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# **Physics B**

Unit B752/02: Unit 2 – Modules P4, P5, P6 (Higher Tier)

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Mark Scheme for June 2014

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#### Annotations used in scoris

Annotation	Meaning
	correct response
ВР	Blank Page – this annotation <b>must</b> be used on all blank pages within an answer booklet (structured or unstructured) and on each page of an additional object where there is no candidate response.
×	incorrect response
BOD	benefit of the doubt
NBOD	benefit of the doubt <u>not</u> given
ECF	error carried forward
^	information omitted
I	ignore
R	reject
CON	contradiction

Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme.

/ = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point

(1) = separates marking points

allow= answers that can be accepted

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

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

**ignore** = statements which are irrelevant

() = words which are not essential to gain credit

= underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark (although not correctly spelt unless otherwise stated)

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

Qu	estic	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	а	-	(area) where the lines / particles / molecules / layers are close(r) together [1]	1	allow area higher density / pressure [1] allow correct compression indicated on diagram [1]  Ignore waves / wavelength / frequency.
		ii	simple comparison of movement [1]  longitudinal waves (particles or vibrations) move in the same direction as wave movement / AW [1]  transverse waves (particles or vibrations) move at right angles to the direction of movement of the wave / AW [1]	3	allow all marking points from labelled diagrams  eg one moves up and down and the other moves side to side [1]  Allow backwards and forwards / to and fro  allow (idea that) (particles or vibrations) move side to side along (the wave) [1]  allow (idea that) (particles or vibrations) move up and down across (the wave) [1]  Allow 90° / perpendicular [1]
	b		no (no mark)  (idea that) we can't hear high pitched sounds [1]  BUT  We cannot hear 20 000 (Hz) (or above) scores [2]  Total	2	Longitudinal and transverse waves explained fully scores [3]  'yes' scores [0]  Allow (idea that) 25 000 (Hz) is higher than we can hear [1]  Allow frequencies above a threshold: eg. Can't hear above 18 000 (Hz) [1]  Allow 20kHz  Allow correct references to wavelength for [1]
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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
Question 2	[Level 3] Correct answer of 3.26 Amps AND explains why the fuse melts AND correct statements on use of 3, 5 13 Amp fuse. Quality of written communication does not impede communication of the science at this level  (5 – 6 marks) [Level 2] Correct answer of 3.26 Amps AND explains why the fuse melts. Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level  (3 – 4 marks) [Level 1] Evidence of a calculation using power = voltage x current OR describe why the fuse melts. Quality of written communication impedes communication of the science at this level  (1 – 2 marks)	Marks	This question is targeted at grades up to A*.  Indicative scientific points at level 3 may include: 3.26 or 3.3 (amps)  AND 3 amp fuse melts as current too large  AND best fuse to use is the value just above 3.26 or 3.3 (amps) which is 5 amp fuse 13 amp fuse not used because a large current (above the 3.26 amps) is needed before it melts  Indicative scientific points at level 2 may include: 3.26 or 3.3 (amps)  AND 3 amp fuse melts as current too large  Indicative scientific points at level 1 may include: evidence of power = voltage x current evidence of current = power / voltage
	Quality of written communication impedes communication of the science at this level		evidence of power = voltage x current
	credit. (0 marks)		Allow answers in terms of power only – maximum of [3] marks.  Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in scoris.  Do not use ticks.
	Total	6	

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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3 a	any two from:	2	
	person may have different diets / foods or drinks [1]		
	person may live in different areas of UK (where there is more radon gas / granite) [1]		Allow buildings
	person may have had more medical tests / treatment involving radiation [1]		Eg. Radiotherapy treatment.  Ignore unqualified medical tests
	person may use aeroplanes more (and so be exposed to more cosmic rays) [1]		
	person is close to / works in a <b>nuclear</b> power station / <b>nuclear</b> facility / radiology / radiography [1]		ignore medical workers allow idea that near hospitals that use radiation [1]
b	any two from:	2	
	compare different areas [1]		
	show / compare changes over time [1]		
	provides more data [1]		
	check each other's data / reliability / peer review [1]		
	idea of informing other scientists / public /government [1]		
	Total	4	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4 a i	Decreases [1]	2	
	but		
	decreases by half / by 30 (decays per second) [2]		allow from 60 to 30 [2] eg 60 and 30 indicated on graph scores [2]
			if <b>NO</b> marks awarded <b>allow</b> by one half life [1]
ii	line starting at 120 and always to the right and above right element A [1]	1	Any line curving upwards (at any part) scores [0] graphs must not cross each other
b	$(99)   99   0$ $Tc \rightarrow Ru + \beta$ $(43)   44   -1$ $[1]   [1]$	2	Mark rubidium and beta independently Both mass <b>and</b> atomic number needs to be correct for a mark
	Total	5	

Qu	estion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5	а	charge / positive charge / negative charge	3	5 gaps correct for 3 marks 4 gaps correct for 2 marks 3/2 gaps correct for 1 mark
		move away from each other / repel / disperse attracted (to the car)		Allow positive or negative if first answer is 'charge'
		any two from even coat / shadows painted / less waste / fine spray  [3]		allow better finish for even coat allow cheaper for less waste
	b	any one from:	1	
		gun loses electrons to paint [1]		
		paint gains electrons from gun [1]		
		paint loses electrons to object / bike [1]		
		object / bike gains electrons from paint [1]  Total	4	Reference to 'positive electrons' scores [0]
		1 0 (4)		

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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6 а	Maximum range (achieved) at 45 <sup>0</sup> [1]	2	Ignore references to height
	Range rises with angle until 45° then falls [2]		eg 'the further away from 45° the lower the range scores' [2] <b>if no marks awarded: allow EITHER</b> 'rises and falls' <b>OR</b> 'as the angle increases the range decreases' [1] eg 'range goes up and then goes down' [1]
b	90° [1]	1	allow vertical / AW [1] allow suitable annotation of the diagram
c i	Parabolic / parabola [1]	1	ignore curve / arc / arch on its own ignore trajectory
ii	(Vertical / upward) velocity decreases [1]  Acceleration (remains) constant / AW [1]	2	Mark points independently: eg. vertical velocity and acceleration are reduced for a maximum of [1] eg. vertical velocity and acceleration are constant for a maximum of [1]
iii	no effect (by gravity) / AW [1]	1	Allow doesn't (change) [1] Allow (Stays) constant [1]
	Total	7	

0	A		Outstand
Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7 a	Any two from: Above equator [1] Above fixed point / AW [1] Orbits in 24 hours / same rate as Earth / AW [1]  AND  (idea of) transmitter points in same fixed position / provides a constant signal / line of sight [1]	3	Eg 'above the same point on the equator' scores [2]  Ignore orbits at same speed as Earth Allow rotates with Earth / in sync with Earth[1]  allow satellite dishes don't have to move [1] allow 'to give good coverage / AW [1]
b i	(idea that) only orbits once every 90 minutes [1]  (idea that) shorter time would be lower orbit and unsafe [1]	1	e.g. It is not always above storm cloud / covers other parts of Earth/ needs to complete a full orbit [1]  ignore dangerous to be near the storm
ii	Any three from: Low polar orbit faster than geostationary orbit / ORA [1]  (attraction of) gravitational force is greater / ORA [1]  Centripetal force needed for orbital / circular motion [1]  (idea that) centripetal force needs to be bigger at lower altitude/ORA [1]  (idea of) gravity provides this centripetal force [1]	3	Ignore unqualified references to gravity. Eg gravity is stronger [0]
	Total	7	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
8	Level 3: (5 – 6 marks)  Answer shows qualitative understanding in terms of forces and momentum AND  a full mathematical understanding of the 'explosion' idea.  Quality of written communication does not impede communication of the science at this level.  Level 2: (3 – 4 marks)  Answer shows a qualitative understanding in terms of either forces or momentum.  OR  A correct mathematical answer showing both have equal momentum.  Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level.  Level 1: (1 – 2 marks)  Answer indicates a simple idea of equal and opposite forces OR momentum.  Quality of written communication impedes communication of the science at this level.  Level 0: (0 marks)  Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthyof credit.	6	This question is targeted up grade A*  Indicative scientific points may include:  Qualitative understanding  Both have same momentum  Same force produces higher acceleration on Nina but less on Matt because he has more mass  Nina has less mass so more speed and Matt has more mass and less speed (level 3)  Force produces different speeds on different masses (level 2)  Momentum before and after is the same  Mathematical understanding  Momentum before and after is zero (level 3)  Go x -5 + 100 x 3 = 0 (level 3)  Go = (60 x -5) + (100 x 3) (level 3)  Go = -300 + 300 (level 3)  Go x 5 = 100 x 3 (level 2)  300 = 300 (level 2)  Level 1:  Forces are equal and opposite  Momentum is conserved  Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris; do not use ticks.
	Total	6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
9 a	(idea of) angle of incidence = angle of reflection / AW [1]	1	Eg. reflects at same angle [1]
b	Particles do not undergo  diffraction [1] interference [1]  Waves undergo diffraction [1] interference [1]	2	Assume the answer refers to the particle theory unless indicated otherwise.

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C	Constructive interference – peaks on both waves add / in phase / AW [1]	2	Allow marks from suitable diagrams.  Eg.  Constructive interference  [1]
	Destructive interference – peak and trough on waves cancel / out of phase / AW [1]		Eg.  Destructive interference  [1]
	Total	5	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
10 a	LDR resistance decreases as light (level) increases / AW [1]	2	allow ORA [1]
	Thermistor (NTC) resistance decreases as temperature increases / AW [1]		allow ORA [1] allow heat for temperature allow Thermistor PTC resistance increases as temperature increases [1]
b	Any two from current passes:	2	
	Idea of threshold voltage reached / AW [1]		e.g. if voltage is high enough/ 0.6V
	in one direction / AW [1]		Allow (the idea that) current is correct direction for the diode [1]
	when the voltage is positive / resistance is low/AW [1]		allow no current when voltage is negative [1] allow (idea that) circuit diagram shows diode in forward bias / current direction is L to R / anticlockwise for this diode [1]
	Total	4	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
11	[Level 3]	6	This question is targeted at grades up to grade A.
	Answer includes both similarities and differences AND calculates output voltage and turns ratio		Indicative scientific points may include:
	AND explains how transformers work		Similarities (in order of increasing demand)
	Quality of written communication does not impede		both have an iron core / same input voltage / 20 volts AC
	communication of the science at this level (5 – 6 marks)		both change the output voltage (compared to the input voltage)
	,		Differences
			transformer A is a step-up transformer
	[Level 2]		transformer B is a step down transformer
	Answer includes one difference and one similarity		both have different ratio of turns on the primary compared to
	AND calculates one output voltage or turns ratio		the secondary
	Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level		Differences in output voltage
	(3 – 4 marks)		the output of transformer A will be more than 20 V
	(0 - 4 maiks)		the output of transformer A calculated using transformer equation as 40V
	[Level 1]		the output of transformer B will be less than 20 V
	Answer includes the basic construction of a transformer		the output of transformer B calculated using transformer equation as 10V
	OR one difference and one similarity		
	Quality of written communication impedes		How transformers work
	communication of the science at this level (1 – 2 marks)		changing current in primary coil produces a changing magnetic field in core
			changing magnetic field in the core induces a changing voltage in the secondary coil
	[Level 0]		
	Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of		Construction
	credit. (0 marks)		two coils on an (iron) core
	(O marks)		Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in scoris.
			Do not use ticks.
	Total	6	

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Question			Answer				Marks	Guidance
12 a							2	all correct for 2 marks
	Х		Υ		Z			2 or 3 rows correct for 1 mark
	(0)	)	(0)		1			
	(0)	)	(1)		0			
	1		(0)		0			
	1		1		0			
						[2]		
b							2	all correct for 2 marks
D							2	all correct for 2 marks
		E	F	G				2 or 3 rows correct for 1 mark
		0	1	1				
		0	1	1				
		0	1	1				
		1	0	1				
						[2]		
	Total						4	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
13 a	7.5 (ohms) [2]	2	
	but if answer incorrect correct values of voltage and current from graph [1]		correct values e.g. 3 and 0.4 or 6 and 0.8
b	E (no marks)	2	If E <b>NOT</b> chosen [0]
	Idea that longer conductors have a greater resistance [1]  (idea that) the line with the shallowest / least gradient has the greatest resistance [1]		Longer length has lower current [1] allow credit for candidates who calculate the resistance of E as 200 $(\Omega)$ [1]
С	mistakes are:	2	allow mistakes indicated on the text
			three mistakes corrected [2] one or two mistakes corrected [1]
	electrons not protons are the charge carriers		
	atoms vibrate <b>more</b> not less  increases the resistance of the conductor not		
	decreases it		
	Total	6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
14 a	Clockwise anticlockwise clockwise [1]	1	allow appropriately drawn curly arrows
b i	(idea of using) variable resistor [1]  (idea of using) more or less or changing the: voltages / pd / current / power (input) [1]	1	ignore stronger current  ignore changes to coils ignore changes to field / magnets
ii	any two from:  when switched on the motor's speed increases [1]  when switched off the motor's speed decreases [1]  the motor doesn't stop spinning [1]	2	Allow high voltage for 'switched on'  Allow low voltage for 'switched off'  Ignore reference to constant speed  If no mark scored allow one mark for 'speed varies'
iii	any one from:  (idea of) smoother speed / less jerky [1]  (idea that) variation in motor speed will be less [1]  Total	5	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
15 a	1.9(333) (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	1	
b	2.7 (g) [2] <b>BUT</b> if answer is incorrect then 0.9 x 3 scores [1]	2	
C	Mark explanation only  B is heaviest [0]  Unknown liquid is denser than water [1]  Unknown liquid is denser than oil [1]  and is liquid X [1]	3	If answer is A then it is still possible to gain up to 2 marks  If no clear reference to density of water or oil is made then <b>allow</b> unknown liquid is heavier than oil / water [1]
d i	Oil (linear) reduction in density with increasing temperature / ORA [1]	1	
ii	Water density rises up to 5° and then falls (non-linearly) as temperature increases AW [1]	1	<b>Eg.</b> water's maximum density is at 5°C [1] <b>Allow</b> 3°C - 6°C tolerance
d iii	Any two from:  Ice (at 0°C) is less dense (than water at 0°C) [1]	2	

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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
	Density of water increases up to 5°C [1]		
	(Idea that) water warm <b>er</b> as depth <b>increases</b> [1]		e.g. 'warmest water at the <b>bottom</b> ' scores [1]
	Total	10	

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