

**GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION  
TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE  
ADDITIONAL SCIENCE A**

**A215/01**

Unit 1: Modules B4 C4 P4 (Foundation Tier)

**Wednesday 19 January 2011  
Morning**

**Duration: 40 minutes**

Candidates answer on the question paper.  
A calculator may be used for this paper.

**OCR supplied materials:**  
None

**Other materials required:**

- Pencil
- Ruler (cm/mm)



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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes above. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **42**.
- A list of physics equations is printed on page **2**.
- The Periodic Table is printed on the back page.
- This document consists of **24** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

## TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE EQUATIONS

### Useful Relationships

#### Explaining Motion

$$\text{speed} = \frac{\text{distance travelled}}{\text{time taken}}$$

$$\text{momentum} = \text{mass} \times \text{velocity}$$

$$\text{change of momentum} = \text{resultant force} \times \text{time for which it acts}$$

$$\text{work done by a force} = \text{force} \times \text{distance moved by the force}$$

$$\text{change in energy} = \text{work done}$$

$$\text{change in GPE} = \text{weight} \times \text{vertical height difference}$$

$$\text{kinetic energy} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{mass} \times [\text{velocity}]^2$$

#### Electric Circuits

$$\text{resistance} = \frac{\text{voltage}}{\text{current}}$$

$$\frac{\text{voltage across primary coil}}{\text{voltage across secondary coil}} = \frac{\text{number of turns in primary coil}}{\text{number of turns in secondary coil}}$$

$$\text{energy transferred} = \text{power} \times \text{time}$$

$$\text{power} = \text{potential difference} \times \text{current}$$

$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\text{energy usefully transferred}}{\text{total energy supplied}} \times 100\%$$

#### The Wave Model of Radiation

$$\text{wave speed} = \text{frequency} \times \text{wavelength}$$

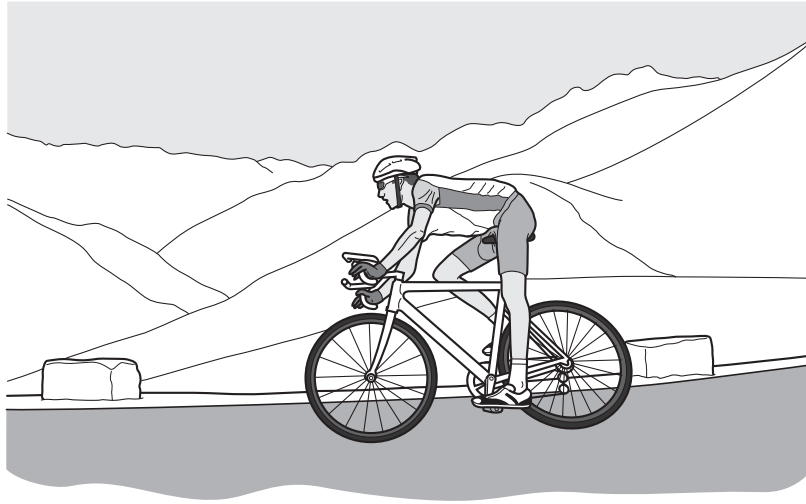
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Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 Brad is riding in a cycle race.



He gets hot.

His body tries to keep his internal temperature constant.

- (a) Put a **(ring)** around the correct word to complete the sentence.

This is an example of **homeostasis** / **homology** / **hydrotherapy**.

[1]

(b) The day gets hotter.

The temperature of Brad's blood rises.

Complete the sentences using words from the list.

**brain**

**heat stroke**

**hypothermia**

**kidney**

**shivering**

**skin**

The blood temperature rise is detected by receptors in the .....

His body responds using effectors in the .....

This reduces his blood temperature.

If his blood temperature stays too high he is suffering from ..... [3]

(c) Early in the race Brad sweats a lot.

Later in the race his skin is hot and dry.

Explain why his temperature then gets higher.

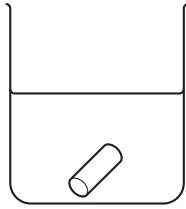
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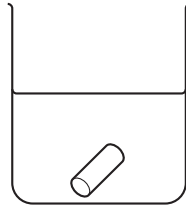
2 Lisa investigates the movement of water into and out of potato cells.

She cuts three potato cylinders, each 50 mm long.

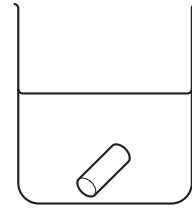
She places each potato cylinder in a different solution **A**, **B** or **C**.



solution **A**  
distilled water



solution **B**  
strong sugar  
solution



solution **C**  
weak sugar  
solution

After 60 minutes, she removes the potato cylinders and measures each of their lengths.

(a) Complete the table to show which solution each potato cylinder was placed in.

Use **A**, **B** and **C**.

length of potato cylinder in mm		solution
at the start	after 60 minutes	
50	47	
50	52	
50	50	

[2]

(b) What do Lisa's results tell her about the membrane around the potato cells?

Complete the sentence.

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct ending.

The membrane is ...

... partially permeable.

... permeable.

... rigid.

[1]

(c) What is the name for the movement of water into and out of these potato cells?

Put a **ring** around the correct answer.

**excretion**

**osmosis**

**respiration**

[1]

[Total: 4]

3 Molly is doing an experiment with the enzyme peroxidase.  
Peroxidase speeds up the breakdown of hydrogen peroxide.  
Bubbles of oxygen gas are produced.

(a) Peroxidase **cannot** be used to break down other chemicals such as starch.

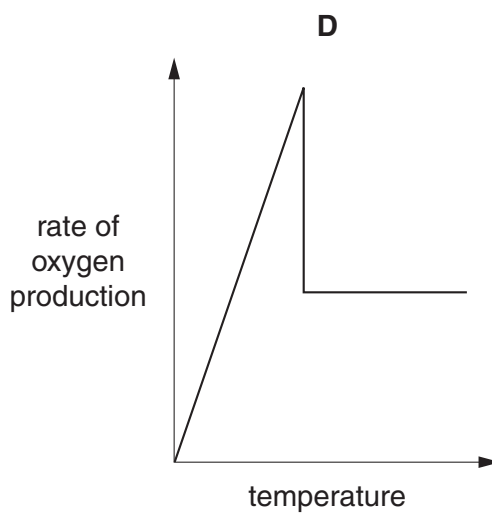
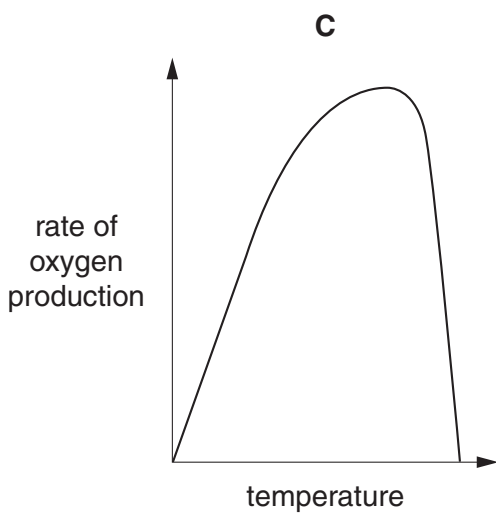
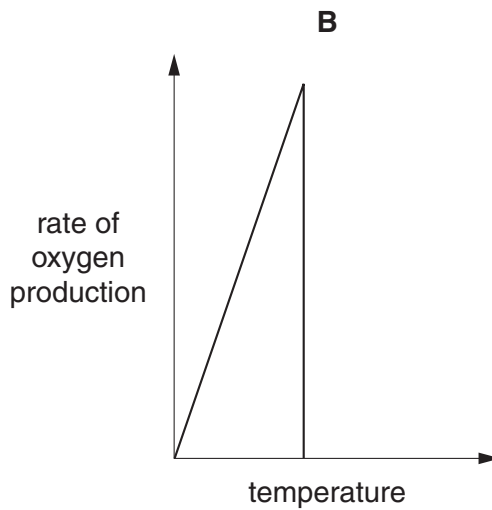
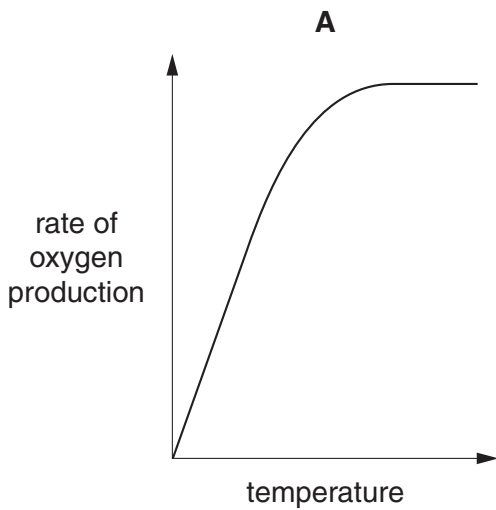
Explain why.

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(b) Molly changes the temperature of her mixture of enzyme and hydrogen peroxide.

She measures the rate of oxygen production.

(i) Which graph, **A**, **B**, **C** or **D**, shows the pattern of her results as she increases the temperature to 80 °C?



answer ..... [1]



(ii) Why does the rate of oxygen production increase in the first part of the graph?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct explanation.

The frequency of collisions increases.

The enzyme is denatured.

The hydrogen peroxide molecules are changing shape.

The rate of collisions decreases.

The size of hydrogen peroxide molecules increases.

[1]

[Total: 4]

- 4 David's teacher tells the class about the elements in Group 1 of the Periodic Table. She shows them three of the elements, lithium, sodium and potassium.

(a) Write the chemical symbols for lithium and potassium in the empty boxes.

You may use the Periodic Table on the back page of this examination paper.

element	symbol
lithium	
sodium	Na
potassium	

[1]

(b) The teacher puts small pieces of the metals into beakers of water.

They all react with the water.

(i) Draw lines from each **element** to the **reaction** that David sees.

element	reaction
lithium	floats, remains solid, moves slowly
sodium	floats, melts, moves rapidly, bursts into lilac flames
potassium	floats, melts, moves rapidly, fizzes

[2]

(ii) What is made when sodium reacts with water?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the **best** answer.

sodium hydroxide

sodium hydroxide and hydrogen

sodium hydroxide, hydrogen and water

sodium hydroxide and carbon dioxide

[1]

(c) Sodium also reacts with chlorine to make sodium chloride.

What is the chemical formula of sodium chloride?

answer ..... [1]

(d) Some streetlights use an electric current to heat elements so that they give out light.

David knows that the light from the streetlight outside his house comes from sodium atoms.

How can he tell this?

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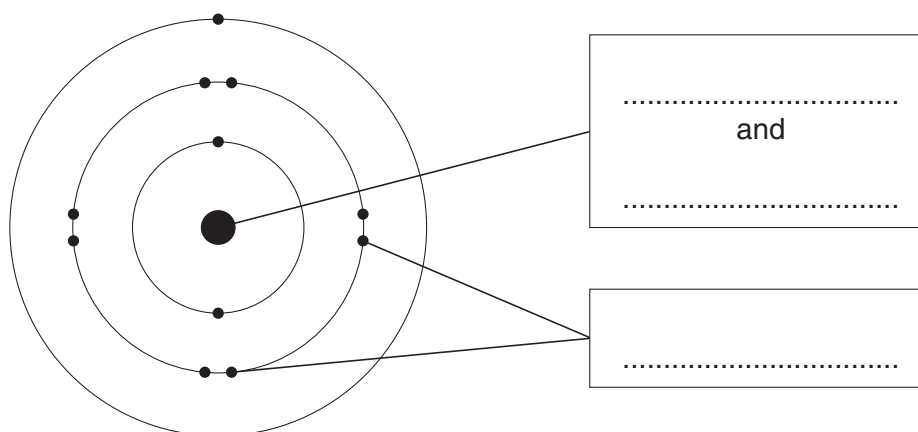
(e) Which element in Group 1 is the **most** reactive?

Use the Periodic Table on the back page of this paper to help you.

element name ..... [1]

[Total: 7]

5 Jo draws a diagram of a neutral atom of an element.



(a) (i) Write labels in the empty boxes to show what an atom is made of.

Use the words **electrons**, **neutrons** and **protons**. [1]

(ii) How many **protons** does this atom have?

answer ..... [1]

(iii) Jo looks at the diagram.

Which group of the Periodic Table is the element in?

Explain how she can tell this.

group number .....

explanation .....

.....

..... [3]

(iv) This atom can easily form an ion.

How does it do this?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

It loses an electron.

It gains an electron.

It loses a proton.

It gains a proton.

[1]

(b) Another atom has a relative atomic mass of 39 and a proton number of 19.

How many neutrons does this atom contain?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

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39

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[1]

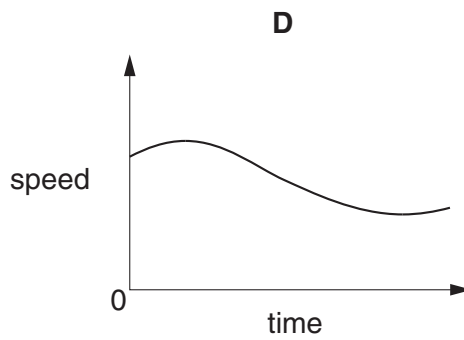
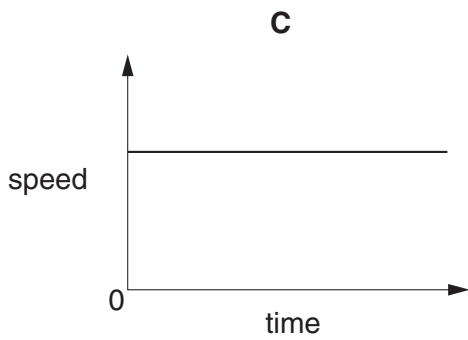
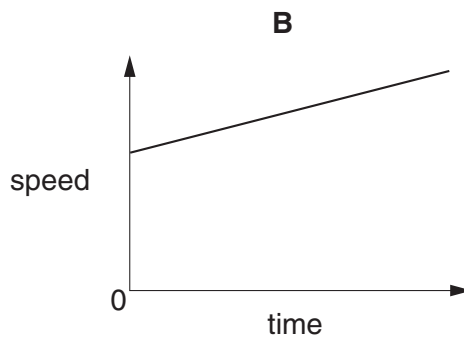
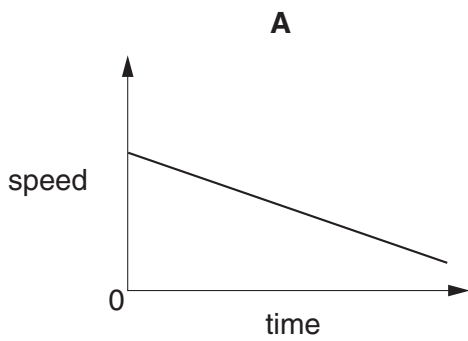
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6 Sam is a truck driver.



Sam's truck contains a tachograph. This records a speed-time graph for her truck.

(a) Here are some speed-time graphs.



Which graph, **A**, **B**, **C** or **D**, shows the truck moving at a constant speed?

answer ..... [1]

(b) Sam drives her truck from the factory to a supermarket along small roads and motorways.

The journey takes four hours.

The tachograph correctly records her **average** speed as 90 kilometres per hour.

Trucks are not allowed to go faster than 90 kilometres per hour.

Explain why Sam must have gone faster than this at some point.

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..... [2]

(c) Sam knows that the velocity of her truck tells her how fast it is going.

She asks her friends what **else** velocity tells her about her truck.

**Alan**  
The mass of the truck.

**Bess**  
The direction that the truck is going in.

**Carlos**  
The height of the truck.

**Davina**  
How much fuel the truck has used.

Which friend is correct?

answer ..... [1]

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(d) Sam reverses the truck into a parking space.

This requires a change of distance of **-15 m**.

The next morning she moves the truck forward, just out of the parking space.

What change of distance will this require?

Put a **ring** around the correct answer.

**-30 m**

**-15 m**

**0 m**

**+15 m**

[1]

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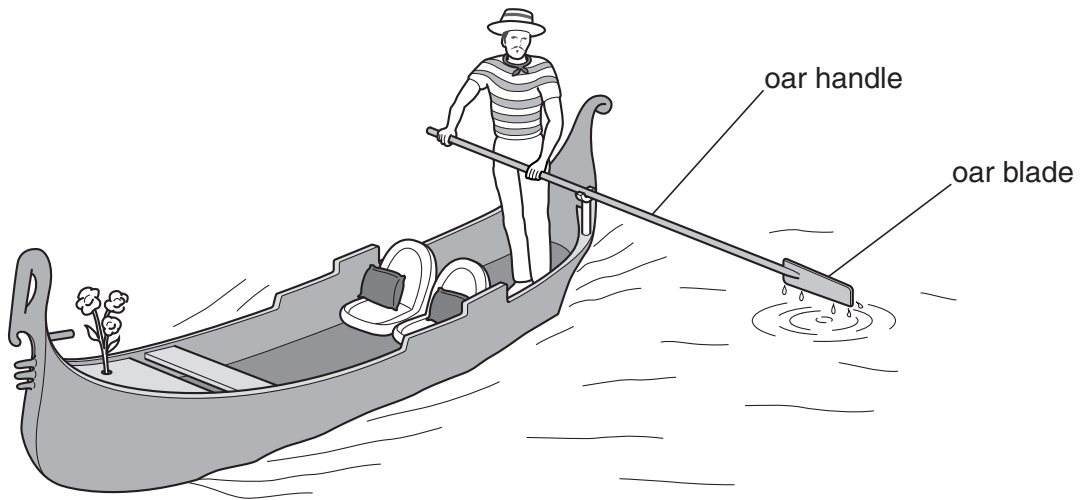


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7 Marco rows a boat along a canal.



(a) Marco's hand and the **oar handle** are an interaction pair.

Complete the sentences by putting a **ring** around the best words.

Marco pushes the oar handle forwards.

The oar handle pushes on **Marco's hand** / **the water**.

The direction of the force from the oar handle on Marco's hand is **backwards** / **forwards**.

[1]

(b) The **oar blade** exerts a force on the water.

The blade moves as it exerts the force.

What effect does this have on the water?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

The water stops moving.

Some work is done on the water.

The mass of the water increases.

The temperature of the water goes down.

[1]

(c) Marco uses his oar to change the energy of his boat as it moves through the water.

What is this type of energy called?

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What happens to this energy when Marco changes the speed of the boat?

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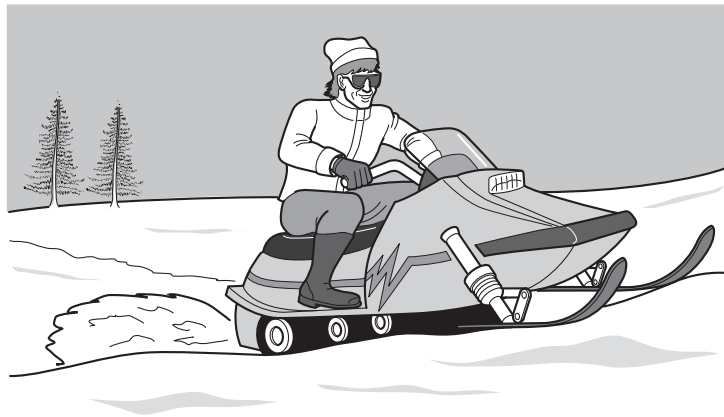
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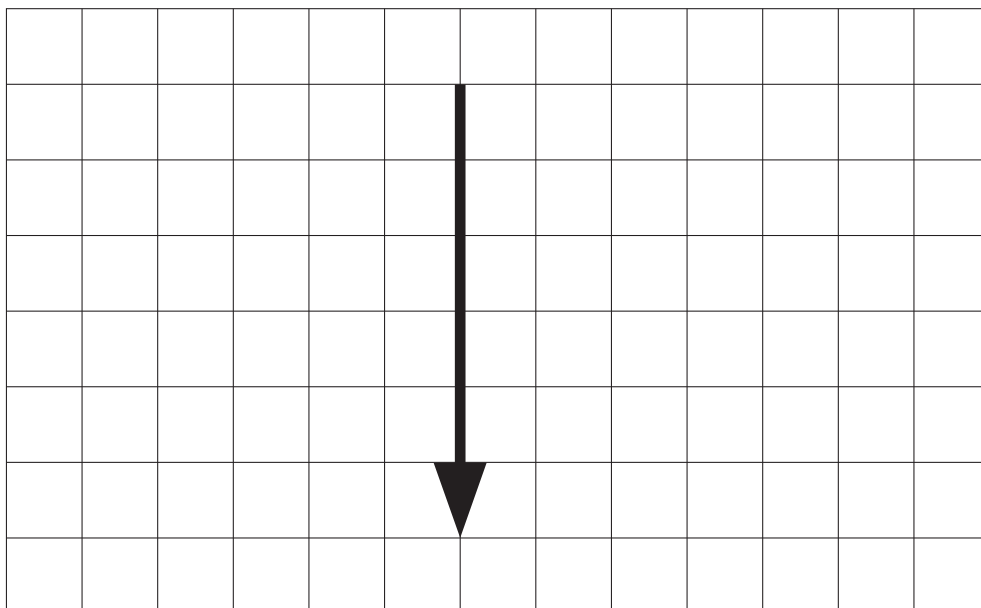
8 Ivan uses a snowmobile while he is on holiday.



At one place in the journey, these five forces act on the snowmobile.

force acting	direction	size in newtons
reaction from snow	upwards	1800
snowmobile's weight	downwards	1200
Ivan's weight	downwards	600
driving force	forwards	300
counter force	backwards	100

(a) This arrow represents the force of Ivan's weight on the snowmobile.



Draw another arrow on the grid to represent the **driving force** on the snowmobile.

[1]

(b) What is the size and direction of the **resultant** force in the **horizontal** direction?

Draw one line to link the **size** of the **resultant** horizontal force to its **direction**.

size	direction
100 N	
200 N	forwards
300 N	
400 N	backwards

[1]

(c) The resultant vertical force on the snowmobile is zero.

Here are some statements about the snowmobile.

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct statement.

The vertical momentum of the snowmobile is constant.

The total mass of the snowmobile is zero.

The snowmobile starts to move upwards.

The snowmobile starts to slow down.

[1]

(d) The speed of the snowmobile is 15 m/s.

Ivan's mass is 60 kg and his weight is 600 N.

Put a **ring** around the correct value for Ivan's momentum in kg m/s.

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