

IGCSE Physics 4437 / 3F

Final Mark Scheme

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Question Number	Question		
1	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	red (1) violet (1) Notes (red) at the top at the bottom accept 'purple' or 'mauve'		(2)

Question Number	Question		
1	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) decreases (1) (ii) increases (1) (iii) stays the same (1) Notes allow any clear indication		(3)

Total 5 marks

Question Number	Question		
2	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	any two of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (electric) fire • (electric) toaster • soldering iron • hair drier • etc. Notes accept any example which is clear and correct	(electric) heater lamp TV	(2)

Question Number	Question		
2	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	any two of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • earthing/earth wire/green and yellow wire • insulation • double insulation • circuit breakers 	'fuses'	(2)

Question Number	Question		
2	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	any two of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (electric) shock • (electric) burn • water is a conductor • electricity passes through you to earth 		(2)

Question Number	Question		
2	(d)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	any two of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (electric) shock • (electric) burn • metal/screwdriver is a conductor • electricity passes through you to earth <p>Notes credit should be given even if the same point(s) has/have been credited in part (c)</p>		(2)

Total 8 marks

Question Number	Question		
3	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	heat (1) sound (1) Notes either order accept 'noise' or 'vibration'		(2)

Question Number	Question		
3	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	useful Notes accept if meaning clear e.g. 'functional'		(1)

Question Number	Question		
3	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) chemical (energy) (1) (ii) nuclear/atomic (energy) (1) Notes (ii) accept 'fission' (energy)		(2)

Question Number	Question		
3	(d)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) bow (and arrow) / cross bow / catapult / (stretched/wound up) spring / etc (1) (ii) water behind a dam / counterweight / drop hammer / pile driver / etc (1) Notes (i) & (ii) accept any clear and correct response		(2)

Total 7 marks

Question Number	Question		
4	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) 3 ½ / 3.50 / 3.5 / 3.30 hours (1) Notes allow '210 minutes' if correct unit given		
	(ii) half an hour / ½ / 0.5 / 0.50 (hour) (1) Notes allow '30 minutes' if correct unit given		
	(iii) 45 (kilometres) (1)		
	(iv) graph/line/slope (1) steeper/greater (1)		
			(5)

Question Number	Question		
4	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) (average) speed = distance (moved) ÷ time (taken) (1) Notes or any correctly transposed version		
	(ii) metres per second (1) Notes or m/s	'mps'	
			(2)

Total 7 marks

Question Number	Question		
5	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) equally in all directions (1) (ii) equally in all directions (1) Notes (i) & (ii) allow any clear indication		(2)

Question Number	Question		
5	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	pressure = force ÷ area Notes or any correctly transposed version		(1)

Question Number	Question		
5	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	square metre / metre square / accept any measure of area (1) m ² (1) pascal / any measure of pressure (1) Pa (1)		(4)

Question Number	Question		
5	(d)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	<p><u>area</u> in contact with/ touching the floor is less (1) (same) <u>force</u> acts on this area (1)</p> <p>or <u>force</u> remains the same or <u>force</u> due to weight (of student and chair)</p> <p>(so) <u>pressure</u> (on floor) increase (1)</p> <p>or <u>force</u> acting on each leg increases from $w \div 4$ to $w \div 2$ (and) <u>area</u> in contact with the floor is less (so) <u>pressure</u> (on the floor) increases</p> <p>Notes underlined word must be used correctly in the correct context to gain credit</p>		(3)

Total 10 marks

Question Number	Question		
6	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	<p>(i) time (1)</p> <p>(ii) isotopes (1)</p>		(2)

Question Number	Question		
6	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	<p>(i) 50 (years) (1)</p> <p>(ii) October 2057 (1) ecf from (i)</p> <p>Notes both month and year required</p> <p>(iii) Bq (1)</p> <p>Notes must be correct in every detail</p>		(3)

Question Number	Question		
6	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	tracers (1) specimens (1) radiotherapy (1) allow 'tracers' if not previously offered Notes must be in correct order		(3)

Total 8 marks

Question Number	Question		
7	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(directly) proportional Notes		(1)

Question Number	Question		
7	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) tension / weight / gravitational force (1) (ii) 2.5 (N) (1) (iii) 4.0 - 5.0 (1)		(3)

Question Number	Question		
7	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) A (1) (ii) B (1) (iii) large extension for small increase in force (1)		(3)

Total 7 marks

Question Number	Question		
8	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) decreases (1) (ii) increases (1) Notes (ii) e.c.f		(2)

Question Number	Question		
8	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) $V = I \times R$ (1) (ii) Increases (1) not dop no ecf (iii) R (almost) same (1) I bigger (1) Notes (iii) potential divider idea can score 2		(4)

Question Number	Question		
8	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	voltmeter connected in parallel across buzzer or R		(1)

Total 7 marks

Question Number	Question		
9	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) number of cycles (or waves) in unit time (1) (ii) time for one cycle (period) (1) Notes		(2)

Question Number	Question		
9	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) $72 / 60 = 1.2$ (Hz) (1) (ii) $1 / 1.2 = 0.833$ (s) (1)		(2)

Question Number	Question		
9	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) points plotted (2), curve (1) blobs(-1) (ii) off the graph (1)		(4)

Total 8 marks

Question Number	Question		
10	(a)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) proton number (1) (ii) number of protons and neutrons (1) (iii) same number of protons / different number of neutrons (1)		(3)

Question Number	Question		
10	(b)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	(i) 11 (1) (ii) 12 (1) (iii) 11 (1)		(3)

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10	(c)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	gamma	gamma particle	(1)

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10	(d)		
	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
	mutations, cancer, damage tissue, cells, waste problems allow 'deforming'		(1)

Total 8 marks