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## PHYSICS <br> 7407/1

## Paper 1

## Mark scheme

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## Physics - Mark scheme instructions to examiners

## 1. General

The mark scheme for each question shows:

- the marks available for each part of the question
- the total marks available for the question
- the typical answer or answers which are expected
- extra information to help the Examiner make his or her judgement and help to delineate what is acceptable or not worthy of credit or, in discursive answers, to give an overview of the area in which a mark or marks may be awarded.

The extra information is aligned to the appropriate answer in the left-hand part of the mark scheme and should only be applied to that item in the mark scheme.

At the beginning of a part of a question a reminder may be given, for example: where consequential marking needs to be considered in a calculation; or the answer may be on the diagram or at a different place on the script.

In general the right-hand side of the mark scheme is there to provide those extra details which confuse the main part of the mark scheme yet may be helpful in ensuring that marking is straightforward and consistent.

## 2. Emboldening

2.1 In a list of acceptable answers where more than one mark is available 'any two from' is used, with the number of marks emboldened. Each of the following bullet points is a potential mark.
2.2 A bold and is used to indicate that both parts of the answer are required to award the mark.
2.3 Alternative answers acceptable for a mark are indicated by the use of or. Different terms in the mark scheme are shown by a / ; eg allow smooth / free movement.

## 3. Marking points

### 3.1 Marking of lists

This applies to questions requiring a set number of responses, but for which candidates have provided extra responses. The general principle to be followed in such a situation is that 'right + wrong = wrong'.

Each error / contradiction negates each correct response. So, if the number of errors / contradictions equals or exceeds the number of marks available for the question, no marks can be awarded.

However, responses considered to be neutral (often prefaced by 'Ignore' in the mark scheme) are not penalised.

### 3.2 Marking procedure for calculations

Full marks can usually be given for a correct numerical answer without working shown unless the question states 'Show your working'. However, if a correct numerical answer can be evaluated from incorrect physics then working will be required. The mark scheme will indicate both this and the credit (if any) that can be allowed for the incorrect approach.

However, if the answer is incorrect, mark(s) can usually be gained by correct substitution / working and this is shown in the 'extra information' column or by each stage of a longer calculation.

A calculation must be followed through to answer in decimal form. An answer in surd form is never acceptable for the final (evaluation) mark in a calculation and will therefore generally be denied one mark.

### 3.3 Interpretation of 'it'

Answers using the word 'it' should be given credit only if it is clear that the 'it' refers to the correct subject.

### 3.4 Errors carried forward, consequential marking and arithmetic errors

Allowances for errors carried forward are likely to be restricted to calculation questions and should be shown by the abbreviation ECF or conseq in the marking scheme.

An arithmetic error should be penalised for one mark only unless otherwise amplified in the marking scheme. Arithmetic errors may arise from a slip in a calculation or from an incorrect transfer of a numerical value from data given in a question.

### 3.5 Phonetic spelling

The phonetic spelling of correct scientific terminology should be credited (eg fizix) unless there is a possible confusion (eg defraction/refraction) with another technical term.

### 3.6 Brackets

(.....) are used to indicate information which is not essential for the mark to be awarded but is included to help the examiner identify the sense of the answer required.

### 3.7 Ignore / Insufficient / Do not allow

'Ignore' or 'insufficient' is used when the information given is irrelevant to the question or not enough to gain the marking point. Any further correct amplification could gain the marking point.
'Do not allow' means that this is a wrong answer which, even if the correct answer is given, will still mean that the mark is not awarded.

### 3.8 Significant figure penalties

Answers to questions in the practical sections (7407/2 - Section A and 7408/3A) should display an appropriate number of significant figures. For non-practical sections, an A-level paper may contain up to 2 marks ( 1 mark for AS) that are contingent on the candidate quoting the final answer in a calculation to a specified number of significant figures (sf). This will generally be assessed to be the number of sf of the datum with the least number of sf from which the answer is determined. The mark scheme will give the range of $s f$ that are acceptable but this will normally be the sf of the datum (or this $s f-1$ ).

An answer in surd form cannot gain the sf mark. An incorrect calculation following some working can gain the sf mark. For a question beginning with the command word 'Show that...', the answer should be quoted to one more sf than the sf quoted in the question eg 'Show that $X$ is equal to about 2.1 cm ' -
answer should be quoted to 3 sf. An answer to 1 sf will not normally be acceptable, unless the answer is an integer eg a number of objects. In non-practical sections, the need for a consideration will be indicated in the question by the use of 'Give your answer to an appropriate number of significant figures'.

### 3.9 Unit penalties

An A-level paper may contain up to 2 marks ( 1 mark for AS) that are contingent on the candidate quoting the correct unit for the answer to a calculation. The need for a unit to be quoted will be indicated in the question by the use of 'State an appropriate SI unit for your answer'. Unit answers will be expected to appear in the most commonly agreed form for the calculation concerned; strings of fundamental (base) units would not. For example, 1 tesla and $1 \mathrm{~Wb} \mathrm{~m}^{-2}$ would both be acceptable units for magnetic flux density but $1 \mathrm{~kg} \mathrm{~m}^{2} \mathrm{~s}^{-2} \mathrm{~A}^{-1}$ would not.

### 3.10 Level of response marking instructions

Level of response mark schemes are broken down into three levels, each of which has a descriptor. The descriptor for the level shows the average performance for the level. There are two marks in each level.

Before you apply the mark scheme to a student's answer read through the answer and annotate it (as instructed) to show the qualities that are being looked for. You can then apply the mark scheme.

## Determining a level

Start at the lowest level of the mark scheme and use it as a ladder to see whether the answer meets the descriptor for that level. The descriptor for the level indicates the different qualities that might be seen in the student's answer for that level. If it meets the lowest level then go to the next one and decide if it meets this level, and so on, until you have a match between the level descriptor and the answer. With practice and familiarity you will find that for better answers you will be able to quickly skip through the lower levels of the mark scheme.

When assigning a level you should look at the overall quality of the answer and not look to pick holes in small and specific parts of the answer where the student has not performed quite as well as the rest. If the answer covers different aspects of different levels of the mark scheme you should use a best fit approach for defining the level and then use the variability of the response to help decide the mark within the level. ie if the response is predominantly level 2 with a small amount of level 3 material it would be placed in level 2.

The exemplar materials used during standardisation will help you to determine the appropriate level. There will be an answer in the standardising materials which will correspond with each level of the mark scheme. This answer will have been awarded a mark by the Lead Examiner. You can compare the student's answer with the example to determine if it is the same standard, better or worse than the example. You can then use this to allocate a mark for the answer based on the Lead Examiner's mark on the example.

You may well need to read back through the answer as you apply the mark scheme to clarify points and assure yourself that the level and the mark are appropriate.

Indicative content in the mark scheme is provided as a guide for examiners. It is not intended to be exhaustive and you must credit other valid points. Students do not have to cover all of the points mentioned in the indicative content to reach the highest level of the mark scheme.

An answer which contains nothing of relevance to the question must be awarded no marks.

| Question | Answers | Additional Comments/Guidance |  |  |  |  | Mark | AO |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 01.1 | 2 rows correct <br> 3 rows correct |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | $1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1$ |
|  |  |  | $\pi^{+}$ | p | $\Sigma^{+}$ | Y |  | $1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2$ |
|  |  | B | 0 | (+)1 | (+)1 | 0 |  |  |
|  |  | $Q$ | +1 | +1 | +1 | $(+) 1$ |  |  |
|  |  | $S$ | 0 | 0 | -1 | +1 |  |  |


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| $\mathbf{0 1 . 2}$ | Tick 3rd box only $-\Sigma^{+} \checkmark$ |  | 1 | AO2 |


| Question | Answers | Additional Comments/Guidance | Mark | AO |
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| 01.3 | $\mathbf{Y}$ has a greater rest energy than $\pi^{+} / \mathbf{Y}$ has a greater mass than $\pi^{+}$ <br> Or <br> $\pi^{+}$and $\mathbf{Y}$ have the same charge / or charge on both particles identified as having charge of $(+) 1 / \pi^{+}$and $K^{+}$seen $\checkmark$ <br> $\mathbf{Y}$ is a kaon / $\mathbf{Y}$ is a k meson <br> $\pi^{+}$has a greater charge-to-mass ratio because it has the same charge as $\mathbf{Y}$ and less mass than $\mathbf{Y} /$ <br> $\pi^{+}$has a greater specific charge $\checkmark$ | Treat $\mathbf{Y}$ is larger than the $\pi^{+}$as neutral. <br> MP1: Condone error in mass comparisons where $\mathbf{Y}$ is identified as having a greater rest energy. <br> Both have a charge of +1 (e) <br> Accept for mp2: <br> Y contains an s or $\bar{s}$ quark which is more massive than $u$ or d quarks in the pion / $Y$ contains an sor $\bar{s}$ quark whereas pion does not. <br> $\pi^{+}$is 1 st generation (meson) while $\mathbf{Y}$ is 2 nd generation (meson) <br> Loses MP2 for stating incorrect number of quarks for $\mathbf{Y}$ or stating that $\mathbf{Y}$ is a baryon. <br> Accept converse statement <br> Error carried forward for charge on $\mathbf{Y}$ from 01.1 <br> $\mathbf{Y}$ will have a greater specific charge where $\mathbf{Y}$ has charge greater than +4 | 3 | $3 \times \mathrm{AO} 3$ |
| Total |  |  | 6 |  |


| Question | Answers | Additional Comments/Guidance | Mark | AO |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 02.1 | An electron in the beam collides with an electron in the gas particle. <br> OR <br> An electron in the beam transfers (some of its kinetic) energy to an electron in the gas particle <br> One (atomic) electron leaves the gas particle | MP1 is awarded for the description of the electron-electron interaction or the resulting energy transfer between these electrons. <br> Treat the gas particles are 'excited' as neutral, must mention an interaction between beam electron and (atomic) electron or an energy transfer from beam electron to (atomic) electron as cause of excitation <br> Allow beam electron collides with / transfers energy to gas (particle) causing an atomic electron to gain energy <br> Condone use of plurals in MP1 <br> Penalise more than one electron leaving a gas particle <br> Condone <br> One (atomic) electron leaves the gas (atom)/ the gas (particle) has lost one electron <br> Physics errors that relate the effect to annihilation or beta decay or PEE or electron capture gain zero marks. | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 02.2 | Finds the nucleon number of the more massive isotope: $162 \div 2=81$ <br> OR $162-(2 \times 35)=92 \checkmark$ <br> (answer =) $46 \checkmark$ <br> c.a.o | Alternative for MP1: <br> subtracts proton number from their nucleon number / subtracts total number of protons from total number of nucleons. <br> eg $80-35$ or $79-35$ or 160-70 or 158-70 <br> Condone 45 or 44 on answer line without working for one mark. <br> Do not allow $162-35$ or $160-35$ or 158-35 <br> Condone 92 on answer line without working for 1 mark. <br> 90 or 88 on answer line without working no marks | 2 | $2 \times \mathrm{AO} 2$ |


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| 02.3 | The percentage is the same for both isotopes / each isotope makes up $50 \%$ of the gas (by number) <br> 158 is made of two atoms of the lighter isotope and 162 is made of two atoms of the heavier isotope and the percentages of 158 and 162 are: both $25 \%$ / both same /present in the same ratio <br> OR <br> Half of the 160 is made from the lighter isotope and all of the 158 is made from the lighter isotope (totalling $50 \%$ ) <br> OR <br> Half of the 160 is made from the heavier isotope and all of the 162 is made from the heavier isotope (totalling $50 \%$ ) $\checkmark$ | Do not allow $50 \%$ of 158 and $50 \%$ of 162 Where percentage stated must be $50 \%$ <br> Do not allow more than 2 isotopes <br> Or words to that effect <br> Accept equivalent discussion in terms of numbers of neutrons present in nuclei in molecules / nucleon numbers of nuclei in molecules. <br> Restating the percentages of the molecules is insufficient for MP2. | 2 | $2 \times \mathrm{AO} 3$ |
| Total |  |  | 6 |  |


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| 03.1 | Use of $f=\frac{1}{T}$ or $(\mathrm{T}=) 2.63 \times 10^{-15}(\mathrm{~s})$ seen or number of waves $=\frac{6 \times 10^{-9}}{\text { their } T}$ or $6 \times 10^{-9} \times 3.8 \times 10^{14} \checkmark$ $2.3 \times 10^{6} \checkmark$ | Condone POT error in MP1 <br> Use of $f=\frac{1}{T}$ is $f$ subsituted and formula rearranged to make $T$ the subject. <br> $\frac{1}{6 \times 10^{-9}}$ is not sufficient for use of $f=\frac{1}{T}$ <br> Alternative for MP1: <br> calculates the length of a pulse $\left(6 \times 10^{-9} \times\right.$ $3 \times 10^{8}=1.8 \mathrm{~m}$ ) and calculates the wavelength $=\frac{3 \times 10^{8}}{3.8 \times 10^{14}}=7.9 \times 10^{-7}$ <br> OR <br> Determines maximum number of pulses per second $\frac{1}{6 \times 10^{-9}}$ and divides number of cycles per second by the number of pulses per second. That is: <br> $\frac{3.8 \times 10^{14}}{\frac{1}{6 \times 10^{-9}}}$ or $\frac{3.8 \times 10^{14}}{1.67 \times 10^{8}}$ seen <br> Calculator display 2280000 <br> Unsupported answers with POT error 1 mark | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |


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| 03.2 | Use of speed $=\frac{\text { distance }}{\text { time }}$ <br> by substituting for speed $\left(3 \times 10^{8} \mathrm{~ms}^{-1}\right)$ and time $\left(10.7 \times 10^{-6} \mathrm{~s}\right)$ and making distance the subject <br> OR <br> Use of speed $=\frac{\text { distance }}{\text { time }}$ and divides their distance by 2 <br> OR $(\text { time }=) \frac{10.7 \times 10^{-6}}{2} /(\text { time }=) 5.35 \times 10^{-6} s \checkmark$ $1.6 \times 10^{3}(\mathrm{~m}) \checkmark$ | Condone POT error on MP1 <br> An answer $=3.2(1) \times 10^{3}(\mathrm{~m})$ obtains 1 mark with working (allow POT on this compensatory mark) <br> Alternative calculation for total distance: Multiples the wavelength $\left(7.9 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{~m}\right)$ by the number of waves in $10.7 \mu \mathrm{~S}\left(\frac{10.7 \times 10^{-6}}{2.63 \times 10^{-15}}\right)$ : <br> That is $\frac{3 \times 10^{8}}{3.8 \times 10^{14}} \times \frac{10.7 \times 10^{-6}}{2.63 \times 10^{-15}} /$ $\begin{aligned} & \frac{3 \times 10^{8}}{3.8 \times 10^{14}} \times \frac{10.7 \times 10^{-6}}{\frac{1}{3.8 \times 10^{14}}} / 7.9 \times 10^{-7} \times \frac{10.7 \times 10^{-6}}{2.63 \times 10^{-15}} \\ & / 7.9 \times 10^{-7} \times 4.066 \times 10^{9} \text { seen } \end{aligned}$ <br> OR <br> Multiples the wavelength $\left(7.9 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{~m}\right)$ by the number of waves in $10.7 \mu \mathrm{~s}$. $\left(10.7 \times 10^{-6} \times f\right)$ where $f=3.8 \times 10^{14}$ <br> That is: $\begin{aligned} & 7.9 \times 10^{-7} \times 10.7 \times 10^{-6} \times 3.8 \times 10^{14} / \\ & \frac{3 \times 10^{8}}{3.8 \times 10^{14}} \times 10.7 \times 10^{-6} \times 3.8 \times 10^{14} \text { seen } \end{aligned}$ <br> (Calculator displays 1605 ) | 2 | $2 \times \mathrm{AO} 2$ |


| Question | Answers | Additional Comments/Guidance | Mark | AO |
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| 03.3 | Use of $n_{1} \sin \theta_{1}=n_{2} \sin \theta_{2} \checkmark \quad$ by substitution $\left(n_{2}=\right) 1.3(1) \checkmark$ | Condone use of $\boldsymbol{\theta}_{1}=\mathbf{3 8}^{\circ}$ provided $n_{\text {air }}=1$ : need to see an explicit statement $1 \times \sin \boldsymbol{\theta}_{1}$ and answer $=$ 1.0(2). <br> Allow their $\theta_{1}$ from an attempt to find $90-38$ in use of Allow 62 or 42 for $\theta 1$ without supporting evidence in use of <br> Do not allow $\theta_{1}=90^{\circ}$ in use of <br> Allow use of $1 n_{2}=\frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$ or $\frac{n_{2}}{n_{1}}=\frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$ <br> or $n=\frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$ <br> must see $i=$ their $\theta_{1}$ and $r=37^{\circ}$ for use of any of these <br> Do not allow this method for $i=\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\mathbf{1}}=\mathbf{3 8}^{\circ}$ unless answer $=1.0(2)$ and <br> either <br> ${ }_{1 n_{2}} / \frac{n_{2}}{n_{1}}$ is seen as subject <br> or <br> n is subject and there is an explicit statement that $n_{\text {air }}=1$ | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |


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| 03.4 | Attempted use of $n=\frac{c}{c_{s}}$ <br> Or <br> use of their $c_{s}=f \lambda \checkmark$ <br> $6.0 \times 10^{-7}(\mathrm{~m})$ or $6.1 \times 10^{-7}(\mathrm{~m})$ <br> Alternative <br> Divides wavelength in air by the refractive index $\checkmark$ $6.0 \times 10^{-7}(\mathrm{~m}) \text { or } 6.1 \times 10^{-7}(\mathrm{~m}) \checkmark$ | Expect to see $c_{s}=2.3 \times 10^{8}\left(\mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~s}^{-1}\right)$ <br> Ecf from 03.3 in use of $n=\frac{c}{c_{s}}$ <br> Condone their $c_{s}$ in use of $c=f \lambda$ <br> Ecf from 03.3 <br> Answer $=7.7(4) \times 10^{-7}(\mathrm{~m})$ for $n=1.02$ <br> Or $7.7(2) \times 10-7(\mathrm{~m})$ for $\mathrm{n}=1.02$ where no rounding on ecf <br> Answer $=7.89 \times 10^{-7}(\mathrm{~m})$ for $n=1.0$ (only condone this answer where $n=1$ or $\mathrm{n}=1.0$ seen as ecf from 03.3) <br> Expect to see $6.03 \times 10^{-7}$ or $6.07 \times 10^{-7}$ <br> Maximum of 1 mark where speed in ice sheet is more than speed of light in a vacuum is seen. <br> Penalise 1 significant figure | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total |  |  | 8 |  |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 04.1 | The mark scheme gives some guidance as to what statements are expected to be seen in a 1- or 2-mark (L1), 3- or 4-mark (L2) and 5- or 6-mark (L3) answer. Guidance provided in section 3.10 of the 'Mark Scheme Instructions' document should be used to assist marking this question. | The following statements are likely to be present. <br> Area A Loses its charge: <br> - Emission of electrons from the surface (when electromagnetic radiation is incident on plate) (A) <br> - Number of surplus electrons remaining on plate decreases with time / (photo)electrons carry away negative charge(B) <br> Area B Frequency: <br> - Minimum energy required /work function (C) <br> - A photon must supply this energy in one interaction. (D) <br> - The energy of a photon is directly proportional to its frequency $/ E=h f$ ( E ) <br> - Minimum frequency is the threshold frequency (F) <br> Area C Intensity: <br> - Increased intensity (at same frequency) results in more photons per second incident on plate. (G) <br> - Must increase the number of photons per second even if frequency increases. (H) <br> - More electrons released from plate every second so loses charge more rapidly. (I) | 6 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 2 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |

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| 04.2 | Use of $E=h f$ or converts their photon energy in J to $\mathrm{eV} /$ converts $1.1(\mathrm{eV})$ to $1.76 \times 10^{-19}(\mathrm{~J}) \checkmark$ <br> Use of $h f=\Phi+E_{\mathbf{k}(\max )} \checkmark$ $\Phi=3.9(\mathrm{eV}) \checkmark$ | For use of $E=h f$ : $6.63 \times 10^{-34} \times 1.2 \times 10^{15} / 7.956 \times 10^{-19}(\mathrm{~J}) / 4.97 \mathrm{eV} \text { seen }$ <br> MP2: <br> rearrangement of terms is insufficient. <br> Correct substitution in eV or J with or without rearrangement (condone one consistent POT error) <br> Expect to see $\begin{aligned} & (\Phi=) 4.97-1.1 / \Phi+1.1=4.97 / \\ & (\Phi=) 7.956 \times 10^{-19}-1.76 \times 10^{-19} /(\Phi=) 6.196 \times 10^{-19} \\ & / \Phi+1.76 \times 10^{-19}=7.956 \times 10^{-19} \end{aligned}$ <br> Condone one error in either $h f$ or $E_{\mathrm{k}(\text { max })}$ or signs but must be rearranged where $\Phi$ would be subject. <br> Common error seen in $\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{k}(\max )}=6.875 \times 10^{18}$ <br> Examples: $\begin{aligned} & (\Phi=) 7.956 \times 10^{-19}-1.1(=-1.1) / \\ & (\Phi=) 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \times 1.2 \times 10^{15}-1.1 / \\ & (\Phi=) 4.97-1.76 \times 10^{-19}(=4.97) \end{aligned}$ <br> Condone error in <br> Accept a correctly rounded answer to 2 or more significant figure. <br> Condone answer (with working seen) $=6.1$ or 6.07 for 2 marks. <br> (Calculator displays 3.8725) | 3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 2 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total |  |  | 9 |  |


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| $\mathbf{0 5 . 1}$ | Q $\checkmark$ |  | Talk out of $\mathbf{Q}$ where diffraction linked to any <br> other location (positive plate or screen) | 2 |


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| $\mathbf{0 5 . 2}$ | decreases (associated) wavelength / Momentum of electrons <br> increases $\checkmark$ | Treat double slit formula as neutral | 3 | $3 \times$ AO2 |
|  | quotes $\lambda=\frac{h}{m v}$ / wavelength is inversely proportional to speed <br> / wavelength is inversely proportional to momentum $\checkmark$ <br> equation / talk out on frequency remaining <br> constant / talk out on frequency increases |  |  |  |
| less diffraction because shorter wavelength relative to the <br> spacing between layers in the graphite / less diffraction <br> because shorter wavelength relative to gaps (in graphite <br> target) $\checkmark$ | Accept: less diffraction because shorter <br> wavelength relative to size of slits |  |  |  |
| Total |  | Where no other mark is scored allow 1 mark <br> for: <br> less diffraction $\checkmark$ <br> Spreads out less' is insufficient here |  |  |


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| 06.1 | attempted use of principle of moments: <br> seen by one correct side of an attempted principle of moments equation. <br> full use of principle of moments $(d=) 2.4(\mathrm{~m}) \checkmark$ <br> Alternative <br> Finds component of tension in $\mathbf{P}$ due to worker's weight $=250 \mathrm{~N} /$ Finds tension in $\mathbf{P}$ (due to weight of worker) by dividing weight of platform by 2 and subtracts from 1150 N <br> OR <br> Finds component of tension in $\mathbf{Q}$ due to worker's weight $=500 \mathrm{~N} /$ Finds tension in $\mathbf{Q}$ (due to weight of worker) by dividing weight of platform by 2 and subtracts from $1400 \mathrm{~N} \checkmark$ <br> Recognises the ratio of weight distribution to worker position relative to cables $\mathbf{P}$ and $\mathbf{Q}$ <br> $250 \mathrm{~N}: 500 \mathrm{~N}=3.6-d: d \checkmark$ (principle of moments) $(d=) 2.4(\mathrm{~m}) \checkmark$ | examples of acceptable responses for MP1 <br> $1150 \times 3.6$ or $1400 \times 3.6$ or $1800 \times 1.8+750(3.6-$ <br> d) or $1800 \times 1.8+750 x$ or $750 \times d+1800 \times 1.8 \checkmark$ <br> Condone one error in distance or signs or force in an attempted use of principle of moments (must have 3 forces multiplied by 3 distances) <br> For moments about $\mathbf{B}$ (or $\mathbf{Q}$ ): $\begin{aligned} & 1150 \times 3.6=1800 \times 1.8+750(3.6-d) / \\ & 1150 \times 3.6=1800 \times 1.8+750 x \end{aligned}$ <br> $x$ seen (with appropriate working) as 1.2 m or 2.4 m (even when not answer line) gains MP1 and MP2 <br> Moments about $\mathbf{A}$ (or $\mathbf{P}$ ): $750 \times d+1800 \times 1.8=1400 \times 3.6$ <br> Alternative for MP1 and MP2: <br> Moments about worker's centre of gravity: $1150 \times d+1800(1.8-d)=1400(3.6-d)$ <br> MP1 for one correct side of equation seen. <br> MP2 all correct terms seen (condone one error) <br> $d=1.2 \mathrm{~m}$ with supporting working gains MP1 and MP2 (need principle of moments) | 3 | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |


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| $\mathbf{0 6 . 2}$ | Extension $=0.18 \mathrm{~mm}$ or use of $\varepsilon=\frac{\Delta L}{L}$ or reads off $d$ correctly <br> for their extension (+/- half a square) (where working for <br> extension seen) $\checkmark$ | Use of $\varepsilon=\frac{\Delta L}{L}$ is by rearrangement to make $\Delta L$ <br> the subject and $6 \times 10^{-5} \times 3$ seen (condone <br> use of $L=3.6 \mathrm{~m}$ here). <br> Condone POT error on extension | 2 | $1 \times$ AO1 |
|  |  | Allow range of 1.75 m to 1.85 m |  |  |
| $(d=) 1.8 \mathrm{~m} \checkmark$ | Some supporting use of graph for read-off <br> seen |  |  |  |


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| $\mathbf{0 6 . 3}$ | $(\sigma=) 1.1(4) \times 10^{7}\left(\mathrm{~N} \mathrm{~m}^{-2}\right) \checkmark$ c.a.o |  | 1 | AO1 |


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| $\mathbf{0 6 . 4}$ | Straight line with negative gradient that intercepts extension <br> axis and has a $d$ range of 3.5 m to $3.7 \mathrm{~m} \checkmark$ | Penalise double and thick lines (limit on <br> thickness of line: must be less than half square <br> thick) | 3 | $3 \times$ AO3 |
|  | Straight line passes through $(0,0.46) \checkmark$ | Within $1 / 2$ square |  |  |
|  | Straight line passes through $(3.6,0.26) \checkmark$ | Within $1 / 2$ square |  |  |
| Condone accuracy within a square max 1 |  |  |  |  |
| for MP2 and MP3 |  |  |  |  |

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| 07.1 | (Component of total weight parallel to slope $=$ ) $640 \sin \theta \checkmark$ | Allow $m g \sin \theta$ or $65 \mathrm{~g} \sin \theta$ or $638 \sin \theta$ or $637.7 \sin \theta$ or $637.65 \sin \theta$ <br> Condone labelling this component as $W$ in statements such as $W=640 \sin \theta$ <br> Do not accept <br> $W \sin \theta \quad$ unless $W$ is defined as $m g$ | 1 | AO2 |


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| 07.2 |  | use of $P=F v$ $(\theta=) 17(.4)\left(^{\circ}\right) \checkmark$ <br> Ecf from $\mathbf{0 7 . 1}$ for MP1 and MP2 <br> Use of $P=F v$ by substitution and rearrangement to make $F$ the subject. <br> Expect to see ( $F=$ ) 190(.184) (N) <br> Accept a correctly rounded answer to 2 or more significant figure. <br> (Calculator displays: 17.35298907 for $\mathrm{mg} \sin \theta$ and $65 \mathrm{~g} \sin \theta$ and $637.65 \sin \theta$ ) <br> As an alternative to 17.35298907 may see Calculator display or answer of: <br> - 17.34316751 for $638 \sin \theta=17(.3)$ <br> - $\quad 17.3515853$ for $637.7 \sin \theta=17(.4)$ <br> - 17.28726034 for $640 \sin \theta=17(.3)$ <br> Common ecf: <br> $(65 g \cos \theta=190)=72.6\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ or $73\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ scores MP1 and MP2 <br> $(65 \tan \theta=190)=71.1\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ or $71\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ scores MP1 and MP2 <br> Use of $W=F s \cos \theta$ is only acceptable as an ecf where $F$ $=65 \mathrm{~g}$ and component of weight is given as $65 \mathrm{~g} \cos \theta$ (or equivalent) in 07.1 <br> Alternative MP1: <br> height gain per second $=0.486 \mathrm{~m}$ and distance along the slope per second $=1.63 \mathrm{~m}$ <br> OR <br> Use of $\sin \theta=\frac{\text { height gained per second }}{\text { distance travelled per second }}$ | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |
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| 07.3 | Less (useful) power output $\checkmark$ <br> Same gain in (gravitational) potential energy (in climbing hill) / same amount of work done (in climbing hill) / gains same height (in climbing hill) <br> Gains less (gravitational) potential energy every second <br> OR (component of weight doing work against) <br> Less (useful) power output $\checkmark$ <br> Effective $\theta$ has decreased $/ m g \sin \theta$ has decreased / component of the weight parallel to the slope has decreased <br> Smaller force does less work per second $\checkmark$ <br> OR (component of vertical velocity) <br> Less (useful) power output $\checkmark$ <br> The vertical component of the velocity has decreased / height gained per second decreases <br> ( $P=$ ) $m g v \sin \theta$ has decreased $/ \mathrm{P}=\frac{\Delta W}{\Delta t}$ has decreased / less work done (against the weight) per second / Less gain in (gravitational) potential energy per second $\checkmark$ <br> OR (distance travelled) <br> Less (useful) power output $\checkmark$ <br> Less force is exerted over greater distance (for same change in height) Smaller force does less work per second $\checkmark$ | General marking principle: <br> MP1 less (useful) power output <br> MP2 basic point <br> MP3 explains consequences of basic point in terms of power (MP3 is an extension of MP2, quoting $\mathrm{P}=\frac{\Delta W}{\Delta t}$ without linking to an appropriate explanation is insufficient). <br> Loses MP1: where conflicting statements made about (useful) power output / states more power output / total power output is same <br> Loses MP3 for conflicting statements made in support of explanation. <br> Accept $\theta$ as the effective angle to the slope. <br> Condone $\mathrm{P}=\frac{E}{t}$ has decreased as MP3 <br> Treat 'inputs more energy' or 'does more work' as neutral | 3 | $3 \times \mathrm{AO} 3$ |
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| 07.4 | Draws tangent which touches curve between 9 and 11 <br> Determine gradient of a tangent drawn at $5 \mathrm{~s} /$ Determines gradient of tangent drawn at $10 \mathrm{~s} \checkmark$ <br> (acceleration $=$ ) $0.21\left(\mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~s}^{-2}\right) \checkmark$ | Must see an attempt to draw a tangent to curve to score any marks. <br> Read-offs must be within $1 / 2$ square of accuracy Condone one read-off error. <br> For tangent at $t=5 \mathrm{~s}$, expect to see an answer of 0.61 to $0.71\left(\mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~s}^{-2}\right)$. MAX 2 marks for this. <br> Accept answers in range 0.15 to $0.27\left(\mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~s}^{-2}\right)$ <br> Accept 2 or 3 significant figures only. <br> MAX 1 mark <br> Condone a correctly determined gradient for a tangent to the curve at any other point between 5 and 11 seconds. | 3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 3 \end{aligned}$ |


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| 07.5 | Air resistance increases (with speed) / resistive forces increase (with speed) / Energy is transferred from the cyclist (due to work done) by resistive forces $\checkmark$ <br> MAX 3 from: <br> Initially, any of the gravitational potential energy that is transferred is transferred to kinetic energy of cyclist $\checkmark$ <br> As speed increases, less of the gravitational potential energy transferred per second is transferred to kinetic energy of cyclist $\checkmark$ <br> As speed increases, energy transferred per second to the air increases / as the speed increases, the energy transferred per second from the cyclist increases $\checkmark$ <br> At top speed, the gravitational potential energy that is transferred (per second) is transferred to the air / the gravitational potential energy (transferred per second) is being transferred (from the cyclist) due to work done by resistive forces $\checkmark$ | Condone 'frictional forces increase with speed' Treat kinetic energy is transferred from the cyclist as neutral. <br> The answer must be written in terms of energy transfers | 4 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 3 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |
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| 08.1 | $(\mathrm{pd}$ across the variable resistor $)=11.25(\mathrm{~V})$ seen <br> OR <br> Use of $\quad V_{0}=\frac{R_{1}}{R_{1}+R_{2}} \times V_{\text {in }}$ <br> OR <br> use of $V_{1}: V_{2}=R_{1}: R_{2} \quad$ or $\frac{V_{1}}{V_{2}}=\frac{R_{1}}{R_{2}}$ <br> OR $(I=) 0.45 \mathrm{~A} \checkmark$ $(R=1.7(\Omega) \checkmark \quad \text { c.a.o }$ | For Max 1: <br> Condone mix up of $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{R}_{2}$ <br> Condone $V=12 \mathrm{~V}$ and $R=25 \Omega$ leading to an answer of $1.56 \Omega$ or $1.6 \Omega$ <br> Condone $V=12 \mathrm{~V}$ and $R=25 \Omega$ leading to $I=0.48 \mathrm{~A}$ and an answer of $1.56 \Omega$ or $1.6 \Omega$ <br> Accept a correctly rounded answer to 2 or more significant figure. <br> (Calculator displays 1.66666666 ) | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |



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| $\mathbf{0 8 . 3}$ | As voltage increases the current increases / as the voltage <br> increases more electrons move through the wire (per <br> second) $\checkmark$ |  | 3 | $3 \times$ AO1 |
|  | More collisions (per second) between the (conduction) <br> electrons and the lattice ions / Vibration of the lattice ions <br> increases $\checkmark$ | Allow vibration of the ions in the filament / wire <br> /metal increases |  |  |
| (Rate of) vibration of the lattice ions increases causing a <br> greater number of collisions per second causing increased <br> resistance $\checkmark$ | Accept rate of collisions for number of <br> collisions per second. <br> Talk out on MP3 where current decreases |  |  |  |


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| $\mathbf{0 8 . 4}$ | use of $\frac{1}{R_{\mathrm{T}}}=\frac{1}{R_{1}}+\frac{1}{R_{2}}$ or $R_{T}=\frac{R_{1} \times R_{2}}{R_{1}+R_{2}}$ | allow use of $\frac{1}{6}+\frac{1}{25}$ seen without subject | 2 | $1 \times$ AO1 |
|  |  | Alternative MP1: <br> $\left(I_{\mathrm{T}}=I_{\text {lamp }}+I \times Y=2.48 \mathrm{~A}\right)$ and use of $V=I R$ <br> Accept a correctly rounded answer to 2 or <br> more significant figure. |  |  |
|  |  | (Calculator displays 4.838709677) |  |  |


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| 08.5 | use of $P=\frac{V^{2}}{R}$ by substitution of $V=12 \mathrm{~V}$ and $R=4.8 \Omega \checkmark$ $(P=) 30(\mathrm{~W}) \checkmark$ | Ecf from $\mathbf{0 8 . 4}$ for MP1 and MP2 <br> MP1: <br> Condone use of $R=6 \Omega$ or $R=25 \Omega$ in this substitution for MP1 (where not ecf from 08.4) <br> OR <br> Condone use of $P=I V$ or use of $P=I^{2} R$ by substitution of their (battery) $I$ and ecf $R$ from 08.4. Must have clearly identified $I$ in working in <br> 08.4 or by use of $I=\frac{12}{e c f R}$ here <br> Ecf answer must be $\frac{12^{2}}{R \text { on answer line in } 08.4}$ <br> (Calculator display for non-rounded answer 29.76) <br> Penalise answers with more than two digits that have been rounded to 1 significant figure. | 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 1 \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{AO} 2 \end{aligned}$ |


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| $\mathbf{0 8 . 6}$ | Wider range in Figure 14's circuit and lower efficiency in <br> Figure 14's circuit $\checkmark$ <br> Details: <br> Voltage range is wider 0-12 V (in Figure 14's circuit) <br> compared to 0.75 V - 12 V (in Figure 12's circuit) / can't get <br> voltages between 0 and 0.75 V In Figure 12 / wider range <br> when using XY as a potentiometer <br> OR <br> bulb won't light at lower voltages, so control is unaffected $\checkmark$ | Allow 'can get zero volts in Figure 14' |  |  |

