

GCSE (9–1) Physics B (Twenty First Century Science)
J259/02 Depth in physics (Foundation Tier)
Sample Question Paper

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Date – Morning/Afternoon

Version 2

Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

You must have:

- the Data Sheet

You may use:

- a scientific or graphical calculator



First name										
Last name										
Centre number						Candidate number				

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink. You may use an HB pencil for graphs and diagrams.
- Complete the boxes above with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Additional paper may be used if required but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **90**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- Quality of extended responses will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).
- This document consists of **20** pages.

Answer **all** the questions.

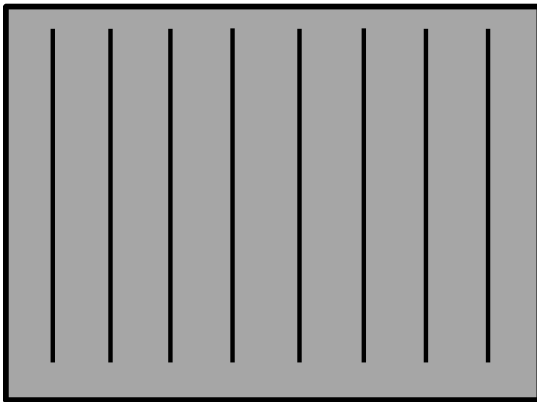
1 Li is experimenting with water waves.

He uses a wave generator to create waves at different wavelengths and frequencies.

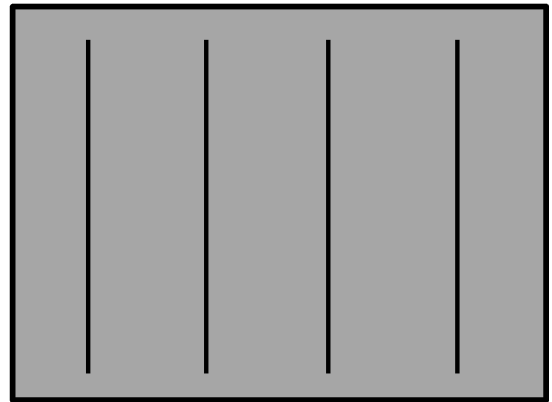
The diagrams show the waves he produced.

Each line represents a wave viewed from above.

First waves produced



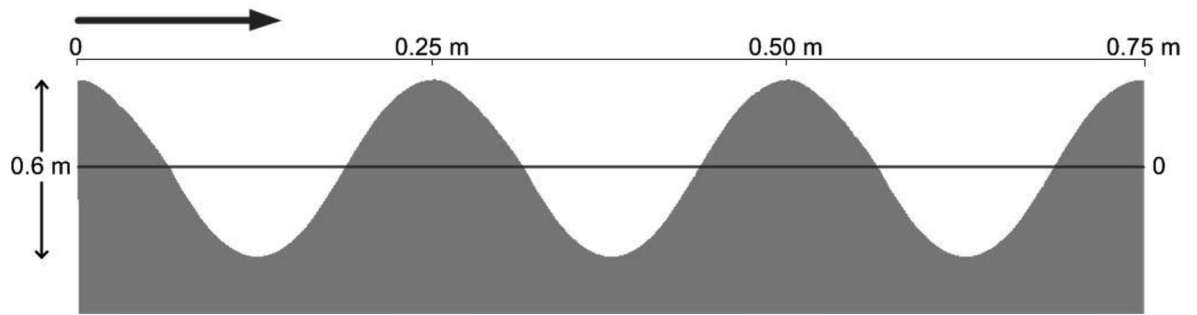
Second waves produced



(a) Fill in the gaps to explain how the wave has changed.

- (i)** The wavelength of the second wave produced is
than the first wave. **[1]**
- (ii)** The frequency of the second wave produced is
than the first wave. **[1]**

(b) The diagram shows the second wave produced but seen from the side.



Using the diagram, calculate the amplitude and the wavelength of the water waves.

Show your working.

Amplitude =m

Wavelength = m [3]

(c) (i) Li counts the waves as they pass in front of him.

He finds that 5 waves pass him in 10 seconds.

Calculate the frequency of the wave.

Frequency = Hz [2]

(ii) Using your answers to parts (b) and (c)(i), calculate the speed of the wave.

In your answer use the equation:

$$\text{wave speed} = \text{frequency} \times \text{wavelength}$$

Speed = m/s [2]

2 Amaya draws a diagram of parts of the electromagnetic spectrum.

(a) She misses out some parts.



smallest → biggest

(i) Add the missing parts of the spectrum to the diagram above. [3]

(ii) In the diagram, one property is **increasing** from left to right.

Put a ring around this property in the list below.

energy **frequency** **wavelength** **wave speed** [1]

(b) Different parts of the electromagnetic spectrum are used for different purposes.

Draw lines to link each **part of the electromagnetic spectrum** to its **use**.

Part of the electromagnetic spectrum		Use
	X-rays	to produce images of bones
	microwaves	to carry information along optical fibres
	infra-red	to carry satellite signals

[2]

3 This question is about astronomy.

(a) The statements below are all about the planets in our solar system.

Put a tick (✓) in the correct box after each statement.

	True	False	
All planets are the same size.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
The Sun's gravity keeps all the planets in their orbits.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	[2]

(b) The following statements describe how the solar system formed.

- 1 and denser areas of the dust cloud condensed into the planets.
- 2 was pulled together by gravity
- 3 A large cloud of dust and gas in space
- 4 when fusion reactions started, and the Sun was born
- 5 the gas was compressed and heated up
- 6 until the centre part had a temperature of millions of degrees

The statements are **not** in the correct order.

In the spaces below, write down the correct order of the statements.

Two have been done for you.

..... **3** **1** [4]

(c)* In the 1920s, astronomer Edwin Hubble made observations of the light coming from many galaxies.

Hubble's observations made other scientists accept a new theory about how the Universe began.

Describe what galaxies are, and how Hubble's observations of red shift led to the idea of an expanding Universe.

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4 This question is about energy transfers in electrical appliances.

(a) The plates on the back of three electrical appliances are shown below.

2.0 kW 230 V 50 Hz	50 Hz 1.2 A 230 – 240 V	800 W 50 Hz 3.5 A 230 V
Appliance A	Appliance B	Appliance C

(i) Appliance **A** is switched on for 195 minutes.

Calculate the number of kWh of energy transferred.

In your answer use the equation:

$$\text{energy transferred} = \text{power} \times \text{time}$$

Energy transferred = kWh [3]

(ii) Calculate which appliance (**A**, **B** or **C**) takes the biggest electric current from the mains power supply.

Appliance = [4]

(b) A householder heats water with an electric heater.

The water is then stored in a large storage tank until it is needed.

If the water is **not** used for some hours, it will cool down and the electric heater must be put on again.

Suggest and explain **one** way in which the householder can reduce the energy wasted in this way, and so save money on the electricity bills.

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..... [2]

(c) The cost of electricity is 16 p per kWh.

Appliance **C** transfers 3.2 kWh when left on for 4 hrs.

Calculate the cost in pounds.

Cost = £..... [2]

5 **Fig. 5.1** is a velocity–time graph for a short car journey.

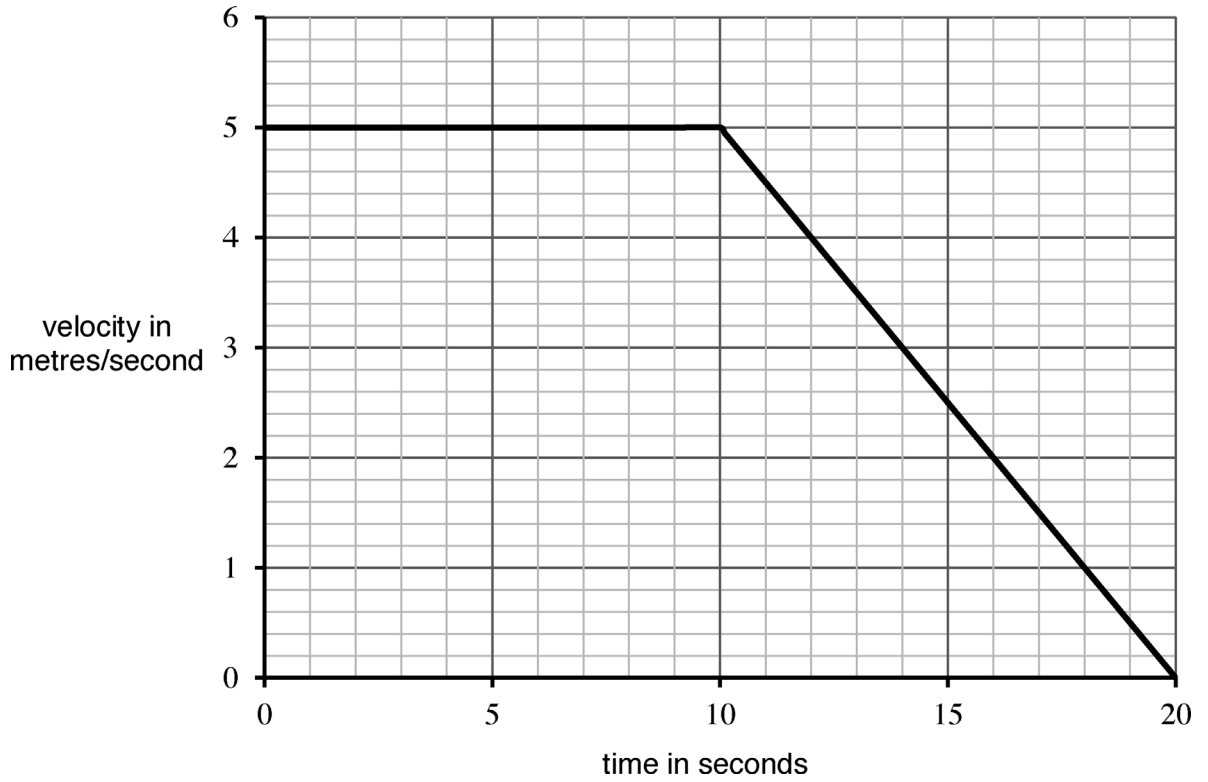


Fig. 5.1

(a) Use the graph in **Fig. 5.1** to describe the car journey in words.

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..... **[3]**

(b) Calculate the total distance moved by the car in the 20 seconds.

Show your working clearly.

Total distance moved = m **[4]**

(c) A second car starts a journey at the same time as the car shown on the graph in **Fig. 5.1**.

- The car accelerates uniformly from rest at a rate of 0.4 m/s^2 for 10 seconds.
- It then decelerates to rest over the next 8 seconds.

(i) Calculate the change in velocity of the second car in the first 10 seconds.

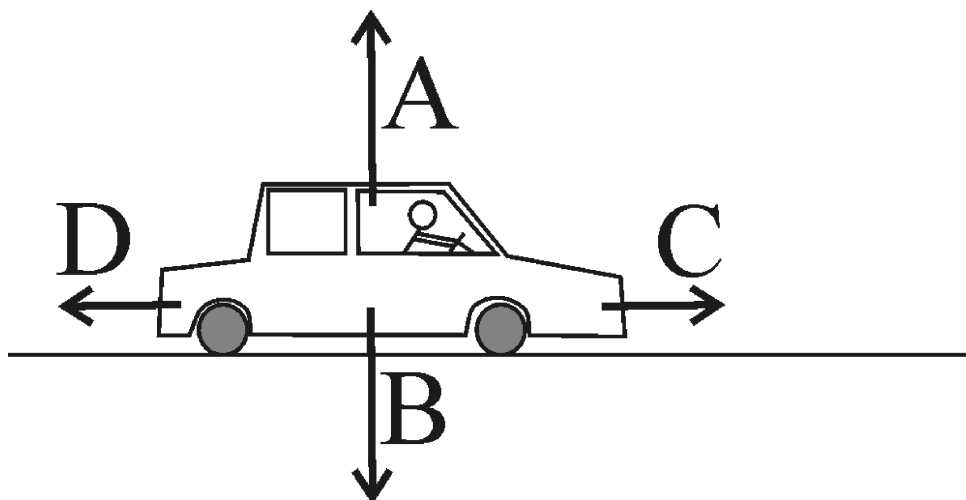
In your answer use the equation:

$$\text{acceleration} = \frac{\text{change in velocity}}{\text{time}}.$$

Change in velocity = m/s [3]

(ii) Draw a line on the graph in **Fig. 5.1** to show the journey of the second car. [3]

6 The diagram shows a car moving at a steady speed along a straight, flat road.



(a) For each force (**A**, **B**, **C** and **D**), state what is pushing or pulling the car in the direction shown.

- A**
- B**
- C**
- D** [4]

(b) The driver suddenly pushes his foot down on the accelerator pedal.

The resultant force is 800 N.

(i) State which **one** of the four forces (**A**, **B**, **C** or **D**) has changed.

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(ii) The mass of car and driver = 1 000 kg

Calculate the acceleration of the car. (Resultant force = 800 N)

Acceleration =m/s² [3]

(iii) The car travels a distance of 830 m, when the force of 800 N is applied.

Calculate the work done by the car engine.

In your answer use the equation:

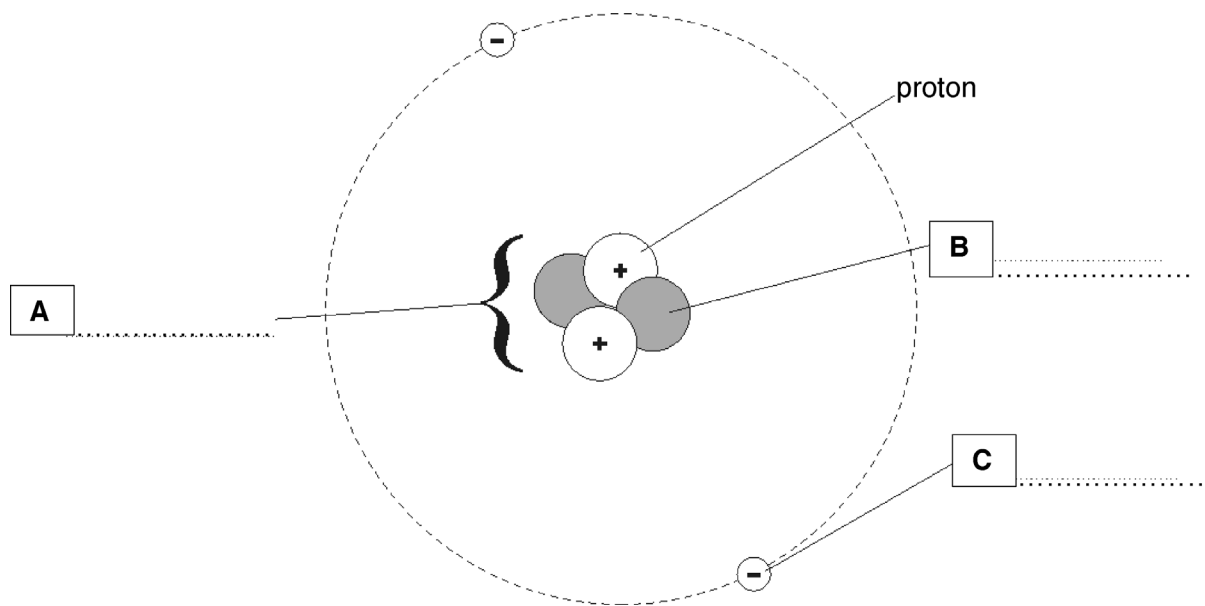
$$\text{work done} = \text{force} \times \text{distance}.$$

Work done =J [2]

7 (a) The diagram shows a simple model of the atom.

One part of the atom has been labelled.

Label the other three parts (A, B and C).



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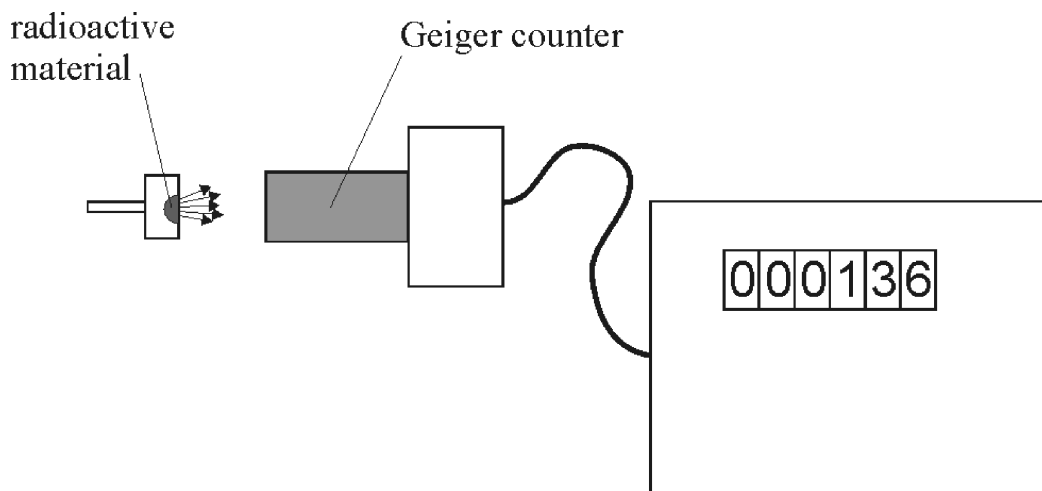
(b) Radioactive materials give off three types of radiation:

alpha particles beta particles gamma rays

These have different penetrating powers.

You are given a sample of radioactive material which gives out one of the three types of radiation, but you do not know which one.

You also have a Geiger counter to detect radiation, as shown below.



You place a thin sheet of paper between the radioactive material and the Geiger counter.

You then replace the paper with a sheet of aluminium metal about 2 mm thick.

Explain how the results tell you which sort of radiation is given out by the material.

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 [2]

(c) Identify **one** risk from collecting the results from the experiment in (b).

Explain how you would complete the experiment to reduce this risk.

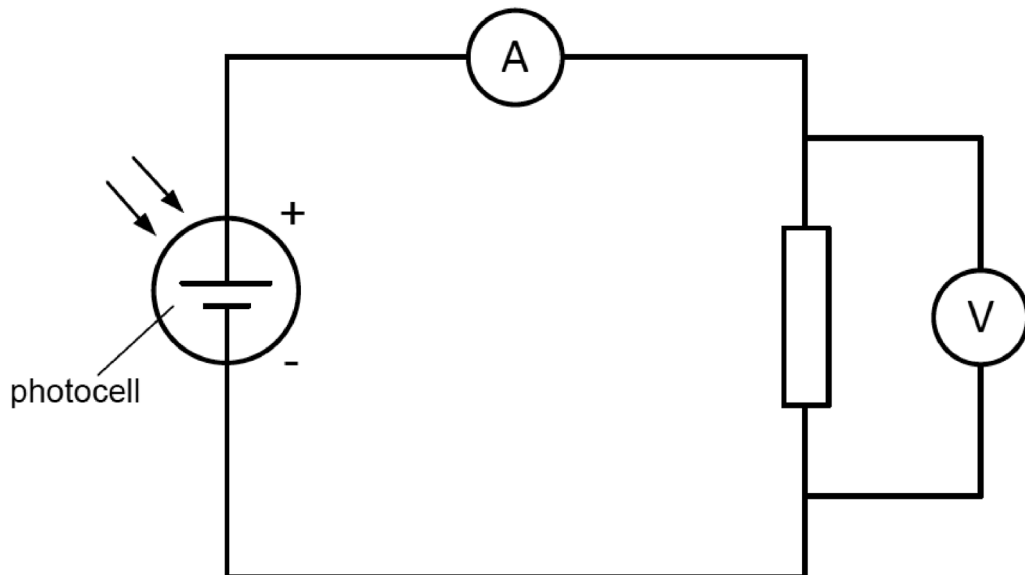
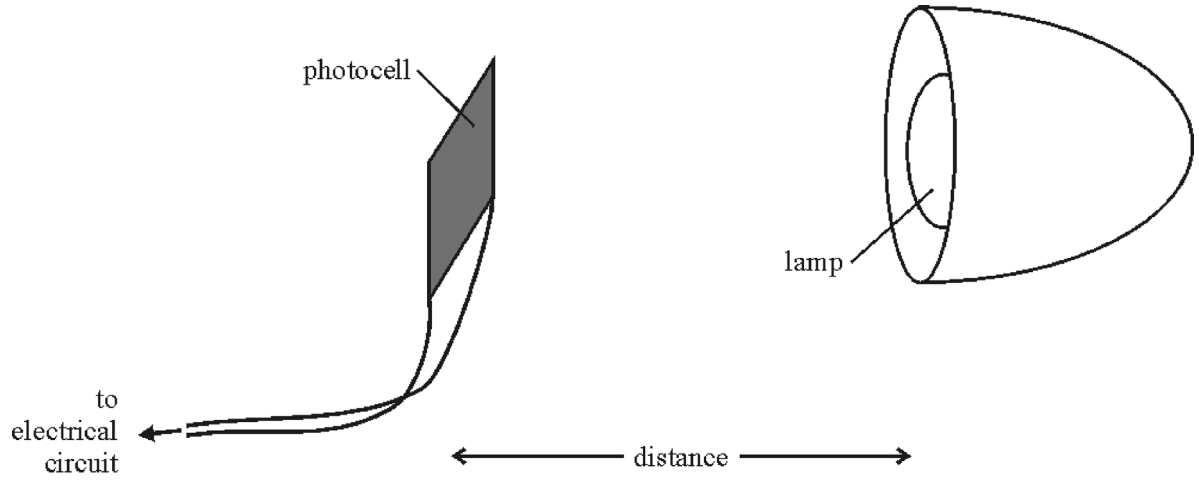
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9 Beth is doing an experiment to investigate the output of a solar panel.

She is using a small photocell to model the panel.

She measures the power output of the photocell at different distances from a lamp, as shown below.



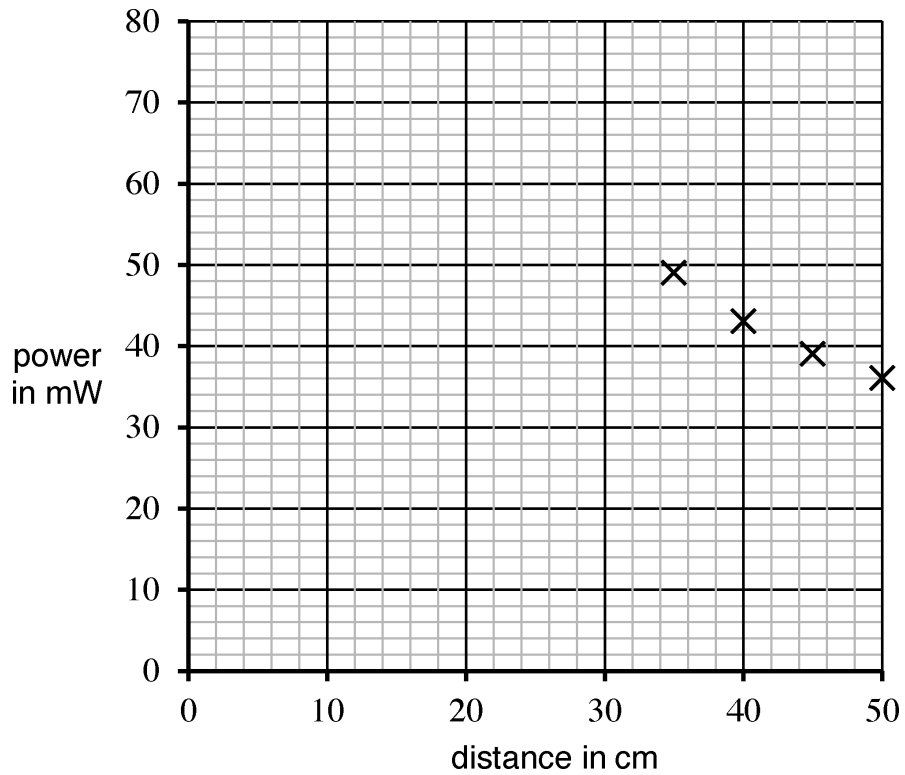
(a) Beth obtained values of power at different distances, as shown in the table.

Distance (cm)	25	30	35	40	45	50
Power (mW)	72	57	49	43	39	36

(i) Four points have been plotted on the graph axes below.

Plot the remaining two points and add a best-fit curve.

[2]



(ii) What does the graph show?

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 [1]

(iii) At a distance of 25cm the power was 72 mW. The voltage across the photocell was recorded as 12 V.

Calculate the current through the photocell.

Use the equation:

$$\text{power} = \text{potential difference} \times \text{current.}$$

Current = A [4]

(iv) Calculate the resistance in ohms of the resistor.

Use the information in (iii) and the equation:

$$\text{potential difference} = \text{current} \times \text{resistance.}$$

Resistance = Ω [3]

(b) Describe how this experiment should be completed to get a valid set of data.

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(c) James has done an identical experiment to Beth's in a **different part** of the same lab.

He used an identical lamp, photocell and resistor, but his values of power were much lower than Beth's for the same distances.

He thinks that his part of the lab must have been different from Beth's.

Suggest and explain a reason for the difference in their results.

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SAMPLE MARK SCHEME

Duration: 1 hour 45 minutes

MAXIMUM MARK 90

This document consists of 20 pages

MARKING INSTRUCTIONS**PREPARATION FOR MARKING****SCORIS**

1. Make sure that you have accessed and completed the relevant training packages for on-screen marking: *scoris assessor Online Training*; *OCR Essential Guide to Marking*.
2. Make sure that you have read and understood the mark scheme and the question paper for this unit. These are posted on the RM Cambridge Assessment Support Portal <http://www.rm.com/support/ca>
3. Log-in to scoris and mark the **required number** of practice responses (“scripts”) and the **required number** of standardisation responses.

YOU MUST MARK 10 PRACTICE AND 10 STANDARDISATION RESPONSES BEFORE YOU CAN BE APPROVED TO MARK LIVE SCRIPTS.

MARKING

1. Mark strictly to the mark scheme.
2. Marks awarded must relate directly to the marking criteria.
3. The schedule of dates is very important. It is essential that you meet the scoris 50% and 100% (traditional 50% Batch 1 and 100% Batch 2) deadlines. If you experience problems, you must contact your Team Leader (Supervisor) without delay.
4. If you are in any doubt about applying the mark scheme, consult your Team Leader by telephone, email or via the scoris messaging system.

5. Work crossed out:
 - a. where a candidate crosses out an answer and provides an alternative response, the crossed out response is not marked and gains no marks
 - b. if a candidate crosses out an answer to a whole question and makes no second attempt, and if the inclusion of the answer does not cause a rubric infringement, the assessor should attempt to mark the crossed out answer and award marks appropriately.
6. Always check the pages (and additional objects if present) at the end of the response in case any answers have been continued there. If the candidate has continued an answer there then add a tick to confirm that the work has been seen.
7. There is a NR (No Response) option. Award NR (No Response)
 - if there is nothing written at all in the answer space
 - OR if there is a comment which does not in any way relate to the question (e.g. 'can't do', 'don't know')
 - OR if there is a mark (e.g. a dash, a question mark) which isn't an attempt at the question.Note: Award 0 marks – for an attempt that earns no credit (including copying out the question).
8. The scoris **comments box** is used by your Team Leader to explain the marking of the practice responses. Please refer to these comments when checking your practice responses. **Do not use the comments box for any other reason.** If you have any questions or comments for your Team Leader, use the phone, the scoris messaging system, or email.
9. Assistant Examiners will send a brief report on the performance of candidates to their Team Leader (Supervisor) via email by the end of the marking period. The report should contain notes on particular strengths displayed as well as common errors or weaknesses. Constructive criticism of the question paper/mark scheme is also appreciated.

10. For answers marked by levels of response:

Read through the whole answer from start to finish, using the Level descriptors to help you decide whether it is a strong or weak answer. The indicative scientific content in the Guidance column indicates the expected parameters for candidates' answers, but be prepared to recognise and credit unexpected approaches where they show relevance. Using a 'best-fit' approach based on the skills and science content evidenced within the answer, first decide which set of level descriptors, Level 1, Level 2 or Level 3, best describes the overall quality of the answer.

Once the level is located, award the higher or lower mark:

The higher mark should be awarded where the level descriptor has been evidenced and all aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met.

The lower mark should be awarded where the level descriptor has been evidenced but aspects of the communication statement (in italics) are missing.

In summary:

The skills and science content determines the level.

The communication statement determines the mark within a level.

Level of response questions on this paper are **3(c)** and **8**.

11. Annotations

Annotation	Meaning
DO NOT ALLOW	Answers which are not worthy of credit
IGNORE	Statements which are irrelevant
ALLOW	Answers that can be accepted
()	Words which are not essential to gain credit
—	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
ECF	Error carried forward
AW	Alternative wording
ORA	Or reverse argument

12. Subject-specific Marking Instructions

INTRODUCTION

Your first task as an Examiner is to become thoroughly familiar with the material on which the examination depends. This material includes:

- the specification, especially the assessment objectives
- the question paper
- the mark scheme.

You should ensure that you have copies of these materials.

You should ensure also that you are familiar with the administrative procedures related to the marking process. These are set out in the OCR booklet **Instructions for Examiners**. If you are examining for the first time, please read carefully **Appendix 5 Introduction to Script Marking: Notes for New Examiners**.

Please ask for help or guidance whenever you need it. Your first point of contact is your Team Leader.

The breakdown of Assessment Objectives for GCSE (9–1) in Physics B (Twenty First Century Science):

	Assessment Objective
AO1	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas and scientific techniques and procedures.
AO1.1	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas.
AO1.2	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific techniques and procedures.
AO2	Apply knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas and scientific enquiry, techniques and procedures.
AO2.1	Apply knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas.
AO2.2	Apply knowledge and understanding of scientific enquiry, techniques and procedures.
AO3	Analyse information and ideas to interpret and evaluate, make judgements and draw conclusions and develop and improve experimental procedures.
AO3.1	Analyse information and ideas to interpret and evaluate.
AO3.1a	Analyse information and ideas to interpret.
AO3.1b	Analyse information and ideas to evaluate.
AO3.2	Analyse information and ideas to make judgements and draw conclusions.
AO3.2a	Analyse information and ideas to make judgements.
AO3.2b	Analyse information and ideas to draw conclusions.
AO3.3	Analyse information and ideas to develop and improve experimental procedures.
AO3.3a	Analyse information and ideas to develop experimental procedures.
AO3.3b	Analyse information and ideas to improve experimental procedures.

Question			Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
1	(a)	(i)	Larger/greater/bigger ✓	1	3.1a	
		(ii)	Less/smaller ✓	1	3.1a	
	(b)		Amplitude = $0.6 \div 2$ ✓ = 0.3 (m) ✓ Wavelength = 0.25 (m) ✓	3	3.1a	
	(c)	(i)	Frequency = $5 \div 10$ Hz ✓ = 0.5 (Hz) ✓	2	2.1	
		(ii)	FIRST CHECK ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 0.125 m/s award 2 marks = 0.5 Hz x 0.25 m ✓ = 0.125 m/s ✓	2	2.1 2.1	ECF own frequency and wavelength

Question			Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance						
2	(a)	(i)	Gamma ✓ Infra-red ✓ Radio ✓	3	1.1							
		(ii)	Wavelength ✓	1	1.1							
	(b)		<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 30%; padding: 5px;">X-rays</td> <td style="width: 70%; padding: 5px;">to produce images of bones</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">microwaves</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">to carry information along ...</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">infra-red</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">to carry satellite signals</td> </tr> </table>	X-rays	to produce images of bones	microwaves	to carry information along ...	infra-red	to carry satellite signals	2	2.1	All correct = 2 marks 2 correct = 1 mark 1 or 0 correct = 0 marks
X-rays	to produce images of bones											
microwaves	to carry information along ...											
infra-red	to carry satellite signals											

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
3	(a)	False ✓ True ✓	2	1.1	
	(b)	(3), 2, 5, 6, 4, (1)	4	1.1	One mark for each number in the correct place unless it is repeated. Repeated numbers do not score even if one is correct
	(c) *	<p><i>Please refer to the marking instructions on page 4 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.</i></p> <p>Level 3 (5–6 marks) Correctly describes the nature of galaxies AND Links this to a description of red-shift and may link this to Hubble’s observations AND Links this to the relationship between the distance of each galaxy and its speed as evidence of an expanding universe model</p> <p><i>There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated.</i></p> <p>Level 2 (3–4 marks) Correctly describes the nature of galaxies AND Links this to a description of red-shift OR refers to galaxies moving away from us without direct reference to red-shift OR Describes the relationship between the distance of a galaxy and its speed as evidence of an expanding universe model</p>	6	1.1 x2 2.1 x4	<p>AO1.1: Nature of galaxies For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collection of stars • In vast numbers • All the stars in a galaxy are kept together by the gravity of all the other stars • Galaxies have red-shift <p>AO1.1: Basic statement about the universe started in a Big Bang</p> <p>AO2.1: Description of red-shift (linked to the nature of galaxies) For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Red-shift means moving away • Bigger red-shift means moving faster • Further galaxies are moving away faster <p>AO2.1: Hubble’s observations (linked to the nature of galaxies) For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Galaxies are (well) outside the Milky Way • Further galaxies have greater red-shift <p>AO2.1: Evidence for expanding universe model (linked to galaxies and red-shift) For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have all started at the same place at one particular time • Galaxies have been moving apart ever since

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
	<p><i>There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.</i></p> <p>Level 1 (1–2 marks) Correctly describes the nature of galaxies AND Makes reference to galaxies moving away from us without direct reference to red-shift OR Makes a basic statement about how the universe started in a Big Bang</p> <p><i>There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant.</i></p> <p>0 marks No response or no response worthy of credit.</p>			

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
4	(a) (i)	<p>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 6.5 (kWh) award 3 marks</p> <p>Convert 195 minutes in hours = 3.25 h ✓</p> <p>$2.0 \text{ (kW)} \times 3.25 \text{ (h)}$ $= 6.5 \text{ (kWh)} \checkmark$</p>	3	1.2 2.1 2.1	Correct substitution gains first 2 marks (if equation is missing)
	(ii)	<p>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 8 – 9 (A) and therefore appliance A award 4 marks</p> <p>Recalls Power = Voltage x Current ✓</p> <p>Converts 2 kW to 2000 W ✓</p> <p>Rearranges to $I = P/V = 2000 / 230 \checkmark$</p> <p>Gets 8 – 9 A so appliance A has largest current ✓</p>	4	1.1 2.1 2.1 3.2b	<p>Correct substitution gains first 2 marks (if equation is missing)</p> <p>Or applies $P = IV$ to appliance B (to find P)</p> <p>Which is 276 – 288 W</p> <p>So 2 kW (appliance A) is greatest power and so greatest current</p>
	(b)	<p>Insulate the tank ✓</p> <p>So less heat is lost through conduction over time ✓</p>	2	2.2	<p>Method stated</p> <p>Explain why energy loss is less e.g. not heat water until needed</p>
	(c)	<p>FIRST CHECK ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = £0.51 award 2 marks</p> <p>$16\text{p} \times 3.2 \text{ kWh} = 51.2 \text{ p} \checkmark$</p> <p>$51.2 \text{ p} \div 100 = (\text{£})0.51 \checkmark$</p>	2	2.1 3.2b	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
5	(a)	Steady speed (of 5 m/s) for 10 seconds/to start with ✓ Then decelerates (to rest) ✓ At a uniform rate ✓	3	3.1a	
	(b)	Attempts to find area under line ✓ Area under 1 st 10 s = 50 m ✓ Last 10 s = triangle area = 25 m ✓ Total is rectangle + triangle = 75 (m) ✓	4	2.2 2.2 2.2 3.2b	ECF own values for rectangle and triangle
	(c) (i)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 4 (m/s) award 3 marks Re-arrange equation to get Speed = acceleration x time ✓ 0.4 x 10 ✓ = 4 (m/s) ✓	3	1.2 2.1 2.1	Correct substitution gains first 2 marks (if equation is missing) Method is using $v=at$, evaluation = 4 (m/s) ECF own value of speed for second point
	(ii)	Line from (0,0) ✓ To (10,4) ✓ Line from top speed to (18,0) ✓	3	2.2	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
6	(a)	A: the ground pushes the car upwards ✓ B: weight of the car ✓ C: engine/wheels push it forwards/provide driving force ✓ D: air resistance/drag/friction ✓	4	2.1	ALLOW 'gravity' or 'the Earth pulls it down' ALLOW reaction force
	(b) (i)	C ✓	1	2.1	
	(ii)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 0.8 (m/s²) award 3 marks Recall $F=ma$ and rearrange to find a ✓ $a = F \div m = 800 \text{ N}/1000 \text{ kg}$ ✓ $= 0.8 \text{ (m/s}^2\text{)}$ ✓	3	1.1 2.1 2.1	
	(iii)	FIRST CHECK ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 664000 (J) award 2 marks $830 \text{ m} \times 800 \text{ N}$ ✓ $= 664000 \text{ (J)}$ ✓	2	2.1	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
7	(a)	A: Nucleus ✓ B: Neutron ✓ C: Electron ✓	3	1.1	
	(b)	Alphas stopped by paper ✓ Betas penetrate paper but not Al sheet ✓ Gammas penetrate both ✓	2	1.2	Any two points (this will allow the third to be deduced)
	(c)	Can cause cancer / damage cells ✓ Make sure source is not directed towards body / is not ingested ✓	2	1.1 3.3a	ALLOW any hazard with relevant safety precaution

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
8*	<p><i>Please refer to the marking instructions on page 4 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.</i></p> <p>Level 3 (5–6 marks)</p> <p>Balanced explanation of both points of view linked to the risks / benefits. AND Judgement made as to the better argument.</p> <p><i>There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated</i></p> <p>Level 2 (3–4 marks)</p> <p>Explains at least one point in favour of nuclear power and one against. AND Makes a reasoned choice of Mia or Sundip as being right.</p> <p><i>There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.</i></p> <p>Level 1 (1–2 marks)</p> <p>States differences between renewable and non-renewable energy sources. AND Considers only one side of the argument.</p>	6	1.1 x3 2.2 x1 3.1b x1 3.2b x1	<p>AO1.1 Renewable vs. Non-renewable energy resources For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coal and oil are non – renewable so will run out • Nuclear is also non renewable • A renewable energy resource will not run out e.g. wind, wave, solar etc. <p>AO1.1 Nuclear energy hazards For example</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ionising radiation can have hazardous effects, notably on human body tissue <p>AO2.2 Compare the ways in which the main energy resources are used to generate electricity</p> <p>AO 3.1b Risk/benefit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CO₂ contributes to global warming • nuclear waste could leak / enter the biosphere • risk small, but consequence serious • possibility of employment in new power station • which may bring money into the area • nuclear power stations don't produce CO₂ (once built) • coal / gas produce CO₂ • solar / wind / hydroelectric / tidal don't produce CO₂ • radioactive waste produced in nuclear power stations <p>AO3.2b Judgement made as to the better argument</p>

		<p><i>There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant.</i></p> <p>0 marks No response or no response worthy of credit.</p>			
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9	(a)	(i)	Both points correctly plotted ✓ Smooth curve drawn ✓	2	1.2	
		(ii)	Power goes down with distance (non-uniformly) ✓	1	3.1a	ALLOW negative correlation correctly described
		(iii)	FIRST CHECK ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 6×10^{-3} (A) award 4 marks. Rearranges equation to give Current = power \div potential difference ✓ Converts mW to W = 0.072 W ✓ = $0.072 \div 12$ ✓ = 6×10^{-3} A ✓ Or 6mA	4	1.2 2.1 2.1 2.1	
		(iv)	FIRST CHECK ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE. If answer = 2000 (Ω) award 3 marks. Rearrange equation to give Resistance = Potential difference \div current ✓ $12\text{v} \div 6 \times 10^{-3}\text{A}$ ✓ = 2000 (Ω)	3	1.2 2.1 2.1	

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(b)	Lamp at fixed distance from photocell and read I and V ✓ Repeat reading at each distance ✓ Repeat for any outliers ✓ Take mean I and V for each distance ✓	4	3.3a 3.3b 3.3b 3.3a	
(c)	Recognises that James's photocell is getting less light ✓ Suggested reason ✓	2	3.2a 3.2b	e.g. Beth was near a window (so more light) while James was in a dark corner; allow systematic mismeasurement of distance by one or the other if correctly justified e.g. the end of Beth's ruler wasn't near the actual lamp but some distance from it, so all her distances are too small ALLOW any situation where James would receive less light than Beth

Summary of updates

Date	Version	Change
May 2018	2	We've reviewed the look and feel of our papers through text, tone, language, images and formatting. For more information please see our assessment principles in our "Exploring our question papers" brochures on our website