## PHYSICS

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| 1(a) | units of $F$ : $\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{ms}^{-2}$ | C1 |
|  | units of $\rho$ : $\mathrm{kgm}^{-3}$ and units of $v$ : $\mathrm{ms}^{-1}$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { units of } K & : \mathrm{kg} \mathrm{~ms}^{-2} /\left[\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{~m}^{-3}\left(\mathrm{~ms}^{-1}\right)^{2}\right] \\ & =\mathrm{m}^{2} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 1 (b)(i) | $K \rho=1.5 / 33^{2}$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & =1.38 \times 10^{-3} \\ F_{\mathrm{D}} & =1.38 \times 10^{-3} \times 25^{2} \text { or } F_{\mathrm{D}} / 1.5=25^{2} / 33^{2} \\ F_{\mathrm{D}} & =0.86 \mathrm{~N} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 1(b)(ii) | $a=(1.5-0.86) /(1.5 / 9.81)$ or $a=9.81-[0.86 /(1.5 / 9.81)]$ | C1 |
|  | $a=4.2 \mathrm{~ms}^{-2}$ | A1 |
| 1(c) | initial acceleration is $\mathrm{g} / 9.81\left(\mathrm{~ms}^{-2}\right) /$ acceleration of free fall | B1 |
|  | acceleration decreases | B1 |
|  | final acceleration is zero | B1 |


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| 2(a) | $30 \mathrm{~ms}^{-1}=108 \mathrm{~km} \mathrm{~h}^{-1}$ <br> or $100 \mathrm{~km} \mathrm{~h}^{-1}=28 \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~s}^{-1}$ <br> and so exceeds speed limit | B1 |
| 2(b) | acceleration $=$ gradient or $\Delta v /(\Delta) t$ or $(v-u) / t$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { e.g. acceleration } & =(24-20) / 12 \text { [other points on graph line may be used] } \\ & =0.33 \mathrm{~ms}^{-2} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 2(c) | distance travelled by $\mathrm{Q}=1 / 2 \times 12 \times 30$ ( $=180 \mathrm{~m}$ ) | C1 |
|  | distance travelled by P=1/2 $\times(20+24) \times 12(=264 \mathrm{~m})$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { distance between cars } & =264-180 \\ & =84 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 2(d) | $30-24=6 \mathrm{~ms}^{-1}$ <br> 'extra' time $T=84 / 6$ ( $=14 \mathrm{~s}$ ) or $180+30 T=264+24 T$ <br> 'extra' time $T=84 / 6$ (= 14 s ) | C1 |
|  | $t=12+14=26 \mathrm{~s}$ | A1 |


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| 3(a)(i) | in a stationary wave energy is not transferred or in a progressive wave energy is transferred | B1 |
| 3(a)(ii) | in a stationary wave (adjacent) particles are in phase or in a progressive wave (adjacent) particles are out of phase/have a phase difference/not in phase | B1 |
| 3(b)(i) | (position where) maximum amplitude | B1 |
| 3(b)(ii) | distance $=0.10 \mathrm{~m}$ | B1 |
| 3(b)(iii) | $\text { 1. } \begin{aligned} \lambda & =0.60 / 1.5 \\ & =0.40 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
|  | 2. $v=f \lambda$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} f & =340 / 0.40 \\ & =850 \mathrm{~Hz} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 3(b)(iv) | $\lambda=2 \times 0.60$ or $\lambda=3 \times 0.40$ or $f=850 / 3$ | C1 |
|  | $f=280(283) \mathrm{Hz}$ | A1 |


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| 4(a) | (strain $=$ ) extension / original length | B1 |
| 4(b)(i) | $E=\sigma / \varepsilon$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { maximum stress } & =2.1 \times 10^{11} \times 4.0 \times 10^{-4} \\ & =8.4 \times 10^{7} \mathrm{~Pa} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 4(b)(ii) | $\sigma=F / A$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} \text { minimum area } & =8.0 \times 10^{3} / 8.4 \times 10^{7} \\ & =9.5 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{~m}^{2} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |


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| $5(\mathrm{a})$ | $I_{1}+I_{2}=I_{3}$ [any subject] | B1 |
| $5(\mathrm{~b})$ | $E_{1}+E_{3}=I_{1} R_{1}+I_{3} R_{3}+I_{3} R_{4}$ [any subject] | B1 |
| $5(\mathrm{c})$ | $E_{1}-E_{2}=I_{1} R_{1}-I_{2} R_{2}$ [any subject] | B1 |


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| 6(a) | force per unit positive charge | B1 |
| 6(b)(i) | $E_{\mathrm{K}}=1 / 2 m v^{2}$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 2.4 \times 10^{-16}=1 / 2 \times 1.7 \times 10^{-27} \times v^{2} \\ & v=5.3 \times 10^{5} \mathrm{~ms}^{-1} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 6(b)(ii) | work done $=2.4 \times 10^{-16} \mathrm{~J}$ | A1 |
| 6(b)(iii) | $W=F s$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} F & =2.4 \times 10^{-16} / 15 \times 10^{-3} \\ & =1.6 \times 10^{-14} \mathrm{~N} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 6(b)(iv) | $V=F d / Q$ <br> or $V=W / Q$ <br> or $E=V / d \text { and } E=F / Q$ | C1 |
|  | $V=\left(1.6 \times 10^{-14} \times 15 \times 10^{-3}\right) / 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ or $2.4 \times 10^{-16} / 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ | C1 |
|  | $=1500 \mathrm{~V}$ | A1 |
| 6(b)(v) | straight line with positive gradient starting at the origin and going as far as $x=15 \mathrm{~mm}$ | B1 |


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| 7(a) | (the ohm is) volt / ampere | B1 |
| 7(b)(i) | $R=\rho L / A$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ratio }=\left[\rho L /\left(\pi d^{2} / 4\right)\right] /\left[0.028 \rho \times 7.0 L /\left\{\pi(14 d)^{2} / 4\right\}\right]=1000 \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ratio }=14^{2} /(0.028 \times 7)=1000 \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 7(b)(ii) | same current (in connecting and filament wires) and the lamp/filament (wire) has greater resistance | B1 |
| 7(b)(iii) | $P=V^{2} / R$ or $P=V I$ or $P=I^{2} R$ | C1 |
|  | (for filament wire) $R=12^{2} / 6.0$ or $R=6.0 / 0.50^{2}$ or $R=12 / 0.50$ | C1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (for filament wire) } R=24 \Omega \\ & \text { (for connecting wire) } \begin{aligned} R & =24 / 1000 \\ & =2.4 \times 10^{-2} \Omega \end{aligned} \end{aligned}$ | A1 |
| 7(b)(iv) | resistance of connecting wire increases | B1 |
|  | current in circuit/lamp/filament (wire) decreases or potential difference across lamp/filament (wire) decreases | M1 |
|  | (so) resistance of lamp/filament (wire) decreases | A1 |


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| 8(a) | (quark structure is) up, down, down/udd | B1 |
|  | up/u has charge $+2 / 3(e)$, down/d has charge $-1 / 3(e)$ | C1 |
|  | $+2 / 3 e-1 / 3 e-1 / 3 e=0$ | A1 |
| 8(b) | $\begin{array}{rll} \text { charge: } & p & +1.6(0) \times 10^{-19}(\mathrm{C}) \text { or }+e \\ & \beta^{-}-1.6(0) \times 10^{-19} & (\mathrm{C}) \text { or }-e \\ & \bar{v} & \text { zero } / 0 \end{array}$ | B1 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { mass: } & \mathrm{p} 1.67 \times 10^{-27}(\mathrm{~kg}) / 1.7 \times 10^{-27}(\mathrm{~kg}) \\ & \beta^{-} 9.1(1) \times 10^{-31}(\mathrm{~kg}) \\ & \bar{v} \text { very small } / \text { zero } / 0 \end{array}$ | B1 |

