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# St. Margaret's Secondary School

## Preliminary Examinations 2010

### PHYSICS 5058/01 & 02

#### Secondary 4 Express

##### Paper 1

1	D	11	A	21	B	31	C
2	C	12	C	22	A	32	A
3	C	13	A	23	D	33	A
4	B	14	C	24	B	34	D
5	B	15	B	25	C	35	B
6	C	16	D	26	A	36	D
7	D	17	D	27	D	37	C
8	B	18	C	28	A	38	A
9	C	19	C	29	A	39	C
10	B	20	C	30	D	40	D

##### Paper 2

$$s = \frac{1}{2}(u + v)t$$

1 (a)  $0.40 = \frac{1}{2}(0 + 80.0)t$  [1]

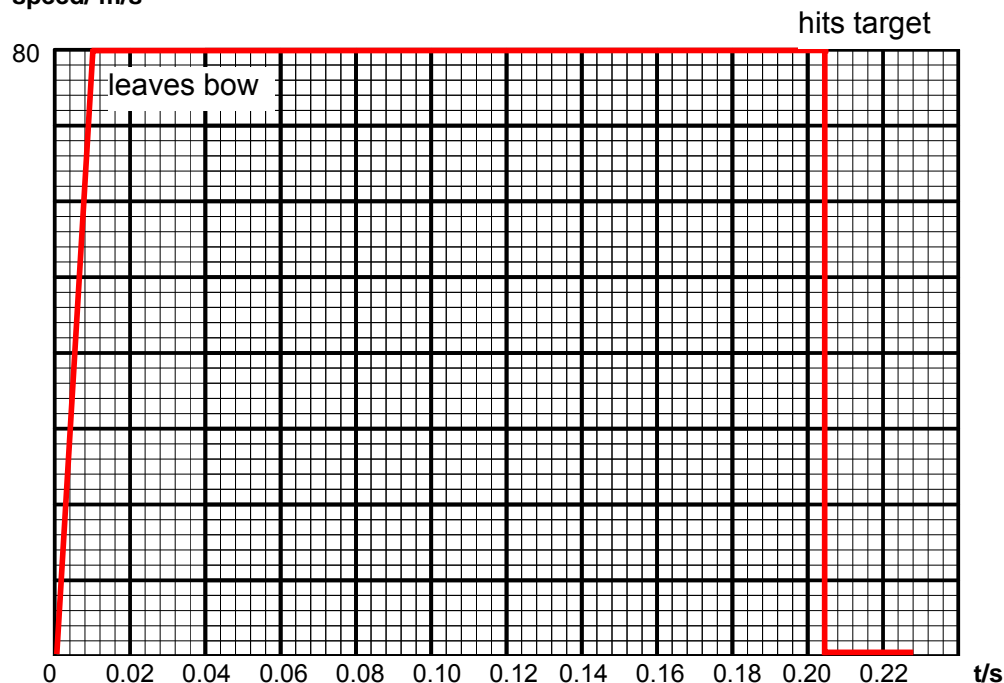
$$t = 0.010 \text{ s} \quad [1]$$

$$v = u + at$$

(b)  $80.0 = 0 + a(0.010)$  [1]

$$a = 8000 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad [1]$$

(c) speed/ m/s



2 marks for correct shape graph with clearly labelled values  
 1 mark for correct labelling of graph (leaves bow & hits target)  
 1 mark for correct calculation of distance travelled by arrow during flight  
 (0.40 m for acc portion; 15.6 m for the 80 m/s portion)

2 (a) Upward forces at A and B. [1]

(b)  $W = mg = 10.8 \times 10 = 108 \text{ N}$  [1]

(c)  $\perp$  distance of W from B  $= (70.0 \cos 45^\circ) - 12.0$   
 $= 37.5 \text{ cm}$  [1]

Taking moments about the B,

$$CM = ACM$$

$$F_A \times 60.0 = 108 \times 37.5 \quad [1] \quad F_B = 108 - 67.5 = 40.5 \text{ N} \quad [1]$$

$$F_A = 67.5 \text{ N} \quad [1]$$

3 (a)  $P = (120 \times 1000 \times 10) \quad [1] = 1200000 \text{ Pa} \quad [1]$ 

(b) Pressure increases with depth [1] so a thicker base is needed to withstand the greater force per unit area at the base. [1]

(c) (i) loss in GPE  $=$  gain in KE  
 $mgh = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$   
 $10 \times 100 = \frac{1}{2} \times v^2 \quad [1]$   
 $v = 44.7 \text{ m/s} \quad [1]$

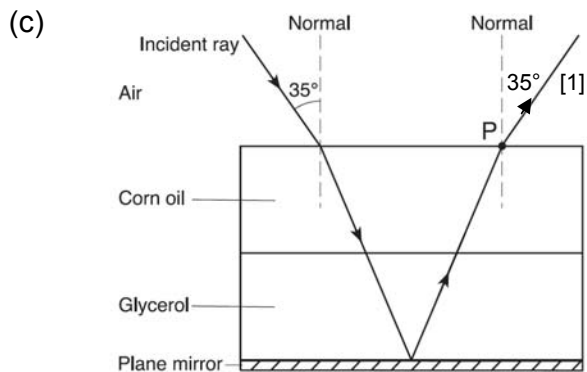
(ii) Power generated =  $3600 \times 10 \times 100 \times 60\%$  [1]  
 $= 3600000 \times 60\%$   
 $= 2160000 \text{ W}$  [1]

- 4 (a) The dust are kept in suspension as they are continuously hit by the air molecules/particles [1] which are at constant random motion and moving at high speeds. [1]
- (b) (i) As the gas is heated, the gas molecules gain K.E/speed up and hit the piston with a greater force and more often [1], hence pushing the piston outwards.
- (ii) As the piston moves outwards the volume of the gas increases and the rate of collision decreases, hence pressure decreases. [1] The piston stops moving when the pressure inside equals the pressure outside. [1]

$$n = \frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$$

5 (a)  $1.47 = \frac{\sin 35}{\sin r}$  [1]  
 $r = 23^\circ$  [1]

- (b) Both have the same refractive indices [1] therefore the speed of light does not change when it reaches the interface and no bending will be observed.[1]



- (d) No. [1]  
 The incident ray from air can only enter the corn oil at max.  $90^\circ$ , this will give a refracted angle = critical angle of corn oil. [1] But for total internal reflection to occur, the incident angle at P needs to be greater than the critical angle of corn oil. [1]
- 6 (a) positive charges on the inside and negative charges on the outside of the can. (equal number must be drawn.) [1]

- (b) The can will be positively charged. [1] The excess electrons will move from the can to the earth. [1]
- (c) No. [1] As metal rod and the hand are conductors of electricity, the electrons will flow from the rod to the hand and to earth and the rod will be neutral. [1]

$$\frac{1}{R_{//}} = \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{5}$$

7 (a)  $= \frac{5}{20}$

$$R_{//} = 4 \, \Omega \quad [1]$$

$$R_T = 2 + 4 = 6 \, \Omega \quad [1]$$

$$I_1 = \frac{V_T}{R_T}$$

(b)  $= \frac{12}{6}$

$$= 2.0 \, A \quad [1]$$

$$4 I_2 = I_3$$

$$I_2 + I_3 = 5 I_2 = 2.0 \, A$$

$$I_2 = 0.4 \, A \quad [1]$$

$$I_3 = 1.6 \, A \quad [1]$$

- 8 (a)  $W_2$  experiences a force toward  $W_1$ .  
Or  
 $W_2$  experiences a force to the left. [1]

- (b)  $W_2$  experiences a force of attraction to  $W_1$ .  $W_2$  also experiences a force of attraction toward  $W_3$ . [1]

However the force between  $W_2$  and  $W_3$  is smaller as the distance between  $W_2$  and  $W_3$  is larger than between  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  and the current in  $W_3$  is smaller. [1]

The net force on  $W_2$  is one of attraction toward  $W_1$  [1]

but the magnitude is reduced due to the presence of  $W_3$ , as compared to the force experienced in Fig. 8.1. [1]

- 9 (a) - Since power = voltage x current, a high voltage means a small current flows in the cable, so less power lost in the cable as thermal energy.  
 - Alternating voltages will produce a changing magnetic field which is needed for a transformer to work.

(b) Step-down transformer. [1]

$$\text{Turns ratio} = \frac{V_p}{V_s}$$

(c) (i) 
$$= \frac{25 \text{ kV}}{275 \text{ kV}} \quad \text{Turns ratio is 1:11} \quad [1]$$

$$= \frac{1}{11}$$

(ii) 
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Power output} &= \text{power input} \\ 275000 \times I_s &= 400 \\ I_s &= 1.45 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A} \end{aligned} \quad [1]$$

Assumption: transformer is 100 % efficient [1]

(d) Heating effect of the coils  
 or  
 Heating effect in the soft-iron core due to eddy currents [1]

(e) Combined resistance =  $2 \times (5000 \times 0.0012) = 12 \, \Omega$  [1]

Power loss =  $I^2 R = 40^2 \times 12$  [1] = 19200 W [1]

10 (a) Slip rings [1] and carbon brushes [1] correctly drawn and labelled.  
 Current is clockwise in coil. [1]

(b) Point Z. [1]  
 Point X indicates the max output when the coil is at a horizontal position with maximum cutting of the magnetic field lines.  
 Point Y indicates no output as the coil is in a vertical position whereby there is no cutting of magnetic field lines. [1]  
 When the coil is inclined as shown, there will be some cutting of magnetic field lines which is responsible for an output value between the max and zero. [1]

(c) The output graph shows a continuous curve – this is due to the continuous turning of the coil. [1]  
 The graph has positive and negative values at alternate phase – this is due the current changing direction every half cycle as the coil rotates in the magnetic field – effect of electromagnetic induction. [1m]

(d) The peak output value is halved [1] and the period is twice. [1]

Either

- 11 (a) A [1], the component of weight along the slope is greatest at A and friction has no effects on the skateboarder yet. [1]

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b)} \quad GPE_A &= KE_B \\
 mgh &= \frac{1}{2} mv^2 \\
 v^2 &= 2gh \\
 &= 2 \times 10 \times 1.8 \quad [1] \\
 v &= 6.0 \text{ m/s} \quad [1]
 \end{aligned}$$

- (c) (i) Energy lost =  $mg(1.8 - 1.6) = 54 \times 10 \times 0.2 = 108 \text{ J}$  [1]

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Frictional Force} &= \frac{\text{Energy lost}}{\text{Dist.}} \\
 &= \frac{108}{8.0} \quad [1] \\
 &= 13.5 \text{ N} \quad [1]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii) Energy needed at D} &= GPE_A + WD_f \\
 GPE_D + KE_D &= GPE_A + WD_f \\
 \frac{1}{2} mv^2 &= GPE_A - GPE_D + WD_f \\
 0.5 \times 54 \times v^2 &= 108 + 108 \quad [2] \\
 v &= 2.8 \text{ m/s} \quad [1]
 \end{aligned}$$

OR

- 11 (a) Thermal energy needed to increase the temperature of 1 kg of the substance by  $1^\circ\text{C}$  (1K)
- (b) So that the liquid can be heated up by convection. [1]  
Hot liquid will expand and become less dense, moves up. Cool liquid on top is denser, sinks, to be heated up [1]
- (c) As temperature of liquid rises, more energy is lost to the surroundings. [1]  
Temperature will stop rising when the rate of thermal energy absorbed by liquid equals to rate of thermal energy given out to surroundings by the hot liquid. [1]
- (d) Energy received by surroundings equals to energy given out to surroundings [1]
- (e)  $Pt = mc\theta$   
 $240(16 \times 60) = (6)c(10)$  [1]  
 $c = 3840 \text{ J/(kg}^\circ\text{C)}$  [1]
- (f) In latent heat of vaporization, more energy needed to break liquid bonds and move them much further apart. [1]  
Energy also needed to lift molecules into atmosphere (work done against gravity and atmospheric pressure) [1]