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# SCIENCE: DOUBLE AWARD A (MODULAR) 346010 PHYSICS A (MODULAR) Electricity (Module 10)

Thursday 24 November 2005 Morning Session

# In addition to this paper you will require:

- a black ball-point pen;
- an answer sheet.

You may use a calculator.

# Time allowed: 30 minutes

## Instructions

- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Check that your name, candidate number and centre number are printed on the separate answer sheet.
- Check that the separate answer sheet has the title "Electricity" printed on it.
- Attempt one Tier only, either the Foundation Tier or the Higher Tier.
- Make sure that you use the correct side of the separate answer sheet; the Foundation Tier is printed on one side and the Higher Tier on the other.
- Answer all the questions for the Tier you are attempting.
- Record your answers on the separate answer sheet only. Rough work may be done on the question paper.

# Instructions for recording answers

Use a black ball-point pen.
For each answer completely fill in the circle as shown:
Do not extend beyond the circles.
If you want to change your answer, you must cross out your original answer, as shown:
If you change your mind about an answer you have crossed out and now want to choose it, draw a ring around the cross as shown:

## Information

• The maximum mark for this paper is 36.

## Advice

- Do not choose more responses than you are asked to. You will lose marks if you do.
- Make sure that you hand in both your answer sheet and this question paper at the end of the test.
- If you start to answer on the wrong side of the answer sheet by mistake, make sure that you cross out **completely** the work that is not to be marked.

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The Higher Tier starts on page 16 of this booklet.

# FOUNDATION TIER

# SECTION A

Questions ONE to FIVE.

In these questions match the words in the list with the numbers.

Use each answer only once.

Mark your choices on the answer sheet.

## **QUESTION ONE**

Match words from the list with the labels 1-4 on the circuit diagram.

battery

lamp

resistor

switch



#### **QUESTION TWO**

A positively charged rod is held between two charged balls P and Q. This makes P and Q move as shown.



Match words from the list with the numbers 1-4 in the sentences.

attracted negatively charged positively charged

repelled

Ball **P** is  $\ldots$  **1**  $\ldots$  by the rod because it is  $\ldots$  **2**  $\ldots$  .

Ball  $\mathbf{Q}$  is  $\dots$  3  $\dots$  by the rod because it is  $\dots$  4  $\dots$  .

# **QUESTION THREE**

The diagram shows the inside of a 3-pin plug.

Match words from the list with the labels **1–4** on the diagram.

brass

fuse

live

neutral



## **QUESTION FOUR**

Transformers are used to change the voltage of an a.c. supply.



Match words from the list with the numbers 1-4 in the boxes.

- people's homes
- power stations
- the voltage is decreased
- the voltage is increased



# **QUESTION FIVE**

The diagram shows three resistors joined in series to four cells. Each of the cells is 1.5 volts.



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1.0 volts

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5.0 volts

6.0 volts

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## **SECTION B**

#### Questions SIX and SEVEN.

In these questions choose the best **two** answers.

Do **not** choose more than two.

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# **QUESTION SIX**

The circuit diagram contains a battery and five lamps.



When two of the lamps were unscrewed, the other three lamps went out.

Which two lamps were unscrewed?

lamp P lamp Q lamp R

lamp S

lamp T

# **QUESTION SEVEN**

Which two arrangements of meters could be used to measure the resistance of the resistor?



SECTION C

#### Questions EIGHT to TEN.

Each of these questions has four parts.

In each part choose only **one** answer.

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# **QUESTION EIGHT**

The following circuit was set up.



8.1 Which row of the table, A, B, C or D, gives the names of components N, P and X?

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A	cell	fuse	resistor	
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A X, Y and Z are connected in parallel with each other and in parallel with M
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A potential difference = current + resistance

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**8.4** A 3 ohm resistor is connected in series with a 4 ohm resistor.

Their total resistance is . . . .

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## **QUESTION TWO**

The drawing shows a small photocopier suitable for home use.



The boxes below explain step by step how the photocopier works.

Match statements P, Q, R and S from the list with the boxes 1–4 in the flow chart.

- P an image of the original is projected on to the plate
- **Q** black powder is transferred from the plate to the paper
- **R** the plate parts which are still charged attract black powder
- S where light falls on the plate, some electric charges leak away



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Arrangement J



Arrangement K



Arrangement L



Arrangement M



 $\mbox{Arrangement } N$ 

#### **QUESTION FOUR**

The current through two different resistors,  $\mathbf{X}$  and  $\mathbf{Y}$ , was measured as the potential difference across them was changed. The results are shown on the graph.



Which two of the statements J, K, L, M and N are correct?

- J for a given potential difference, a larger current flows through resistor Y than through resistor X
- K resistor Y has a greater resistance than resistor X
- L the resistance of both resistors decreases with potential difference
- M the resistance of both resistors increases with potential difference
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#### **QUESTION EIGHT**

The wiring in an old house has not been checked for over 30 years. It uses the mains supply of 230 volts and still has a fuse box.

In this house, a socket is used incorrectly. It has the following appliances connected to it.

Appliance	Power rating		
CD player	50 W		
Electric heater	2000 W		
Electric iron	1000 W		
Electric kettle	2500 W		

**8.1** All four appliances are switched on.

What is the total current going through the socket?

- A 21.7 A
- **B** 23.1 A
- C 23.9 A
- **D** 24.1 A
- **8.2** After a few seconds, all the appliances stop working. This happens because the 20 A fuse in the fuse box, protecting the wiring in the power circuit, has melted.

The person repairing the fault does so incorrectly. He replaces the 20 A fuse with a 40 A fuse.

Why is this incorrect?

- A Only half the correct current goes to each appliance
- **B** The fuse melts more often, as fewer appliances can be used together
- **C** The power circuit wiring overheats, as more appliances can be used together
- **D** Twice the correct current goes to each appliance





This type of circuit breaker makes use of . . . .

- A induced current from a changing magnetic field.
- **B** the electrostatic force between charges.
- **C** the magnetic effect of an electric current.
- **D** the transformer principle.
- 8.4 Which row of the table, A, B, C or D, describes the condition of the circuit breaker after it has broken the circuit?

	Iron bolt	Plunger
A	in plunger slot	pushed back opening contacts
В	in plunger slot	pushed forward closing contacts
C	not in plunger slot	pushed back opening contacts
D	not in plunger slot	pushed forward closing contacts

## **QUESTION NINE**

The diagram shows a transformer being used to change the voltage of an electrical supply.

The input voltage is 230 volts and the output is 23 volts.



- 9.1 The material of the transformer core is mainly .....
  - A copper.
  - **B** iron.
  - C plastic.
  - **D** steel.
- 9.2 There are 2300 turns on the primary coil.

How many turns are there on the secondary coil?

- **A** 10
- **B** 230
- C 529
- **D** 5290

	Voltage	Where it is used	
Α	step-down (decrease)	local electricity substation	
В	step-down (decrease)	set of coloured lamps	
С	step-up (increase)	battery charger	
D	step-up (increase)	power station	

9.3 Which row of the table, A, B, C or D, is correct for this transformer?

**9.4** Power losses in the transformer are almost zero. The current in the primary coil is 0.02 A.

What is the current in the secondary coil?

- **A** 0.20 A
- **B** 0.46 A
- **C** 2.30 A
- **D** 4.60 A

#### **QUESTION TEN**

The diagram shows an a.c. generator connected to a light-emitting diode.

A light-emitting diode (LED) is a diode which gives out (emits) light when a current flows through it. The bigger the current through the LED, the brighter the light. The resistance of a light-emitting diode varies in the same way as that of an ordinary diode.



10.1 When the magnet turns, the generator produces a voltage across the ends of the coil.

Which of these graphs shows how the voltage across the ends of the coil varies with time?



10.2 Which of these graphs shows how the current through the resistor and the LED varies with time?



**10.3** As the magnet spins, the LED . . . .

- A flashes once for every full turn of the magnet.
- **B** flashes once for every two full turns of the magnet.
- **C** flashes twice for every full turn of the magnet.
- **D** gives out a constant bright light.
- **10.4** The magnet is now turned twice as fast.

The LED now . . . .

- A flashes at the same rate as before, with a brighter light.
- **B** flashes twice as fast as before, with a brighter light.
- **C** flashes twice as fast as before, with the same brightness.
- **D** has a constant light which is brighter than before.

#### END OF TEST

THERE ARE NO QUESTIONS PRINTED ON THIS PAGE