

Mark Scheme (Results)

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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Mark Scheme Notes

Underlying principle

The mark scheme will clearly indicate the concept that is being rewarded, backed up by examples. It is not a set of model answers.

For example:

(iii)	Horizontal force of hinge on table top		
	66.3 (N) or 66 (N) and correct indication of direction [no ue] [Some examples of direction: acting from right (to left) / to the left / West / opposite direction to horizontal. May show direction by arrow. Do not accept a minus sign in front of number as direction.]	✓	1

This has a clear statement of the principle for awarding the mark, supported by some examples illustrating acceptable boundaries.

1. Mark scheme format

- 1.1 You will not see 'wtte' (words to that effect). Alternative correct wording should be credited in every answer unless the ms has specified specific words that must be present. Such words will be indicated by underlining e.g. 'resonance'
- 1.2 Bold lower case will be used for emphasis.
- 1.3 Round brackets () indicate words that are not essential e.g. "(hence) distance is increased".
- 1.4 Square brackets [] indicate advice to examiners or examples e.g. [Do not accept gravity] [ecf].

2. Unit error penalties

- 2.1 A separate mark is not usually given for a unit but a missing or incorrect unit will normally mean that the final calculation mark will not be awarded.
- 2.2 Incorrect use of case e.g. 'Watt' or 'w' will **not** be penalised.
- 2.3 There will be no unit penalty applied in 'show that' questions or in any other question where the units to be used have been given, for example in a spreadsheet.
- 2.4 The same missing or incorrect unit will not be penalised more than once within one question (one clip in epen).
- 2.5 Occasionally, it may be decided not to penalise a missing or incorrect unit e.g. the candidate may be calculating the gradient of a graph, resulting in a unit that is not one that should be known and is complex.
- 2.6 The mark scheme will indicate if no unit error penalty is to be applied by means of [no ue].

3. Significant figures

- 3.1 Use of an inappropriate number of significant figures in the theory papers will normally only be penalised in 'show that' questions where use of too few significant figures has resulted in the candidate not demonstrating the validity of the given answer.
- 3.2 The use of $g = 10 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ or 10 N kg⁻¹ instead of 9.81 m s⁻² or 9.81 N kg⁻¹ will be penalised by one mark (but not more than once per clip). Accept 9.8 m s⁻² or 9.8 N kg⁻¹

4. Calculations

- 4.1 Bald (i.e. no working shown) correct answers score full marks unless in a 'show that' question.
- 4.2 If a 'show that' question is worth 2 marks then both marks will be available for a reverse working; if it is worth 3 marks then only 2 will be available.
- 4.3 **use** of the formula means that the candidate demonstrates substitution of physically correct values, although there may be conversion errors e.g. power of 10 error.
- 4.4 **recall** of the correct formula will be awarded when the formula is seen or implied by substitution.
- 4.5 The mark scheme will show a correctly worked answer for illustration only.
- 4.6 Example of mark scheme for a calculation:

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'Show that' calculation of weight
                                                                                   ✓
Use of L \times W \times H
                                                                                   ✓
Substitution into density equation with a volume and density
                                                                                   ✓
Correct answer [49.4 (N)] to at least 3 sig fig. [No ue]
[If 5040 a rounded to 5000 a or 5 kg, do not give 3<sup>rd</sup> mark; if
conversion to kg is omitted and then answer fudged, do not give
3<sup>rd</sup> mark]
                                                                                         3
[Bald answer scores 0, reverse calculation 2/3]
Example of answer:
80 \text{ cm} \times 50 \text{ cm} \times 1.8 \text{ cm} = 7200 \text{ cm}^3
7200 \text{ cm}^3 \times 0.70 \text{ g cm}^{-3} = 5040 \text{ g}
5040 \times 10^{-3} kg × 9.81 N/kg
= 49.4 \text{ N}
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5. Quality of Written Communication

- 5.1 Indicated by QoWC in mark scheme. QWC Work must be clear and organised in a logical manner using technical wording where appropriate.
- 5.2 Usually it is part of a max mark, the final mark not being awarded unless the QoWC condition has been satisfied.

6. Graphs

- 6.1 A mark given for axes requires both axes to be labelled with quantities and units, and drawn the correct way round.
- 6.2 Sometimes a separate mark will be given for units or for each axis if the units are complex. This will be indicated on the mark scheme.
- 6.3 A mark given for choosing a scale requires that the chosen scale allows all points to be plotted, spreads plotted points over more than half of each axis and is not an awkward scale e.g. multiples of 3, 7 etc.
- 6.4 Points should be plotted to within 1 mm.
 - Check the two points furthest from the best line. If both OK award mark.
 - If either is 2 mm out do not award mark.
 - If both are 1 mm out do not award mark.
 - If either is 1 mm out then check another two and award mark if both of these OK, otherwise no mark.

For a line mark there must be a thin continuous line which is the best-fit line for the candidate's results.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
1	С	1
2	С	1
3	С	1
4	С	1
5	В	1
6	D	1
7	A	1
8	В	1
9	В	1
10	В	1

Question Number	Answer		Mark
11	Oscillations/vibrations of (air) particles/molecules/atoms Oscillations/vibrations/displacement parallel to direction of propagation	(1)	
	Or Oscillations/vibrations/displacement parallel to direction of energy transfer	(1)	
	(Producing) compressions and rarefactions Or regions of high and low pressure Or it is a longitudinal wave	(1)	3
	Total for question 11		3

Question Number	Answer		Mark
12	(high resistance) so very little /negligible/zero current in the voltmeter Or because otherwise a current would pass through the voltmeter Or so the total resistance of the parallel combination isn't changed Or because otherwise total resistance of parallel combination would be reduced	(1)	
	because that would change /increase the current in the ammeter Or because that would mean the current through the ammeter was different to (larger than) the current through the component	(1)	2
	Total for question 12		2

Question Answer Number Image: Constraint of the second se	Mark
13(a) Correct curve in + + section (accept $V - I$ or $I - V$ graph but axes must be labelled) (1)	
Symmetrical negative curve (accept if ++ curve incorrect) (1) I V	2
13(b) Drift velocity (of electrons) increases (as current increases) Or electrons gain (kinetic) energy (as current increases)	
Or rate of flow of electrons/charge increases (as current increases) (1)	I
More (frequent) collisions of electrons with lattice ions (1)	1
lattice ion vibrations increased Or (More) energy dissipated as heat in lattice Or (More) energy transferred when electrons collide with lattice ions (1) (accept charge carriers for electrons and atoms/ions/particles for lattice ions (1)	3
Total for question 13	5

Question Number	Answer		Mark
14(a)	Unpolarised – oscillations/vibrations in many directions	(1)	
	Polarised – oscillations/vibrations in single direction	(1)	
	oscillations/vibrations are perpendicular to direction of propagation	(1)	
	Or Unpolarised – oscillations/vibrations in many planes	(1)	
	Polarised – oscillations/vibrations in single plane	(1)	
	Plane includes direction of propagation	(1)	3
14(b)	 (QWC- Work must be clear and organised in a logical manner using technical wording where appropriate.) The idea that light transmitted only when in same plane/direction as plane/direction of polarisation of filter Or The idea that light not transmitted when plane/direction at 90° to plane/direction of polarisation of filter Rays for each image are (polarised) in different planes/directions, (so only one image is seen) When the (polarising) filter is rotated the image becomes fainter Or When the (polarising) filter is rotated the other image becomes visible A statement correctly linking image(s) seen with angle. 	(1) (1) (1) (1)	4
	 at 90° only the other image is seen at 180° only the 1st image is seen at 270° only the other image is seen at in between angles both images will be seen, (but neither at full intensity) 		
	1 otal for question 14		1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
15(a)	$\underline{\max}$ kinetic energy Or ke max joule/J Or electronvolt/eV(1 Or stopping potential Or V_s)))) 2
15(b)	Idea that one photon is absorbed by one electron(1)Photon energy given by $E = hf$ (1)Or photon energy increases with frequency(1))
	The idea that there is a minimum energy needed for emission of a (photo)electron (1 (So) emission of electrons only occurs if frequency of light greater)
	than the threshold frequency Or threshold frequency is the minimum frequency for the emission of (photo)electrons (1) 4
	Total for question 15	6

Question Number	Answer		Mark
16(a)(i)	Use of $P = IV$	(1)	
10(0)(1)	Power = 2900 W	(1)	2
		(1)	-
	Example of calculation		
	Power = $12.5 \text{ A} \times 230 \text{ V} = 2875 \text{ W}$		
16(a)(ii)	P = E/t	(1)	
	$Energy = 400\ 000\ J\ (ecf\ from\ (i))$	(1)	2
	Example of coloulation		
	$\frac{\text{Example of calculation}}{\text{Energy} = 2875 \text{ W} \times 140 \text{ s} = 402500 \text{ J}$		
	Energy = 2875 W \land 140 S = 402 500 J		
16(a)(iii)	Use of efficiency = useful energy output / total energy input	(1)	
	= 0.87 or 87% (ecf from (ii)) (do not award if $> 100%$)	(1)	2
	Example of calculation		
	Efficiency = $351\ 000\ \text{J} / 402\ 500\ \text{J} = 0.87\ \text{or}\ 87\%$		
1(0)			
16(b)	Some energy transferred by heating the kettle / element / wires /		
	Surroundings	(1)	
	Of some energy transferred as sound	(1)	
	So not all of the (input) energy is transferred to (heating) the water		
	Or so useful energy output is less than energy input		
	Or only the energy heating the water is useful		
		(1)	2
			0
	Total for question 16		8

Question	Answer		Mark
Number			
17(a)	Photon – quantum/packet of something relevant e.g. light, radiation, any other named e-m radiation, energy (quantum/packet) of <u>electromagnetic</u> energy/radiation/waves (dependent mark)	(1) (1)	2
17(b)	Use of $(20.66 - 18.70) \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ Use of $E = hf$ (with energy in eV or J) $f = 4.7 \times 10^{14}$ Hz Example of calculation $f = (20.66 - 18.70) \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} / 6.63 \times 10^{-34}$ $f = 4.73 \times 10^{14}$ Hz	(1) (1) (1)	3
17(c)	From kinetic energy of atoms	(1)	1
17(d)	Diffraction	(1)	
	Light spreads (sideways) as it passes through the slit	(1)	
	Narrower slit causes more diffraction/spreading Or diffraction increasing as gap width gets closer to wavelength	(1)	3
	Total for question 17		9

Question	Answer		Mark
Number		(1)	
18(a)(i)	Determines width of at least 9 coils	(1)	
	Use of half of their diameter in πr	(1)	2
	Area $-(1.96 \text{ to } 2.42) \times 10^{-10}$ (m)	(1)	3
	Example of calculation		
	18 coils = 1.00 cm		
	Diameter = $0.0100 \text{ m} \div 18 = 5.56 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$		
	Area = $\pi \times (5.56 \times 10^{-4} \div 2)^2$		
	Area = $2.42 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{m}^2$		
18(a)(ii)	Use of $R = \rho l/A$	(1)	
	Resistivity magnitude = 4.4×10^{-7} (show that value gives 3.7×10^{-7})	(1)	
	Unit Ωm	(1)	3
	Example of calculation		
	$\rho = RA / l$ = 22.0 m 2.4 × 10 ⁻⁷ m ² / 12 m		
	$-22.02 \times 2.4 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$ / 12 m		
18(a)(iii)	A sensible response with some detail, e.g.	(1)	1
	• Avoid difficulty in reading a small scale while holding it		
	and counting turns		
	• it can be enlarged and done more accurately		
	• compare with unravelling and using a micrometer		
	• remains stationary, so easier to measure accurately		
	• you can mark the coils as you go so you don't lose count		
10(1)	(treat parallax as neutral and)		
18(b)	Use of ratio of lengths \times pd	(1)	2
	V = 8.2 V	(1)	2
	Example of calculation		
	$\frac{12 \times \text{ample of calculation}}{V = (7.0 \text{ cm} / 10.2 \text{ cm}) \times 12 \text{ V}}$		
	= 82 V		
	Total for question 18		9

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	(OWC Work must be clear and arganized in a lagical manner using	
*19(a)	(QwC- work must be clear and organised in a logical manner using technical wording where appropriate.)	
	technical wording where appropriate.)	
	Distance :	
	Speed of waves known Or refers to speed of light (1))
	Use (distance =) speed × time $\div 2$ (1))
	Relative speed:	
	(Relative) speed indicated by a change in frequency (1)	1
	Larger change indicates a greater speed (1)	T.
	Amount of rain.	
	The intensity/amount of reflected signal increases as the amount of	
	rain increases. (1)
	Reason for the larger signal (1))
	e.g. larger area, more drops or larger drops	6
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19(b)(i)	Dulage so the reflected signal is received before next one is cent	
	Pulses, so the reflected signal is received before next one is sent	
	reflected signal originated with which bit of emitted signal	
	Or so that reflected pulses can be distinguished from each other (1)	1
	(Answers in terms of avoiding interference between two waves /	
	standing waves not accepted)	
19(b)(ii)	Use of $v = s/t$ with $v = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ (m s}^{-1})$ (1)	1
	Selects the smaller distance 5 km (1)	
	$t = 3.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}$ (1)	5
	Example of calculation	
	$t = 5000 \text{ m} \times 2 / 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$	
	$t = 3.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}$	
	(Do not credit answers involving wavelength)	
	Total for question 19	10

Question Number	Answer		Mark
Tumber		(1)	
20(a)	Calculates path difference = $12 (cm)$	(1)	
	Phase difference 0, 360° or 2π	(1)	
	Or		
	Calculates number of wavelengths in two paths	(1)	
	Phase difference 0, 360° or 2π	(1)	2
20(b)	Waves superpose Or interference between two waves takes place	(1)	
	In phase constructive Or Antiphase destructive	(1)	
	In phase constructive of Antiphase destructive	(1)	
	Links to amplitude maximum \mathbf{Or} amplitude zero respectively	(1)	
	Links to <u>uniprivate</u> maximum of <u>uniprivate</u> zero respectively	(1)	
	In phase/constructive/max amplitude is where chocolate is hot with		
	opposite at cold spots		
	Or Antiphase/destructive/min amplitude is where chocolate is cold		
	with opposite at hot spots	(1)	4
		(-)	•
20(c)	Coherent means a constant phase relationship	(1)	
	(If the relationship not constant) a point could sometimes be		
	constructive and sometimes destructive	(1)	2
		(4)	
20(d)	Use of $c = f\lambda$	(1)	
	Calculates $c = 2.94 \times 10^{\circ} \text{ (m s}^{-1}\text{) Or } \lambda = 12.2 \text{ (cm) Or } f = 2500 \text{ (MHz)}$	(1)	
	Sensible comment based on their calculated value.	(1)	3
	e.g. close to real value, so successful		
	Or reference to uncertainty in data		
	Example of calculation		
	$c = 2.45 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz} \times 0.12 \text{ m}$		
	$c = 2.94 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$		
	Total for question 20		11

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