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TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE
ADDITIONAL SCIENCE A**

A218/01

Unit 4: Ideas in Context
(Foundation Tier)

**Thursday 4 June 2009
Morning**

Duration: 45 minutes

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

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Other Materials Required:

- Pencil
- Ruler (cm/mm)




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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided, however additional paper may be used if necessary.

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 **40**.
- A list of physics equations is printed on page two.
- The Periodic Table is printed on the back page.
-  Where you see this icon you will be awarded a mark for the quality of written communication in your answer.
- This document consists of **12** 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

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

$$\frac{V_p}{V_s} = \frac{N_p}{N_s}$$

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

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

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

The Wave Model of Radiation

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

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Question 1 starts on page 4.

Answer **all** the questions.

This question is based on the article ‘Acids in the body’.

- 1 (a) The article talks about how excess acid can cause problems in the body.

Give **two** examples, taken from the article, of problems that acids cause in the body.

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..... [1]

- (b) Look at the results of the student’s investigation.

- (i) What happens to the rate of the reaction when the concentration changes?

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..... [1]

- (ii) Why is it important to measure the **temperature** when the experiment is carried out?

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..... [1]

- (iii) Why is it important that the **volume of acid** is kept the same when the experiment is carried out?

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..... [1]

- (c) Eve carries out an experiment to investigate how carbonates react with acid.
She adds some solid calcium carbonate to some acid in a beaker.

- (i) Eve uses a pH meter to measure the pH of the acid at the start of the reaction.
It has a pH of 3.
What will happen to the pH of the acid as it is neutralised by the calcium carbonate?

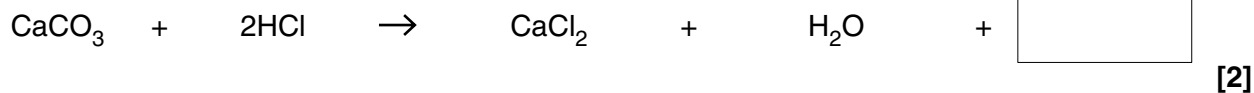
..... [1]

- (ii) What else could Eve use, other than a pH meter, to measure pH?

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- (iii) Eve writes a word and a symbol equation for the reaction.
Complete the equations by filling in the boxes.

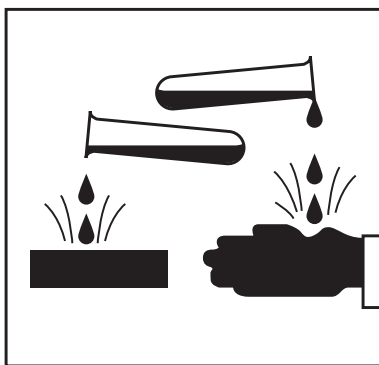
calcium carbonate + hydrochloric acid \rightarrow calcium chloride + + carbon dioxide



- (iv) Eve notices that bubbles form around the calcium carbonate.
Why do bubbles form?

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- (d) Eve sees this hazard symbol on the container for the acid.



- (i) What does this symbol mean?

..... [1]

- (ii) What precautions should Eve take when handling an acid?

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..... [1]

- (e) Calcium carbonate and sodium hydrogencarbonate are both used in medicines.
Sodium hydrogencarbonate works much better than calcium carbonate at neutralising acids in the **blood**.
Explain why.

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..... [2]

[Total: 13]

This question is based on the article 'Help for patients with kidney failure'.

2 (a) A healthy kidney balances water levels. This process is affected by **alcohol**.

Name **two** other factors, from the article, that affect this process in healthy kidneys.

1

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[2]

(b) Drinking **alcohol** causes the body to produce a greater volume of urine.

The urine is more dilute than normal.

What effect does drinking alcohol have on the level of water in the body?

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..... [1]

(c) (i) Small molecules, such as water, are filtered out of the blood plasma by the kidneys.

Name **two** other substances that kidneys filter **out** of the blood plasma.

1

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[2]

(ii) Explain why red blood cells are **not** filtered out of the blood.

..... [1]

(iii) Why is sugar **not** normally found in the urine produced by healthy kidneys?

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..... [1]

(d) During dialysis, **urea** passes out of the blood into the dialysis fluid by diffusion.

(i) Explain why urea diffuses out of the blood into the dialysis fluid.

In your answer you should write about

- what happens during diffusion
- the concentration of urea.



One mark will be for writing in sentences with correct spelling, punctuation and grammar.

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..... [2+1]

(ii) How does a **partially permeable membrane** work?

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(e) Look at the figures given in the section ‘**Some more facts about dialysis**’.

Calculate the **maximum number of hours** spent by a patient using the dialysis machine **each week**.

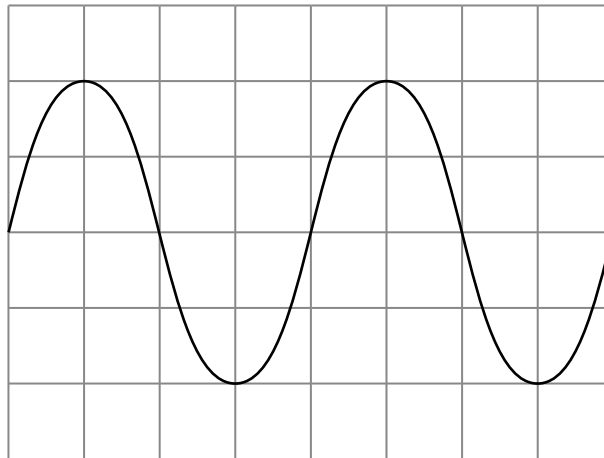
Show your calculations.

..... hours per week [2]

[Total: 14]

This question is based on the article 'A time-line of scientific discoveries about light'.

- 3 (a) In 1690 Christiaan Huygens described light as a wave.
The diagram shows the side view of a wave.



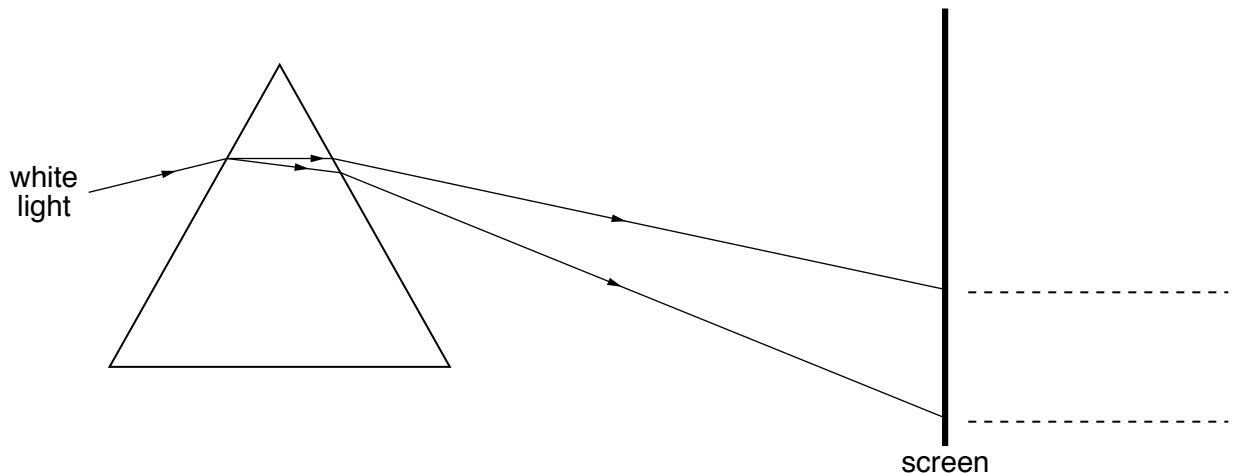
On the diagram, label the

- (i) amplitude
- (ii) wavelength.

[2]

- (b) Isaac Newton showed that white light is made of many colours by refracting it through a prism. Blue light is refracted more than red light.

- (i) The diagram shows refraction through a prism.
Label the diagram to show where these colours are on the screen.



[1]

- (ii) What happens to the waves that makes them change direction as they enter the glass prism?

..... [1]

(c) Newton and Huygens disagreed about whether light is made of particles or waves.

Which of the following could **only** be explained by thinking about light as a wave?
Put a ring around the correct answer.

interference **reflection** **refraction** **energy transfer**

[1]

(d) 240 years after Newton, Albert Einstein used the idea that all types of electromagnetic radiation could be packets of energy.

(i) What is the modern name for a packet of energy?

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[1]

(ii) What feature is the same for all types of electromagnetic radiation?

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[1]

(iii) Light is one type of electromagnetic radiation.
Write down the names of **two** other types.

1

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[2]

(e) In 1817, Thomas Young showed that light is a transverse wave.

Describe the differences between a transverse wave and a longitudinal wave.

Your answer should include

- a labelled diagram of each type of wave
- the differences between them.

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..... [3]

(f) In 1865, James Clerk Maxwell said that light is an electromagnetic wave.

State **two** ways in which electromagnetic waves are different from sound waves.

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2 [1]

[Total: 13]

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The Periodic Table of the Elements

		1		2		3		4		5		6		7		0																									
		7 Li lithium 3		9 Be beryllium 4				11 B boron 5		12 C carbon 6		14 N nitrogen 7		16 O oxygen 8		19 F fluorine 9		4 He helium 2																							
		23 Na sodium 11		24 Mg magnesium 12				27 Al aluminium 13		28 Si silicon 14		31 P phosphorus 15		32 S sulfur 16		35.5 Cl chlorine 17		40 Ar argon 18																							
		39 K potassium 19		40 Ca calcium 20		45 Sc scandium 21		48 Ti titanium 22		51 V vanadium 23		52 Cr chromium 24		55 Mn manganese 25		56 Fe iron 26		59 Co cobalt 27		59 Ni nickel 28		63.5 Cu copper 29		70 Ga gallium 31		73 Ge germanium 32		75 As arsenic 33		79 Se selenium 34		80 Br bromine 35		84 Kr krypton 36							
		85 Rb rubidium 37		88 Sr strontium 38		89 Y yttrium 39		91 Zr zirconium 40		93 Nb niobium 41		96 Mo molybdenum 42		[98] Tc technetium 43		101 Ru ruthenium 44		103 Rh rhodium 45		106 Pd palladium 46		112 Cd cadmium 48		115 In indium 49		119 Sn tin 50		122 Sb antimony 51		127 I iodine 53		131 Xe xenon 54									
		133 Cs caesium 55		137 Ba barium 56		139 La* lanthanum 57		178 Hf hafnium 72		181 Ta tantalum 73		184 W tungsten 74		186 Re rhenium 75		190 Os osmium 76		192 Ir iridium 77		195 Pt platinum 78		201 Hg mercury 80		204 Tl thallium 81		207 Pb lead 82		209 Bi bismuth 83		[210] At astatine 85		[222] Rn radon 86									
		[223] Fr francium 87		[226] Ra radium 88		[227] Ac* actinium 89		[261] Rf rutherfordium 104		[262] Db dubnium 105		[266] Sg seaborgium 106		[264] Bh bohrium 107		[277] Hs hassium 108		[268] Mt meitnerium 109		[271] Ds darmstadtium 110		[272] Rg roentgenium 111		[209] Po polonium 84		[209] Po polonium 84		[210] At astatine 85		[222] Rn radon 86											

Key
relative atomic mass
atomic symbol
name
atomic (proton) number

Elements with atomic numbers 112-116 have been reported but not fully authenticated

* The lanthanoids (atomic numbers 58-71) and the actinoids (atomic numbers 90-103) have been omitted.

The relative atomic masses of copper and chlorine have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.