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- 1 (a) kelvin / K
ampere / amp / A
[allow mole / mol and candela / Cd] B1 B1 [2]
- (b) (i) energy OR work = force \times distance [allow any energy expression]
units: $\text{kg m s}^{-2} \times \text{m}$ OR $\text{kg (m s}^{-1})^2$ for $\frac{1}{2}mv^2$ or mc^2
(ignore any numerical factor)
 $= \text{kg m}^2 \text{s}^{-2}$ C1 M1 A0 [2]
- (ii) units: $\rho: \text{kg m}^{-3}$ $g: \text{m s}^{-2}$ $A: \text{m}^2$ $l_0: \text{m}$
 $C: \text{kg m}^2 \text{s}^{-2} / \text{kg}^2 \text{m}^{-6} \text{m}^2 \text{s}^{-4} \text{m}^2 \text{m}^3$ [any subject]
 $= \text{kg}^{-1} \text{m s}^2$ (allow $\text{m s}^2 / \text{kg}$) C1 C1 A1 [3]
- 2 (a) $d = v \times t$ C1
 $t = 0.2 \times 4$ (allow $t = 0.2 \times 2$) C1
 $d = 3 \times 10^8 \times 0.8 \times 10^{-6}$ OR $3 \times 10^8 \times 0.4 \times 10^{-6}$ C1
 $d = 240 \text{ m}$ hence distance from source to reflector = 120 m A1 [4]
- (b) speed of sound 300 cf speed of light 3×10^8 OR time = $240 / 300 (= 0.8)$
OR time = $120 / 300 (= 0.4)$ C1
sound slower by factor of 10^6 OR time for one division $0.8 / 4$
OR time for one division $0.4 / 2$ C1
time base setting 0.2 s cm^{-1} [unit required] A1 [3]
- 3 (a) (work =) force \times distance moved / displacement in the direction of the force
OR when a force moves in the direction of the force work is done B1 [1]
- (b) kinetic energy = $\frac{1}{2}mv^2$ C1
 $= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2} \times 0.4 \times (2.5)^2 = 1.25 / 1.3 \text{ J}}}$ A1 [2]
- (c) (i) area under graph is work done / work done = $\frac{1}{2}Fx$ C1
 $1.25 = (14x) / 2$ C1
 $x = 0.18 (0.179) \text{ m}$ [allow $x = 0.19 \text{ m}$ using kinetic energy = 1.3 J] A1 [3]
- (ii) smooth curve from $v = 2.5$ at $x = 0$ to $v = 0$ at Q
curve with increasing gradient M1 A1 [2]

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- 4 (a) torque of a couple = one of the forces / a force \times distance
multiplied by the perpendicular distance between the forces M1
A1 [2]
- (b) (i) weight at P (vertically) down B1
normal reaction OR contact force at (point of contact with the pin) P
(vertically) up B1 [2]
- (ii) torque = 35×0.25 (or 25) $\times 2$ C1
= 18 (17.5) N m A1 [2]
- (iii) the two 35 N forces are equal and opposite and the weight and the upward /
contact / reaction force are equal and opposite B1 [1]
- (iv) not in equilibrium as the (resultant) torque is not zero B1 [1]
- 5 (a) (i) displacement is the distance the rope / particles are (above or below) from
the equilibrium / mean / rest / undisturbed position (not 'distance moved') B1 [1]
- (ii) 1. amplitude (= $80 / 4$) = 20 mm B1 [1]
2. $v = f\lambda$ or $v = \lambda / T$ C1
 $f = 1 / T = 1 / 0.2$ (5 Hz) C1
 $v = 5 \times 1.5 = 7.5 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ A1 [3]
- (b) point A of rope shown at equilibrium position B1
same wavelength, shape, peaks / wave moved $\frac{1}{4}\lambda$ to right B1 [2]
- (c) (i) progressive as energy OR peaks OR troughs is/are transferred/moved
/propagated (by the waves) B1 [1]
- (ii) transverse as particles/rope movement is perpendicular to direction of travel
/propagation of the energy/wave velocity B1 [1]
- 6 (a) p.d. = work (done) / charge OR energy transferred from (electrical to other forms)
/ (unit) charge B1 [1]
- (b) (i) $R = \rho l / A$ C1
 $\rho = 18 \times 10^{-9}$ C1
 $R = (18 \times 10^{-9} \times 75) / 2.5 \times 10^{-6} = 0.54 \Omega$ A1 [3]
- (ii) $V = IR$ C1
 $R = 38 + (2 \times 0.54)$ C1
 $I = 240 / 39.08 = 6.1$ (6.14) A A1 [3]

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- (iii) $P = I^2R$ or $P = VI$ and $V = IR$ or $P = V^2/R$ and $V = IR$
 $= (6.14)^2 \times 2 \times 0.54$
 $= 41$ (40.7) W
- C1
C1
A1 [3]
- (c) area of wire is less (1/5) hence resistance greater ($\times 5$)
OR R is $\propto 1/A$ therefore R is greater
p.d. across wires greater so power loss in cables increases
- M1
A1 [2]
- 7 (a) (i) the direction of the fields is the same OR fields are uniform OR constant electric field strength OR $E = V/d$ with symbols explained
- B1 [1]
- (ii) reduce p.d. across plates
increase separation of plates
- B1
B1 [2]
- (iii) α opposite charge to β (as deflection in opposite direction)
 β has a range of velocities OR energies (as different deflections) and
 α all have same velocity OR energy (as constant deflection)
 α are more massive (as deflection is less for greater field strength)
- B1
B1
B1 [3]
- (b) $W = 234$ and $X = 90$
 $Y = 4$ and $Z = 2$
- B1
B1 [2]
- (c) $A = 32$ and $B = 16$ and $C = 0$ and $D = -1$
- B1 [1]