

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THE SPACES PROVIDED ON THIS PAPER.

Full working must be shown to obtain full marks. Should show answers in 3 s.f. and scientific notation.

NOTE: Where necessary use the constants supplied on the SCASA formula sheet.

Number of Questions: 10

Question 1 (7 marks)

- a) A 90.0 gram copper rivet has a temperature of 25.0°C . Calculate the heat energy required to heat the copper rivet to 210°C . Assume no heat loss to the surroundings. [3]
- b) A different rivet with a mass of 112.0 grams at a temperature of 1500°C made from rare metal "adamantium", is dropped into an insulated bucket with 5.0 kg of water at 22.0°C . If the final temperature of the bucket and water is 25.5°C , what is the specific heat capacity of the rare metal? Assume no heat loss to the surroundings. [4]

Question 2 (3marks)

Explain why a concrete floor feels colder than a carpeted floor which is at the same temperature?

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Question 3 (4marks)

A mechanic adds 2.75 kg of ethylene glycol antifreeze at 22.0°C to your car's radiator. The radiator already contains 6.00 kg of water at 93.5°C. If the 5.20 kg radiator is made of copper, calculate the final temperature of the mixture. Assume no heat loss to the surroundings.

($c_{\text{copper}} = 390 \text{ J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$, $c_{\text{ethylene glycol}} = 2500 \text{ J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$)

Question 4 (7marks)

A physicist designed a greenhouse friendly water heater using **10 curved metal mirrors** to focus the light from the sun onto a small tank containing **200 kg of water**. If the average amount of energy received from the sun by **each mirror** is **128 W**,

a) What is the maximum energy received by the tank containing the water each second? [2]

b) Calculate the energy required to heat the 200 kg of water in the tank from 22.5°C to 100°C. [2]

c) Calculate the time it takes to raise the temperature from 22.5°C to 100°C. [3]

Question 5 (3marks)

A cooking show gives the following warning when boiling water:

"Steam is hotter than boiling water, so take the lids off cooking liquids carefully to prevent steam burns"

Is the steam hotter than boiling water and why are burns from steam more dangerous than burns from boiling water?

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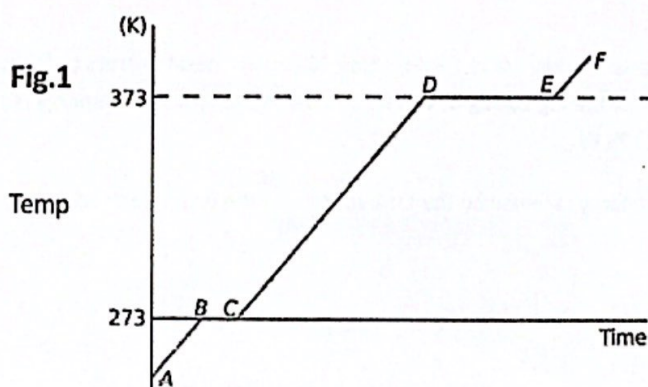
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Question 6 (6marks)



- a) Between what two points is solid and liquid always present? [1]
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- b) Which segment(s) of the graph represents the substance undergoing a phase change? [1]
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- c) i) Which segment(s) of the graph shows no increase in temperature? [1]
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- ii) Explain in physics terms why energy is absorbed or released, but there is no change in average temperature of the substance? [2]
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- d) During which segment of the graph does the substance have the lowest average kinetic energy? [1]
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Question 7 (7marks)

A certain solar panel is capable of absorbing 75 J of energy from sunlight every second, and converting only 15 J of that energy to useful electrical energy.

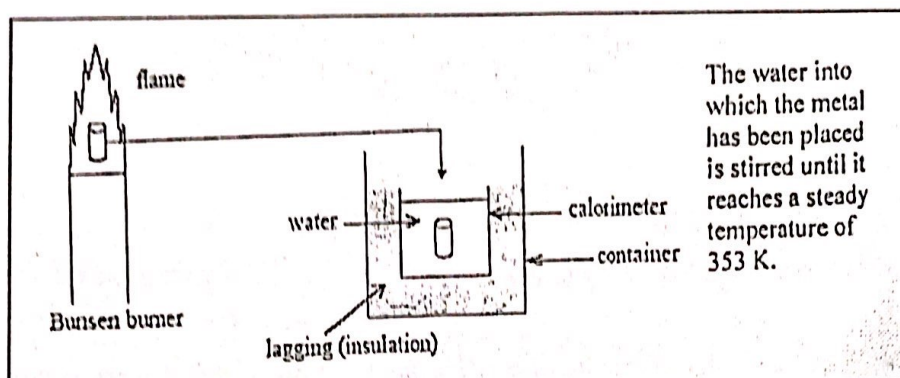
a) How much energy is “wasted” in the form of heat by the solar panel every second? [1]

b) What is the efficiency of this solar panel? [2]

c) How many solar panels would be needed to fully charge a Tesla Model Y car’s battery of 80 kWh, in 0.5 hours? [1 kWh equals one hour of electricity usage at a rate of 1 kW, and the equation is simply $\text{kW} \times \text{time} = \text{kWh}$] [4]

Question 8 (12marks)

In an experiment to measure the temperature of a Bunsen burner flame, a 250 gram piece of copper is held in the flame of a Bunsen burner for several minutes. The metal is then quickly transferred to 285 mL of water contained in a 40.0 gram calorimeter (container) at 288 K. Assume no heat loss to the surroundings.



- a) Explain why the metal is transferred as quickly as possible from the flame to the water. [1]

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- b) Explain why the water is stirred. [1]

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- c) Calculate the quantity of heat energy absorbed by the water and the calorimeter. [3]

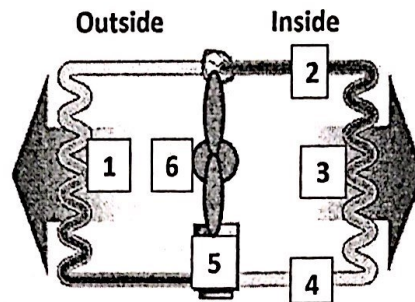
- d) Using your answer from part c (use 75kJ if you could not find an answer for part c), determine the temperature of the Bunsen burner flame. [3]

- e) If instead of water, the same mass of ethylene glycol was used, by what factor would the temperature of the liquid change compared to the water? (Hint: Factor- how many times more will temperature rise by for ethylene glycol than for water). Show all your work. [4]

Question 9 (7marks)

- a) Label the diagram below for a refrigerative air conditioner with the words below. [6]
- b) Draw arrows to show direction of the flow of refrigerant. [1]

compressor motor condenser evaporator gaseous refrigerant liquid refrigerant fan



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Question 10 (4marks)

- a) Hot bodies can lose heat by conduction, convection and radiation. State two factors that help to increase the rate of cooling. [2]

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- b) Human bodies maintain a core body temperature of around 37°C. State the two ways our bodies are able to control its core temperature. [2]

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