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# General Certificate of Secondary Education 

## Electronics <br> 3432

Foundation Tier

## Mark Scheme

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1
(a) liver
earth $\checkmark$ neutral $\checkmark$
(b)
(i) $\begin{array}{ll}1 & \text { earth pin } \checkmark \\ 2 & \text { fuse } \checkmark \\ 3 & \text { cord grip } \checkmark\end{array}$
(ii) 1 conducts current to earth in the event of a fault $\checkmark$

2 fuse fails $\checkmark$ if too much current flows $\checkmark$
3 stops wires pulling out of terminals $\checkmark$
(7 marks)
Total 10 marks

2
Resistor $\qquad$

Capacitor


Diode

$\checkmark$

LED


LDR


Lamp


Variable resistor
 $\checkmark$

Loudspeaker


Battery


Switch


3
(a) (i) light sensor $\sqrt{ }$ movement sensor $\sqrt{ } \sqrt{ }$
(ii) lamp $\checkmark$
(iii) comparator $\checkmark$
(b) (i) AND gate $\checkmark$
(ii) comparator $\checkmark$
(iii) light sensor $\checkmark$
(3 marks)
(c) MOSFET $\checkmark$ (1 mark)
(d) (i) timer or monostable $\checkmark$
(ii) between AND gate and MOSFET $\checkmark$
(2 marks) Total 10 marks
(a) (i)


(ii) |  | A | B | Q |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 0 | $1 \checkmark$ |  |
| 0 | 1 | $0 \checkmark$ |  |
| 1 | 0 | $0 \checkmark$ |  |
|  | 1 | 1 | $0 \checkmark$ |
|  |  |  |  |

(7 marks)
(b) (i) NAND $\checkmark$
(ii)


5
(a) capacitor $\sqrt{ } \sqrt{ }$
$680 \mu \mathrm{~F} \checkmark$
$40 \mathrm{~V} \checkmark$
polarity indicator $\checkmark$
(4 marks)
(b) resistor $\checkmark$
$3 \checkmark \quad 6 \checkmark \quad 0 \checkmark(\Omega)$
$5 \% \checkmark$
to limit current $\checkmark$

6 (a) aerial $\checkmark$ rf tuned circuit $\checkmark$ demodulator $\checkmark$ af amplifier $\checkmark$ loudspeaker $\checkmark$
(b) $\quad$ (i) $2 / 0.01=\checkmark \quad 200 \checkmark$
(ii) current amplification $\checkmark$
(iii) $\begin{aligned} \text { microphone } & \text { amplifier } \checkmark \\ & \\ & \begin{array}{l}\text { power } \\ \text { supply } \checkmark\end{array}\end{aligned}$
(5 marks)
Total 10 marks

7
(a) collector $\checkmark$
base $\sqrt{ }$
emitter $\checkmark$
(b) (i) $12-2-0.5=\checkmark 9.5 \mathrm{~V} \checkmark$
(ii) $9.5 / 0.025=\checkmark 380 \Omega \checkmark$
(iii) $390 \Omega \checkmark$
(iv) $\quad 9.5 \times 0.025=\checkmark 0.24 \mathrm{~W} \checkmark$
(7 marks) Total 10 marks

8 (a) and (b)
(a)


8
(c) state entered into system $\checkmark$
system detects activated sensor $\checkmark$
delay 10 seconds $\checkmark$
no correct code entered $\checkmark$
alarm is sounded $\checkmark$
(d) example answer, others possible


(ii) $0 \mathrm{~V} \checkmark$
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{s}} \checkmark$ (6 marks)
(e) (i) $\mathrm{S}_{1}$ open $\checkmark$
$\mathrm{S}_{2}$ closed $\checkmark$
(ii) $0 \checkmark$
(iii) NAND gate requires logic 1 at both inputs $\checkmark$ to give out logic $0 \checkmark$ and reset $2^{\text {nd }}$ timer $\checkmark$

