

Question Number	Answer	Mark	
1(a)	Conversion of MeV to J Use of $E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ Max velocity = 4.1×10^6 (m s ⁻¹) <u>Example of calculation</u> $v = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 1.2 \text{ MeV} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J}}{14 \times 1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}}}$ velocity = 4.06×10^6 m s ⁻¹	(1) (1) (1) (1)	3
1(b)(i)	Correct momentum of any particle seen e.g. Nux (must contain u) Correct equation from conservation of momentum (allow even if u not shown) Rearrange for z (dependent on second mark) <u>Example of calculation</u> $Nux = 14uy + Nuz$ $Nz = Nx - 14y$	(1) (1) (1)	3
1(b)(ii)	<u>Kinetic energy</u> is conserved	(1)	1
1(b)(iii)	See $\frac{1}{2}Nux^2$ Or $\frac{1}{2}Nuz^2$ Or $\frac{1}{2}14uy^2$ Clear statement that E_k nitrogen atom = E_k neutron before – E_k neutron after Or E_k nitrogen atom = E_k lost by neutron	(1) (1)	2
1(c)(i)	Use of equation, N in the denominator must be included, given with $y = 3.0 \times 10^7$ Or $y = 4.1 \times 10^6$ In equation given use of: $N + 1$ with $y = 3.0 \times 10^7$ Or $N + 14$ with $y = 4.1 \times 10^6$ In equation given use of: $N + 1$ with $y = 3.0 \times 10^7$ And $N + 14$ with $y = 4.1 \times 10^6$ <u>Example of calculation</u> For hydrogen $2Nx = 3.0 \times 10^7 (N + 1)$ For nitrogen $2Nx = 4.1 \times 10^6 (N + 14)$ Equating gives $4.1 \times 10^6 (N + 14) = 3.0 \times 10^7 (N + 1)$ (so $N = 1.06$)	(1) (1) (1)	3
1(c)(ii)	Collision might not be elastic Or Speed (of particles) approaches speed of light (so mass increases)	(1)	1
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2(a)	Baryon (1)	1
2(b)	$(+2/3 - 1/3 + 2/3) = +1 / +1e / +e / (+)1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ (1) [Do not allow 1, 1e, e]	1
2(c)	$(B^0 \rightarrow \quad)$ [No mark for LHS but must have an equation $X = Y + Z$] For RHS Λ^+ only [do not credit alternatives e.g. λ^+] (1) \bar{p} only [do not credit alternatives e.g. $p^-, \bar{p}^{+/-}$] (1)	2
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3*	(QWC – Work must be clear and organised in a logical manner using technical wording where appropriate) (After X) no tracks / track ceases (at X) / tracks can't be seen (after X) (1) [allow lines for tracks] (so) uncharged/neutral particles produced OR only charged particles give tracks . (1) At least one of the correct further events identified. [i.e. at the 'V' points] [in words or on diagram] (1) Both of the correct further events identified.	4
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4(a)	Cannot be split further/has no internal structure / not made up of other particles (1)	1
4(b)	At least 4 radial straight lines [drawn with a ruler, need not touch particle] (1) Equispaced [very closely by eye] (1) Arrow pointing inwards (1) [ignore any words and mark the diagram only]	3
4(c)	Convert MeV to J [$\times 1.6 \times 10^{-13}$] (1) Divide by c^2 [$\div 9 \times 10^{16}$] (1) answer 205 - 214 (1) [Reverse calculation from 200 loses the third mark] <u>Example of calculation</u> $106 \text{ MeV} = 106 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J}$ $= 106 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J} / (3 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1})^2$ ratio = $1.88 \times 10^{-28} \text{ kg} / 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$ [May convert electron to 0.51 MeV]	3
4(d)	Use of $F = q^2 / 4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2$ or $F = kq^2 / r^2$ with $q = 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ and $r = 2.7 \times 10^{-13}$ [ignore power of 10 error] (1) $F = (-) 3.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N}$ (1) <u>Example of calculation</u> $F = (9 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2 \text{ C}^{-2}) (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})^2 / (2.7 \times 10^{-13} \text{ m})^2$	2
4(e)	Mention of energy levels/states (1) Muon/electron jumps down / drops down / returns to original state (1) Large ΔE / large photon energy (hf) (1)	3
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5(i)	C
5(ii)	A
5(iii)	D

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6(a)	$u\bar{d}$ identified (1)	1
6(b)	Conversion of G (1) Conversion of either eV or divided by c^2 (1) 2.5×10^{-28} (kg) (1) eg $m = 0.14 \times 10^9 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} / 9 \times 10^{16}$	3
6(c)	QWC i and iii - Spelling of technical terms must be correct and the answer must be organised in a logical sequence Electric fields: Electric field provides force on the charge/proton (1) gives energy to /work done / $E = qV$ / accelerate protons (1) Magnetic fields: Force on moving charge/proton (1) Produces circular path/centripetal force (1) labelled diagram showing Dees with E field indicated across gap OR B field through Dees (1) E field is reversed/alternates (1)	QWC 4 1 max
6(d)	QWC i and iii - Spelling of technical terms must be correct and the answer must be organised in a logical sequence	QWC
	momentum (1) Zero / negligible momentum before (1) To conserve momentum (fragments go in all directions) (1)	3
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*7	<p>(QWC – Work must be clear and organised in a logical manner using technical wording where appropriate)</p> <p>Max 6</p> <p>Fixed target</p> <p>There is momentum before the collision so there must be momentum after the collision. (1)</p> <p>So particle(s) created must have some kinetic energy (1)</p> <p>So not all KE converted to mass (1)</p> <p>Colliding beams</p> <p>(If particles have the same mass and speed), total initial momentum is zero (1)</p> <p>Momentum after collision will be zero (1)</p> <p>If one stationary particle is created (1)</p> <p>All of the kinetic energy of the particle is converted to mass (1)</p>	6
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8(a)	<p>The wavelength (associated) with a particle/electron with a given momentum (1)</p> <p>(1)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>$\lambda = h/p$ (1)</p> <p>all terms defined (1)</p>	2
8(b)(i)	<p>Use of $E_k = eV$ (1)</p> <p>Use of $E_k = p^2/2m$ Or use of $E_k = mv^2/2$ and $p = mv$ (1)</p> <p>Momentum = $1.21 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$ (1)</p> <p><u>Example of calculation</u></p> <p>$E_k = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C} \times 500 \text{ V}$</p> <p>$p^2 = 2 m E_k = 2 \times 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \times (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 500) \text{ J}$</p> <p>$p = 1.21 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$</p>	3
8(b)(ii)	<p>Use of $\lambda = h/p$ (1)</p> <p>$\lambda = 5.49 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$ (ecf value of p from (i)) (1)</p> <p>(show that value gives $6.63 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$)</p> <p><u>Example of calculation</u></p> <p>$p = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s} / 1.21 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$</p> <p>$\lambda = 5.49 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$</p>	2
Total for question		7