

**Questions are for both separate science and combined science students
unless indicated in the question**

Q1.

The figure below shows some bumper cars.

Bumper cars are designed to withstand collisions at low speeds.



- (a) During the collision, the change in momentum of the bumper car is 700 kg m/s .

The time taken for the collision is 0.28 s .

Calculate the force on the bumper car during the collision.

Use the Physics Equations Sheet. **(Physics only) (HT only)**

Force = _____ N

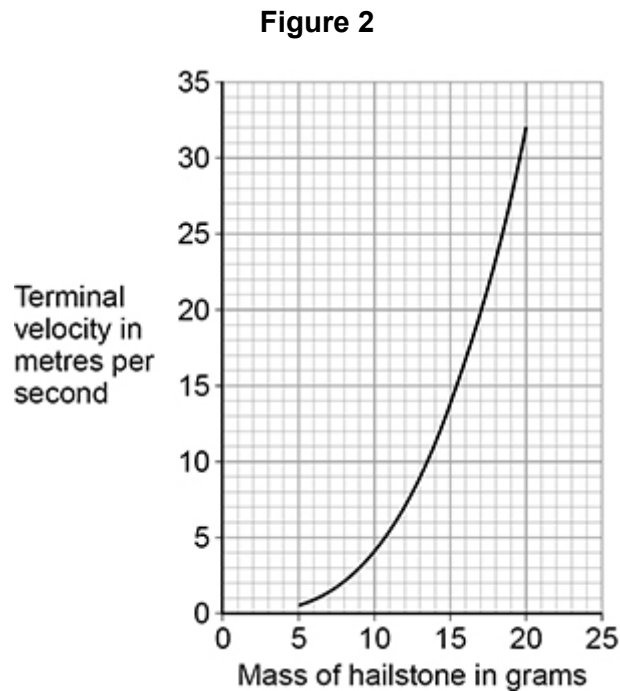
(2)

- (b) The bumper car has a flexible bumper.

Explain how the flexible bumper reduces the risk of injury to the people in the bumper car during the collision. **(HT only)**

(3)

(Total 5 marks)

Q2.**Figure 2** is repeated below. (HT only)

- (a) A hailstone hit the ground at its terminal velocity of 25 m/s.

The hailstone took 0.060 s to stop moving.

Determine the average force on the hailstone as it hit the ground.

Use information from **Figure 2**.

Use the Physics Equations Sheet.

Average force = _____ N

(3)

(Total 3 marks)