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**DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY
GRAPHIC PRODUCTS (SHORT COURSE)**

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Higher Tier

Wednesday 8 June 2005 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

- In addition to this paper you will require:**
- a pen, pencil, ruler, eraser, pencil sharpener and coloured pencils.
 - You may use marker pens and 45/60 degree set squares may also be used.

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.
- Detach the blue sheet from the back of the examination paper to use in between the sheets to prevent ink bleeding through to the next sheet.
- Do **not** hand in the blue sheet at the end of the examination.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 100.
- Mark allocations are shown in brackets.
- Wherever calculations are needed you should show your working.
- All dimensions are given in millimetres unless otherwise stated.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation.

Advice

Answer the questions in the order given.

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Read the following information carefully before you begin the questions which follow.

INDIVIDUAL SOFT DRINK PACKAGE

It is important that the human body has a regular intake of fluids especially when taking part in strenuous physical exercise and during hot weather. This helps to prevent dehydration and replaces vital nutrients that have been lost.

A soft drinks manufacturer called *AQAPOP* is to introduce a new non-carbonated drink.

The type of container is important, it must be suitable for the application. The container is to be printed with text and graphics. It is targeted at young adults who engage in physical exercise.

Figure 1 shows a range of possible containers for the new drink.

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For copyright reasons it has not been possible to include all of the images on the original Figure 1. Figure 1 showed a range of possible containers for the new drink including soft drinks in plastic bottles, cartons, cans and foil containers.

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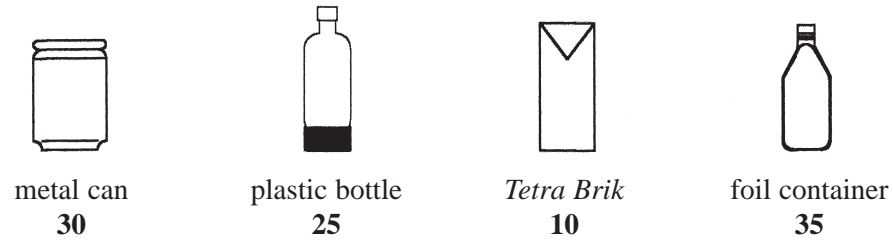
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This question is about representing data and is worth 7 marks.

Spend about 10 minutes on this question.

- 1 A survey of 100 young people was carried out to find out which type of container they preferred for the new drink.

The results of the survey were:



Complete and colour the pictograph (Figure 2) using this information.

(Let one symbol represent 10 people)

One column has been started for you.

Marks will be awarded for:

- (a) accuracy; (3 marks)
- (b) quality of presentation; (2 marks)
- (c) effective use of colour. (2 marks)

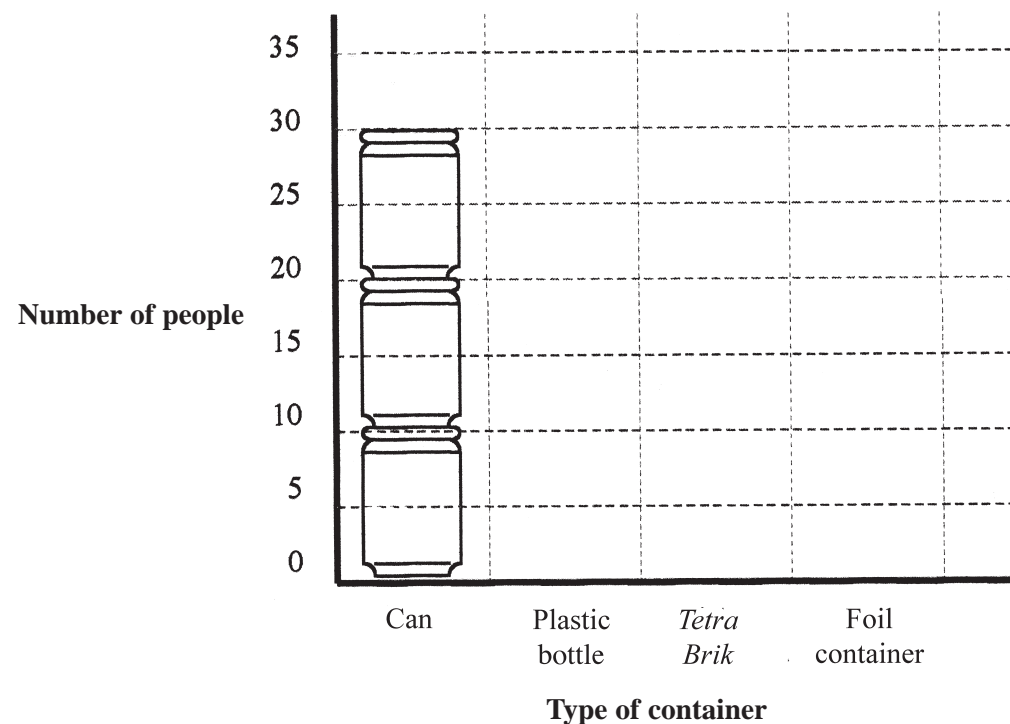


Figure 2

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Fold along this line

This question is about a specification and is worth 6 marks.

Spend about 5 minutes on this question.

- 2 As a result of the survey the foil container (Figure 3) has been chosen for the new drink.

You have been asked to design the graphics for it.

AQAPOP has provided the following specification points for the graphics for the front face of the foil container.

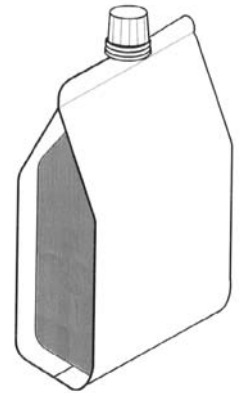


Figure 3

- Point 1 AQAPOP must be **clearly visible** on the front of the container.
- Point 2 The design must **appeal to young people**.
- Point 3 The design must be based on **physical activity or sport**.

Give **two** more specification points for the graphics.

Give **one** reason why you think each is important for a successful product.

(i) Point 4 (1 mark)

Reason (2 marks)

(ii) Point 5 (1 mark)

Reason (2 marks)

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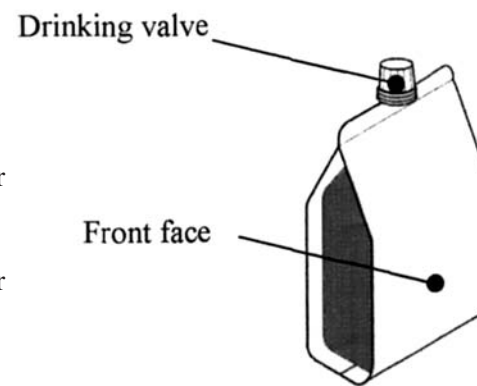
This question is about generating designs and is worth 21 marks.

Spend about 20 minutes on this question.

3 The foil container (Figure 4) has been chosen for the new drink.

Produce a series of annotated sketches that show the development of your designs for the graphics for the front face of the foil container.

You must take into account the information provided by *AQAPOP* as well as your two extra specification points from Question 2.



Foil container

Figure 4

Marks will be awarded for:

- (a) effective use of the information from Question 2; (5 marks)
- (b) quality of development of ideas; (5 marks)
- (c) quality of your sketches; (5 marks)
- (d) indicating colours used to enhance the product; (3 marks)
- (e) annotation. (3 marks)

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Fold Sheet 2 along its centre line so that your Question 2 answers can be used with this question.

This question is about presentation drawing and is worth 17 marks.

Spend about 15 minutes on this question.

- 4 Combine your best ideas from Question 3 and produce a colour presentation drawing (**Figure 5**) of the drink container using the specification provided and your additional points. (17 marks)

Marks will be awarded for:

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| (i) use of specification; | (5 marks) |
| (ii) quality of drawings; | (4 marks) |
| (iii) suitable layout; | (4 marks) |
| (iv) quality of colouring. | (4 marks) |

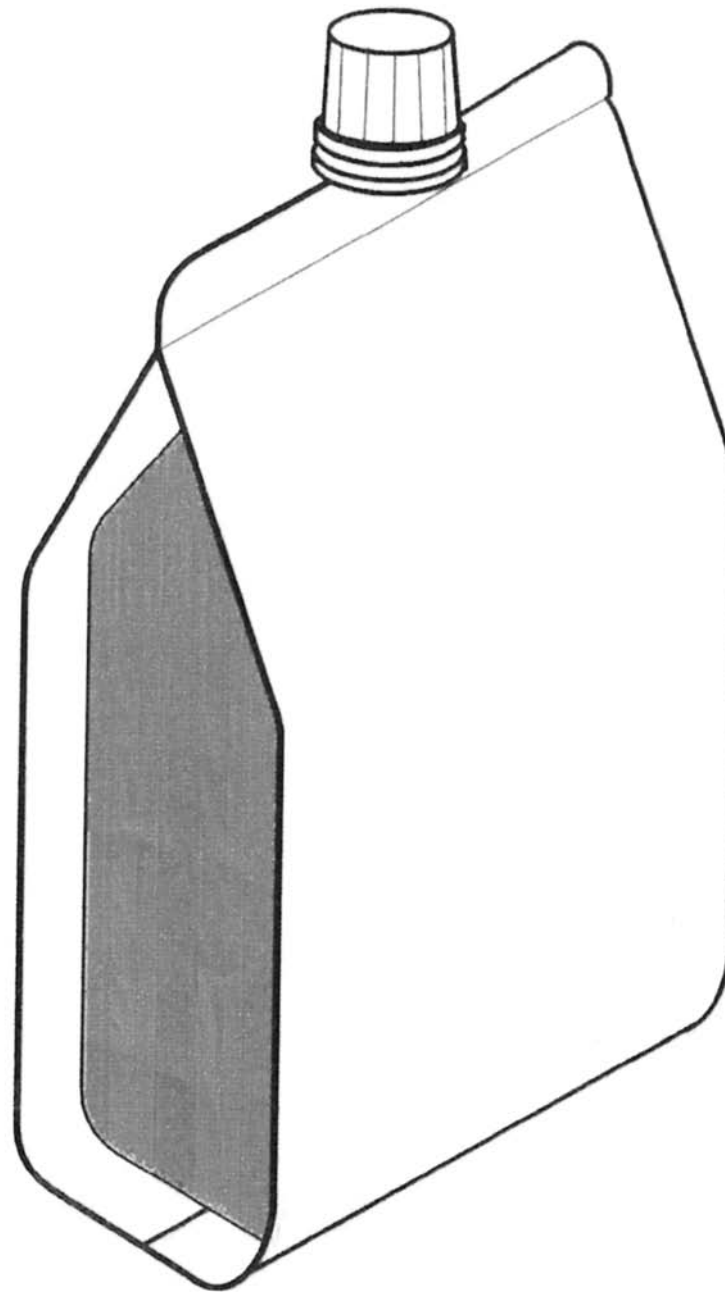


Figure 5

This question is about evaluation and is worth 11 marks.

Spend about 10 minutes on this question.

5 (a) Evaluate how well your final design for the *front face* of the drink container meets your original specification in Question 2.

(i) Point 2 The design must **appeal to young people**.

Evaluation

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(2 marks)

(ii) Point 3 The design must be based on **physical activity or sport**.

Evaluation

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(2 marks)

(b) Evaluate your **two extra specification** points by explaining how well your graphic design meets them.

(i) Point 4 Your specification point was

Evaluation

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(2 marks)

(ii) Point 5 Your specification point was

Evaluation

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(2 marks)

(c) **Figure 6** shows a plastic bottle with a *wrap around* label.

The label design is often printed on thin plastic film which is then attached to the plastic bottle.

Give **one** advantage of a thin plastic label compared to a paper label.

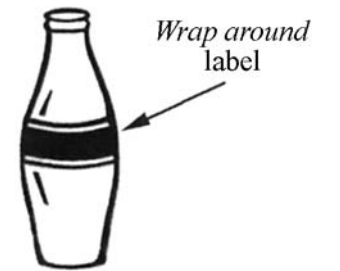


Figure 6

Advantage

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(3 marks)

This question is about materials and is worth 18 marks.

Spend about 15 minutes on this question.

6 Another type of drinks container is in the form of a hollow rectangular block, called a *Tetra Brik* (**Figure 7**).

(a) The material used is made of three layers of different materials, Paper, Polyethylene film and, Aluminium foil bonded together.

Figure 8 shows a simplified sketch of a section through a *Tetra Brik*.

From the materials above, name each one in this section.

(i) outer layer is

(ii) middle layer is

(iii) inner layer is

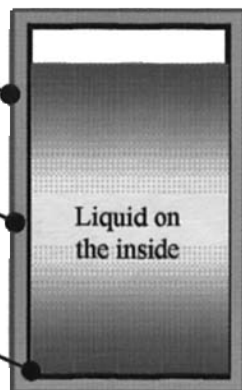


Figure 8

(3 marks)

(b) Explain why each material is used in this type of drinks container.

(i) Paper is used because

 (2 marks)

(ii) Polyethylene film is used because

 (2 marks)

(iii) Aluminium foil is used because

 (2 marks)

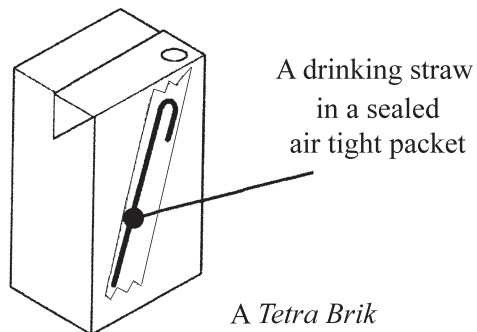


Figure 7

(c) Explain why a *Tetra Brik* type of container is unsuitable for carbonated (fizzy) drinks?

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 (2 marks)

(d) Study **Figure 7** a *Tetra Brik*. The drinking straw is in a sealed air tight packet stuck to the outside of the container.

Give **two** reasons why the drinking straw is packaged in this way.

Reason 1

 (2 marks)

Reason 2

 (2 marks)

(e) Plastic has largely replaced glass for soft drinks bottles.

(i) Give **one** advantage of plastic for a drinks container.

 (1 mark)

(ii) Name the thermoplastic used to make drinks bottles.

 (1 mark)

(iii) Name the industrial process used to form plastic bottles.

 (1 mark)

This question is about cultural, social and environmental issues, and is worth 20 marks.

Spend about 15 minutes on this question.


7 (a) A drinks container has the following information printed on it.



Study each piece of information and explain its meaning.

(i) **288ml**
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(2 marks)

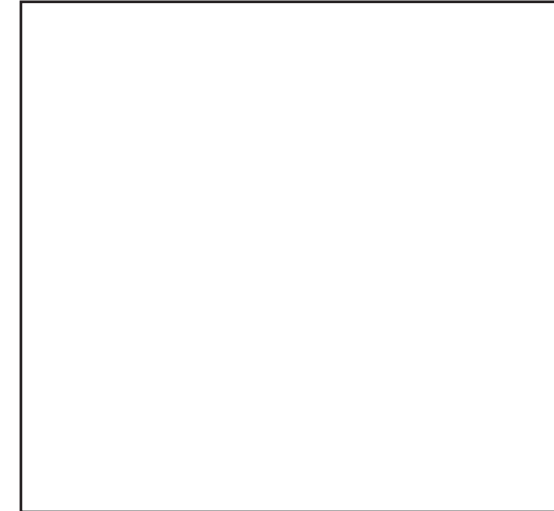
(ii) **e**
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(2 marks)

(iii) 
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(2 marks)

(b) In the box below draw a symbol in the same style as **Figure 9** to show that a drink can should be crushed before being disposed of.



Figure 9



(5 marks)

(c) Products are packaged for many reasons.

Explain the problems connected with the following:

(i) ● under packaging
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(3 marks)

(ii) ● over packaging
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(3 marks)

(iii) ● deceptive packaging.
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(3 marks)

END OF QUESTIONS