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**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
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**TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE
ADDITIONAL SCIENCE A**

Unit 1: Modules B4 C4 P4 (Foundation Tier)

WEDNESDAY 19 JANUARY 2011: Morning

DURATION: 40 minutes

SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES

Candidates answer on the question paper.

A calculator may be used for this paper.

OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:

None

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

Pencil

Ruler (cm/mm)

READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- **Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes on the first page. Please write clearly and in capital letters.**
- **Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.**
- **Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).**
- **Answer ALL the questions.**

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 42.**
- **A list of physics equations is printed on pages 4 and 5.**
- **The Periodic Table is provided.**

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QUESTION 1 BEGINS ON PAGE 6

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

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

$$\frac{\text{voltage across primary coil}}{\text{voltage across secondary coil}} = \frac{\text{number of turns in primary coil}}{\text{number of turns in secondary coil}}$$

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

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

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

THE WAVE MODEL OF RADIATION

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

Answer ALL the questions.

1 Brad is riding in a cycle race.

He gets hot.

His body tries to keep his internal temperature constant.

(a) Put a ring around the correct word to complete the sentence.

This is an example of

HOMEOSTASIS

HOMOLOGY

HYDROTHERAPY.

[1]

(b) The day gets hotter.

The temperature of Brad's blood rises.

Complete the sentences using words from the list.

BRAIN

HEAT STROKE

HYPOTHERMIA

KIDNEY

SHIVERING

SKIN

**The blood temperature rise is detected by
receptors in the _____ .**

**His body responds using effectors in the
_____ .**

This reduces his blood temperature.

**If his blood temperature stays too high he is
suffering from _____ .**

[3]

(c) Early in the race Brad sweats a lot.

Later in the race his skin is hot and dry.

Explain why his temperature then gets higher.

[2]

[Total: 6]

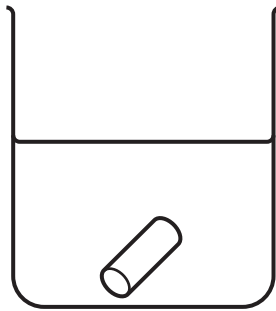
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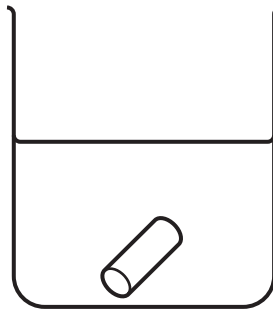
2 Lisa investigates the movement of water into and out of potato cells.

She cuts three potato cylinders, each 50 mm long.

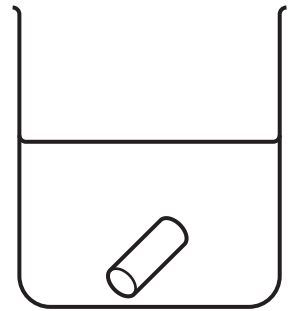
She places each potato cylinder in a different solution A, B or C.



**solution A
distilled water**



**solution B
strong sugar
solution**



**solution C
weak sugar
solution**

After 60 minutes, she removes the potato cylinders and measures each of their lengths.

(a) Complete the table to show which solution each potato cylinder was placed in.

Use A, B and C.

LENGTH OF POTATO CYLINDER IN mm		SOLUTION
AT THE START	AFTER 60 MINUTES	
50	47	
50	52	
50	50	

[2]

(b) What do Lisa's results tell her about the membrane around the potato cells?

Complete the sentence.

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct ending.

The membrane is ...

... partially permeable.

... permeable.

... rigid.

[1]

(c) What is the name for the movement of water into and out of these potato cells?

Put a **ring** around the correct answer.

EXCRETION

OSMOSIS

RESPIRATION

[1]

[Total: 4]

3 Molly is doing an experiment with the enzyme peroxidase.

Peroxidase speeds up the breakdown of hydrogen peroxide.

Bubbles of oxygen gas are produced.

(a) Peroxidase CANNOT be used to break down other chemicals such as starch.

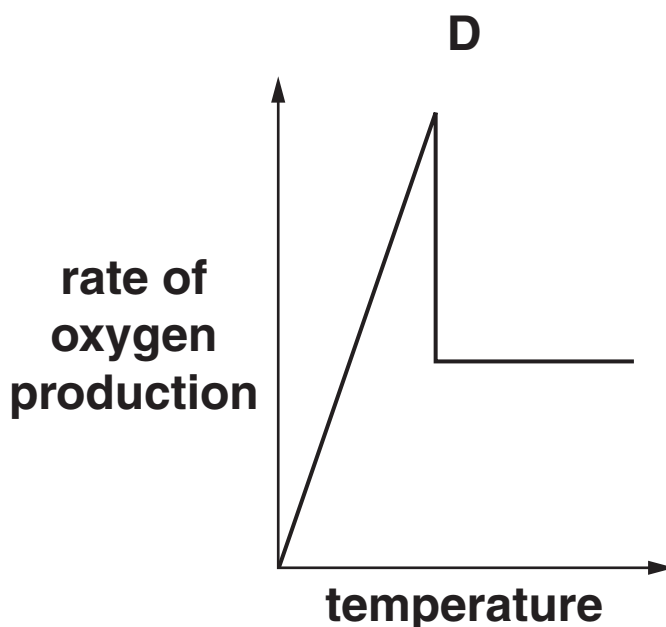
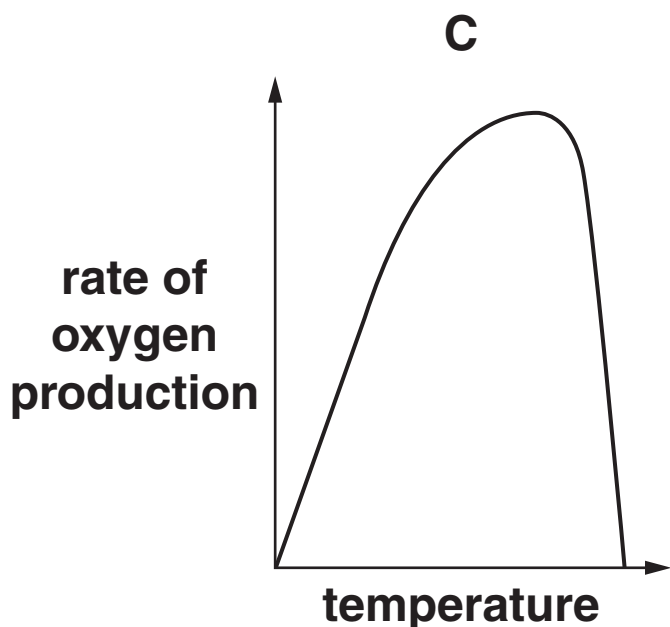
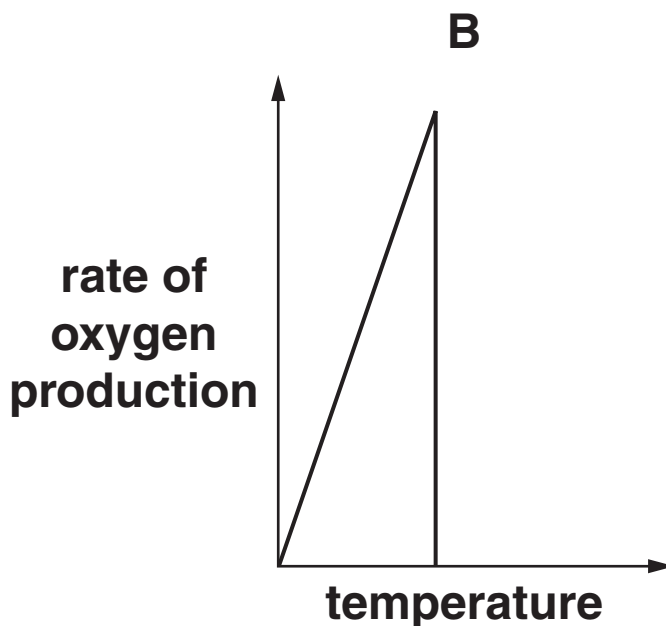
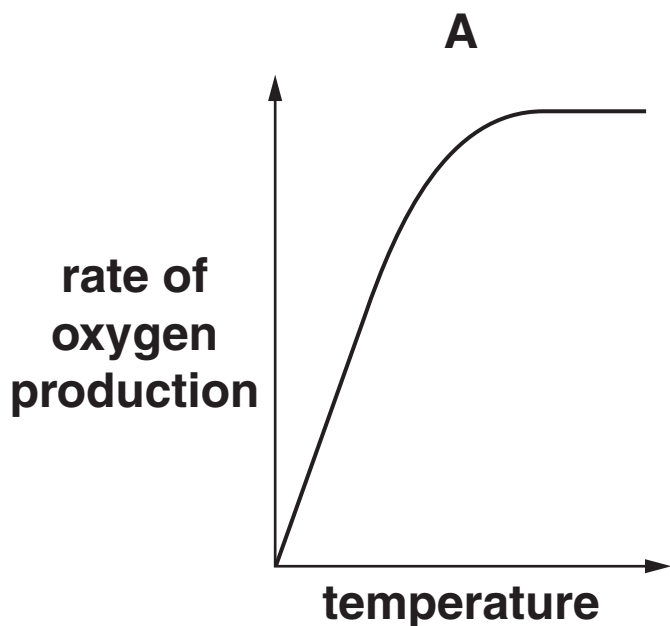
Explain why.

[2]

(b) Molly changes the temperature of her mixture of enzyme and hydrogen peroxide.

She measures the rate of oxygen production.

(i) Which graph, A, B, C or D, shows the pattern of her results as she increases the temperature to 80 °C?



answer _____ [1]

(ii) Why does the rate of oxygen production increase in the first part of the graph?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct explanation.

The frequency of collisions increases.

The enzyme is denatured.

The hydrogen peroxide molecules are changing shape.

The rate of collisions decreases.

The size of hydrogen peroxide molecules increases.

[1]

[Total: 4]

4 David's teacher tells the class about the elements in Group 1 of the Periodic Table.

She shows them three of the elements, lithium, sodium and potassium.

(a) Write the chemical symbols for lithium and potassium in the empty boxes.

You may use the Periodic Table provided.

ELEMENT	SYMBOL
lithium	
sodium	Na
potassium	

[1]

(b) The teacher puts small pieces of the metals into beakers of water.

They all react with the water.

(i) Draw lines from each ELEMENT to the REACTION that David sees.

ELEMENT

REACTION

lithium

**floats, remains solid,
moves slowly**

sodium

**floats, melts, moves rapidly,
bursts into lilac flames**

potassium

**floats, melts, moves
rapidly, fizzes**

[2]

(ii) What is made when sodium reacts with water?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the BEST answer.

sodium hydroxide

sodium hydroxide and hydrogen

sodium hydroxide, hydrogen and water

sodium hydroxide and carbon dioxide

[1]

(c) Sodium also reacts with chlorine to make sodium chloride.

What is the chemical formula of sodium chloride?

answer _____ **[1]**

(d) Some streetlights use an electric current to heat elements so that they give out light.

David knows that the light from the streetlight outside his house comes from sodium atoms.

How can he tell this?

_____ **[1]**

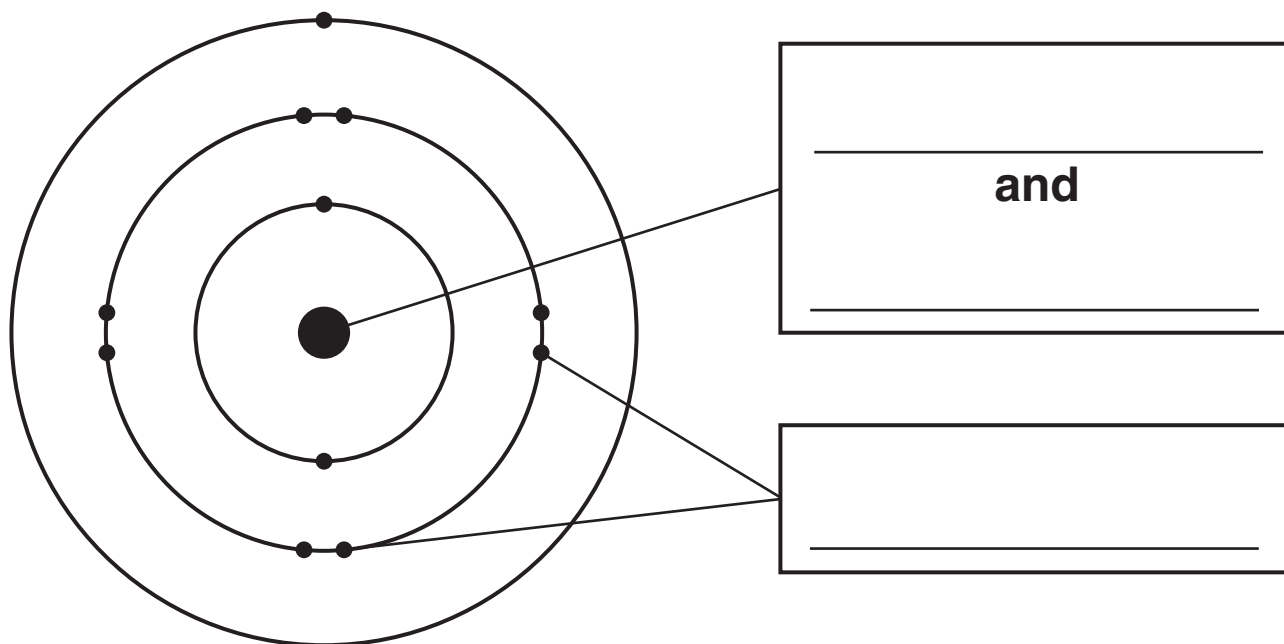
(e) Which element in Group 1 is the MOST reactive?

Use the Periodic Table provided to help you.

element name _____ [1]

[Total: 7]

5 Jo draws a diagram of a neutral atom of an element.



(a) (i) Write labels in the empty boxes to show what an atom is made of.

Use the words **ELECTRONS**, **NEUTRONS** and **PROTONS**. [1]

(ii) How many **PROTONS** does this atom have?

answer _____ [1]

(iii) Jo looks at the diagram.

Which group of the Periodic Table is the element in?

Explain how she can tell this.

group number _____

explanation _____

_____ **[3]**

(iv) This atom can easily form an ion.

How does it do this?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

It loses an electron.

It gains an electron.

It loses a proton.

It gains a proton.

[1]

(b) Another atom has a relative atomic mass of 39 and a proton number of 19.

How many neutrons does this atom contain?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

19

20

39

58

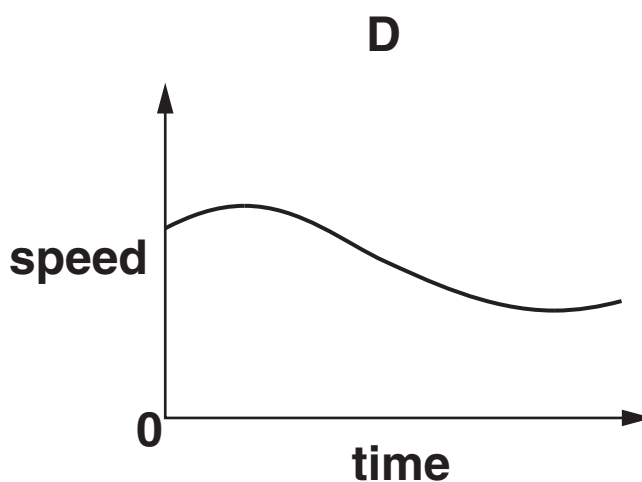
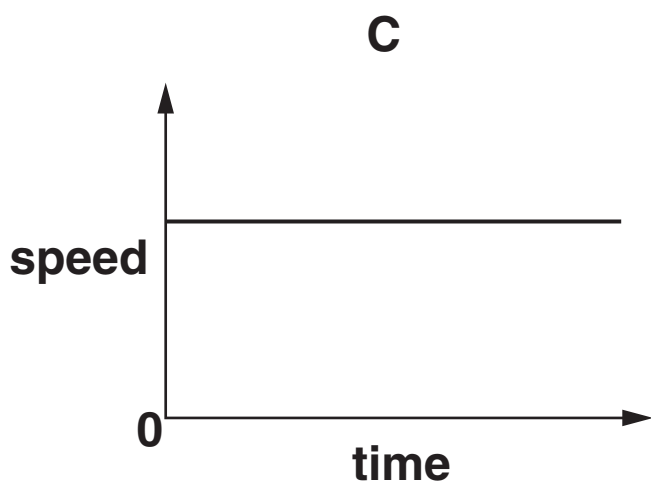
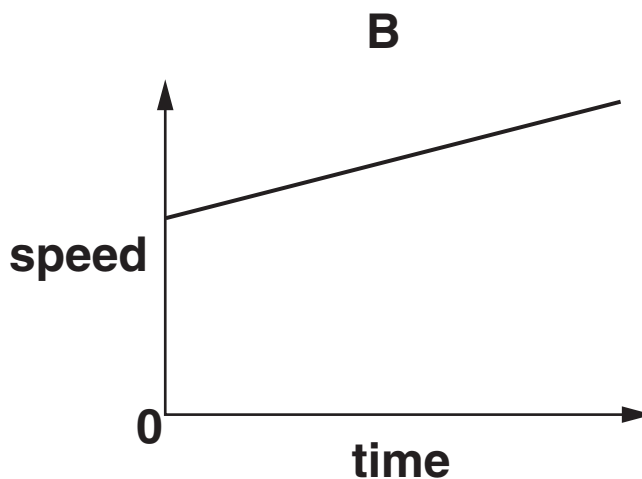
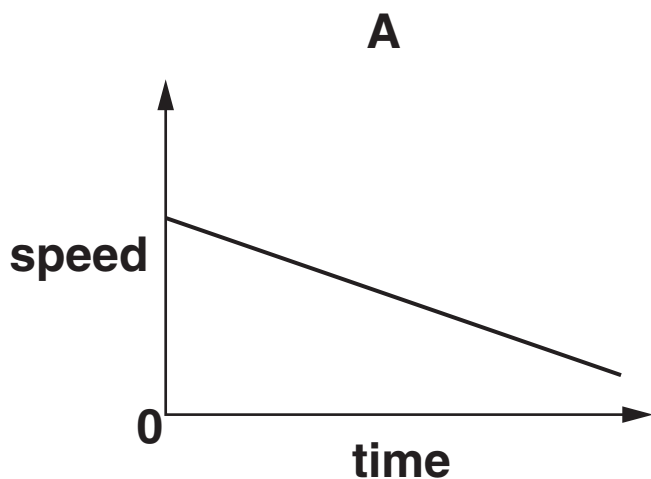
[1]

[Total: 7]

6 Sam is a truck driver.

Sam's truck contains a tachograph. This records a speed-time graph for her truck.

(a) Here are some speed-time graphs.



Which graph, A, B, C or D, shows the truck moving at a constant speed?

answer _____ [1]

(b) Sam drives her truck from the factory to a supermarket along small roads and motorways.

The journey takes four hours.

The tachograph correctly records her AVERAGE speed as 90 kilometres per hour.

Trucks are not allowed to go faster than 90 kilometres per hour.

Explain why Sam must have gone faster than this at some point.

[2]

(c) Sam knows that the velocity of her truck tells her how fast it is going.

She asks her friends what ELSE velocity tells her about her truck.

ALAN

The mass of the truck.

BESS

The direction that the truck is going in.

CARLOS

The height of the truck.

DAVINA

How much fuel the truck has used.

Which friend is correct?

answer _____ [1]

(d) Sam reverses the truck into a parking space.

This requires a change of distance of -15 m.

The next morning she moves the truck forward, just out of the parking space.

What change of distance will this require?

Put a ring around the correct answer.

-30 m

-15 m

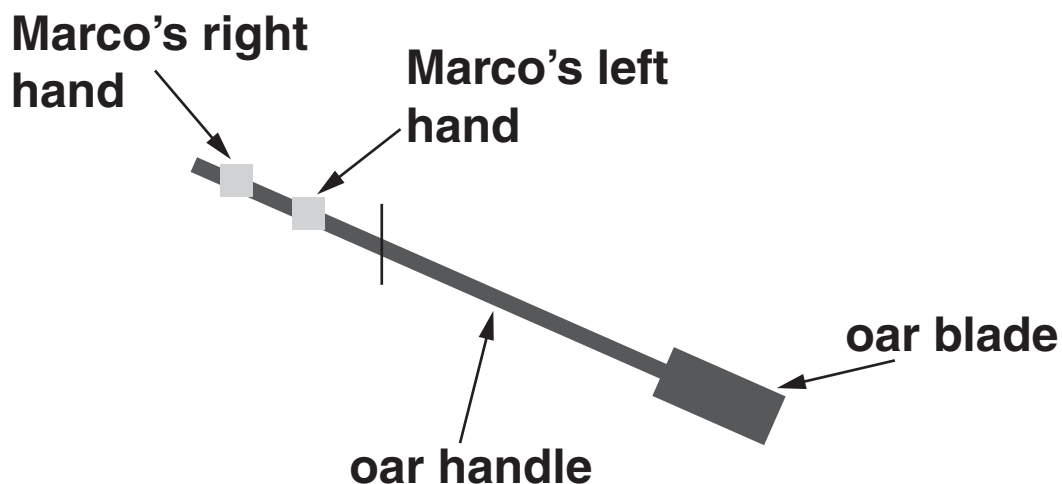
0 m

$+15$ m

[1]

[Total: 5]

7 Marco rows a boat along a canal.



(a) Marco's hand and the OAR HANDLE are an interaction pair.

Complete the sentences by putting a ring around the best words.

Marco pushes the oar handle forwards.

The oar handle pushes on

MARCO'S HAND / THE WATER.

The direction of the force from the oar handle on Marco's hand is

BACKWARDS / FORWARDS. [1]

(b) The OAR BLADE exerts a force on the water.

The blade moves as it exerts the force.

What effect does this have on the water?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

The water stops moving.

Some work is done on the water.

The mass of the water increases.

The temperature of the water goes down.

[1]

(c) Marco uses his oar to change the energy of his boat as it moves through the water.

What is this type of energy called?

What happens to this energy when Marco changes the speed of the boat?

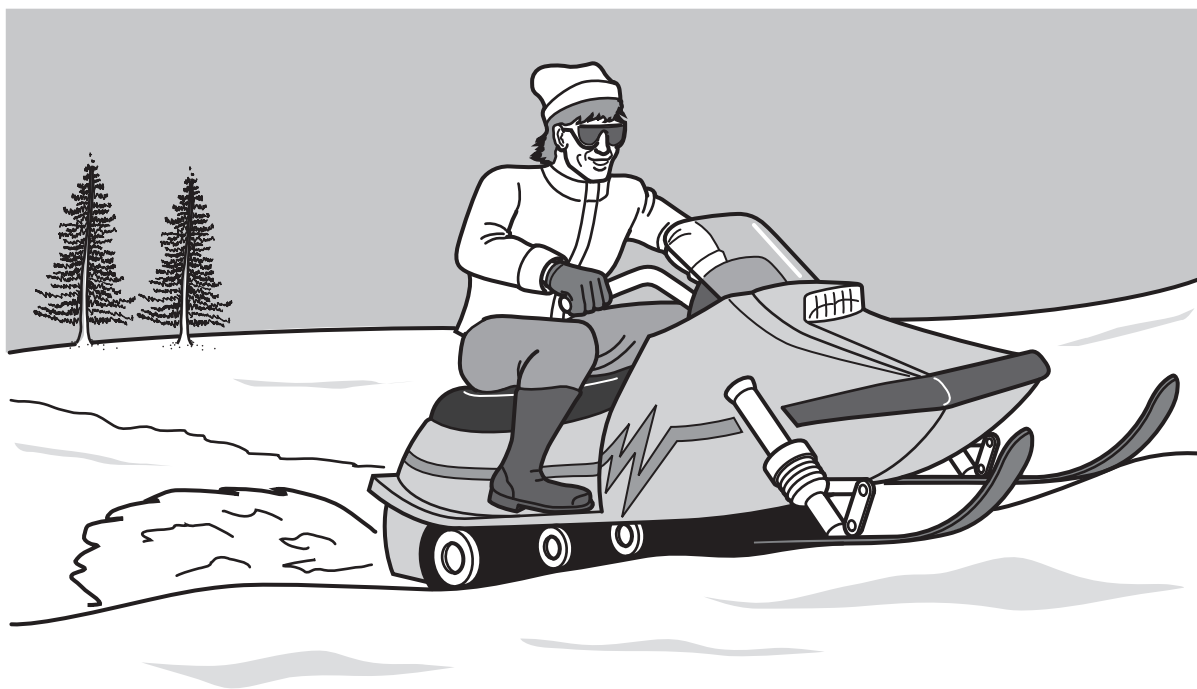
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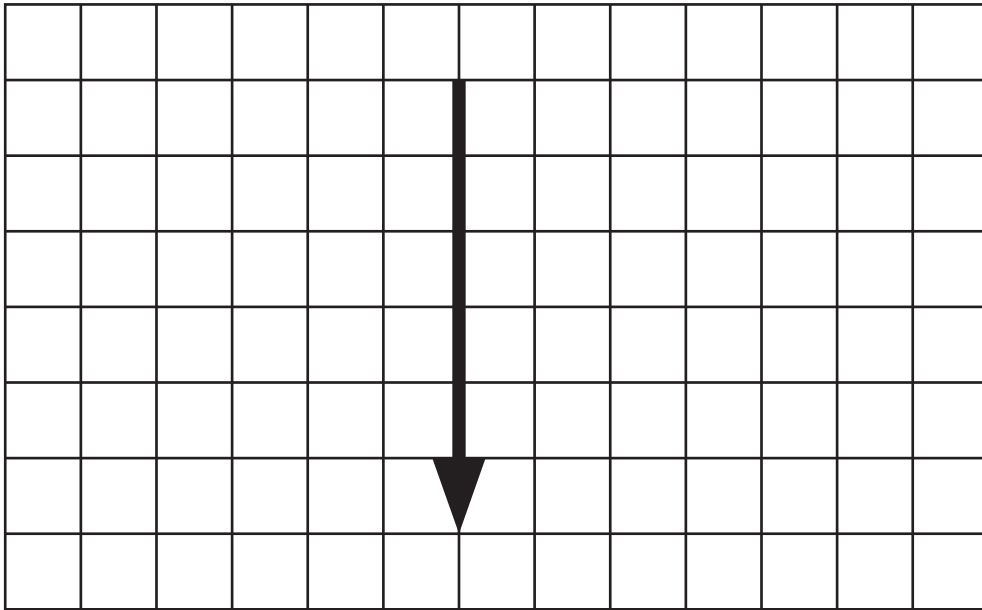
8 Ivan uses a snowmobile while he is on holiday.



At one place in the journey, these five forces act on the snowmobile.

FORCE ACTING	DIRECTION	SIZE IN NEWTONS
reaction from snow	upwards	1800
snowmobile's weight	downwards	1200
Ivan's weight	downwards	600
driving force	forwards	300
counter force	backwards	100

- (a) This arrow represents the force of Ivan's weight on the snowmobile.



Draw another arrow on the grid to represent the **DRIVING FORCE** on the snowmobile. [1]

- (b) What is the size and direction of the **RESULTANT** force in the **HORIZONTAL** direction?

Draw one line to link the **SIZE** of the **RESULTANT** horizontal force to its **DIRECTION**.

SIZE	DIRECTION
100 N	
200 N	forwards
300 N	
400 N	backwards

[1]

- (c) The resultant vertical force on the snowmobile is zero.

Here are some statements about the snowmobile.

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct statement.

The vertical momentum of the snowmobile is constant.

The total mass of the snowmobile is zero.

The snowmobile starts to move upwards.

The snowmobile starts to slow down.

[1]

- (d) The speed of the snowmobile is 15 m/s.

Ivan's mass is 60 kg and his weight is 600 N.

Put a **ring** around the correct value for Ivan's momentum in kg m/s.

4

40

900

9000

[1]

[Total: 4]

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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	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> 1 H hydrogen 1 </div>					19 F fluorine 9	4 He helium 2									
	23 Na sodium 11	24 Mg magnesium 12	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> relative atomic mass atomic symbol name atomic (proton) number </div>					16 O oxygen 8	20 Ne neon 10									
	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	108 Ag silver 47	112 Cd cadmium 48	115 In indium 49	119 Sn tin 50	122 Sb antimony 51	128 Te tellurium 52	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	197 Au gold 79	201 Hg mercury 80	204 Tl thallium 81	207 Pb lead 82	209 Bi bismuth 83	[209] Po polonium 84	[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	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.