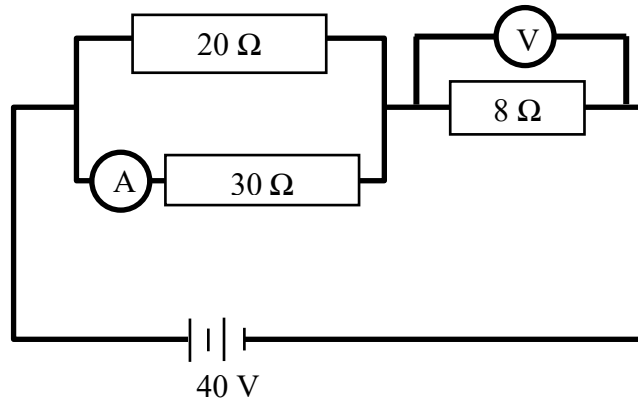
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Question 28 (6 marks)

Marks

Consider the circuit shown in the diagram below.



- (a) Determine the total resistance of the circuit.

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- (b) Determine the total current in the circuit.

1

- (c) Determine the reading on the voltmeter in the circuit.

1

- (d) Determine the reading on the ammeter in the circuit.

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Question 29 (5 marks)

Marks

A house light is used to convert electrical energy into light energy. The house light draws 6 A of current when connected to a 240 V power supply.

- (a) Calculate the resistance of the house light. 1

- (b) Calculate the number of electrons flowing per second through the house light. 2

- (c) Briefly explain what will happen to the power output if a higher resistance house light is used with the 240 V power supply. 2

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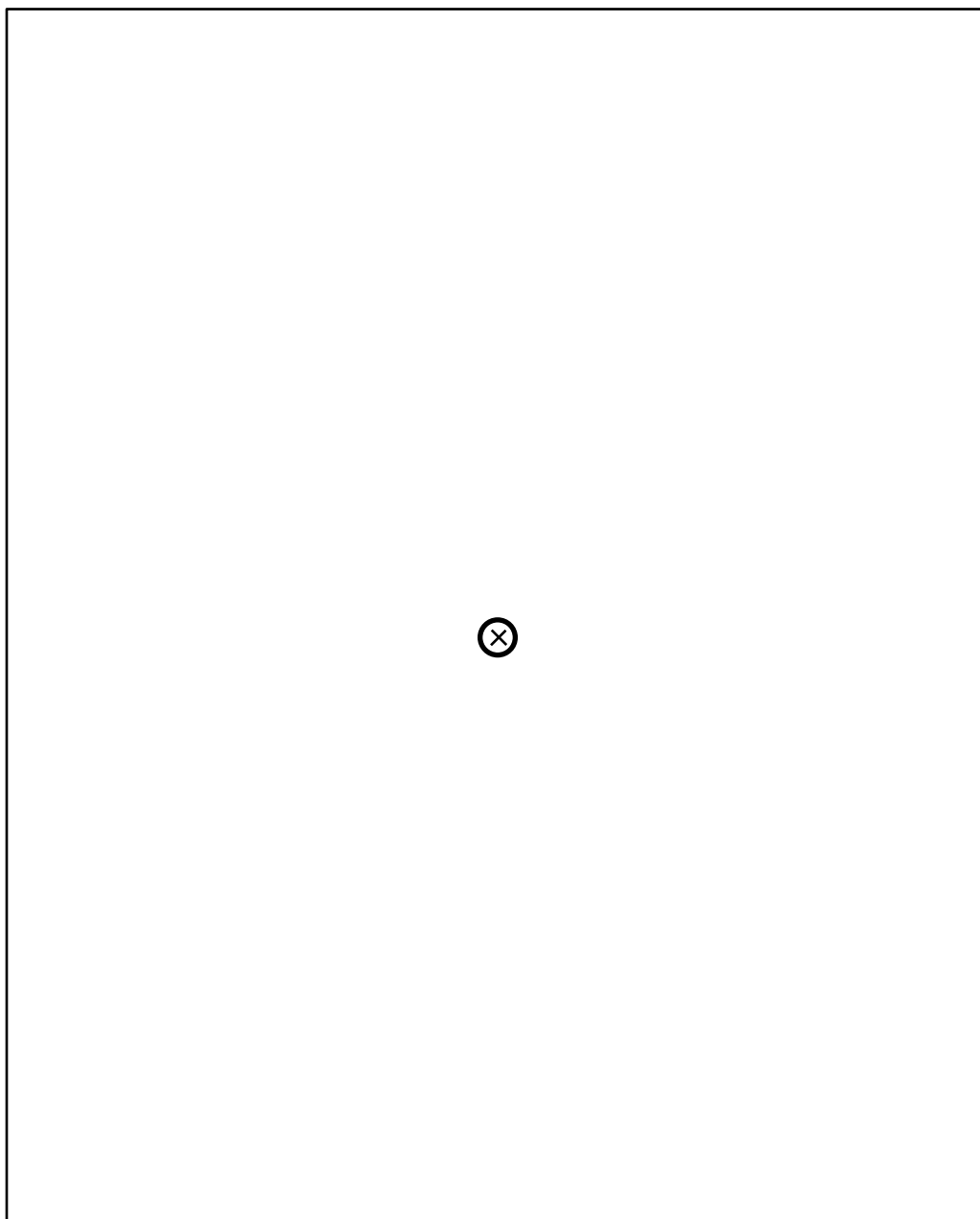
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Question 30 (2 marks)

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Draw the magnetic field surrounding a wire carrying conventional current into the page.

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Question 31 (2 marks)

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Double insulation, fuses and circuit breakers are three safety features commonly used in electrical circuits within the home.

Choose one of these features and briefly describe the general principle of the named feature.

Name of feature : _____

Description : _____

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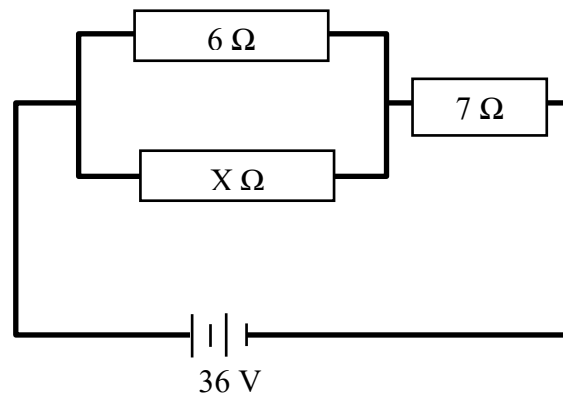
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Question 32 (3 marks)

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Consider the following circuit.



A current of 0.5 A flows through resistor X.

- (a) Calculate the current through the 6 Ω resistor.

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- (b) Calculate the value of the resistor labelled X.

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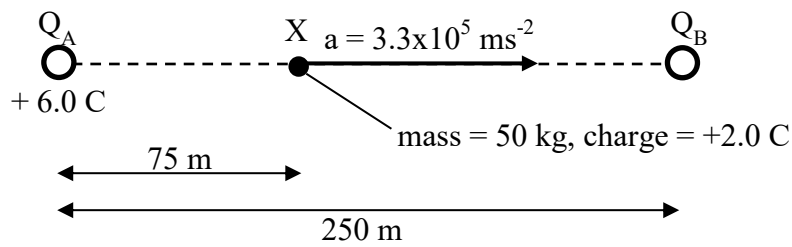
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Question 33 (4 marks)

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The diagram below shows two charges, Q_A and Q_B fixed in place and separated by a distance of 250 m. Q_A has a charge of +6.0 C, but the charge on Q_B is unknown. A third charge, of mass 50 kg and charge +2.0 C, is placed at X, 75 m from Q_A .



When it is released, the charge at X has an acceleration of $3.3 \times 10^5 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ to the right.

Calculate the charge Q_B .

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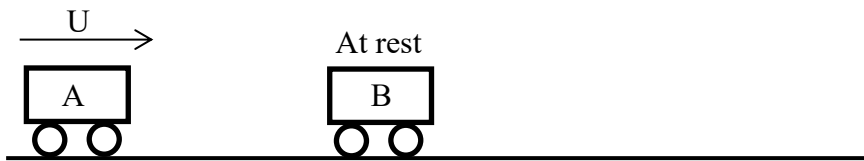
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Question 34 (4 marks)

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The diagram below shows two trolleys, A and B. Initially, trolley A of mass 2.0 kg has a velocity of U to the right and trolley B of mass m_B is at rest.



Trolleys A and B collide elastically. After the collision, trolley A has a velocity of $7U/9$ to the right.

Calculate the mass of trolley B.

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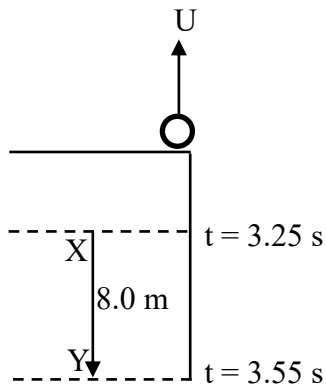
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Question 35 (4 marks)

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A ball is thrown upwards at a speed U from the top of a high building as shown in the diagram below.



The ball passes a point X 3.25 s after it was thrown, and a point Y, which is 8.0 m below X, 0.30 s later.

Calculate the initial speed, U , of the ball.

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Physics

Data Sheet

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|---|---|
| Charge on the electron, q_e | $-1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ |
| Mass of electron, m_e | $9.109 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$ |
| Mass of neutron, m_n | $1.675 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ |
| Mass of proton, m_p | $1.673 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ |
| Speed of sound in air | 340 m s^{-1} |
| Earth's gravitational acceleration, g | 9.8 m s^{-2} |
| Radius of Earth, R_E | $6.4 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$ |
| Speed of light, c | $3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ |
| Magnetic force constant, $\left(k \equiv \frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \right)$ | $2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ N A}^{-2}$ |
| Universal gravitational constant, G | $6.7 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N m}^2 \text{ kg}^{-2}$ |
| Mass of Earth | $6.0 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$ |
| Planck's constant, h | $6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$ |
| Rydberg's constant, R (hydrogen) | $1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ |
| Atomic mass unit, u | $1.661 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ $931.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ |
| 1 eV | $1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ |
| Density of water, ρ | $1.00 \times 10^3 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$ |
| Specific heat capacity of water | $4.18 \times 10^3 \text{ J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ |
| Coulomb's constant, k | $9.0 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2\text{C}^{-2}$ |

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$$v_{av} = \frac{\Delta r}{\Delta t}$$

$$a_{av} = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t} = \frac{v-u}{t}$$

$$v = u + at$$

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2ar$$

$$r = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$\Sigma F = ma$$

$$F = \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$E_p = mgh$$

$$W = Fr$$

$$p = mv$$

$$\Delta p = F_n t$$

$$F = mg$$

$$E = \frac{F}{q}$$

$$E = \frac{V}{d}$$

$$F = \frac{kQ_1Q_2}{d^2}$$

$$I = \frac{Q}{t}$$

$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

$$P = VI$$

$$\text{Energy} = VIt$$

$$v = f\lambda$$

$$f = \frac{1}{T}$$

$$I \propto \frac{1}{d^2}$$

$$\frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$$

$$n\lambda = d \sin \theta$$

$$n\lambda = \frac{dx}{L}$$

$$E_p = -\frac{Gm_1m_2}{r}$$

$$\frac{r^3}{T^2} = \frac{GM}{4\pi^2}$$

$$F = \frac{Gm_1m_2}{d^2}$$

$$E = mc^2$$

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$$\frac{F}{l} = k \frac{I_1 I_2}{d}$$

$$d = \frac{1}{P}$$

$$F = BIl \sin \theta$$

$$M = m - 5 \log \left(\frac{d}{10} \right)$$

$$\tau = Fd$$

$$\frac{I_A}{I_B} = 100(m_B - m_A)/5$$

$$\tau = nBIA \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{V_p}{V_s} = \frac{n_p}{n_s}$$

$$m_1 + m_2 = \frac{4\pi^2 r^3}{GT^2}$$

$$F = qvB \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_f^2} - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \right]$$

$$E = \frac{V}{d}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mv}$$

$$E = hf$$

$$A_0 = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}}$$

$$c = f\lambda$$

$$\frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = -\frac{R_f}{R_i}$$

$$Z = \rho v$$

$$\frac{I_r}{I_0} = \frac{[Z_2 - Z_1]^2}{[Z_2 + Z_1]^2}$$

$$\text{Surface area of a sphere of radius, } R = 4\pi R^2$$

PERIODIC TABLE OF THE ELEMENTS

| 1 | | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 | | 8 | | 9 | | 10 | |
|-------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|---------------------------|--|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|
| H 1.008 Hydrogen | | He 4.003 Helium | | Li 6.941 Lithium | | Be 9.012 Beryllium | | B 10.81 Boron | | C 12.01 Carbon | | N 14.01 Nitrogen | | O 16.00 Oxygen | | F 19.00 Fluorine | | Ne 20.18 Neon | |
| 11 | | 12 | | 13 | | 14 | | 15 | | 16 | | 17 | | 18 | | 19 | | 20 | |
| Na 22.99 Sodium | | Mg 24.31 Magnesium | | Al 26.98 Aluminium | | Si 28.09 Silicon | | P 30.97 Phosphorus | | S 32.07 Sulfur | | Cl 35.45 Chlorine | | Ar 39.95 Argon | | K 39.10 Potassium | | Ca 40.08 Calcium | |
| 37 | | 38 | | 39 | | 40 | | 41 | | 42 | | 43 | | 44 | | 45 | | 46 | |
| Rb 85.47 Rubidium | | Sr 87.61 Strontium | | Y 88.91 Yttrium | | Zr 91.22 Zirconium | | Nb 92.91 Niobium | | Mo 95.96 Molybdenum | | Tc 98.91 Technetium | | Ru 101.1 Ruthenium | | Rh 102.9 Rhodium | | Pd 106.4 Palladium | |
| 55 | | 56 | | 57-71 | | 72 | | 73 | | 74 | | 75 | | 76 | | 77 | | 78 | |
| Cs 132.9 Caesium | | Ba 137.3 Barium | | Lanthanoids | | Hf 178.5 Hafnium | | Ta 180.9 Tantalum | | W 183.9 Tungsten | | Re 186.2 Rhenium | | Os 190.2 Osmium | | Ir 192.2 Iridium | | Pt 195.1 Platinum | |
| 87 | | 88 | | 89-103 | | 104 | | 105 | | 106 | | 107 | | 108 | | 109 | | 110 | |
| Fr Francium | | Ra Radium | | Actinoids | | Rf Rutherfordium | | Db Dubnium | | Sg Seaborgium | | Bh Bohrium | | Hs Hassium | | Mt Meitnerium | | Ds Darmstadtium | |

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| Atomic Number | 79 |
| Symbol | Au |
| Standard Atomic Weight | 197.0 |
| Name | Gold |

Lanthanoids

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| 57 | La 138.9 Lanthanum | 58 | Ce 140.1 Cerium | 59 | Pr 140.9 Praseodymium | 60 | Nd 144.2 Neodymium | 61 | Pm Promethium | 62 | Sm 150.4 Samarium | 63 | Eu 152.0 Europium | 64 | Gd 157.3 Gadolinium | 65 | Tb 158.9 Terbium | 66 | Dy 162.5 Dysprosium | 67 | Ho 164.9 Holmium | 68 | Er 167.3 Erbium | 69 | Tm 168.9 Thulium | 70 | Yb 173.1 Ytterbium | 71 | Lu 175.0 Lutetium |
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Actinoids

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| 89 | Ac Actinium | 90 | Th 232.0 Thorium | 91 | Pa 231.0 Protactinium | 92 | U 238.0 Uranium | 93 | Np Neptunium | 94 | Pu Plutonium | 95 | Am Americium | 96 | Cm Curium | 97 | Bk Berkelium | 98 | Cf Californium | 99 | Es Einsteinium | 100 | Fm Fermium | 101 | Md Mendelevium | 102 | No Nobelium | 103 | Lr Lawrencium |
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Elements with atomic numbers 112 and above have been reported but not fully authenticated.

Standard atomic weights are abridged to four significant figures.

Elements with no reported values in the table have no stable nuclides.

The International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry Periodic Table of the Elements (February 2010 version) is the principal source of data. Some data may have been modified.

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2014
FORM V
ANNUAL EXAMINATION

Physics
Part A
ANSWER SHEET

General Instructions

- Write your class and candidate number in the space provided.
- Attempt all questions 1 – 14
- Use a blue or black pen
- Select the alternative A, B, C, or D that best answers the question.
- Fill in the response circle completely.

1. A B C
2. A B C D
3. A B C D
4. A B C D
5. A B C D
6. A B C D
7. A B C D
8. A B C D
9. A B C D
10. A B C D
11. A B C D
12. A B C D
13. A B C D
14. A B C D

Part B**Total marks (83)****Attempt ALL Questions****Allow about 1 hour and 40 minutes for this Part**

Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

Show all relevant working in questions involving calculations.

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Question 15 (2 marks)**Marks**

The intensity of a point source of light is 10 Wm^{-2} at a distance of 2 m.

Calculate the intensity at a distance of 5 m away from the point source.

2

$$I_A d_A^2 = I_B d_B^2 \quad (\text{if } I \propto \frac{1}{d^2} \text{ then } I = \frac{k}{d^2}, \text{ } I d^2 = \text{constant}).$$

$$(I_A = 10 \text{ Wm}^{-2}, d_A = 2 \text{ m}) \quad (I_B = ?, d_B = 5 \text{ m})$$

$$I_B = I_A \left(\frac{d_A}{d_B}\right)^2 = 10 \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 = 10 \left(\frac{4}{25}\right)$$

$$= 1.6 \text{ Wm}^{-2}$$

- ① right equation using all 4 variables.
 ① right answer -

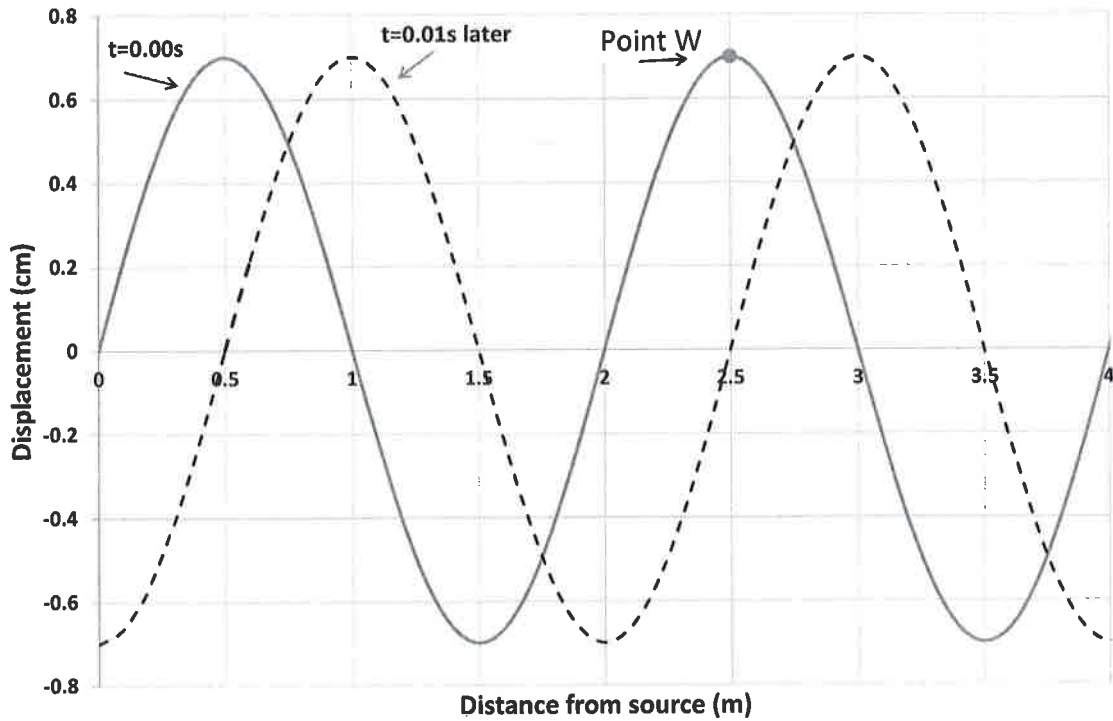
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Question 16 (6 marks)

Marks

The following diagram shows the displacement versus distance graph for a transverse wave moving to the right at two instants of time: $t = 0.0 \text{ s}$ and 0.01 s later.



(a) Use the graphs above to determine:-

(i) the amplitude of the wave.

0.7cm (must have units)

1

(ii) the wavelength of the wave.

2m

1

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(iii) the speed of the wave.

1

Wave moves 0.5m in 0.01s

$$v = \frac{d}{t} = \frac{0.5}{0.01} = 50 \text{ m/s}$$

(can use period, frequency from (iv) or (v))
 $v = f\lambda$

(iv) the frequency of the wave.

1

$$v = f\lambda \quad f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{50}{2} = \cancel{200} = 25 \text{ Hz.}$$

(v) the period of the wave.

1

Period = $4 \times 0.01 \text{ s}$ (from graph)

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{f} \text{ from (iv)} = 0.04 \text{ s.}$$

(vi) the direction of motion of the particle at point W between $t = 0.0 \text{ s}$ and $t = 0.01 \text{ s}$.

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Downwards. from 0.7cm to 0cm.

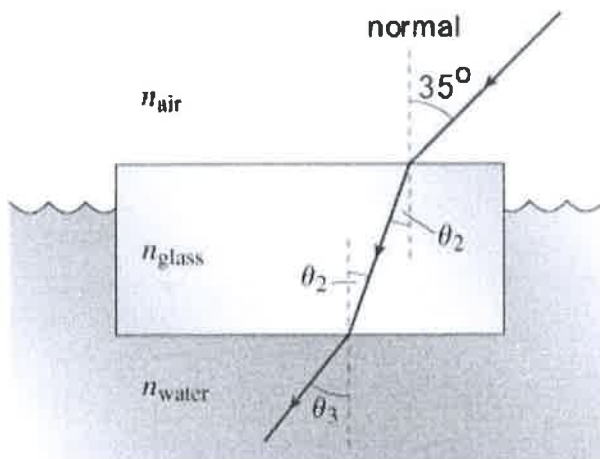
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Question 17 (5 marks)

Marks

A light ray is shone from air ($n_{\text{air}}=1.0$) through glass ($n_{\text{glass}}= 1.49$) to water ($n_{\text{water}}=1.33$). The angle of incidence is 35°



- (a) Calculate the angle of refraction, θ_2 , as the light passes from air to glass.

2

$$n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$$

$$1 \sin 35^\circ = 1.49 \sin \theta_2 \quad \textcircled{1} \text{ correct substitution into correct equation}$$

$$\sin \theta_2 = \frac{\sin 35^\circ}{1.49} \quad \textcircled{1} \text{ correct answer solved}$$

$$\theta_2 = 22.64^\circ$$

- (b) Calculate the angle of refraction into the water θ_3 , as the light passes from glass to water.

2

$$1.49 \sin 22.64^\circ = 1.33 \sin \theta_3 \quad \textcircled{1} \text{ correctly using both refractive indexes.}$$

$$\sin \theta_3 = \frac{1.49}{1.33} \sin 22.64.$$

$$\theta_3 = 25.55^\circ \quad \textcircled{1} \text{ solve equation for answer.}$$

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(carry forward angle from (a), but must use (a) not 35°)

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(c) Calculate the speed of light in the water.

1

$$n_3 = \frac{c}{v}, \quad v_3 = \frac{c}{n_3} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{1.33}$$

$$= 2.26 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

Many answered using Snells Law.

From formula sheet or

$$\frac{\sin i}{\sin r} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{\left(\frac{v_1}{f}\right)}{\left(\frac{v_2}{f}\right)} = \frac{v_1}{v_2}$$

It can be shown

$$\frac{\sin \theta_1}{v_1} = \frac{\sin \theta_2}{v_2} = \frac{\sin \theta_3}{v_3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_3 &= v_1 \frac{\sin \theta_3}{\sin \theta_1} \\ &= 3 \times 10^8 \times \frac{\sin 25.5^\circ}{\sin 35^\circ} \\ &= 2.26 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$

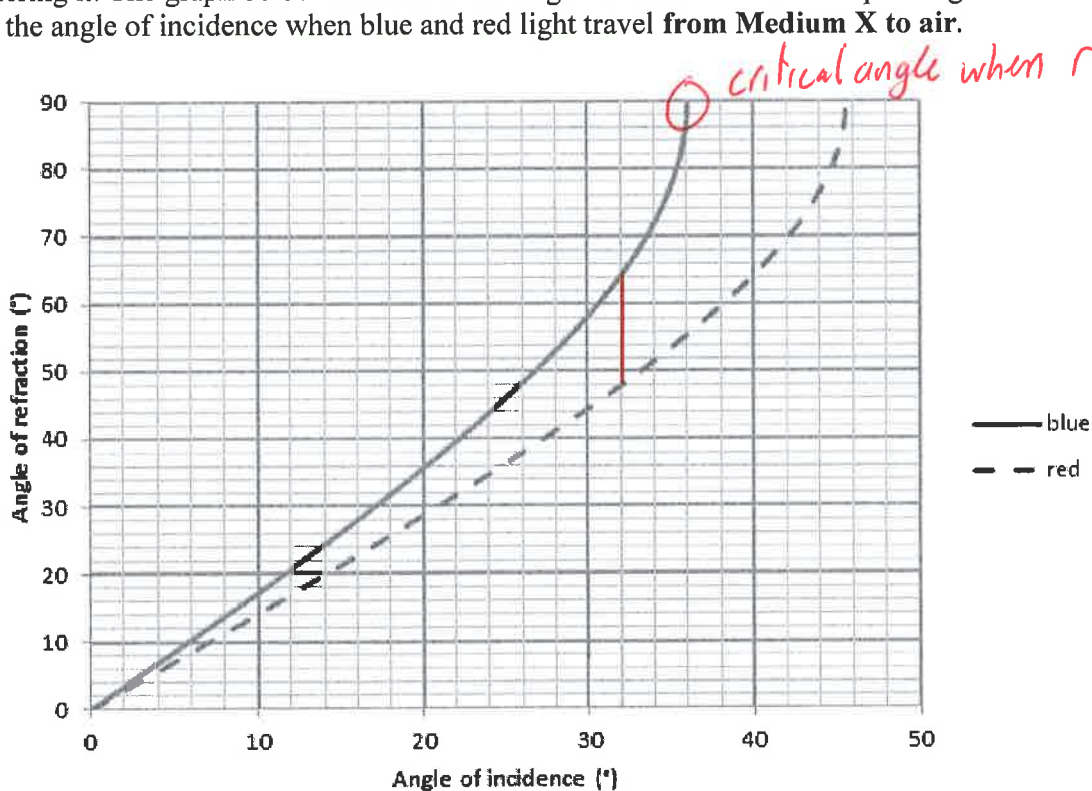
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Question 18 (7 marks)

Marks

The refractive index of Medium X varies depending on the wavelength of the light entering it. The graph below shows how the angle of refraction varies depending on the angle of incidence when blue and red light travel **from Medium X to air**.



(a) Use the graph to determine the critical angle for blue light in Medium X.

2

36° (when refracted angle = 90°).

① right colour used (red = 45-46°)

① correct critical angle.

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(b) Determine the refractive index for blue light in Medium X.

2

$$\frac{\sin 36^\circ}{\sin 90^\circ} = \frac{n_{air}}{n_x} = \frac{1}{n_x}, \quad n_x = \frac{1}{\sin 36^\circ} = 1.07$$

① correct formula or method

① correct answer

(c) What would the angle of incidence have to be for there to be a 16 degree difference in the angle of refraction between blue and red light when the light travels from Medium X to air?

1

32° (31.5 - 32.5 accepted)

(d) Identify which colour of light slows down the most in Medium X. Explain your answer.

2

Blue light ① mark

① Refraction comparison For the same incident angle blue light is refracted more away from the normal. This would indicate a greater change in speed entering air where both go at the same speed.

② Refractive Index comparison The refractive index of red light is 1.4 (must be calculated for comparison). means it slows down less than blue light at 1.7.

③ Calculation of velocities $v_{blue} = 1.8 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$, $v_{red} = 2.1 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

Note: Answers must make an implicit link between observation and outcome.

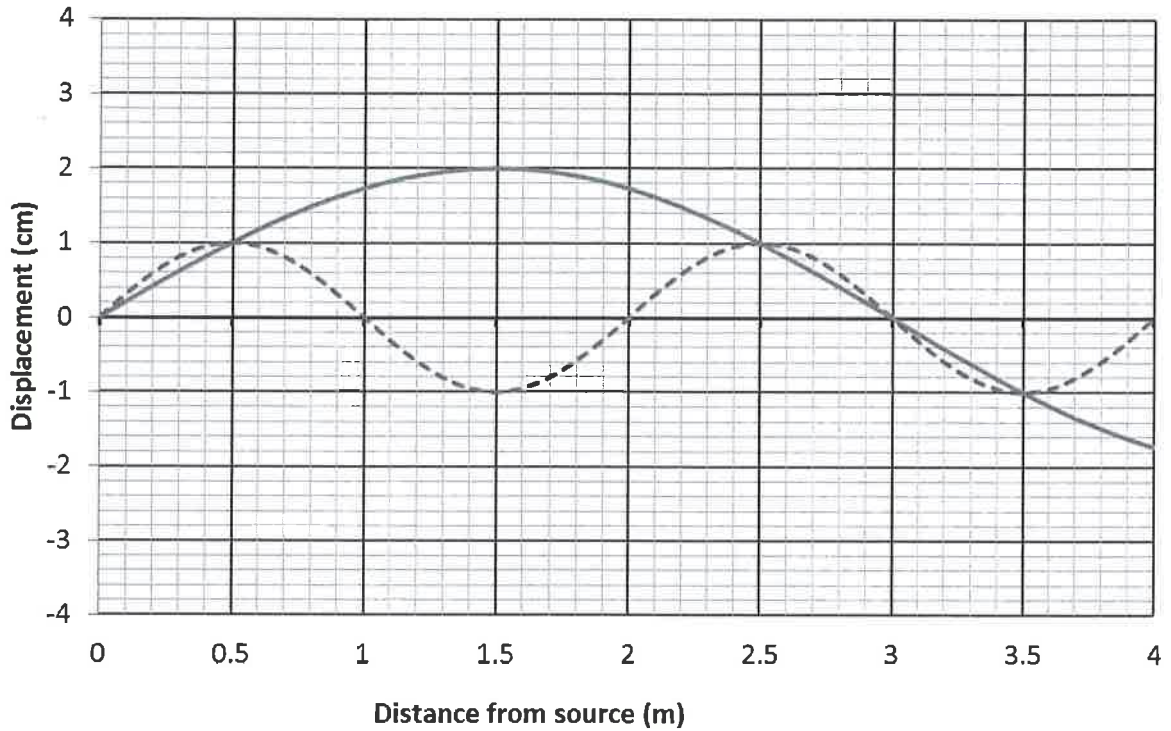
Refraction is from medium X to air answers that infer otherwise are misinterpreting

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Question 19 (2 marks)

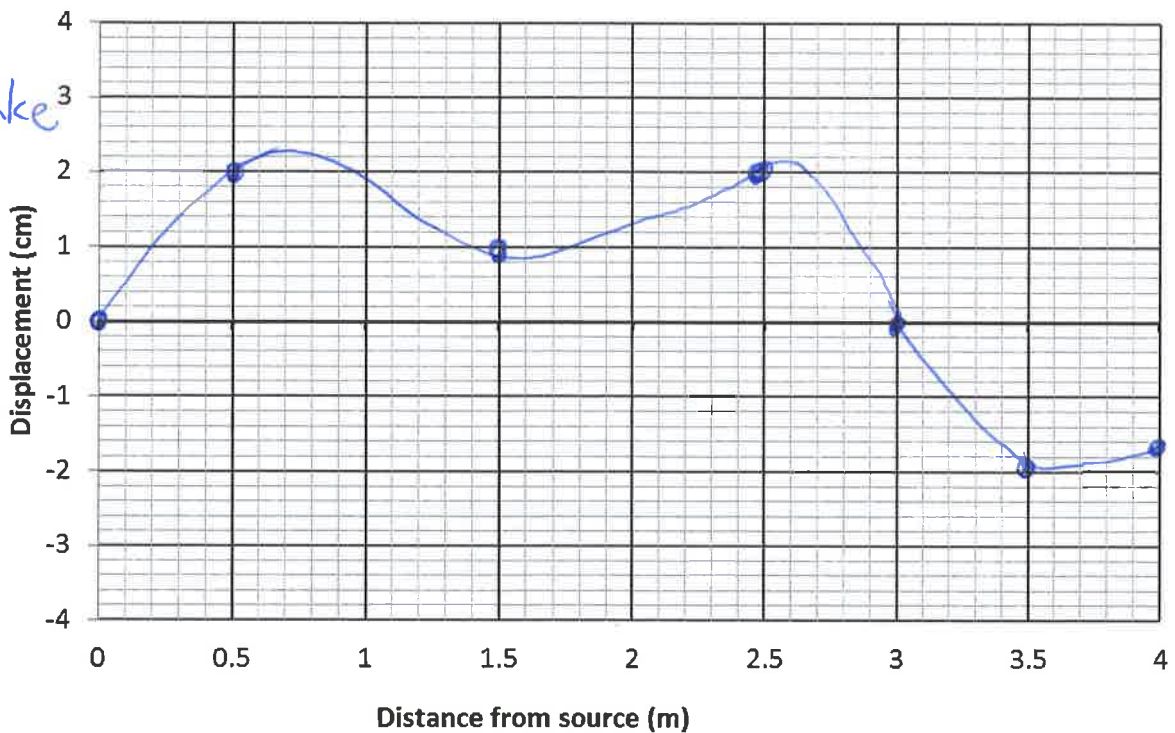
Marks

The following graph shows a medium with 2 waves moving through it simultaneously.



Draw the combined displacement of the medium as a result of these 2 waves.

2



Any mistake on ● = 1 mark off

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Question 20 (2 marks)**Marks**

Ganymede and Callisto both orbit the planet Jupiter.

| Moon | Period (days) | Mean Distance from Jupiter (million km) |
|----------|---------------|---|
| Callisto | 16.69 | 1.88 |
| Ganymede | ? | 1.07 |

Use the data in the above table to determine the period of Ganymede's orbit around Jupiter.

$$\frac{T_1^2}{r_1^3} = \frac{T_2^2}{r_2^3} \quad (1)$$

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$$\therefore T_1 = \sqrt{\frac{(16.69)^2 \times (1.07)^3}{1.88^3}} = 7.16 \text{ days}$$

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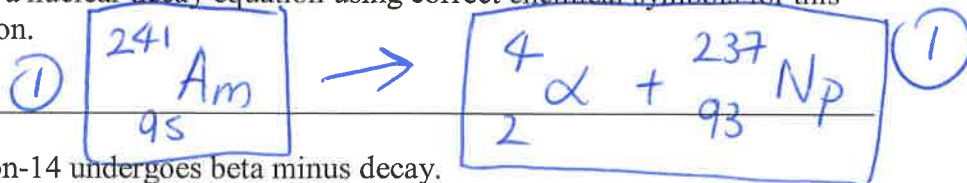
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Question 21 (7 marks)

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- (a) An element of mass number 241 and atomic number 95 undergoes an alpha decay.

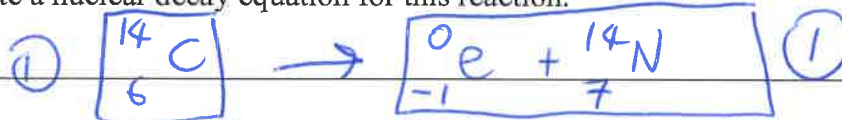
Write a nuclear decay equation using correct chemical symbols for this reaction.



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- (b) Carbon-14 undergoes beta minus decay.

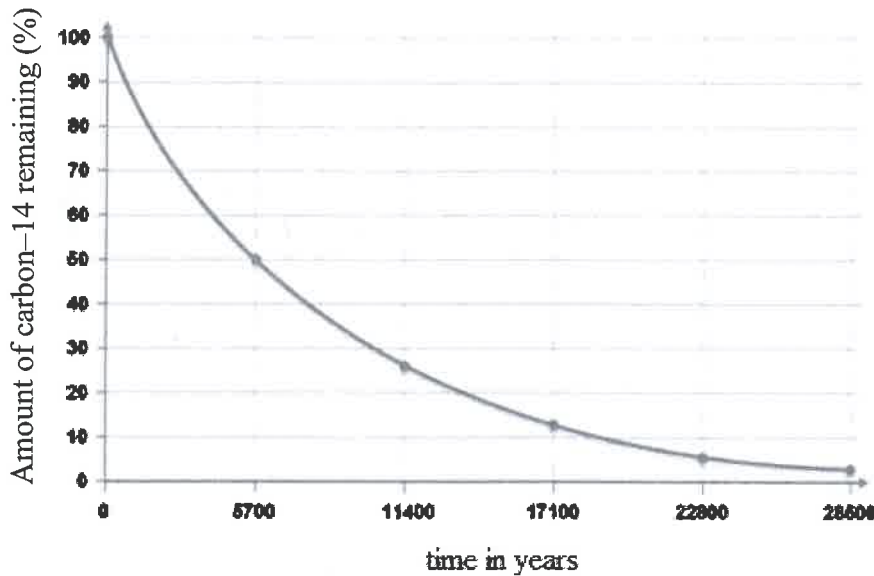
Write a nuclear decay equation for this reaction.



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Ignored
 γ

- (c) (i) The decay graph for carbon-14 is depicted below.



Using this graph, determine the half-life for carbon-14.

1

5700 years

- (ii) If a piece of wood is measured to have only 1/16 of its original carbon-14 remaining, how old is the piece of wood?

2

4 half lives ①

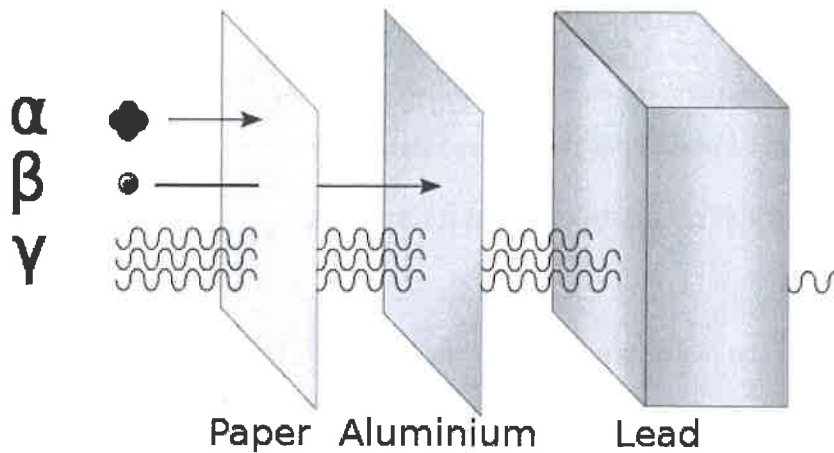
$4 \times 5700 = 22800$ years ①

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Question 22 (2 marks)
Marks

Consider the following diagram.



Explain why gamma rays are significantly more penetrating than alpha particles.

① γ rays uncharged α particles +2 charge

① Any sensible comparison
 eg α highly ionizing γ not
 α interact strongly with charges γ does not
 γ high speed α lower speed
 α large mass γ no mass

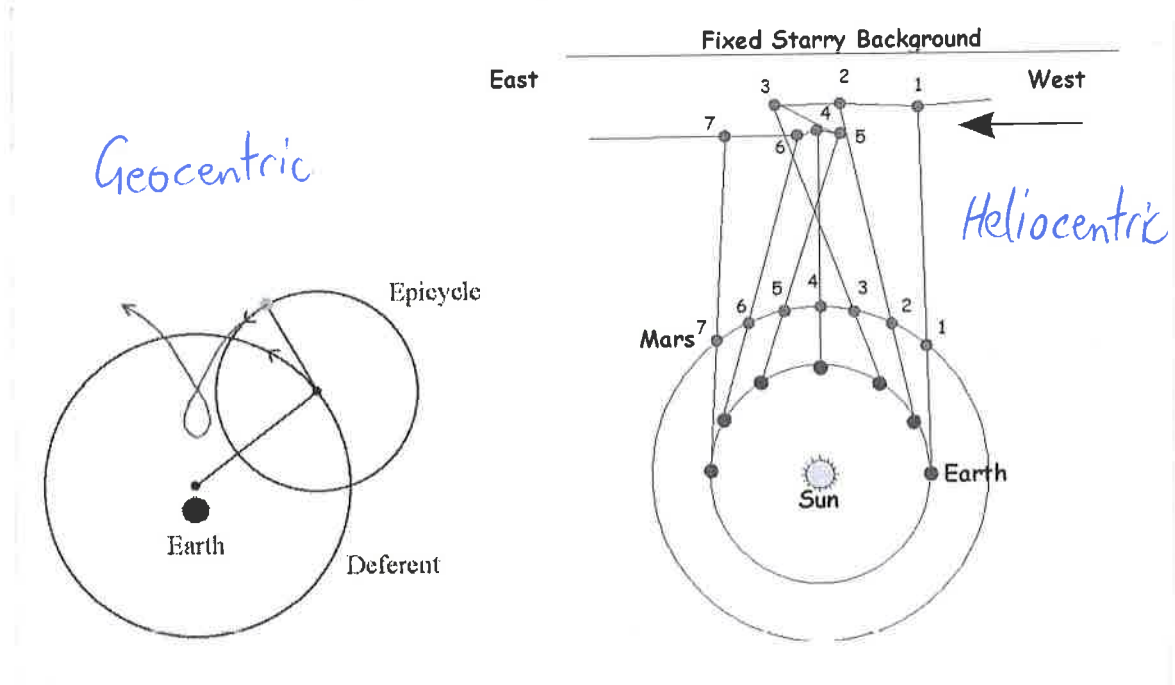
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Question 23 (4 marks)

Marks

With the aid of labelled diagrams, show how the geocentric and heliocentric models of the Universe explain the retrograde motion of Mars.



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Marked very generously.
 Geocentric Model (2) (Diagram + description)
 Retrograde motion explain by the planet moving
backwards on its epicycle.

Heliocentric Model (2) (Diagram + description)
 Retrograde motion explained by planet being
 overtaken by the Earth and so its position
 relative to the background stars moves
 backwards.

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Question 24 (5 marks)**Marks**

A racing car is attempting to break the 'standing kilometre' time record. From rest, when the starting light turns green, the car accelerates at its maximum rate and crosses the finish line 40 s later on the race track travelling at 180 kmh⁻¹.

- (a) Calculate the final speed of the racing car in ms
- ⁻¹
- .

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$$\frac{180}{3.6} = 50 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

- (b) Calculate the acceleration of the racing car for the 40 s.

1

$$a = \frac{50 - 0}{40} = 1.25 \text{ ms}^{-2}$$

- (c) Calculate the average speed of the racing car in for the 40 s.

1

$$v_{av} = \frac{50 + 0}{2} = 25 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

- (d) Immediately after crossing the finish line, the racing car applied the brakes. It took 90 s for the car to come to rest. Assuming uniform deceleration, calculate the distance travelled from the finishing line until the racing car came to rest.

2

$$(1) \quad a = \frac{0 - 50}{90} = -0.56 \text{ ms}^{-2}$$

$$r = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

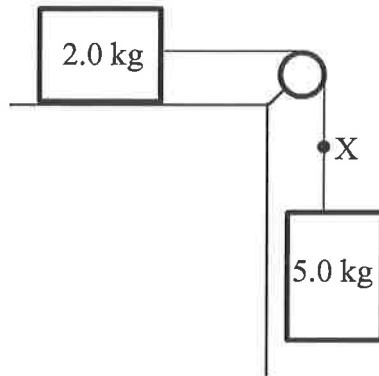
$$= 50 \times 90 + \frac{1}{2} \times -0.56 \times 90^2$$

$$(1) = 2250 \text{ m}$$

NB: Marked 2232.50m OK if rounded too soon.

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Name**Question 25** (2 marks)**Marks**

Consider the two blocks shown in the following diagram.



The blocks are connected by a light, inextensible string over a frictionless pulley. The 2.0 kg block is resting on a smooth horizontal surface.

Calculate the magnitude of the tension force in the string at X.

$$(1) \quad a = \frac{5g}{5+2} = 7 \text{ ms}^{-2}$$

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$$(1) \quad T = 2a = 14 \text{ N}$$

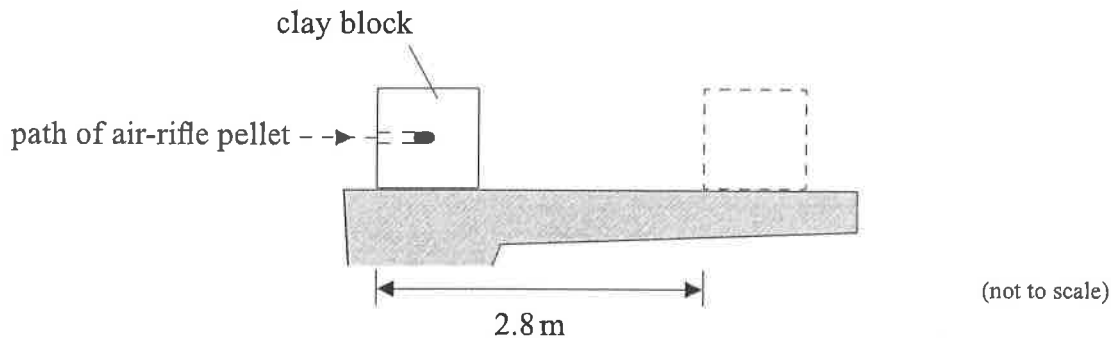
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Question 26 (5 marks)**Marks**

In an experiment, an air-rifle pellet is fired into a clay block that rests on a horizontal table.



The air-rifle pellet remains inside the clay block after impact. As a result of the collision, the clay block slides along the table in a straight line and comes to rest. Further data related to the experiment are given below.

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| Mass of air-rifle pellet | = 2.0 g |
| Mass of clay block | = 56 g |
| Velocity of pellet just before impact | = 140 ms ⁻¹ |
| Stopping distance of clay block | = 2.8 m |

- (a) Calculate the speed of the clay block immediately after the air-rifle pellet strikes it.

2

$$m_1 u_1 + m_2 u_2 = (m_1 + m_2) v$$

$$(1) \quad 2 \times 140 + 0 = (56 + 2) v$$

$$(1) \quad v = 4.8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

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- (b) Calculate the magnitude of the average force of friction that the table exerts on the clay block while it is coming to rest.

3

$$(1) \quad E_K = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.058 \times 4.83^2 = 0.675 \text{ J}$$

$$(1) \quad F = \frac{W}{r} = \frac{0.675}{2.8} \text{ N}$$

$$(1) \quad = 0.24 \text{ N}$$

OR via

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2ar$$

$$0 = 4.83^2 + 2a \times 2.8$$

$$(1) \quad a = -4.16 \text{ m s}^{-2}$$

$$F = ma$$

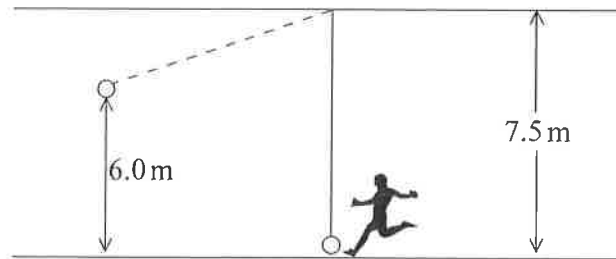
$$(1) \quad = 0.058 \times 4.16$$

$$(1) \quad = 0.24 \text{ N}$$

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Question 27 (4 marks)**Marks**

A ball is suspended from a ceiling by a string 7.5 m long. The ball is kicked horizontally and rises to a maximum height of 6.0 m as shown in the following diagram.



- (a) Ignoring air resistance, calculate the initial speed of the ball immediately after it is kicked.

2

$$\Delta GPE = \Delta KE \quad \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = mgh$$

$$(1) \quad v^2 = 2gh$$

$$= 2 \times 9.8 \times 6$$

$$(1) \quad v = 10.8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

- (b) The mass of the ball is 0.550 kg and the impact time of the kicker's foot with the ball is 0.15 s.

Calculate the magnitude of the average force exerted on the ball by the kick.

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$$Ft = \Delta mv$$

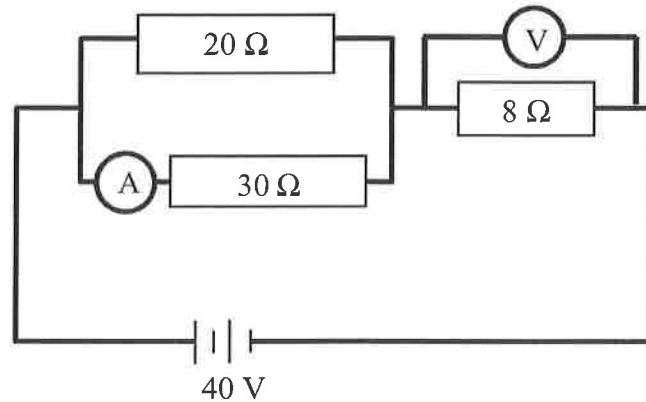
$$(1) \quad F = \frac{0.55 \times 10.8}{0.15}$$

$$(1) \quad = 39.8 \text{ N}$$

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Question 28 (6 marks)**Marks**

Consider the circuit shown in the diagram below.



- (a) Determine the total resistance of the circuit.

2

$$R_{11}: \frac{1}{R_{11}} = \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{30} \therefore R_{11} = 12 \Omega \checkmark \text{ 1mk.}$$

$$R_{\text{total}} = 8 + 12 = 20 \Omega \checkmark \text{ 1mk.}$$

- (b) Determine the total current in the circuit.

1

$$I_T = \frac{40}{20} = 2 \text{ A} \checkmark \text{ 1mk}$$

$$[I_T = \frac{40}{\text{Ans (a)}}]$$

- (c) Determine the reading on the voltmeter in the circuit.

1

$$V_{8\Omega} = 2 \times 8 = 16 \text{ V} \checkmark \text{ 1mk.}$$

$$[V_{8\Omega} = 8 \times \text{Ans (b)}]$$

- (d) Determine the reading on the ammeter in the circuit.

2

$$V_{30\Omega} = 40 - 16 = 24 \text{ V} \checkmark \text{ 1mk.}$$

$$[V_{30\Omega} = 40 - \text{Ans (c)}]$$

$$I = \frac{24}{30} = 0.8 \text{ A} \checkmark \text{ 1mk.}$$

$$[I = \frac{(40 - \text{Ans (c)})}{30}]$$

$$\text{if } \frac{3}{5} \times 2 = 1.2 \text{ A} \checkmark \times$$

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Question 29 (5 marks)**Marks**

A house light is used to convert electrical energy into light energy. The house light draws 6 A of current when connected to a 240 V power supply.

- (a) Calculate the resistance of the house light.

1

$$R = V/I = 240/6 = 40\Omega \quad \checkmark \text{ 1mk}$$

- (b) Calculate the number of electrons flowing per second through the house light.

2

$$Q = It$$

$$= 6 \times 1 = 6\text{C} \quad \checkmark \text{ 1mk}$$

$$\text{no. of } e^- = 6 / | -1.602 \times 10^{-19} |$$

$$= 3.75 \times 10^{19} \text{ electrons} \quad \checkmark \text{ 1mk}$$

- (c) Briefly explain what will happen to the power output if a higher resistance house light is used with the 240 V power supply.

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$$\text{From } P = V^2/R \quad \checkmark \text{ 1mk}$$

if R increases, P decreases $\checkmark \text{ 1mk}$

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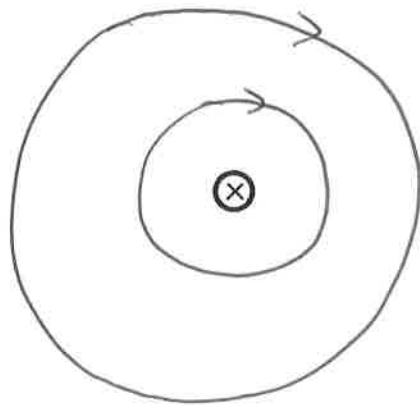
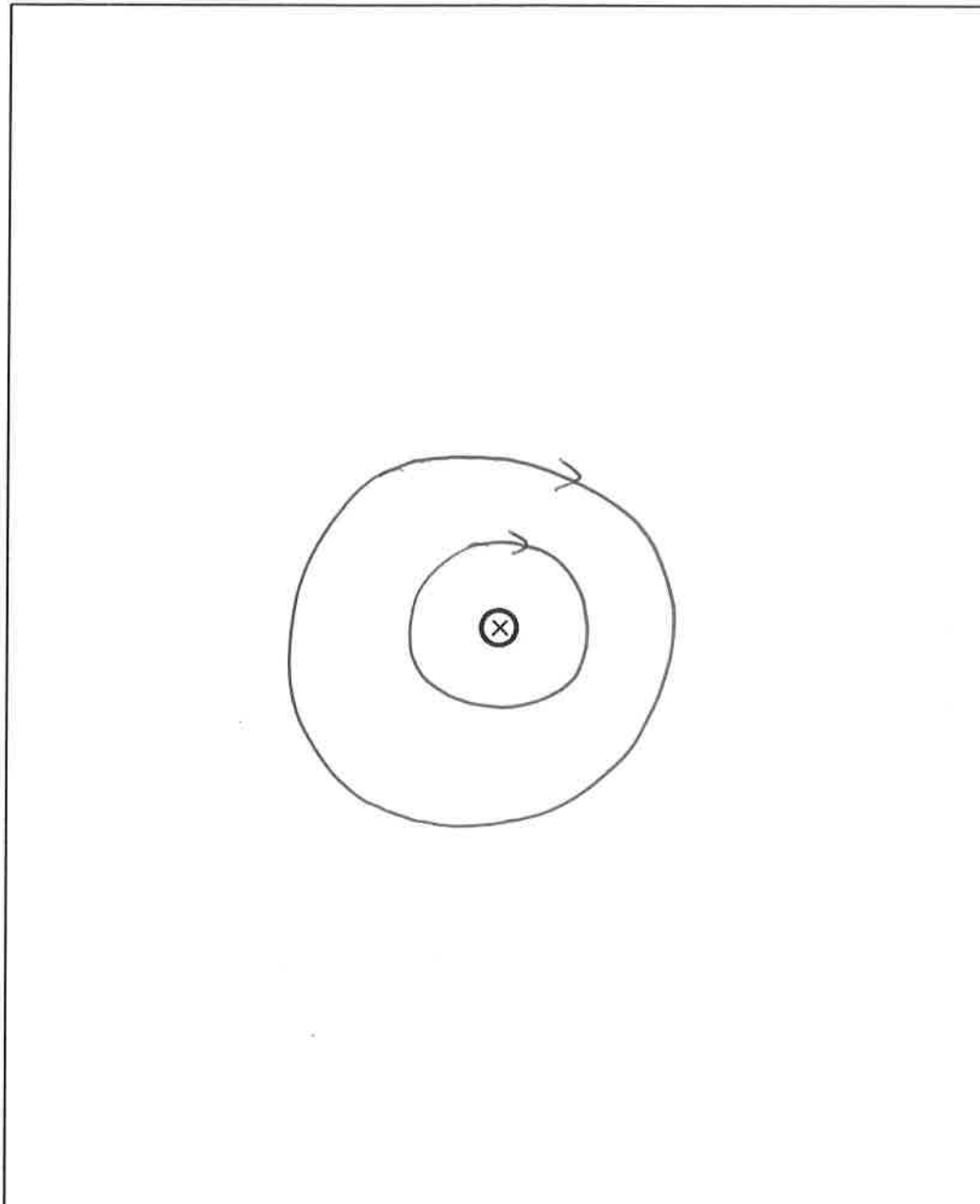
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Question 30 (2 marks)

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Draw the magnetic field surrounding a wire carrying conventional current into the page.

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✓ 1mk for circles correctly spaced.
✓ 1mk: arrows

Note:
a minimum of two circles needs to be shown

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Question 31 (2 marks)**Marks**

Double insulation, fuses and circuit breakers are three safety features commonly used in electrical circuits within the home.

Choose one of these features and briefly describe the general principle of the named feature.

Name of feature : fuse

Description : Large current melts low melting point alloy ✓ ①mk. 2

Stops the current/breaks the circuit or description of purpose - to prevent a fire or to prevent electrocution. ✓ ①mk.

OR/

Name of device : circuit breaker

Description : breaks (opens) circuit (switches off the power) when current too high/exceeds a certain safe limit ✓ ①mk. 2

To prevent a fire, or to protect humans from electrocution (or shock). ✓ ①mk.

OR/

Name of device : double insulation

Description : electrical appliances have a casing of rigid plastic to act as insulation i.e. an inner and outer casing. ✓ ①mk. 2

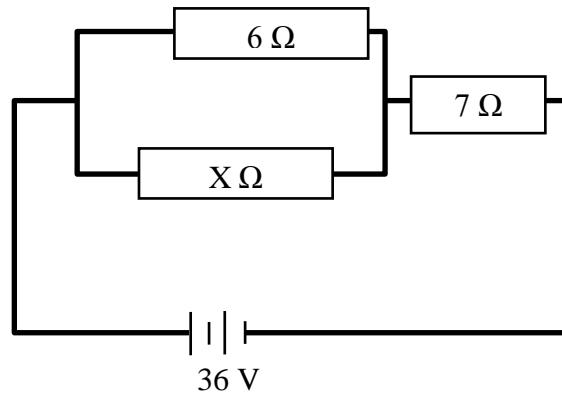
To prevent humans from electrocution (or shock). ✓ ①mk

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Question 32 (3 marks)

Marks

Consider the following circuit.



A current of 0.5 A flows through resistor X.

- (a) Calculate the current through the 6 Ω resistor.

2

$$7(I + 0.5) + 6I = 36 \quad (\text{or equivalent expression in } I)$$

1 Mark

$$\underline{I=2.5 \text{ A}}$$

2 Marks

- (b) Calculate the value of the resistor labelled X.

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$$0.5X = 6I$$

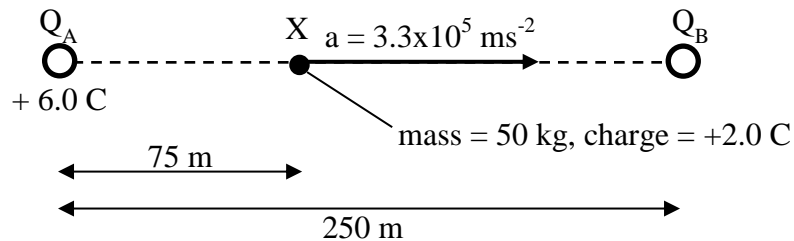
$$\underline{X=30 \Omega}$$

1 Mark

Carry through possible from (a) *if* workings are clear.

Question 33 (4 marks) **Marks**

The diagram below shows two charges, Q_A and Q_B fixed in place and separated by a distance of 250 m. Q_A has a charge of +6.0 C, but the charge on Q_B is unknown. A third charge, of mass 50 kg and charge +2.0 C, is placed at X, 75 m from Q_A .



When it is released, the charge at X has an acceleration of $3.3 \times 10^5 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ to the right.

Calculate the charge Q_B .

$$F_X = 3.3 \times 10^5 \times 50 = 1.65 \times 10^7 \text{ N}$$

1 Mark

Valid substitution into Coulomb's Law for force due to Q_A or Q_B

1 Mark

Correct Answer but wrong sign

1 Mark

Correct Answer plus right sign

2 Marks

Answer:

$$1.65 \times 10^7 = [k \cdot 6.2 / 75^2] - [k \cdot Q_B \cdot 2 / (250 - 75)^2]$$

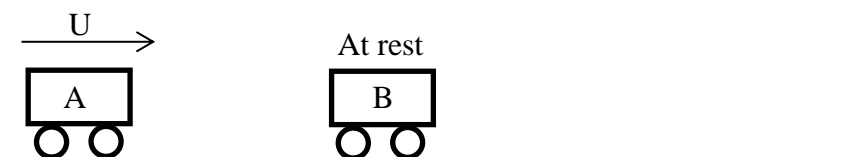
(assuming Q_B is positive)

$Q_B = +4.59 \text{ C}$

Question 34 (4 marks)

Marks

The diagram below shows two trolleys, A and B. Initially, trolley A of mass 2.0 kg has a velocity of U to the right and trolley B of mass m_B is at rest.



Trolleys A and B collide elastically. After the collision, trolley A has a velocity of $7U/9$ to the right.

Calculate the mass of trolley B.

Valid conservation of momentum expression

1 Mark

e.g. $2U = 14U/9 + M_B V_B$

Valid conservation of energy expression

1 Mark

e.g. $U^2 = 49U^2/81 + M_B V_B^2/2$ OR $V_B - 7U/9 = U$

Substitution to form valid expression in terms of M_B

1 Mark

e.g. $4U/9 = 16M_B U/9$

Final Answer: **$M_B = 0.25 \text{ kg}$**

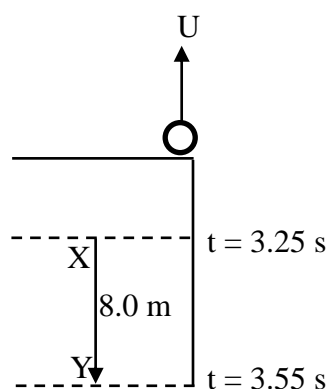
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NB – if answer assumes trolleys coalesce – MAX 1 Mark

Question 35 (4 marks)

Marks

A ball is thrown upwards at a speed U from the top of a high building as shown in the diagram below.



The ball passes a point X 3.25 s after it was thrown, and a point Y, which is 8.0 m below X, 0.30 s later.

Calculate the initial speed, U , of the ball.

Valid Equation for ball at X

1 Mark

e.g. $r_x = -3.25U + 4.9 \times 3.25^2$

Valid Equation for ball at Y

1 Mark

e.g. $r_x + 8 = -3.55U + 4.9 \times 3.55^2$

Valid combination of equations above:

1 Mark

e.g. $-3.25U + 4.9 \times 3.25^2 = -3.55U + 4.9 \times 3.55^2 - 8$

Correct Answer: **$U = 6.65 \text{ ms}^{-1}$**

1 Mark

NB – Other valid approaches credited as appropriate.