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## **Physics A**

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Unit G484: The Newtonian World

### Mark Scheme for June 2011

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Q1	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional guidance
(a)(i)	A body will remain at rest or continue to move with constant velocity unless acted upon by a force (WTTE)	B1	Do not allow speed unless "speed in a straight line" is stated. Allow
			"uniform motion"
(a)(ii)	The force which gives a mass of 1 kg an acceleration of 1 m s <sup>-2</sup>	B1	<b>Allow</b> 1N = 1 kg m s <sup>-2</sup>
(b)(i)	Use of $v = u + at$ OR $a = (v - u) / t \Rightarrow a = (55 - 0) / 2.2$	C1	
	$a = 25 \text{ (m s}^{-2} \text{)}$	A1	
(b)(ii)	Use of $s = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$ e.g. $s = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 25 \times 2.2^2$	C1	Allow other valid solutions e.g. using
	s = 60.5 (m)	A1	$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$
(b)(iii)	$F = ma = 3.2 \times 10^4 \times 25 = 8.0 \times 10^5 (N)$	A1	Allow ecf from (b)(i)
(c)(i)	towards the centre of the circle.	B1	Do not allow a bare "perpendicular to the velocity" Do not allow "in the same direction as the acceleration."
(c)(ii)	use $F = mv^2/r$ e.g. $F = (3.2 \times 10^4 \times 120^2)/870$	C1	If 55 is used instead of 120 for the
	$F = 5.3 \times 10^5 (529655) (N)$	A1	velocity F = 1.1x10 <sup>5</sup> ms <sup>-1</sup> and scores
( )) (1)			1 mark
(d)(i)	At top of the circle	M1	Allow "when the resultant force =
	when the weight provides/equals the required centripetal force	A1	weight"
(d)(ii)	realisation that acc = g (OR 9.81) AND (hence) $\sqrt{r}/r = g$	M1	Accept 121.24 as this corresponds
	$\{v = \sqrt{(gr)} = \sqrt{(9.81 \times 1500)}\} \Rightarrow v = 120 \text{ (m s}^{-1}) (121.3)$	A1	to 9.8,
			do <b>not</b> allow 122.5 since this
			assumes g = 10 ms <sup>-2</sup>
	Total	14	

Q2	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional guidance
(a)(i)	Force/acceleration is proportional to displacement (from equilibrium	B1	Allow force/acceleration is in opposite
	position)		direction to the displacement.
			Allow acc $\propto x$ , provided x is identified as the
			displacement for 1 <sup>st</sup> mark.
	(Resultant force) force/acceleration is (always) towards equilibrium	B1	2 <sup>nd</sup> mark only scored if -ve sign used and
	position (WTTE, e.g. allow fixed point).		explained.
(a)(ii)	True;	B2	-1 for each error stop at zero
	False		Assume ✓ means true and X means false
	False;		Do not credit blank spaces
	False		
(b)	Measurements		Allow ruler used to measure initial and
	angle measured with protractor stated or shown on the diagram	B1	subsequent displacement/amplitude if
			explained.
	stop-watch/ms timer/data-logger to measure time stated or shown on	<b>D</b> 4	
	the diagram	B1	
	<b>Conclusion:</b> compare periods for different angles stated/implied		
	OR plot period against apple	B1	Allow table of results with correct column
			headings is at least angle and period
	major difficulty:		neadings i.e. at least angle and period
	angle of swing decreases during the timing of the swing		
	solution: e.g.	M1	
	measure time for $\frac{1}{4}$ . $\frac{1}{2}$ or 1 swing accurately (using electronic		
	timer/datalogger)	A1	Do not allow 'time is short so measure nT
	OR		and divide by n to reduce (%) error'.(WTTE)
	use data logger with motion sensor to record many swings and analyse		
	how the period changes over time		
	OR		
	video the motion with onscreen timer and analyse		
	Total	9	

Q3	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional guidance
(a)	Force per unit mass (at a point in a gravitational field).	B1	Accept $g = F/m$ if F and m are identified
(b)(i)	Recognition that inverse square law needs to be verified: e.g. $g \propto 1/r^2$	B1	Do not accept a bare $g = GM/r^2$ unless G and M are stated as constants or following calculations shows this.
	hence $gr^2 = \text{constant} \Rightarrow 9.8 \times 6400^2 = 4.0 \times 10^8 \text{ (or } 4 \times 10^{14} \text{ )}$ AND 2.7 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> x (3.8 x 10 <sup>5</sup> ) <sup>2</sup> = 3.9 x 10 <sup>8</sup> (or 3.9 x 10 <sup>14</sup> ) (n.b values in brackets correspond to radius in metres)	B1	They must use values in table and do both calculations for this mark <b>Allow</b> other valid approaches
	Any appropriate comment consistent with the calculations	D4	e.g. g ratio compared to $1/r^2$ ratio (3630 and 3530) OR (2.75 x $10^{-4}$ , 2.84 x $10^{-4}$ ,)
	e.g. values are close enough (to verify the relationship).	B1	
(b)(ii)	$(mg = GmM / r' \Rightarrow M = gr' / G)$		(this formula is given on data sheet)
	$M = 9.81 \times (6.4 \times 10^6)^2 / 6.67 \times 10^{-11}$	C1	Correct substitution into formula
	$M = 6.024 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$	A1	Allow 6.018 x $10^{24}$ this is for $g = 9.8$ and allow any value between 6.0 x $10^{24}$ and 6.03 x $10^{24}$ but not 6x $10^{24}$ Also <b>allow</b> data for the moon to be used i.e $M_{\rm E} = 2.7 \times 10^{-3} \times 3.8 \times 10^8 / 6.67 \times 10^{-11} =$ 5.846 x $10^{24}$ kg $\approx$ 6 x $10^{24}$ kg
(b)(iii)	volume = $(4/3)\pi r^3 = (4/3)\pi (6.4 \times 10^6)^3 (= 1.10 \times 10^{21} \text{ m}^3)$	C1	mark for correct substitution e.g. 6.4 x $10^6$ (in m) used and not 6.4 x $10^3$ (km)
	$\rho = M/V = 6.0 \times 10^{24} / 1.10 \times 10^{21} = 5500 (5464)(\text{kg m}^{-3})$	A1	<b>allow</b> ecf from b(ii) for cand's value of M but no ecf for wrong volume <u>formula</u>
			If $r = 6.4 \times 10^3$ is used V = 1.1 $\times 10^{12} \Rightarrow$ $\rho = 5.5 \times 10^{12}$ and scores 1 mark
	Total	8	

Q4	Expected Answers	Mark	Additional guidance
(a)(i)	Latent heat of <u>fusion</u> .	B1	QWC fusion spelled correctly
			ignore any reference to specific.
(a)(ii)	Latent heat of vaporisation.	B1	QWC Vaporisation spelled correctly.
			Accept vaporization
			but not vapourisation.
(b)(i)	$E = mc\Delta\theta$ used correctly e.g. 0.8 x 4200 x 82	C1	0.8 x 4200 x (82+273) scores zero
	$= 2.8 \times 10^{5} (\text{J}) (275520)$	A1	
(b)(ii)	Any two from:	B1	Do <b>not allow</b> "some heat lost" i.e. they
	Some heat/energy used to heat kettle	B1	must state where/how
	Some heat/energy lost to surroundings/air/environment.		Do <b>not allow</b> "kettle if not 100%
	Some heat/energy used to boil water before kettle switches off		efficient".
			Do not allow "energy lost as
			sound/light"
(b)(iii)	$1 \text{ kWh} = 1000 \text{ x} 3600 = 3.6 \text{ x} 10^6 \text{ J}$	C1	Allow 1 mark for energy lost per year =
	Wastage per year = (2.8 x 10 <sup>5</sup> x 365) / 3.6 x 10 <sup>6</sup> = 28 kWh	A1	1.02 x 10 <sup>8</sup> <u>Joules</u>
	(27.9)		Allow ecf from (b)(i)
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Q5	Expected answers	Mark	Additional guidance
(a)(i)	A collision with no change / loss of kinetic energy.	B1	Allow coeff't of restitution = 1
(a)(ii)	Any 3 from Volume of <u>particles</u> negligible compared to volume of vessel OR molecules much smaller than distance between them		do not allow a bare "negligible volume of molecules "
	No intermolecular forces acting (other than during collisions) OR molecules only have kinetic energy (and no PE)	B1	Do not allow "collisions between molecules are elastic" because this is given in the question.
	Particles travel in straight lines/at uniform velocity between collisions OR force of gravity on molecules is negligible	B1 B1	do not allow a bare "negligible time of collisions"
	time of collisions much smaller than time between collisions gas consists of a large number of molecules moving randomly (both needed for the mark)		Do not allow a bare "rapid random motion"
(b)(i)	$\Delta p = mv - mu$ = 4.8 x 10 <sup>-26</sup> [500 - (-500)] = 4.8 x 10 <sup>-23</sup> kg m s <sup>-1</sup>	C1 A1	2.4 x 10 <sup>-23</sup> scores zero
(b)(ii)	(time between collisions = $0.4 / 500 \text{ s}$ ). Number of collisions/sec. = $500/0.4 = 1250$	A1	Correct answer only
(b)(iii)	(Mean) force = $\Delta p/t$ OR Force = rate of change of momentum OR Impulse = change in momentum	C1 A1	Allow ecf from (b)(i) and (b)(ii) e.g. if 2500 is used from (b)(ii) $F = 2500x4.8x10^{-23} = 1.2x10^{-19} N$ and this sectors 2 metric
(b)(iv)	Same value as candidate's (b)(iii) due to Newton's third law OR this force acts in opposite direction	B1	OR -ve sign shown
(c)(i)	$3 \times 6 \times 10^{23} = 1.8 \times 10^{24}$	B1	1.806 x 10 <sup>24</sup> if 6.02 is used
(c)(ii)	(very) <u>large number</u> of particles that are moving <u>randomly</u> means that at any instant the number of collisions on each face will be the same (WTTE)	B1	Allow no gravitational forces and hence uniform density
(c)(iii)	(mean) KE/speed of molecules increases Increased <u>rate</u> of collisions with wall OR 'harder' collisions with wall	B1 B1	Also <b>allow</b> greater change of momentum per collision (WTTE) Not just "more collisions".
	Total	14	

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Q6	Expected answers	Mark	Additional guidance
(a)(i)	Straight line (judged by eye)with positive slope AND passing through the origin	B1	correct answer only
(a)(ii)	8.31 (J mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> )	B1	Allow $R$ and molar gas constant, but do not allow $pV/T$ OR $nR$
(b)(i)	-40 °C = 233 K, AND 250 °C = 523 K	M1	No marks scored if 40° C and/or
	Use of $V_1/T_1 = V_2/T_2$ 2.4 x 10 <sup>-2</sup> / 233 = V <sub>2</sub> / 523	C1	250°C are used
	$V_2 = 0.053(8) \text{ (m}^3)$	A1	Accept other correct versions.
(b)(ii)	Use of $p = nRT/V = 1.5 \times 8.31 \times 233 / 2.4 \times 10^{-2}$	C1	Allow T= 523 and V= 0.053
	$= 1.21 \times 10^5$ (Pa)	A1	hence $p = 1.2 \times 10^5$
			Allow ecf from (b)(i)
	Total	7	

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