

Answers:

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

Q.1

- (a) Use the rubber tube to connect the syringe to the Bourdon gauge. (1)
 Slowly push the plunger to decrease the gas volume. (1)
 Record the gas volume and pressure. Repeat the experiment to obtain different sets of data (i.e. P & V). (1)
 Plot a graph of P against 1/V and a straight line graph is resulted. (1)
- (b) n (no of moles of gas molecules) (1)
 T (gas temperature) (1)
- (c) Gas volume ↓ → gas molecules are closer together → frequency of collision ↑ (1)
 → force acting on the container's wall ↑ → Pressure ↑ (1)

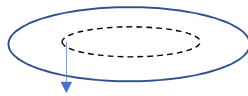
Q.2

- (a) There is air resistance acting on the object. (1)
 As $mg - f = ma$, the influence of air resistance on the lighter object is more significant as it has a smaller mass. (1)
- (b) $s = (u + v)t / 2 \rightarrow v = 15.6 \times 2 / 1.79 = 17.4 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1M+1A)
 $a = (17.4 - 0) / 1.79 = 9.74 \text{ m s}^{-2}$
- (c) Energy loss = $PE \downarrow - KE \uparrow = mgh - 1/2 m v^2 = (3.58)(9.81)(15.6) - 1/2 (3.58) (17.4)^2 = 4.05 \text{ J}$ (1+1)

Q.3

- (a) $T \cos 30 - mg \sin 20 - f = ma$ (1)
 $T \cos 30 - (3) (9.81) \sin 20 - 12 = 3(0.5) \rightarrow T = 27.2 \text{ N}$ (1)
- (b) $N + T \sin 30 = mg \cos 20$ (1)
 $N = (3) (9.81) \cos 20 - (27.2) \sin 30 = 14.0 \text{ N}$ (1)
- (c) $v = u + at = 0 + 0.5 (5) = 2.5 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1+1)
- (d) The block continues to move for a while. (1)
 When it reaches its highest position, it stops and stays. (1)

Q.4

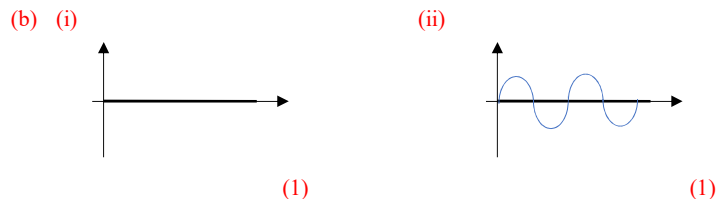
- (a) $\omega = 5 \times (2\pi/2) = 15.7 \text{ s}^{-1}$ (1)
 $v = r \omega = (1.5)(15.7) = 23.6 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1)
- (b) Before breaking,
 $T = m v^2 / r = (1+2) (23.6)^2 / 1.5 = 1110 \text{ N}$ (1)
 After breaking,
 $T_A = 2T = 2221 = m_A v_A^2 / r$ (1)
 $\rightarrow v_A = [(2221) (1.5) / (1)]^{1/2} = 57.7 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1)
- (c) $m_A u_A + m_B u_B = m_A v_A + m_B v_B$
 $\rightarrow (1+2) (23.5619) = (1) (57.7147) + 2 v_B$ (1)
 $\rightarrow v_B = 6.49 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1)
- (d)  (1)

Q.5

- (a) $GMm/r^2 = mv^2/r \rightarrow v = \sqrt{GM/r}$
 Also, $GM/R_E^2 = 9.81 \rightarrow GM = 9.81 R_E^2$
 Thus, $v = \sqrt{(9.81 R_E^2/r)} = \sqrt{(9.81 (6400000)^2)/(6370000+1200000)} \rightarrow v = 7250 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1+1)
- (b) $KE = 1/2 m v^2 = 1/2 (6000)(7251)^2 = 1.58 \times 10^{11} \text{ J}$ (1+1)
- (c) $KE = 1/2 m v^2 = 1/2 m (9.81 R_E^2/r) \rightarrow KE \propto 1/r$ (1)
 Thus, $r \rightarrow r/2 \rightarrow KE \rightarrow 2 KE$
 The new KE is $1.58 \times 10^{11} \text{ J} \times 2 = 3.16 \times 10^{11} \text{ J}$ (1)

Q.6

- (a)
- (i) From the diagram, path diff = $S_1C - S_2C = 2.5 \lambda$. (1)
 Destructive interference occurs. (1)
- (ii) path diff = $S_2D - S_1D = 2 \lambda$. (1)
 $\rightarrow S_1D = 2 \lambda = 16 \text{ cm}$ (0.5)
 $S_2D = 4 \lambda = 32 \text{ cm}$ (0.5)



- (c) No (1)
 The two light sources are not coherent. (1)
- (d) $\lambda = v / f = 4.48 \times 10^7 \text{ m}$ (1)
 $\Delta y = D \lambda / a \rightarrow a = D \lambda / \Delta y = (5) (4.48 \times 10^7) / (0.03/8) = 5.97 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ (1+1)

Q.7

- (a) Concave lens (1)
 Wider field of vision can be seen. (1)
- (b)
- (i) $m = 0.4 / 1.8 = 0.222$ (or 2/9) (1)
- (ii) $F = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{10} - \frac{1}{12}} = 60 \text{ cm}$ (1)
- Focal length = range : 10 - 12cm (1)
- (c) $f \downarrow \rightarrow m \downarrow \rightarrow$ field of vision \uparrow

Q.8

- (a) $E = mc\Delta T + ml = C\Delta T + ml = (0.085)(58-20) + 20 = 23.23 \text{ J}$ (1+1)
- (b) $R = \rho l/A = (2.5 \times 10^{-5}) (0.012) / [\pi (0.5 \times 10^{-3}/2)^2] = 1.53 \Omega$ (1+1)
- (c) $P = I^2 R = (5)^2 (1.53) = 38.1972 \text{ W}$ (1+1)
 By $E = Pt$,
 $Pt = mc\Delta T + ml = 23.23 \text{ J} \rightarrow P = 23.23 / 38.1972 = 0.608 \text{ s}$ (1+1)

Q.9

- (a) By $N_S / N_P = V_S / V_P$,
 $V_S = (N_S / N_P) (V_P) = (200/3000)(220) = 14.7 \text{ V}$ (1)
 $\rightarrow I = V / R = 14.7 / 20 = 0.733 \text{ A}$ (1)
- (b) By $I_P V_P = I_S V_S$,
 $I_P (220) = (0.733)(14.7) \rightarrow I_P = 0.0489 \text{ A}$ (1+1)
- (c) no of bulbs = $2A / 0.0489A = 40.9$ (1)
 The max no of bulbs connected in parallel is 40. (1)
- (d) For minimum current flow in the secondary coil, the max resistance is $20n \Omega$. (n = no of bulb in series)
 $I_S \geq 0.08 \text{ A} \rightarrow 14.7 \text{ V} / 20n \Omega \geq 0.08 \text{ A} \rightarrow 9.19 \geq n$ (1)
 The max no of bulbs connected in series is 9.

Q.10

- (a) Downward (1)
- (b)
- (c) $f = F_B$ (net force = 0) $\rightarrow f = B I l = (0.5) (1.2) (0.1) = 0.06 \text{ N}$ (1+1)
- (d) The magnetic force becomes zero.
 The friction is the net force acting on the rod. (1)
 The rod decelerates to rest. (1)

(e) X

Q.11

- (a) a is 81 b is 206 (0.5 + 0.5)
- (b) $\Delta m = E / c^2 = 8.49 \times 10^{13} / (3 \times 10^8)^2 = 9.43333 \times 10^{-30} \text{ kg} = 0.00568 \text{ u}$ (1)
 mass of X = mass of Bi - mass of He - $\Delta m = 209.9841 \text{ u} - 4.0015 \text{ u} - 0.00568 \text{ u} = 205.9769 \text{ u}$ (1)
- (c) $k = \ln 2 / t_{1/2} = \ln 2 / (5.01 \times 24 \times 3600) = 1.60 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}^{-1}$ (or 0.138 day^{-1}) (1)
- (d) $A_0 = k N_0$
 $\rightarrow N_0 = A_0 / k = 16800 / 1.60 \times 10^{-6} = 1.05 \times 10^{10}$ (1)
- (e) $N = N_0 (1/2)^n \rightarrow \Delta N = N_0 - N = (1.05 \times 10^{10}) [1 - (1/2)^{105.01}] = 7.87 \times 10^9$ (1)
 Energy released = $\Delta N \times E = (7.87 \times 10^9) (8.49 \times 10^{13}) = 6.68 \times 10^{23} \text{ J} = 0.00668 \text{ J}$ (1)

Section B: Atomic World

Q.2: Multiple-choice questions

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2.2	C	2.6	D
2.3	B	2.7	A
2.4	C	2.8	D

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- (a) The energy of the photons = $2.87 + 0.95 = 3.82 \text{ eV}$ (1A)
- (b) Some of the electrons are not at the surface of the metal so that they don't possess the maximum KE when they are ejected. (1A)
- (c) (i) Effective area = $0.2 \text{ nm}^2 = 0.2 (10^{-9} \text{ m})^2 = 2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ m}^2$
 Rate of energy absorbed by each calcium atom
 = $(2 \times 10^{-19})(0.032) = 6.4 \times 10^{-21} \text{ W}$
 The minimum time required to absorb enough energy
- (ii) Photoelectron emission is a one-to-one process, so photoelectrons would be ejected immediately if the energy of the photons absorbed is greater than that of the work function of the metal. (1A)
- (d) (i) Number of photons falling on the surface
- (ii) Maximum photocurrent
 = $(1.571 \times 10^{13})(0.05)(1.6 \times 10^{-19})$ (1M)
 = $1.26 \times 10^{-7} \text{ A}$ (1A)
- (e) The new $I_p - V$ graph
 (2A)

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- (c) (i) $Q/t = [(0.9)(360) + (0.3)(216) + (2.5)(36)](35-20) + (100)(36) = 10782 \text{ W}$ (1M+1A)
- (ii) $OTTV = 10782 / (360 + 216 + 36) = 17.7$ (1A)
- (d) The input power of the air-conditioning system = $10782 / 3.5 = 3080 \text{ W}$ (1A)
- (e) Add some insulating materials to the wall of the warehouse. (1A)

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 $(2A_0/3) = (1/2)^n \rightarrow n = 5.13 \text{ hrs}$ (1A)

(b) $1/t_b + 1/t_p = 1/t_{\text{eff}}$ (1A) $\rightarrow 1/t_p = 1/5.13 - 1/12 \rightarrow 8.96 \text{ hrs}$ (1A)

(c) $(A_0/100) = (1/2)^n$ (1A) $\rightarrow n = 34.1 \text{ hrs}$ (1A)

(d) X-ray (1A).

(e) CT Scan (1A)

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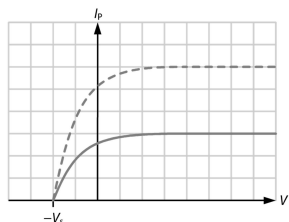
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