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0625 PHYSICS

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Paper 2 (Core Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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NOTES ABOUT MARK SCHEME SYMBOLS & OTHER MATTERS

- B marks** are independent marks, which do not depend on any other marks. For a B mark to be scored, the point to which it refers must actually be seen in the candidate's answer.
- M marks** are method marks upon which accuracy marks (A marks) later depend. For an M mark to be scored, the point to which it refers **must** be seen in a candidate's answer. If a candidate fails to score a particular M mark, then none of the dependent A marks can be scored.
- C marks** are compensatory method marks which can be scored even if the points to which they refer are not written down by the candidate, provided subsequent working gives evidence that they must have known it, e.g. if an equation carries a C mark and the candidate does not write down the actual equation but does correct working which shows he knew the equation, then the C mark is scored.
- A marks** are accuracy or answer marks which either depend on an M mark, or which are one of the ways which allow a C mark to be scored.
- c.a.o.** means "correct answer only".
- e.c.f.** means "error carried forward". This indicates that if a candidate has made an earlier mistake and has carried his incorrect value forward to subsequent stages of working, he may be given marks indicated by e.c.f. provided his subsequent working is correct, bearing in mind his earlier mistake. This prevents a candidate being penalised more than once for a particular mistake, but **only** applies to marks annotated "e.c.f."
- e.e.o.o.** means "each error or omission".
- Brackets ()** around words or units in the mark scheme are intended to indicate wording used to clarify the mark scheme, but the marks do not depend on seeing the words or units in brackets, e.g. 10(J) means that the mark is scored for 10, regardless of the unit given.
- Underlining** indicates that this must be seen in the answer offered, or something very similar.
- OR/or** indicates alternative answers, any one of which is satisfactory for scoring the marks.
- Spelling** Be generous about spelling and use of English. If an answer can be understood to mean what we want, give credit.
- Significant figures**
Answers are acceptable to any number of significant figures ≥ 2 , except if specified otherwise, or if only 1 sig. fig. is appropriate.
- Units** Incorrect units are not penalised, except where specified. More commonly, marks are allocated for specific units.
- Fractions** These are only acceptable where specified.
- Extras** Ignore extras in answers if they are irrelevant; if they contradict an otherwise correct response or are forbidden by mark scheme, use right + wrong = 0.
- Ignore** indicates that something which is not correct is disregarded and does not cause a right plus wrong penalty.
- Not/NOT** indicates that an incorrect answer is not to be disregarded, but cancels another otherwise correct alternative offered by the candidate, i.e. right plus wrong penalty applies.

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1	(a) area under graph OR $\frac{1}{2}(u + v) t$	C1
	$\frac{1}{2} \times 40 \times 8$	C1
	160 (m)	A1
	(b) 315 + candidate's (a)	C1
	distance = speed \times time OR distance/time in words, symbols or numbers	C1
	$(315 + 160)/80$ OR $(315 + \text{candidate's (a)})/80$	C1
	(5.9) 38(m/s)	A1
	(c) (i) steady/same/constant/uniform speed	B1
	(ii) slowing down/decelerating/negative acceleration	B1
		[Total: 9]
2	(a) measuring cylinder/graduated cylinder	B1
	(b) balance, accept spring balance, accept (weighing) scales	B1
	(c) find mass of empty cylinder	B1
	find mass of cylinder + liquid	B1
	subtract values NOT if stated the wrong way round	B1
	accept valid alternative methods	
	(d) density = mass/volume, in words, symbols or numbers	C1
	$62.4 \div 80$	C1
	0.78 OR 780	A1
	g/cm^3 OR kg/m^3 as appropriate	B1
		[Total: 9]

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3	(a)	equal (size/magnitude)/the same (size), ignore opposite NOT same direction	B1
	(b)	it would (start to) sink (if weight>upthrust)	B1
	(c)	moves (forward)	C1
		accelerates forward/increases speed/moves faster	A1
	(d)	slows down, IGNORE stops (moving)	B1
			[Total: 5]
4	(a)	idea of expansion/gets bigger	B1
	(b)	particles have more energy/vibrate faster ignore move quickly or move faster	B1
		particles move apart/space between particles increases NOT particles expand	B1
	(c)	contracts/gets smaller/shrinks IGNORE fits tightly	B1
	(d)	idea of being pushed together accept move/stick together/compressed accept pulled tight/together	B1
			[Total: 5]
5	(a) (i)	wax melts (faster) on copper rod	B1
		wax melts less (far)/not at all/slower on plastic rod comparison needed	B1
	(ii)	IGNORE any statements about <u>conduction of electricity</u> copper is a (good) (thermal) <u>conductor</u>	B1
		plastic is an <u>insulator</u> /poor <u>conductor</u>	B1
	(b)	(only) faster/high (k.)e./most energetic particles	B1
		escape/go into the air or leave the water (surface)	B1
		(this means) average (k.) e. of water decreases/falls accept internal energy/thermal energy for k.e.	B1
			[Total: 7]

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- 6 (a) speed = distance/time in words, symbols or numbers **OR** distance/ speed C1
 330/5000 C1
 0.066 (s), allow 0.07 (s) (to one significant figure) A1
- (b) man with hammer hears one sound
 accept hears the sound almost instantly/first B1
- other man hears two sounds **OR** 1 through air and 1 through rail B1
NOT hears two sounds, one is an echo
- any one from:
 hears sound through rail before sound through air
 calculation of time difference between sounds
 because (speed of sound) in metal/steel faster than (speed of) sound in air B1
- [Total: 6]**
- 7 (a) (i) correct idea \pm 1 line C1
 correct distance A1
- (ii) (slinky spring) moved backwards and forwards owtte B1
- (b) (i) correct idea e.g. crest to crest **NOT** just 2 peaks marked C1
 (ii) idea of bigger (vertical) distance between crest and trough B1
- (c) (i) no change/nothing B1
 (ii) less/shorter/smaller/decreases B1
- [Total: 7]**
- 8 (a) (i) any one from: aluminium, copper, gold, iron B1
 (ii) any one from: ebonite, glass, plastic, silk B1
 (iii) iron B1
 (iv) any one from: ebonite, glass, plastic, silk B1

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- (b) accept correct alternative methods
- stroke with pole of magnet B1
- in one direction B1
- OR** (alternative answer)
- place in solenoid / coil (B1)
- current in one direction / battery / d.c. (B1)

[Total: 6]

- 9 (a) (i) ammeter **NOT** ampmeter
accept multimeter on current range B1
- (ii) 2nd box ticked, current B1
- (b) (i) 1st box ticked, charge B1
- (ii) 1. $(R =) R_1 + R_2$ in words, symbols or numbers C1
- 24 (Ω) A1
2. $V = IR$ in any form **OR** V/R C1
- 12/24 e.c.f. C1
- 0.5 e.c.f. A1
- A **OR** amp(s) **OR** ampere(s) B1
- (c) bottom box ticked, 0 V B1

[Total: 10]

- 10 (a) lamp will blow / burn out
accept blow up / glow too / very brightly ignore bright / won't work B1
- (b) (i) transformer shown with one coil across input and other coil across output
accept any reasonable attempt at transformer symbol B1
- (ii) factor of 2 e.g. 12/6, 6/12 or 2:1 ignore units C1
- 1:2 **OR** 1 to 2 A1

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(c) (i) resistor shown joining top two wires or bottom two wires
accept diagonal connection M1

complete series circuit A1

note: 2 resistors in series gains only one mark B1

(ii) 1.5 (Ω) B1

[Total: 7]

11 (a) 23 B1

(b) 11 B1

(c) 12 B1

(d) 11 no e.c.f. from (b) B1

[Total: 4]

12 (a) 4 (hours) B1

appropriate indication of method (minimum indication any halving of count rate on axis
or curve) B1

(b) (i) 1000 B1

(ii) candidate's (a) B1

(iii) in the range 62 – 63, e.c.f. from (b) (i) and (b)(ii) B1

[Total: 5]