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Question	Answer	Marks
1(a)(i)	(magnitude of velocity =) 0.90 m / s	A2
	use of Pythagoras' theorem e.g. $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$ OR (speed =) $\sqrt{(0.54^2 + 0.72^2)}$ OR correct vector triangle or rectangle drawn	C1
	(direction of velocity =) 53° (to riverbank)	A2
	use of trigonometry to find angle e.g. $\tan \theta = 0.72 / 0.54$ OR (only) angle with horizontal identified on the diagram	C1
	(distance =) 81 m	A3
1(a)(ii)	$v = s / t$ OR (s =) $0.9(0) \times 90$	C1
	(time =) 1.5×60 (= 90) OR (time =) 90	C1
	friction (of water backwards) OR resistance (on swimmer backwards)	B1
	(friction / resistance) balances forward force OR (there is) no resultant force	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)(i)	(speed =) 38 m / s	A2
	$a = \Delta v / \Delta t$ OR (Δv =) $a \Delta t$ OR (Δv =) 7.2×5.3	C1
2(a)(ii)	(resultant force =) 1 700 N	A2
	$F = ma$ OR (F =) ma OR (F =) 240×7.2	C1
2(b)(i)	(vector) has direction (as well as magnitude) OR scalar does not have direction	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
2(b)(ii)	(velocity) changes (as direction of motion changes) OR direction (of velocity) changes	B1
2(b)(iii)	any two from: - because there is an acceleration / change in velocity / change in direction / change in momentum (which needs a resultant force) - motorcyclist accelerates / changes momentum (because velocity / direction changes) (resultant) force is perpendicular to the motion (of the motorcycle) OR $a \propto F$	B2
Question	Answer	Marks
3(a)	heated / hot(ter) / warm(er) air is less dense OR cool(er) air is more dense	B1
	heated / hot(ter) / warm(er) air rises (to ceiling displacing cooler air) OR cool(er) air falls (displaced by warm(er) air)	B1
3(b)(i)	speed / velocity (of particles) increases OR (they) move faster	B1
3(b)(ii)	(higher temperature means) particles collide (with rubber) harder / with more force / with greater momentum (change)	B1
	(larger volume means) particles collide (with rubber) less frequently OR (larger volume means) larger (surface) area (for particle collisions)	B1
	effect of larger volume cancels effect of increased temperature / owtte OR the effect of larger area cancels the effect of larger force / owtte OR $P = F / A$ so the two changes cancel each other / owtte	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
4(a)(i)	$c = (\Delta)E / m\Delta\theta$ OR $(\Delta E =) mc\Delta\theta$	B1
	$(\Delta\theta =) 21.5 - 19$ OR $(\Delta\theta =) 2.5$ (°C)	B1
	$(\Delta E =) 0.6(0) \times 4200 \times 2.5$ OR $(\Delta E =) 0.6(0) \times 4200 \times \{21.5 - 19\}$	B1
4(a)(ii)	(maximum possible efficiency =) 3.1% or 0.031	A4
	$E = Pt$ OR $(E =) Pt$ OR $(E =) 13 \times 500$ OR $(E =) 6500$	C1
	(useful energy output =) 6500 – 6300 OR (useful energy output =) 200	C1
	efficiency = useful energy (output) / total energy (input) ($\times 100\%$) OR (efficiency =) useful energy (output) / total energy (input) ($\times 100\%$) OR (efficiency =) $\{6500 - 6300\} / 6500$ OR (efficiency =) $200 / 6500$ ($\times 100\%$)	C1
	OR	
	$P = E/t$ OR $(P =) E/t$ OR $(P =) 6300 / 500$ OR $(P =) 12.6$ (W)	(C1)
	(useful power output =) total power (output) – wasted power (output) OR (useful power output =) $13 - \{6300 / 500\}$ OR (useful power output =) 13–12.6	(C1)
	efficiency = useful power (output) / total power (input) ($\times 100\%$) OR (efficiency =) useful power (output) / total power (input) ($\times 100\%$) OR (efficiency =) $0.4 / 13$ ($\times 100\%$)	(C1)
4(b)	any one from: • temperature change is an underestimate (due to thermal energy losses) • (thermal energy is) transferred from the water (to air / beaker / bench) • energy (other than light) transferred in lamp (filament / glass / internal structure) • (some) water evaporates	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
5(a)	(light / electromagnetic radiation) of a single frequency	B1
5(b)	angle of incidence / $i = 0$ OR incident ray along normal OR all of wavefront enters block at same time	B1
	angle of refraction / $r = 0$ OR no refraction OR whole wavefront slows down at same time	B1
5(c)	$(c =) \sin^{-1}\{1 / 1.5\}$ (= 42°) OR $(c =) \sin^{-1}\{1 / n\} = 41.8^\circ$	A2
	$n = 1 / \sin c$ OR $(c =) \sin^{-1}\{1 / n\}$ OR $(c =) 41.8^\circ$	C1
5(d)(i)	<u>all</u> light is reflected	B1
	θ / angle of incidence $> c$ / critical angle	B1
5(d)(ii)	<u>all</u> light is reflected OR reflected ray at 90° to incident ray OR reflected ray is parallel to original ray	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
6(a)	(wavelength =) 0.16 m	A2
	$v = f\lambda$ OR $(\lambda =) v / f$ OR $(\lambda =) 3 \times 10^8 / 1.9 \times 10^9$	C1
6(b)	(microwaves) only need short aerials / antennas	B1
	(microwaves) penetrate (some) walls	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
6(c)(i)	labelled diagram of digital (signal) with blocks of high (1) and low (0) AND labelled diagram of analogue with continuously variable signal	B1
	digital (signal) consists of <u>two</u> values owtte	B1
	analogue (signal) varies over a range (of values) owtte	B1
6(c)(ii)	any two from: - faster (data) transmission rate OR data can be compressed - data / signal transmitted over long(er) distances (as signal can be regenerated) - noise easily removed (from signal / data) OR signal can be regenerated	B2

Question	Answer	Marks
7(a)	any two from: (potential divider) splits / shares / divides the e.m.f. / voltage / potential difference / p.d. (of a power source / in a circuit) (e.m.f. is) split between (two) resistors / components (connected in series to power source) (potential divider shares e.m.f.) in proportion to the resistances (of the resistors / components)	B2
7(b)(i)	(e.m.f. =) 15 V	B1
7(b)(ii)	(resistance =) 60 Ω	A3
	$(R_{ } =) R_2 R_3 / (R_2 + R_3)$ OR $(R_{ } =) 40 \times 40 / (40 + 40)$ OR $(R_{ } =) 1600 / 80$ OR $1 / R_{ } = 1 / R_2 + 1 / R_3$ OR $1 / R_{ } = 1 / 40 + 1 / 40$ OR $(R_{ } =) (1 / 40 + 1 / 40)^{-1}$ OR $(R_{ } =) 20 (\Omega)$	C1
	(resistance =) 40 + (candidate's value for combined resistance of R_2 and R_3)	C1

Question	Answer	Marks
7(c)	(reading =) 10 V	A2
	emf shared in same proportion as resistance OR e.g. $R_1 / R_{II} = V_1 / V_{II}$ OR (reading =) $15 \times 40 / 60$ OR (reading =) 0.25×40	C1

Question	Answer	Marks
8(a)	any four from: • alternating current in (primary coil) • (current in primary generates) changing magnetic field • iron core concentrates (magnetic) field OR iron core transfers (magnetic) field (to secondary coil) • secondary coil is in alternating / changing (magnetic) field OR secondary coil cuts (magnetic) field • e.m.f. <u>induced</u> (in secondary coil)	B4
8(b)(i)	(number of turns =) 3000 $N_p / N_s = V_p / V_s$ OR $(N_p =) N_s V_p / V_s$ OR $(N_p =) 450 \times 220\,000 / 33\,000$	A2 C1
8(b)(ii)	(current =) 350 A $P = IV$ OR $(I =) P / V$ OR $(I =) 7.7 \times 10^7 / 220\,000$ $(I =) 3.5 \times 10^N$	A3 C1 C1

Question	Answer	Marks
9(a)	(number of neutrons =) 7 any one from: • number of electrons = number of protons • white dots are protons / there are 5 protons • grey dots are neutrons • (number of neutrons) = 12 – 5	B1
9(b)(i)	(X2 has) one more proton more and one fewer neutron (than X1) OR (X2 has) 6 protons and 6 neutrons	A2
	(X2 has) one neutron fewer / one more proton (than X1) OR (X2 has) 6 protons / 6 neutrons	C1
9(b)(ii)	(X2) has fewer (excess) neutrons (in its nucleus) ORA	B1
9(c)(i)	time (taken) for number of (radioactive) nuclei / atoms (in a sample of X1) to halve OR for rate of decay to halve	M1
	large number of particles produced in short time OR high / large decay rate OR high dose (of radiation) in short time	A1
9(c)(ii)		B1

Question	Answer	Marks
10(a)(i)	(speed) decreases (from X to Y) and then increases (from Y to X)	B1

Question	Answer	Marks
10(a)(ii)	any three from: - gravitational (potential) energy (GPE) transfers to kinetic energy (KE) or vice versa - KE transfers to GPE from X to Y AND GPE transfers to KE from Y to X - speed decreases as KE decreases / OR A - most GPE at Y OR least GPE at X - total (of GPE + KE) energy is constant	B3
10(b)(i)	–230 (°C)	B1
10(b)(ii)	(white surface) is a poor absorber / good reflector / poor emitter of IR / radiation OR black / other surface is a good absorber / poor reflector / good emitter of IR / radiation	B1
	any one from: (the white surface) increases in temperature less when facing the Sun (the white surface) decreases in temperature less when facing away (from Sun) - the black / other surfaces increases in temperature more when facing the Sun - the black / other surface decreases in temperature more when facing away (from Sun) - less variation in temperature on white surface (during one whole rotation)	B1