## PHYSICS

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| 1(a) | (stress $=$ ) force/area or $\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{m} \mathrm{s}^{-2} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ | B1 |
|  | $=\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{m}^{-1} \mathrm{~s}^{-2}$ | A1 |
| 1(b)(i) | $0.58=2 \pi \times\left[\left(4 \times 0.500 \times 0.600^{3}\right) /\left(E \times 0.0300 \times 0.00500^{3}\right)\right]^{0.5}$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} E & =\left[4 \pi^{2} \times 4 \times 0.500 \times(0.600)^{3}\right] /\left[(0.58)^{2} \times 0.0300 \times(0.00500)^{3}\right] \\ & =1.35 \times 10^{10}(\mathrm{~Pa}) \end{aligned}$ | C1 |
|  | $=14(13.5) \mathrm{GPa}$ | A1 |
| 1(b)(ii)1. | (accuracy determined by) the closeness of the value(s)/measurement(s) to the true value | B1 |
|  | (precision determined by) the range of the values/measurements | B1 |
| 1(b)(ii)2. | $l$ is (cubed so) $3 \times$ (percentage/fractional) uncertainty and $T$ is (squared so) $2 \times$ (percentage / fractional) uncertainty and (so) $l$ contributes more | B1 |


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| 2(a) | resultant force (in any direction) is zero | B1 |
|  | resultant torque/moment (about any point) is zero | B1 |
| 2(b)(i) | $a=(v-u) / t$ or gradient or $\Delta v /(\Delta) t$ | C1 |
|  | e.g. $a=(8.8-4.6) /(7.0-4.0)=1.4 \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~s}^{-2}$ | A1 |
| 2(b)(ii) | $s=4.6 \times 4+[(8.8+4.6) / 2] \times 3$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & =18.4+20.1 \\ & =39(38.5) \mathrm{m} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 2(b)(iii) | $\Delta E=1 / 2 \times 95\left[(8.8)^{2}-(4.6)^{2}\right]$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & =3678-1005 \\ & =2700(2673) \mathrm{J} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 2(b)(iv)1. | weight $=95 \times 9.81$ (= 932 N ) | C1 |
|  | vertical tension force $=280 \sin 25^{\circ}$ or $280 \cos 65^{\circ}(=118.3 \mathrm{~N})$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} F & =932+118 \\ & =1100(1050) \mathrm{N} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 2(b)(iv)2. | horizontal tension force $=280 \cos 25^{\circ}$ or $280 \sin 65^{\circ}(=253.8 \mathrm{~N})$ | C1 |
|  | resultant force $=95 \times 1.4$ (= 133 N ) | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 133=253.8-R \\ & R=120(120.8) \mathrm{N} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |


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| 3(a) | $\rho=m / V$ | C1 |
|  | $V=\pi d^{2} L / 4$ or $\pi r^{2} L$ | C1 |
|  | weight $=2.7 \times 10^{3} \times \pi\left(1.2 \times 10^{-2}\right)^{2} \times 5.0 \times 10^{-2} \times 9.81=0.60 \mathrm{~N}$ | A1 |
| 3(b)(i) | the point from where (all) the weight (of a body) seems to act | B1 |
| 3(b)(ii) | $W \times 12$ | C1 |
|  | $(0.25 \times 8)+(0.6 \times 38)$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} W & =(2+22.8) / 12 \\ & =2.1(2.07) \mathrm{N} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 3(c)(i) | pressure changes with depth (in water) <br> or <br> pressure on bottom (of cylinder) different from pressure on top | B1 |
|  | pressure on bottom of cylinder greater than pressure on top or force (up) on bottom of cylinder greater than force (down) on top | B1 |
| 3(c)(ii) | anticlockwise moment reduced and reducing the weight of $X$ reduces clockwise moment <br> or <br> anticlockwise moment reduced so clockwise moment now greater than (total) anticlockwise moment | B1 |


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| 4(a) | (two) waves travelling (at same speed) in opposite directions overlap | B1 |
|  | waves (are same type and) have same frequency/wavelength | B1 |
| 4(b)(i) | $\lambda=12 / 250$ ( $=0.048 \mathrm{~m}$ ) | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { distance } & =1.5 \times 0.048 \\ & =0.072 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 4(b)(ii) | $\begin{aligned} T & =1 / 250 \\ & =0.004(\mathrm{~s}) \text { or } 4(\mathrm{~ms}) \end{aligned}$ | C1 |
|  | 1. curve drawn is mirror image of that in Fig. 4.2 and labelled $P$ | A1 |
|  | 2. horizontal line drawn between $A$ and $B$ and labelled $Q$ | A1 |


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| $5(\mathrm{a})$ | observed frequency is different to source frequency when source moves relative to observer | B1 |
| $5(\mathrm{~b})$ | $360=(400 \times 340) /(340 \pm v)$ | C1 |
|  | $v=38(37.8) \mathrm{m} \mathrm{s}^{-1}$ | A1 |
|  | away (from the observer) | B1 |


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| 6(a) | volt / ampere | B1 |
| 6(b)(i) | $R_{\mathrm{T}}=[1 / 3.0+1 / 6.0]^{-1}+4.0$ ( $=6.0 \Omega$ ) | C1 |
|  | $I=1.5 / 6.0$ | C1 |
|  | $=0.25 \mathrm{~A}$ | A1 |
| 6(b)(ii) | $\begin{aligned} V_{\mathrm{B}} & =0.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ I & =0.5 / 3.0 \\ & =0.17(0.167) \mathrm{A} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 6(b)(iii) | $P=I^{2} R$ or $V I$ or $V^{2} / R$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { ratio } & =\left(0.167^{2} \times 3.0\right) /\left(0.25^{2} \times 4.0\right) \\ & =0.33 \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 6(c)(i) | vary/change/different radius/diameter/cross-sectional area (of wire) | B1 |
| 6(c)(ii) | $\begin{aligned} & v=I / \text { Ane } \\ & \text { ratio }=\frac{\left(I_{\mathrm{B}} / A_{\mathrm{B}}\right)}{\left(I_{\mathrm{C}} / A_{\mathrm{C}}\right)} \text { or } \frac{I_{\mathrm{B}}}{I_{\mathrm{C}}} \times \frac{A_{\mathrm{C}}}{A_{\mathrm{B}}} \end{aligned}$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} (R \propto 1 / A \text { so }) \text { ratio } & =\frac{I_{\mathrm{B}}}{I_{\mathrm{C}}} \times \frac{R_{\mathrm{B}}}{R_{\mathrm{C}}}=\frac{0.167}{0.25} \times \frac{3.0}{4.0} \\ & =0.50 \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 6(d)(i) | 0.25 A to 0.13 (0.125) A or halved | A1 |
| 6(d)(ii) | no change | A1 |


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| 7(a)(i) | (proton is uud so) $(2 / 3) e+(2 / 3) e-(1 / 3) e=e$ |  |  | B1 |
| 7(a)(ii) | (neutron is udd so) (2/3)e-(1/3)e-(1/3)e=0 |  |  | B1 |
| 7(b)(i) |  | $\beta^{-}$ | $\beta^{+}$ | B1 |
|  | nucleon number | 90 | 64 |  |
|  | proton number | 39 | 28 |  |
|  | all correct |  |  |  |
| 7(b)(ii) | weak (nuclear force/interaction) |  |  | B1 |
| 7(b)(iii) | $\beta^{-}$decay: electron and (electron) antineutrino $\beta^{+}$decay: positron and (electron) neutrino all correct |  |  | B1 |

