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	Section B		
7(a)	(i) 1.6 (μm) (ii) only 1 bit at a time under spot / spot is about $1\mu\text{m}$ wide/ can't make spot smaller (iii) bytes to bits ; correct method ; evaluation Length = $650 \times 10^6 \times 8 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m} = 5.2 \text{ km}$ to 10.4 km	1 1 3	any reasonable resolution / diffraction answer AW full marks for correct evaluation
(b)	tracks have $\frac{1}{2}$ spacing ; bits have $\frac{1}{2}$ spacing ; $\frac{1}{4}$ area per bit/ 4 x density of bits/ info ratio = 4	2 1	NOT resolution is x2 ecf on $\frac{1}{2}$
(c)	digital maps on internet ; useful for route finding on move video camera info from public places can be stored without knowledge or consent ; could be regarded as an invasion of privacy	2 <u>2</u> 12	any sensible suggestions ; societal justifications in context allow bod only once (c)
8(a)	P / A	1	
(b)	(i) equal scale increments represent equal factors / x 10	1 2	AW 2^{nd} depends on first allow ecf in b(ii) x 2
(c)	(ii) graph value 5 ; 1000 / k (Ω)	2	
(d)	(i) 10^4 ; $\Omega \text{ W m}^{-2}$ / $10 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ W m}^{-2}$ both marks (ii) C	1 1	treat as comprehension of root of question qualitative
(e)	(free) electrons take about 50 ms to return to bonds / no new free electrons produced after light goes off (i) double the number of photons / energy doubles the number of free electrons / charge carriers (per unit time) (ii) current / conductance \propto intensity / carrier density resistance \propto 1/ current / $R = V/I$ at fixed V	1 1 <u>1</u> 11	arguments score 0 both parts if conductance is used $G = 1/R$ gets 2^{nd} mark
9(a)	(i) (-) 4.8×10^{-18} (C) (ii) nano - on atomic / 10^{-9} OR nm / nA / ns scale ; switch - makes / breaks electrical contact	1 1 1	evaluation gives on / off action
(b)	(i) height = 2.0 (nm) from graph ; $2.0 / 0.29 = 7 / 6.9$ ecf (ii) as base widens more atoms required so subsequent layers take longer to form (\propto no. of layers) ² (iii) switching time is shorter / less energy etc. to switch / greater switch density/stronger field / force on ions	2 1 <u>1</u> 7	accept 6 different numbers of atoms per layer OK frequency is larger

10a)	(i) $R = (\rho L) / A$ (ii) $L = (RA) / \rho / 120 \times 8 \times 10^{-10} / 4. \times 10^{-7}$ $= 0.2(0) (m)$ (iii) to make sensor shorter / more manageable / more sensitive (for same extension than single wire)	1 1 1 1	recall formula rearrange evaluate accept smaller sensor NOT to make bigger R
(b)	(i) $A = V/L / R = \rho L / (V/L) ; = \rho L^2 / V$ (ii) ρ is constant (when strain alters) (iii) L rises by $\times (1.003)$; L^2 by $\times (1.003)^2 = 1.006(01)$	2 1 2	any correct arrangement. OR % change is doubled
(c)	$\sigma = E \times \epsilon / = 4.6 \times 10^{10} \times 0.003 ; = 1.(38) \times 10^8 \text{ Pa}$	2 11	Method ; evaluation
Total section B		41	

Qn	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
	Section C		
11ai)	eg i.r. satellite imaging system	1	
(ii)	diagram: 1/2/3 style eg satellite system / foetal scanner / digital camera/Hubble space telescope description / good annotation to diagram : 1/2/3 style	3 2	(ii) max 5 for both diagram and description
(b) i)	eg resolution of i.r. satellite image = 100 ; m (pixel ⁻¹)	2	allow ± 1 on sensible order of magnitude
(ii)	eg longer focal length system ; so that image on detector is larger / greater density of pixels on the detector ; so that length imaged on one pixel is smaller	<u>2</u>	
(c)	cloud patterns for use in weather / disaster prediction land use survey to check on crop distributions	1 <u>1</u> 12	
12ai)	eg Force	1	
(ii)	Circuit diagram with sensor / potential divider, Ameter, Vmeter and supply of p.d. correctly connected.	3	1/2/3 style lose 1 mark for each error
(iii)	Sensor is QTC (Quantum Tunnelling Composite) pill. When stressed its resistance drops exponentially, raising the p.d. across the series resistor, increasing the output p.d. to the Vmeter.	2	
(b) i)	response time : how long it takes the electrical output signal from the sensor to settle to final value after the physical variable is changed	1	expect good statements
	linearity : the graph of sensor electrical output signal plotted against the physical variable being sensed varying is a straight line graph.	1	$\Delta y / \Delta x = \text{constant}$
(ii)	Change and ;state instrument (to measure the physical variable) (eg alter Force by using known weights) ; measure the output p.d. from the sensor for each F ; Plot a calibration graph of p.d. against Force ; and see if it is a straight line	2 1 1 <u>1</u> 13	NOT linear through origin
	Quality of written communication Total section C	<u>4</u> 29	

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1(a)	C ✓	1	
(b)	B ✓	1	
2(a)	500 ✓	1	
(b)	5000 ✓	1	not 5040
3(a)	180° or π radians ✓ UP if correct unit not given in either (a) or (b)	1	not just $\tilde{\square}2$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ a rotation
(b)	90° (or 270°) or $\pi/2$ radians (or $3\pi/2$ radians) ✓	1	
(c)	both A and B at 12 o'clock ✓	1	
4(a)	forces 'up' and 'down' balanced OAW ✓ (require more than stating 'vertical equilibrium')	1	or idea that $T\cos 30^\circ$ is the vertical component
(b)	27.7 or 28 ✓ _e (N) (3 s.f. max)	1	
(c)	θ larger, so $\cos \theta$ smaller ✓ (arguing from the equation)	1	
5(a)	$P/v^3 = \text{constant}$ ✓ carried out on all 3 sets of data- (<i>may find k and use</i>) (constant = 6.584 6.617 6.530) ✓	2	-accept $v^3/P = 0.15$ test - (deduct 1 mark if assertion is $v^3/P = k$) trivial test = 1 mark max
(b)	conclusion consistent with arithmetical test ✓	1	
6(a)	using $P (= Fv) = 5.2 \times 10^3 \times 24$ ✓ _m = 1.2×10^5 ✓ _e (W)	2	for using $5.2 \times 24 = 124.8$ ✓ _m × _e
(b)	$F = (2.8 \times 10^5) / 40$ ✓ _m = 7000 ✓ _e (N)	2	
7(a)	1.9 ✓ _e (m s^{-1})	1	not 2 m s^{-1}
(b)	$t = 57 / 1.9$ ✓ _m = 30 ✓ _e (s) ecf from (a)	2	0.5 m s^{-1} gives 114 (s)
Section A Total		20	

8	wave having an antinode at each end and a single node in middle ✓ with <u>ONE</u> A and N labelled correctly ✓ [wave having antinode at each end but multiple nodes, with A and N labelled appropriately ✓]	2	accept only top half of correct wave shown * zero marks for diagram showing wave having Node at ends*
(ii)	$\lambda = 4.0$ ✓ (m) ecf from (a)(i) consistent with the diagram as drawn	1	here, assume diagram drawn in (a)(i) is correct
(iii)	$v = 331 + (0.61 \times 10)$ = 337.1 (340) ✓ _e (m s ⁻¹)	1	
(iv)	$f = 337.1 / 4.0$ ✓ _m = 84.3 ✓ _e (Hz) ecf from above	2	(a)(iii) / (a)(ii)
(b)(i)	84.3×1.05 ✓ _m = 88.5 ✓ _e (Hz) ecf from (a)(iv) (may calc. 5% of (a)(iv)) then add it to (a)(iv))	2	
(ii)	for calculating new $v = 88.5 \times 4 = 354$ ✓ _e ecf for correct rearrangement $\theta = (354 - 331) / 0.61$ ✓ _r $\theta = 37.6$ °C ✓ _e	3	(b)(i) x (a)(i)
	Total	11	
9	$6.6 \times 10^{-34} \times 3.0 \times 10^8 / 9.2 \times 10^{-8}$ ✓ _m = 2.15×10^{-18} ✓ _e (J)	2	likely route $f = \tilde{c} \square$ then $E = hf$
(ii)	for showing that 'remaining' energy (ΔE) is 1.8×10^{-18} J i.e. $(2.2 \times 10^{-18} - 4.0 \times 10^{-19}) = 1.8 \times 10^{-18}$ J ✓ _e	2	
	so ke of electron cannot be greater than ΔE ✓ OAW		
(iii)	$v = [(3.6 \times 10^{-18}) / (9.1 \times 10^{-31})]^{1/2}$ ✓ _m = 2.0×10^6 (m s ⁻¹) ✓ _e	2	
(b)(i)	$\lambda = (6.6 \times 10^{-34}) / (9.1 \times 10^{-31})(2.0 \times 10^6)$ ✓ _s = 3.6×10^{-10} (m) ✓ _e	2	using 1.98×10^6 gives 3.7×10^{-10}
(ii)	for stating $\lambda \approx d$ / wavelength and spacing similar OAW ✓	2	
	so rows of atoms act as a grating or behaves like Young's slits or get constructive and destructive interference or electrons diffract producing interference ✓		read the explanation and judge the quality
	Total	10	

10(a)	using $v = u + at$ with $u = 0$ (ie $330 = 0 + 9.8t$) ✓ _m $t = 330/9.8$ ✓ _r $= 33.7$ ✓ _e (s) (calculator value shown)	3	3 marking points
(b)(i)	1 distance (travelled) / displacement / height dropped ✓ 2 acceleration ✓	2	
(ii)	($t = 0$ to $t = t_1$) accelerates at decreasing rate ✓ OAW ($t = t_1$ to $t = t_2$) deceleration ✓ ($t = t_2$ to $t = t_3$) constant velocity ✓ (‘terminal’ velocity insufficient)	3	velocity increases at a decreasing rate velocity decreases constant velocity
(c)	the skydiver decelerates ✓ velocity of skydiver is upwards relative to camera ✓ OAW	2	
	Total	10	
11	diffraction ✓	1	
(a)(i)			
(ii)	idea of disturbances adding together ✓ giving the resultant ✓ effect OAW	2	waves combine ✓ giving constructive and destructive interference ✓
(b)(i)	waves superimpose IN PHASE ✓	1	
(ii)	each arrow perpendicular to wavefront ✓	1	penalise lack of care
(iii)	24° and 53° angles correctly shown and labelled ✓	1	different ways
(c)	using $\sin \theta = \lambda / d$ ✓ _m $d = 1.25 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}$ ✓ $\sin \theta = 0.4$ or $\theta = 23.57^\circ$ ✓ _e (evidence calculation done) similarly $\sin \theta = 0.8$ or $\theta = 53.1^\circ$ ✓ _e	4	may use $\theta = 24^\circ$ and $\theta = 53^\circ$ and work backwards
	ora Total	10	
	Section B Total	41	

12	a distance measurement stated ✓	1	alternative methods might be classified as: 'echo sounding', 'parallax', or 'triangulation'
(a)			
(b)	a sensible justification of a distance measurement ✓	1	
(c)	some attempt has been made ✓ diagram is satisfactory, but some errors/omissions ✓✓ diagram is essentially correct ✓✓✓ + important equipment labelled ✓	4	In (c) method must be plausible or zero for diagram
(d)	pulse ✓ reflected from target ✓ trip time measured ✓	3	mark as independent of parts (a) to (c) see appendix for parallax method points
(e)	$s = vt$ idea ✓ t is half trip time ✓ significance of v in the calc, or its numerical value ✓	3	
	Total	12	
13	For a situation where a quantum phenomenon is observed ✓	1	if not a quantum phenomenon ... zero marks total
(a)			3/2/1
(b)	clear labelled diagram ✓✓✓ ...with some minor omissions or errors ✓✓ for some attempt made ✓ sensibly labelled ✓	3	
(c)	for four separate relevant and correct items of description ✓✓✓✓	4	
(d)	read as a whole ... up to 4 marks for relevant quantum ideas ✓✓✓✓	4	
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1 a	1.0 ✓	1	Accept 1.03	
b	1.4×10^{-2} ✓	1	Accept 0.014(1)	
c	2.1×10^{-2} ✓	1	Accept 0.021(15)	
d	1.4×10^{-2} ✓	1	Accept 0.0136	
2 a	Area 'under'/'over'/'between line and x-axis stated ✓ Evidence of counting squares ✓ Evidence of value of one square ✓	1	(NB actual value is greater than 5×10^7) (range $5 \times 10^7 \rightarrow 6 \times 10^7$) Or other clear geometrical technique. ecf	
b	$900 \times 5 \times 10^7 \checkmark = 4.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ J} \checkmark$	1 2		
3 a	Energy = $0.18 \times 4200 \times 10 \checkmark = 7560 \text{ J}$	1	Clear working or evidence of calculation needed. One mark for (b) if 7.6 used	
b	Mass = $7600/(4000 \times 65) \checkmark = 0.029 \text{ kg} \checkmark$ (0.03)	2		
4 a	(Approx) energy of a <u>particle</u> at temperature $T \checkmark$ AW	1	Need comparison and much AW	
b	<u>Much</u> greater than $kT \checkmark$ (greater than $30 kT$ or above)	1		
5a	$7 \times 10^{-3} \times 250 \checkmark = 2 \text{ kg m s}^{-1} \checkmark$ accept 1.8, 1.75	2	Ecf accept 8.8N, 10N, 8.75N	
b	thrust = $\Delta p/\Delta t = 1.75/0.2 \checkmark = 9 \text{ N} \checkmark$	2		
6	$pV = nRT \checkmark$ $\Rightarrow V = 2 \times 8.3 \times 300/4.0 \times 10^5 \checkmark = 0.012 \checkmark$	3	Must see equation Accept 0.0125	

Section A total: 21

Qn	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
7 (a)	A going away /B coming towards Earth ✓	1	
(b) (i)	$T = 2\pi \times 1.8 \times 10^8 / 1.5 \times 10^4 \checkmark = 7.5 \times 10^4 \text{ s} \checkmark = 20.9 \text{ hours}$	2	Clear working or evidence of calculation needed for second mark.
b(ii)	$F = (-) mv^2/r \checkmark = 3000 \times (1.5 \times 10^4)^2 / 1.8 \times 10^8 \checkmark = (-) 3750 \text{ N}$	2	
b(iii)	$F \text{ (or } 3750) = (-) G Mm/r^2 \checkmark$ $\therefore M = 3750 \times (1.8 \times 10^8)^2 / 3000 \times 6.7 \times 10^{-11} \checkmark = 6 \times 10^{26} \text{ kg}$	2	
c	$(-)mv^2/r = (-)G Mm/r^2 \checkmark \therefore v^2 = GM/r \checkmark \therefore v = (GM/r)^{1/2}$	2	penalise lone negative signs in working
d	vel is proportional to $r^{-0.5} \checkmark$ so 4 x r decreases v by a factor of $4^{0.5} \checkmark = 2$ AW	2	Need clear derivation for second mark (ie use the fact that rock is <u>four times</u> the distance) calculation acceptable if correct.
8(a)	$dN/dt = \lambda N \quad N = 3.3 \times 10^4 / 4.8 \times 10^{-11} \checkmark = 6.9 \times 10^{14}$	2	Allow 457 or 458 5.4×10^{12} if 7×10^{14} must give own value.
(b)	half life = $0.693 / 4.8 \times 10^{-11} \checkmark = 1.4 \times 10^{10} \text{ s} \checkmark$ $= 1.4 \times 10^{10} / 3.2 \times 10^7 \checkmark = 451 \text{ years}$	3	
(c)	$\Delta N = -\lambda N \Delta t = 4.8 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.9 \times 10^{14} \times 5 \times 3.2 \times 10^7 \checkmark$ $= 5.3 \times 10^{12} \checkmark$	2	
(d)	Any two from: N will not change much over 5 year period/N will change considerably over longer period ✓ or ✓ N/✓t constant over five year period/changes significantly over longer period ✓ or 5 years is much less than half life ✓	2	
(e)	Hardly any difference in activity over a five year period. ✓ Other specific reasons: dust build up in detector, component failure ✓ AW	2	

9 (a)(i)	Energy = $3/2 kT = 1.5 \times 298 \times 1.4 \times 10^{-23} \checkmark = 6.3 \times 10^{-21}$ \checkmark J	2	4×10^{-21} acceptable
(ii)	$v = (6.3 \times 10^{-21} \times 2/2.7 \times 10^{-25})^{1/2} \checkmark = 215 \text{ m s}^{-1} \checkmark$	2	clear working or evidence of calculation needed for second mark. Alternative answers: 210.8 , 176,216
b(i)	$s = vt = 480 \times 200 = 96\,000 \text{ m} \checkmark$	1	
(ii)	$96\,000 / (100 \times 10^{-9}) \checkmark \checkmark = 9.6 \times 10^{11} = 1 \times 10^{12} \checkmark$	2	
(c)	gas diffuses more rapidly \checkmark Any two from: same energy/ greater v/less time between collisions	3	(accept 10×10^{11}) 1 sf as 'about 100 nm & 0.1m.
10 (a)i	weight = $1.2 \times 9.8 \checkmark = 1.18 \text{ N}$	1	clear working or evidence of calculation
(a) (ii)	$x = F/k = 1.2/3.1 = 0.38 \text{ m} \checkmark$ total length = $0.95 + 0.38 \checkmark = 1.33 \text{ m}$	2	accept 0.39 & 1.34
a(iii)	tension in thread = weight of ball \checkmark	1	name or direction needed
(b)(i)	k.e. gained = p.e. lost = $1.2 \times 0.95 \checkmark = 1.1 \text{ J}$. Or by area under line of graph.	1	clear working or evidence of calculation
(ii)	Further k.e. gain = PE lost – elastic strain energy $= 1.2 \times 0.4 - \frac{1}{2} \times 3.1 \times 0.4^2 = 0.23 \text{ J} \checkmark$ total energy = $1.1 + 0.2 \checkmark = 1.3 \text{ J}$	2	or area of triangle
c(i)	Condition for shm is acc. proportional to –ve displacement (from equilibrium). \checkmark graph shows force proportional to (-ve) displacement \checkmark for displacements up to +/-0.4m \checkmark clear link between force and acceleration \checkmark	4	accept 'goes slack' beyond 0.4m displacement AW
c(ii)	$f = 1/2 \checkmark \pi \times (3.1/0.12)^{1/2} \checkmark = 0.8 \text{ Hz} \checkmark$	2	T = 1.2(4) s = one mark.

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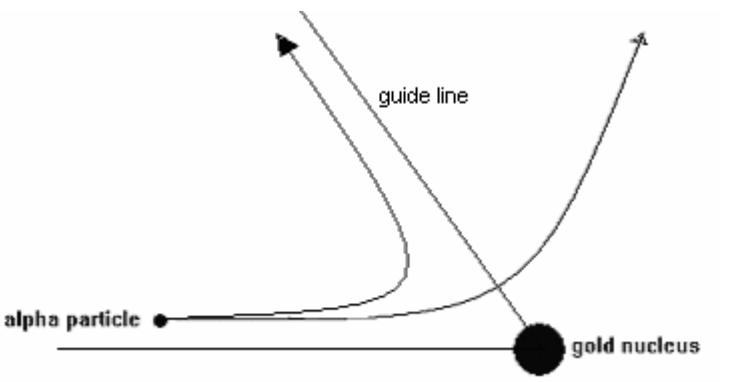
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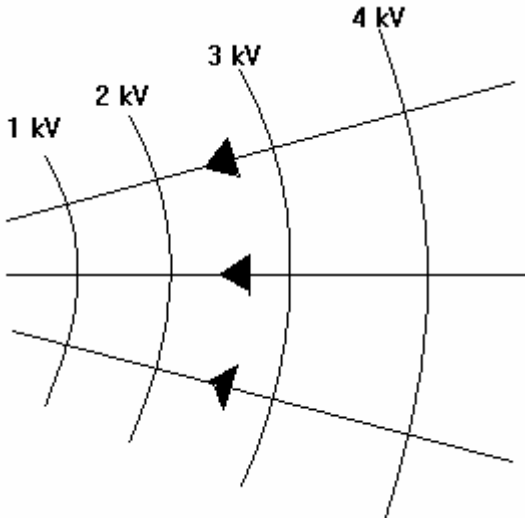
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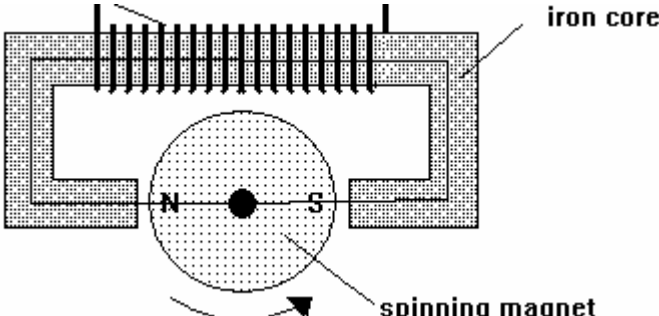
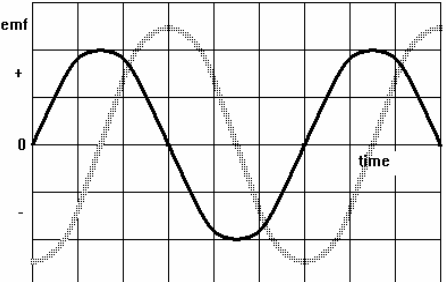
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e	= evaluation mark
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;	= separates marking points
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()	= words which are not essential to gain credit
<u> </u>	= (underlining) key words which must be used to gain credit
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ora	= or reverse argument
eor	= evidence of rule

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1(a)	(electric) potential	1
1(b)	NOT voltage (magnetic) flux density NOT magnetic field strength	1
2	greater angular deflection of final path final path <ul style="list-style-type: none"> within 10 mm to the left of the "guide line" (by eye) has greater distance of closest approach  <p>guide line parallel to final path, through centre of nucleus</p>	1 1
3	$F = \frac{kq^2}{r^2}$ $F = 9.0 \times 10^9 \times (1.6 \times 10^{-19})^2 / (0.53 \times 10^{-10})^2$ $F = 8.2 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N}$ incorrect initial formula leading to incorrect answer [0]	1 1 1
4	magnetic flux	1
5(a)	betas have low penetration / are more highly ionising / are less likely to escape the body / have a short range; (so) give the body or cells a larger (absorbed) dose / more risk of cancer / more chance of mutation; ACCEPT reverse argument for gamma photons	1 1
5(b)	$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$ $A = 300 \times 10^3 \times e^{-7.8 \times 10^{-10} \times 56 \times 3.2 \times 10^7}$ $A = 7.4 \times 10^4 \text{ Bq (74 kBq)}$ ACCEPT $t_{0.5} = 0.693 / \lambda = 28 \text{ years (} 8.8 \times 10^8 \text{ s)}$ [1] this is 2.01 half-lives, so $A = A_0 \times (0.5)^2 = 75 \text{ kBq}$ [1] NOT $A \lambda t$ ie $300 \times 10^3 \times 7.8 \times 10^{-10} \times 3.2 \times 10^7 = 7.5 \times 10^3 \text{ Bq}$ [0]	0 1 1

Qn	Expected Answer	Mark
6(a)	B	1
6(b)	A	1
7	electric field (strength) / (electric) potential gradient in a uniform field / between parallel (conducting) plates ACCEPT electric intensity	1 1
8	risk ($= 20 \times 10^{-3} \times 40 \times 3$) = 2.4% ACCEPT 0.024 with % crossed out risk per year (wtte) = $20 \times 10^{-3} \times 3$ ($= 6.0 \times 10^{-2} \% \text{ yr}^{-1}$) [1] overall dose (wtte) = $20 \times 10^{-3} \times 40$ ($= 0.80 \text{ Sv}$) [1] ACCEPT units as evidence of what they are calculating	2
9	three approximately straight lines: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • approximately perpendicular to equipotentials • touching 1 kV and 4 kV equipotentials arrows to show correct direction, as shown  <p>ACCEPT field lines meeting at a point ACCEPT any spacing of field lines</p>	1 1

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10(a)	${}^1_0\text{n}$ NOT ${}^1_0\text{N}$	1
10(b)(i)	uud (in any order) (total charge =) $+\frac{2}{3}e + +\frac{2}{3}e + -\frac{1}{3}e = e$ ACCEPT calculation without e	1 1
10(b)(ii)	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}$ need both for the mark	1
10(c)(i)	4 protons 5 neutrons	1 1
10(c)(ii)	ecf 10(c)(i): $4 \times 1.673 \times 10^{-27} = (6.692 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg})$ $5 \times 1.675 \times 10^{-27} = (8.375 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg})$ so mass of separate nucleons = $1.5067 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$ $1.4966 \times 10^{-26} - 1.5067 \times 10^{-26} = (-)1.0(1) \times 10^{-28} \text{ kg}$ by correct method correct calculation of separate nucleons [1] $1.4966 \times 10^{-26} - 4 \times 1.673 \times 10^{-27} - 5 \times 1.675 \times 10^{-27} = \dots$ [1] $9.9 \times 10^{-29} \text{ kg}, 9.1 \times 10^{-29} \text{ kg}, [0]$	2
10(c)(iii)	$E = mc^2$ $E = 1.01 \times 10^{-28} \times (3.0 \times 10^8)^2 = 9.09 \times 10^{-12} \text{ J}$ ecf incorrect $E: E = 9.09 \times 10^{-12} / 1.6 \times 10^{-19} (= 5.68 \times 10^7 \text{ eV})$ (eor) ecf: binding energy per nucleon = $5.68 \times 10^7 / 9 = 6.3 \text{ MeV}$ $1.0 \times 10^{-28} \text{ kg}$ gives 6.25 MeV [3]	0 1 1 1
10(d)	less mass is equivalent to less energy (ORA) EITHER extra energy needed to separate the nucleons in a nucleus OR energy must be lost to form a nucleus from nucleons	1 1

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11(a)(i)	single line from source to detector along the centre of tube, through both holes, not hitting the sides	1
11(a)(ii)	to remove atoms which would collide with alpha particles ACCEPT alpha particles have short range in air	1
11(b)(i)	90	1
11(b)(ii)	$Bqv = \frac{mv^2}{r}$ combined in stages with $p = mv$ (eor) to final answer eg $Bq = \frac{mv}{r} \rightarrow Bq = \frac{p}{r} \rightarrow p = Bqr$	1 1
11(c)(i)	gives particles correct path to reach detector (wtte)	1
11(c)(ii)	background (radiation) is being detected NOT alphas can have different energies / velocities NOT background noise	1
11(c)(iii)	$p = Bqr$ $B = 150 \text{ mT}$ ecf incorrect $B = 50 \text{ mT}$: $B = 0.15 \text{ T}$ (units conversion) ecf incorrect units conversion: $p = 0.15 \times 3.2 \times 10^{-19} \times 2.5 = 1.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$ $B = 50 \text{ mT}$ gives $4.0 \times 10^{-20} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$ [2] $B = 150 \text{ T}$ gives $1.2 \times 10^{-16} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$ [2]	0 1 1 1

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12(a)(i)	<p>single <u>loop</u> along iron core, passing from N to S eg</p>  <p>ACCEPT loop which avoids the black blob in the magnet</p>	1
12(a)(ii)	<p>good conductor of flux / high permeance / easily magnetised / guides flux through the coil / high permeability / good magnetic circuit / increases flux in the coil</p>	1
12(b)(i)	<p>spinning <u>magnet</u> increases and decreases flux in the <u>coil</u>; ACCEPT alternating flux, changes flux emf is positive as flux (linkage) increases, negative as flux (linkage) decreases ACCEPT decreasing flux for positive emf ACCEPT emf is rate of change of flux (linkage)</p>	1 1
12(b)(ii)	<p>sine wave of constant amplitude, correct period and phase, at least one cycle ACCEPT phase difference of $\pm\pi/2$</p> 	1

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12(b)(iii)	$\varepsilon = N \frac{d\Phi}{dt}$ $dt = 0.25 \text{ period} = 0.25 / 30 = 8.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}$ $1.3 \approx 120 \times \text{peak flux} / 8.3 \times 10^{-3}$ $\text{peak flux} = 9 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Wb (or } 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Wb)}$ $dt = 1/30 \text{ s gives } 3.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Wb [1]}$ $dt = 1/60 \text{ s gives } 1.8 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Wb [1]}$ ACCEPT peak flux = peak emf / $2\pi fN = 6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Wb}$ for [2] ACCEPT flux linkage change = area under emf-time graph [1] area $\approx 0.5 \times \text{peak emf} \times 0.25 \text{ period} = 5.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Wb turns}$ peak flux $\approx 4.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Wb [1]}$	0 1 1
12(c)	any two of these modification-explanation pairs [1+1], maximum [3] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increase number of coils to increase flux linkage • decrease gap between magnet and core to improve magnetic circuit / increase flux (linkage) • increase dimensions of apparatus to increase flux (linkage) • increase permeability of (iron) core to improve magnetic circuit / increase flux (linkage) • laminate the core (wtte) stops eddy currents reducing the flux 	3
12(d)	to stop eddy currents in the core (wtte) EITHER which would reduce emf / flux (linkage) OR would dissipate energy (as heat) (wtte)	1 1

Qn	Expected Answer	Mark
13(a)	${}^4_2\text{He}$	1
	ecf incorrect nucleon number for alpha particle: ${}^{236}_{92}\text{U} \rightarrow {}^{232}_{90}\text{Th} + {}^4_2\text{He}$	1
13(b)(i)	C anywhere before D	1
	D anywhere before B	1
	all cats desire birds	
13(b)(ii)	$Q = It$	0
	$Q = 150 \times 10^{-9} \times 8.6 \times 10^4 = 1.29 \times 10^{-2} \text{ C}$	1
	$N = 1.29 \times 10^{-2} / 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$	1
	$N = \underline{8.1} \times 10^{16}$	1
	electrons per second (wtte) = $150 \times 10^{-9} / 1.6 \times 10^{-19} = 9.4 \times 10^{11}$ [1]	
	ions = electrons per second $\times 8.6 \times 10^4$ (eor) [1]	
	ions = $\underline{8.1} \times 10^{16}$ [1]	
	time to deposit an ion = $1.6 \times 10^{-19} / 150 \times 10^{-9} = 1.07 \times 10^{-12} \text{ s}$ [1]	
	ions = $8.6 \times 10^4 /$ time for one ion [1]	
	ions = $\underline{8.1} \times 10^{16}$ [1]	
	reverse calculation gives 148 nA	
13(c)(i)	each alpha particle emitted in a random direction (so half go down into the metal)	1
13(c)(ii)	events from isotope = $22\,146 - 420 = 21\,726$	1
	ecf incorrect events: $A = 2 \times 21\,726 / 600 = 72 \text{ Bq}$	1
13(c)(iii)	$\lambda = A / N$	0
	ecf incorrect A, N: $\lambda = 72 / 8.1 \times 10^{16} = 8.9 \times 10^{-16} \text{ s}^{-1}$	1
	70 Bq and 8×10^{16} ions gives $8.75 \times 10^{-16} \text{ s}^{-1}$	
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	2646 J ≈ 3000 J ✓ (iii) evidence of method✓ $\Delta T = 3000 / (1 \times 4200) = 0.7^\circ\text{C}$ ✓	2	
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2 (a)	(i) Water freezes /solidifies at 273 K✓ (ii) $1 - 273/373$ ✓ = 0.27 (<0.30 = 30%) ✓	1 2	Bald answer 0.268/26.8% = 1 mark Accept $273 < T_{\text{cold}} < 300$ for 1 mark max
(b)	(i) $\Delta S = 6000/400 = 15$ ✓ Units J K ⁻¹ ✓	2	
	(ii) $\Delta S_{\text{cold}} = 4800/300 = 16$ (J K ⁻¹) ✓ $\Delta S_{\text{cold}} > \Delta S_{\text{hot}}$, so net gain of entropy ✓	2	No ecf
	(iii) Suggestion, eg raise T _{hot} , lower T _{cold} , make use of waste heat (as in CHP schemes) ✓ Explanation in terms of Carnot relationship. ✓	2	Any reasonable suggestion. Justification can be arithmetic. Ignore entropy arguments.
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Qn	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
3 (a)	(i) $pV=nRT$ (core) ✓ $n = pV/RT = 1.0 \times 10^5 \times 0.18/(8.3 \times 273)$ $= 7.9 \text{ mol} \approx 8 \text{ mol}$ ✓m✓e (ii) $N = 7.9 \times 6.0 \times 10^{23} = 4.8 \times 10^{24}$ molecules ✓	3 1	Bald 7.9 mol gets 3 marks. Ecf from (i)
(b)	(i) (mean-square/rms) v is not changed ✓ because T depends on v / T unchanged / no work done on or by gas/ no internal energy change ✓ (ii) two sides of panel equal in size so a molecule would have the same number of ways of being placed on each side /having double the volume available provides twice the number of ways of arranging each molecule ✓ (iii) 2^N is an (extremely) large number ✓ huge increase in <u>number of ways</u> will increase the entropy ✓	2 1 2	(Work is actually done on gas in this process) Must appreciate role of 2^N . Must have number of ways for second mark.
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4 (a)	Same number of circles on the energy level diagrams on each side ✓	1	Not 'same number of atoms'
(b)	More atoms in higher energy level states ✓ Greater number of quanta present (eg cold solid has only $12 \times 1 + 3 \times 2$ quanta, hot solid has many more) ✓	2	Argument in terms of BF acceptable to 2 marks.
(c)	(i) Each level has $\frac{1}{4}$ of the number in the level below ✓ (ii) $\exp(-\epsilon/kT) = \exp(-5.8 \times 10^{-21}/(1.4 \times 10^{-23} \times 300))$ $= 0.251 = 0.25$ quoted in stem to (c)(i) ✓m✓e (iii) Larger fraction so larger BF ✓; larger BF \Rightarrow smaller $\epsilon/kT \Rightarrow$ larger T ✓ / $BF_{\text{hot}} = 0.5$ ✓ $\Rightarrow T = 600 \text{ K}$ ✓	1 2 2	3/12 or 12/45 (12/48) Can use $\ln(0.25) = -\epsilon/kT$; allow ✓e 'show that' if values all substituted.
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Qn	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
5 (a)	(i) Cosmic Microwave Background Radiation ✓	1	Allow any 3 out of the 4 CMBR eg MBR, CMB
	(ii) wavelength correctly related to (photon) energy ; (photon) energy correctly related to temperature ; Temperature now ~ 3 K / was once ~ 3000 K	2	Any two points
	(iii) (Cosmological) redshift ✓	1	NOT Doppler effect.
	Recession related to redshift/stretching of wavelength ✓ Furthest galaxies receding faster/ biggest redshift ✓	2	
(b)	$\lambda \uparrow \Rightarrow f \downarrow$ because $\lambda \propto 1/f$ ✓ $f \downarrow \Rightarrow E \downarrow$ because $E=hf$ ✓ $\lambda \uparrow 1000 \times \Rightarrow f \downarrow 1000 \times \Rightarrow E \downarrow 1000 \times$ ✓	3	
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6 (a)	(i) $kT = 1.4 \times 10^{-23} \times 10^7 \text{ J} = 1.4 \times 10^{-16} \text{ J}$ ✓ $\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = 1.4 \times 10^{-16} \Rightarrow v^2 = 2 \times 1.4 \times 10^{-16} / 1.7 \times 10^{-27}$ ✓ $= 1.6 \times 10^{11} \Rightarrow v = 4.1 \times 10^5 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ ✓	3	can use $(3/2)kT$ Can use reverse working (passim) $pV=NkT \Rightarrow 1.4 \times 10^{15}$ ✓✓
	(ii) $pV=(1/3) Nm v^2 \Rightarrow p = (10^{31} \times 1.7 \times 10^{-27} \times 1.6 \times 10^{11})/3$ $= 9.1 \times 10^{14} \text{ Pa} \approx 10^{15} \text{ Pa}$ ✓m✓e	3	
	(iii) ideal gas behaviour/no inter-particle interactions ✓	1	
(b)	(i) $50 \leq A \leq 60$ ✓	1	✓ for method, ✓ for reading
	(ii) binding energy/nucleon = 8.5 to 9.0 MeV ✓ binding energy = $A \times (8.5 \text{ to } 9.0) \times 10^6 \text{ eV}$ ✓ $= A \times (8.5 \times 10^6 \text{ to } 9.0 \times 10^6) \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ ✓	3	
	(iii) total energy = answer to (ii) $\times 10^{56}$ ✓ Assumption = all nuclei were originally free protons/neutrons ✓	2	
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A	(ii)/J	(iii)/J
50	7.2×10^{-11}	7.2×10^{45}
60	8.5×10^{-11}	8.5×10^{45}

also e.c.f from (i)

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7 (a)	(i) Gravitational force acting on satellite / weight of satellite ✓ (ii) centripetal force on satellite owtte ✓	1 1	
(b)	(i) Two correct force arrows ✓ Labels correct: weight/gravitational force/gravitational pull/W/mg towards centre of Earth AND tensile force/tension/T in opposite direction ✓ (ii) equation applies only to object orbiting freely; 10 kg is not orbiting freely; 10 kg is being pulled/restrained/acted on/held back by satellite; different r ; no M in equation; m in equation is for satellite, not 10 kg ✓✓	2 2	Ignore lengths of arrows. Any two points
(c)	(i) $R = \rho L/A = 2.7 \times 10^{-8} \times 5000 / 8.0 \times 10^{-5} \checkmark$ $= 1.7 \Omega \approx 2 \Omega \checkmark$ (ii) Algebraic reasoning or quoting $\varepsilon = BLv \checkmark$ $\varepsilon = 21 \times 10^{-6} \times 5000 \times 8000 = 840 \text{ V} \approx 800 \text{ V} \checkmark$	2 2	Can go via conductance Area 'cut' per second = Lv so $\varepsilon = \Delta\phi/\Delta t = BLv$
(d)	(i) $I = V/R = 840 / 1.7 = 490 \text{ A} \approx 500 \text{ A} \checkmark$ (ii) $F = ILB = 490 \times 5000 \times 21 \times 10^{-6} \checkmark = 51 \text{ N} \checkmark$ Unit error penalty here if N not stated. (iii) Effect ✓: Explanation ✓	1 2 2	800/1.7=470; 840/2=420 800/2=400 (ecf from above also: 500A, 53N; 470A, 49N; 420A, 44N; 400A, 423N) eg will fall to lower orbit /settle in new orbit; loss of energy; eg will slow satellite, force in opposite direction to v , quote Lenz's Law
		15	
8 (a)	(i) $\lambda = c/f = 2500/5.0 \times 10^6 \checkmark = 5.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ (0.50 mm) ✓ (ii) Stationary wave in crystal; resonance; has antinodes at ends; length of fundamental mode = $\frac{1}{2} \lambda \checkmark \checkmark$ (iii) Pulse has 4-8 periods equally spaced ✓ amplitudes drop (with envelope as concave curve) ✓	2 2 2	Any two points: may be shown in diagram;
(b)	depth = $\frac{1}{2} \checkmark \times 4200 \times 25 \times 10^{-6} = 5.2(5) \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} \checkmark$	2	No $\frac{1}{2}$ means that no marks are awarded.

(c)	(i) Recognising path length transmitter→crack→C is less than path length transmitter→crack→D ✓	1	'closer' is enough In (iii), a clear diagram can score both marks.
	(ii) Any point on the locus of an ellipse with C and transmitter as foci and crack on curve ✓	1	
	(iii) Delays at D will also have a number of different places where the crack might be ✓ Only one point will result in both measured delays ✓	2 2	slices, perspective, contours or colour
	(iv) How different depths are displayed ✓ How the information could be retrieved/display interpreted ✓		
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QoWC Marking quality of written communication

The appropriate mark (0-4) should be awarded based on the candidate's quality of written communication in the whole paper.

- 4 max** The candidate will express complex ideas extremely clearly and fluently. Answers are structured logically and concisely, so that the candidate communicates effectively. Information is presented in the most appropriate form (which may include graphs, diagrams or charts where their use would enhance communication). The candidate spells, punctuates and uses the rules of grammar with almost faultless accuracy, deploying a wide range of grammatical constructions and specialist terms.
- 3** The candidate will express moderately complex ideas clearly and reasonably fluently. Answers are structured logically and concisely, so that the candidate generally communicates effectively. Information is not always presented in the most appropriate form. The candidate spells, punctuates and uses the rules of grammar with reasonable accuracy; a range of specialist terms are used appropriately.
- 2** The candidate will express moderately complex ideas fairly clearly but not always fluently. Answers may not be structured clearly. The candidate spells, punctuates and uses the rules of grammar with some errors; a limited range of specialist terms are used appropriately.
- 1** The candidate will express simple ideas clearly, but may be imprecise and awkward in dealing with complex or subtle concepts. Arguments may be of doubtful relevance or obscurely presented. Errors in grammar, punctuation and spelling may be noticeable and intrusive, suggesting weakness in these areas.
- 0** The candidate is unable to express simple ideas clearly; there are severe shortcomings in the organisation and presentation of the answer, leading to a failure to communicate knowledge and ideas. There are significant errors in the use of language which makes the candidate's meaning uncertain.

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Unit Threshold Marks

<i>Unit</i>		Maximum Mark	a	b	c	d	e	u
2860	Raw	90	61	54	47	40	34	0
	UMS	100	80	70	60	50	40	0
2861	Raw	90	70	63	56	49	42	0
	UMS	110	88	77	66	55	44	0
2862	Raw	120	97	85	73	62	51	0
	UMS	90	72	63	54	45	36	0
2863A	Raw	127	97	86	76	66	56	0
	UMS	100	80	70	60	50	40	0
2863B	Raw	127	97	86	76	66	56	0
	UMS	100	80	70	60	50	40	0
2864A	Raw	119	94	84	75	66	57	0
	UMS	110	88	77	66	55	44	0
2864B	Raw	119	94	84	75	66	57	0
	UMS	110	88	77	66	55	44	0
2865	Raw	90	60	54	48	42	36	0
	UMS	90	72	63	54	45	36	0

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Overall threshold marks in UMS (i.e. after conversion of raw marks to uniform marks)

	Maximum Mark	A	B	C	D	E	U
3888	300	240	210	180	150	120	0
7888	600	480	420	360	300	240	0

The cumulative percentage of candidates awarded each grade was as follows:

	A	B	C	D	E	U	Total Number of Candidates
3888	25.3	44.7	63.2	78.6	90.8	100	6692
7888	30.6	53.5	73.5	87.9	96.5	100	5132

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