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Physics B

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Unit **B652/01:** Unit 2 – Modules P4, P5, P6 (Foundation Tier)

Mark Scheme for June 2011

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/ = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point

(1) = separates marking points

not = answers which are not worthy of credit
reject = answers which are not worthy of credit

ignore = statements which are irrelevantallow = answers that can be accepted

() = words which are not essential to gain credit

underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark

ecf = error carried forward AW = alternative wording ora = or reverse argument

Qu	ıestio	n Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance	
1	а	uranium (1)	1	mark answer line first. If no answer on line, allow correct answer ringed, underlined or ticked in the question.	
	b	put in reactor (1)	1	allow higher level answers e.g. absorb / bombard with neutrons (1)	
	С	nucleus (1)	1	ignore centre / middle / core	
	d	smoke detector (1)	1	more than one tick scores 0	
		Total	4		

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
2	а		positive (1) negative (1)	2	any order
	b		explosion (1)	1	allow fire / spark (1) ignore references to fuel spillage etc ignore shock not to stop fire
	C		any one from: photocopier / laser printer (1) paint spraying (1) crop spraying (1) dust precipitator (1) defibrillator (1)	1	allow spray cars / powder coating (1) not unqualified painting / spray can ignore paint sticking allow remove dust in chimneys (1) allow restart heart (1) allow electrostatic duster (1) allow reference to piezo-electric ignition (1)
			Total	4	

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Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
3	а		charge (1)	1	allow electrons / correct symbol e.g. e ⁻ (1) ignore electricity /ions
	b		4 (2) but if answer not correct 6/1.5 (1)	2	
	С	i	melts / blows / breaks /burns out(1)	1	not snaps not blows up / burns e.g. melts and blows up=0 ignore current stops / switches circuit off / references to circuit e.g. switches off ignore completes circuit / overheats
	С	ii	current too large (1)	1	ignore voltage / electricity / current too strong / charge allow too much power / amps / A (1) not merely fuse is only 0.5 amps / current is 1.5 amps but current is 1.5A and fuse is 0.5A = 1 as comparison
			Total	5	

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
4	а			1	
	b			1	
	С		any two from: body scan (1) break down (kidney) stones (1) measure blood flow (1)	2	allow named part of body scanned / reference to pregnancy scan AW / produce image of tissue (1) allow physiotherapy / local heating effect / AW (1) allow treat cancer (1) allow break up of eye lens in cataract surgery (1) allow treat muscle injury / in varicose vein surgery (1) allow ultra-sonic cleaning (1)
			Total	4	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
5	а		gamma and X-rays (1)	1	more than one answer ringed scores 0
	b		decreases (1)	1	allow gets weaker / dies away (1) not slows down / wears away / dies out
	С		sterilise equipment (1)	1	ignore merely cleaning allow tracer (1) allow gamma camera / imaging / scans / diagnose cancer (1)
			Total	3	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
6	а		natural (1)	1	allow moon (1) ignore planet
	b	i	man made object / AW (1) idea that they are in an orbit (1)	2	e.g. controlled from Earth allow goes round the Earth / Sun / any named planet /orbits (1) ignore put into space
		ii	any one from: weather forecasting / spying / military / research / GPS / mapping (1)	1	ignore communication / TV / SKY / unqualified ref to weather allow sat nav / Google Earth / photography (1)
			Total	4	

Q	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
7	а		A (no mark) idea that: they are both in the same direction (1)	1	only allow mark if A given as answer allow higher level answers by use of correct figures e.g. A is only 10 (m/s)
	b		no (no mark) idea that: during the 300m, speed was both above 5m/s and below 5m/s (1)	1	allow e.g. he might have travelled 250 m in 10 seconds and travelled 50 m in the last 50 seconds (1) allow he was travelling faster and slower (than 5m/s) (1) allow yes (no mark) with he was travelling at constant speed (as he had set his cruise control)
	С		(v = u + at) 80 (m/s) (2) but if answer incorrect 10 x 8 unless contradicted (1)	2	mark answer first
			Total	4	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
8	а	i	trajectory (1)	1	mark answer line first. If no answer on line, allow correct answer ringed, underlined or ticked in the question.
		ii	parabolic (1)	1	mark answer line first. If no answer on line, allow correct answer ringed, underlined or ticked in the question.
	b		20N (1)	1	allow same force
			Total	3	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
9	а	i	red (1)	1	
		ii	idea that (different colours) have different wavelengths / different frequencies or travel at different speeds in glass (1)	1	allow different refractive index ignore simple references to refractions, angle or bending
	b		C (1)	1	mark answer line first. If no answer on line, allow correct answer ringed, underlined or ticked in the question.
			Total	3	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
10	а		D (1)	1	mark answer line first. If no answer on line, allow correct answer ringed, underlined or ticked in the question.
	b		convex (1)	1	allow biconvex / convex meniscus / planoconvex / positive (1)
	С		projector / camera / telescope / microscope / binoculars (1)	1	allow spectacles for long sight / contact lenses for long sight / reading glasses (1) ignore just spectacles / contact lenses / glasses / bifocals / varifocals
			Total	3	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
Qu 11	a b	on	diffracts (1) over mountain / obstacle (1) Any one from two waves combine with each other (to produce a single wave) (1) constructive interference / reinforce or destructive interference / cancel out (1) or // constructive	Marks 2 1	both marks can be scored by diagram allow around mountain (1) not through mountain mark can be in the form of a written answer or as a labelled diagram ignore paths cross allow diagrams or descriptions to show two waves in phase with a (correct or incorrect) outcome two waves out of phase with a (correct or incorrect)outcome "umbrella diagram" with any interference points labelled allow correct wave front diagram / ripple tank diagrams e.g. cancel out / destructive /no waves
			or / destructive (1)		reinforce / constructive / bigger waves(1)
			Total	3	

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Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
12	а		food mixer and hair dryer (1)	1	both needed for the mark in any order
	b	i	motor gets faster / AW (1)	1	allow 'spins more' (1) allow 'more powerful' (1) any reference to generating electricity = 0 e.g. generates more electricity = 0
		ii	motor goes slower / AW (1)	1	allow 'spins less' (1) allow stops spinning / turning / working(1) allow 'less powerful' (1) any reference to generating electricity = 0
			Total	3	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers		Additional Guidance
13	а		isolating (1)	1	allow 'step-down' (1)
	b		any three from: transformer A voltage increases (1) is a step-up transformer (1) transformer B voltage reduces (1) is a step-down transformer (1)	3	Place ✓s at marking points.
	С		100 (turns) scores (2) but if answer is incorrect then 20 000 / 500 = $4000/N_s$ / AW scores (1) (Before erratum) 10 000 (turns) scores (2) but if answer is incorrect then 20 000/500 = $400 000/N_s$ / AW scores (1)	2	allow $\frac{N_s}{500} = \frac{4000}{20000}$ (1) allow $N_s = \frac{4000}{20000} \times 500$ (1) (Before erratum) allow $\frac{N_s}{500} = \frac{400000}{20000}$ (1) allow $N_s = \frac{400000}{20000} \times 500$ (1)
			Total	6	20 000 allow any error carried forward from amended diagram (2)

Qu	Question		Expected Answers		Additional Guidance
14	а	i	Input output (0) 1 (1) 0 (1)	1	both needed for the mark
		ii	(0 means)- 0V / low voltage / off / no input / no output (1 means)- 5V / high(er) voltage / on / is input / is output (1)	1	both needed for the mark allow correct answers in terms of current / power (1) not reference to no electricity / electricity ignore unqualified references to low / high
	b		so that alarm stays on / AW (1)		
	С		one way / in one direction / AW (1)	1	allow forwards (1)
			Total		

Qu	Question		Expected Answers		Marks	Additional Guidance
15	а				4	
			symbol	component		
				(variable resistor)		
			─ ⊗─	light source / bulb (1)		
			→ •	switch (1)		
			⊢ +∤⊢	battery (1)		
				power supply (1)		

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Qu	Question		Expected Answers		Additional Guidance
	b		any one from: change brightness of light / dimmer switch (1) volume control (in a television / radio) (1) change temperature setting (1) increase or decrease speed of a motor / AW (1)	1	ignore unqualified reference to television / radio allow thermostat (1) ignore unqualified reference to oven / central heating allow e.g. increases fan speed (1)
	С		resistance changes / it is non-ohmic (1)	1	allow higher level answers eg resistance increases ignore resistance decreases ignore it gets hotter
	d		LDR's have LOW resistance thermistorswhen temperature FALLS / AW (1)	1	both LOW and FALLS / AW needed for the mark
			Total	7	

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