

PreDP revision questions answers for Section B of the exam

Unit 1 and 2: Measurements and Forces and Motion

check zero on stopwatch OR repeat OR other sensible precaution	B1	
start stopwatch at some recognisable point in the cycle	B1	
stop stopwatch after at least 10 cycles OR count no. of cycles in at least 10 s	B1	
divide time by number of cycles	B1	[4]

(a) micrometer OR screw gauge OR vernier scale NOT vernier callipers	B1
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(b) 2.73 mm	B1
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(c) check/set zero)	
close instrument on to paper)	
not too tight/use ratchet) any 3	B1 × 3
take reading of both scales)	
use several sheets)	
divide reading by no. of sheets)	

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(a) measuring cylinder with liquid	B1
immerse statue	B1
volume from difference of readings from measuring cylinder	B1
OR	
displacement can/equivalent/beaker, <u>filled to overflowing</u> with liquid	(B1)
immerse statue	(B1)
measure volume displaced <u>with measuring cylinder</u>	(B1)

(b) (D =) M/V OR 600/65	B1
9.23 g/cm ³ (minimum 2 s.f.) N.B. unit penalty applies	B1
OR	
(For gold) (M =) V × D OR 65 × 19	(B1)
1235 g (minimum 2 s.f.) N.B. unit penalty applies	(B1)
OR	
(For gold) (V =) M / D OR 600/19	(B1)
31.6 cm ³ (minimum 2 s.f.) N.B. unit penalty applies	(B1)

'NO' ticked if justified by previous work in (a) or (b).
e.c.f from wrong values above

B1

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- (a) Period: 1.81 s OR 1.8 s as mean value
OR 1.8 s as most common reading / the mode B1
- (b) Time a minimum of 2 (successive) oscillations B1
Divide result by the number of oscillations B1
OR
Count no. of oscillations in at least 20 s (B1)
Divide the time by the number of oscillations
OR Divide no. of oscillations by time and find reciprocal (B1)
2 of:
Repeat (several times) and find mean
Time with reference to fixed / fiducial point or top or bottom of oscillation
Check / set zero of stop-watch
Show knowledge of what is meant by one oscillation } B2
- (a) (density =) mass/volume OR mass per unit volume
OR m/V with symbols explained B1
- (b) (i) (vol =) mass/density OR $60.7/2.70$ C1
 $= 22.48 \text{ cm}^3$ to 2 or more sig. figs A1
- (ii) $V = A \times (\text{average}) \text{ thickness}$ OR $\text{thickness} = V/A$
OR $22.48 / (50 \times 30)$ C1
 0.01499 cm to 2 or more sig. figs. e.c.f. (b)(i) A1
- (c) (i) micrometer/screw gauge / (vernier/digital) callipers B1
- (ii) check zero of device used / cut sheet into several pieces / detail of how to use device / fold sheet B1
- measure thickness of sheet in different places
OR measure thickness of several pieces together B1
calculate/obtain average thickness OR divide answer by number of measurements/
pieces/places B1

- (a) (density =) mass / volume B1
- (b) water used in measuring / graduated cylinder B1
- volume of water known or read / recorded / taken B1
- place the coins in the water and read / record / take new level of water in cylinder B1
- subtract readings B1
- OR ALTERNATIVE METHOD:
- pour water into displacement can to level of spout (B1)
- place the coins / several coins in the water (B1)
- collect overflow (B1)
- measure volume of overflow water using measuring graduated cylinder (B1)
- measure mass / weigh the coins used with balance / spring balance B1
- (a) (if no diagram, max. mark is 3)
- measuring / graduated cylinder B1
- water **AND** initial reading **OR** known volume
- alternative method: water **AND** filled eureka can owtte B1
- immerse stone **AND** final reading
- alternative method: immerse stone **AND** catch overflow B1
- final reading – initial reading
- alternative method: reading on measuring cylinder B1
- (b) (i) mass, **NOT** with other quantity B1
- (ii) $(\rho =) m / V$ in symbols or words B1
- (c) attach weight to wood
- OR** different liquid
- OR** push down with stick M1
- accuracy mark must match method
- subtract volume of weight from total volume
- OR** new liquid less dense than wood
- OR** no part of stick in water / thin stick A1

Forces and Motion

- (a) (i) straight line OR constant gradient / slope OR
change in speed with time constant OR speed proportional to time B1
- (ii) increase in velocity / time OR $a = v/t$, symbols, words or numbers C1
0.75 m/s² A1
- (b) (i) decreases OR acceleration slows (down) NOT 'it slows down' C1
- (ii) equal to forward / downward force / force down slope OR
constant / maximum OR (giving) no resultant force C1
equal to component of weight (down slope) A1
- (iii) 1 graph starting at origin B1
curved from start AND decreasing gradient AND
horizontal final part B1
- 2 label A on any correct curved region B1
label B on horizontal region B1 [10]
- (a) in direction of the force Do not accept forward on its own. B1
- (b) changes direction / causes acceleration / stops straight line motion / keeps object
from leaving circle / keeps path circular / pulls object into circle B1
- (c) (i) 1. 600 N B1
2. same as his 1. accept 600 N if no value given in (c) (i) 1. B1
- (ii) ma OR 60×2.5 C1
150 N A1
- (iii) 750 N e.c.f. from (c) (i) 2 and/or (c) (ii) B1
- (iv) same as his (c) (i) 2 accept 600 N if no value given in (c) (i) 2. B1

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- (a) decreases / braking / decelerating)
 constant / steady / nothing) all 3 B1
 increases / accelerate)
- (b) speed x time in any form, symbols, numbers or words
 OR any area under graph used or stated C1
 13 (m/s) OR 24 (s) seen or used in correct context C1
 312 m A1
- (c) rate of change of speed OR gradient of graph OR 18/12 C1
 18 (m/s) OR 12 (s) seen or used in correct context C1
 1.5 m/s² A1
- (d) same gradient / slope OR equal speed changes in equal times OR
 allow graph symmetrical B1 [8]
- (a) (i) constant/steady/uniform speed/velocity OR speed/velocity = 2.5 (m/s) B1
 speed/velocity = 2.5 m/s accept fraction, average speed/velocity = 2.5 m/s B1 [2]
- (ii) shape curving upward but not to vertical, at least to 3.5 s unless reaches
 25 m B1 [1]
- (b) horizontal (straight) line OR careful sketch
 accept parallel to time/x-axis B1 [1]
- (c) tolerance on both axes $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ small square throughout both parts
- (i) horizontal straight line at 2.5 m/s from 0 to 2 s, ecf from (a)(i) B1
- (ii) straight line rising to the right as far as the edge of the graph area M1
 $\Delta v = 4 \text{ m/s}$ or gradient clearly 2 m/s^2 A1 [3]
- (d) horizontal (straight) line M1
 at 0 m/s A1 [2]
 accept for both marks: line in/along time/x-axis OR line with $y/v = 0$ OR careful sketch

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| (a) (i) | Increasing speed / acceleration | B1 | |
| (ii) | Constant / steady / uniform speed or motion | B1 | |
| (iii) | Decreasing speed / deceleration / braking / slowing / stopping / negative acceleration | B1 | |
| (b) (i) | (Total) distance / (total) time OR d / t OR 400 / 60
6.67 m/s at least 2 s.f. | C1
A1 | |
| (ii) | Mention of maximum gradient OR clear that whole or part of B to C is used
Use of correct data from graph to $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ square
Answer rounds to 9.2 to 9.4 m/s, at least 2 s.f. | C1
C1
A1 | |
| (a) (i) | a time from 12.5 – 14.9 s or 15.1 – 16.0 s *Unit penalty applies | B1 | |
| (ii) | a time from 0 – 2.5 s or 14.9 – 15.1 s *Unit penalty applies | B1 | |
| (iii) | a time from 2.5 – 12.5 s *Unit penalty applies | B1 | |
| (b) | (initially) weight/force of gravity and <u>air</u> friction/resistance act | B1 | |
| | it speeds up/accelerates and (air) friction/resistance increases | B1 | |
| | reaches terminal/constant velocity | B1 | |
| | (air) friction/resistance = weight or no resultant (force) or forces in equilibrium | B1 | |
| (c) | upwards | B1 | [8] |

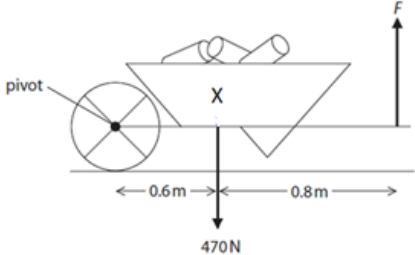
*Apply unit penalty once only

- (a) (i) $v = u + at$ OR $(a =) (v - u)/t$ OR $24 = a \times 60$ OR $24/60$ C1
 $0.4(0)\text{m/s}^2$ A1
- (ii) $(F =) ma$ OR $7.5 \times 10^5 \times 0.40$ C1
 $300\,000\text{N}$ OR 300kN A1
- (b) (i) in words or symbols $(P =) W/t$ OR $F \times d/t$ OR Fv C1
OR $7.2 \times 10^4 \times 24 / 1$ OR $7.2 \times 10^4 \times 24$ A1
 $1.7 \times 10^6\text{W}$
- (ii) gravitational/potential energy of train has to be increased B1
OR force acts down the slope/backward force acts (on train)
- (for the same distance moved) more work done has to be done OR energy B1
has to be provided (by the engine)
in the same time (so needs more power) B1

(a) (i)	Terminal (velocity);		1
(ii)	upward force = downward force / forces balanced / no resultant force / resultant force = 0; reference to $F = ma$ / reference to (Newton's) 1 st or 2 nd Law; no acceleration / acceleration = 0;	IGNORE descriptions of <i>reaching</i> terminal velocity	3
(iii)	faster speed / higher velocity / fell more quickly; Any one of – smaller (surface) area; Initially less resistive force / air resistance / drag; different time (to reach terminal velocity); less deceleration (before reaching terminal velocity);	NOT ACCEPT ' <u>no</u> air resistance' IGNORE upthrust	2
(b)	(Stopping distance) increased / further / longer; Suitable reason, e.g. Since less braking force / air resistance / drag / takes longer to decelerate / reduced deceleration / smaller resultant force;	IGNORE references to 'longer time' must be comparative, e.g. less / slower / longer	2

(a)	(stopping distance =) thinking distance + braking distance	Could be reversed	1
(b)	Any two of: as speed increases / car goes faster, the (thinking/braking/stopping) distance increases; as thinking distance increases so does braking distance; difference in pattern between thinking/braking distances identified; e.g: increase in thinking distance < increase in braking distance / increase in thinking distance is linear or proportional / increase (in braking / stopping) is non linear / WTTE	Ignore references to time Allow use of values from graph Reject: thinking distance proportional to braking distance	2
(c)	30 (m)	ALLOW any value from 28 to 32 m	1

(a)	(i) Substitution; Calculation; e.g. $m \times g = 0.454 \times 10 = 4.54 \text{ (N)}$			2
	(ii) Centre of gravity;	Centre of mass;		1
(b)	(i) force upwards; from top of nail;	Near vertical by eye In line with F_2		2
	(ii) Any two from: increase F_1 OR increase force (from hand); Increase d_1 OR increase distance of hand from pivot; Keep F_1 perpendicular to hammer;	use two hands use longer handle use longer hammer Ignore: references to d_2 distance from nail to pivot idea of bigger [rather than longer] hammer		2
			Total	7

(a)	(i)	work done = force \times distance (moved);	Accept correct symbols e.g. $W = F \times d$ $W = F \times s$	1
	(ii)	substitution; evaluation; e.g. (work =) 140×39 5500 (J)	5460	2
	(iii)	same answer as 5(a)(ii)	allow 'the same'	1
(b)	(i)	X in line with the weight arrow and vertically between the tail of the arrow and the top of the wheelbarrow (not including the logs); 	judge alignment with weight arrow by eye	1
	(ii)	moment = force \times (perpendicular) distance (from pivot);	condone $M = F \times d$ $M = F \times s$	1
	(iii)	principle of moments (stated or implied); total distance hand to pivot calculated; substitution showing either correct moment (or both); final rearrangement and evaluation; e.g. (total) clockwise (moment) = (total) anticlockwise (moment) (distance) = $0.6 + 0.8 = 1.4$ m $470 \times 0.6 = F \times 1.4$ $F = 470 \times 0.6 / 1.4 = 200$ (N)	accept 1.4 or $0.6 + 0.8$ seen in working accept 282 seen in working allow 201, 201.43 350, 352, 353, 352.5 gets 2 marks	4

(a)	momentum = mass x velocity OR 72×8 ; Calculation 580 (kg m/s) ;	Or equivalent rearrangement ACCEPT use of standard abbreviations i.e. $p = mv$ ALLOW 576 (kg m/s)	2
(b)	Substitution $920 \div 0.17$; Calculation 5400 (N) ;	REJECT Alternative incorrect unit for 1 mark ACCEPT $5410 / 5412 / 5411.7 \dots\dots 5411.8$ REJECT 5411	2
(c) (i)	Any two from: <u>Road</u> Weather-related e.g. wet / dry / rainy / icy ; Surface-related e.g. gravel / mud / freshly tarmaced / oily ; Gradient e.g. uphill / downhill ; <u>Car</u> Mechanical e.g. quality of tyres / brakes ; Momentum-related e.g. speed / number of passengers / mass ; <u>Driver</u> State of alertness e.g. tired / alcohol / drugs / mobile phone / other distractions ; Reaction time ;	ALLOW slippery if qualified	2

(a) (i)	momentum = mass x velocity;			1
(ii)	Substitution into correct equation; Calculation; e.g. momentum = $0.15 \times 6 = 0.9$;; Unit: kg m/s;	kg ms ⁻¹ Ns		3
(iii)	$0.9 = (0.15 + 0.05) \times v$; $v = 0.9 \div 0.2 = 4.5 \text{ (m/s)}$;	Ecf from 8(a) (ii) (i.e. answer for 8a(ii) $\div 0.2$ or answer for 8a(ii) $\times 5$)		2
(b)	The student is wrong; Because variables are not controlled; e.g. mass of cloth different, mass of (other) tins different, cloth velocity not measured	Student is right if the mass of the second cloth is 0.3 kg ;; Student is right if the momentum of the second cloth is 1.8 kg m/s ;; (assuming all tins are 0.05 kg / throws new cloth with exactly the same velocity)		2

(a)		Area under the graph (from 0 s to 3 s) ;	6 x 3 or 18 (m); area shaded on graph		1
(b)	(i)	Momentum = mass x velocity;	$p = m \times v$; accept rearrangements		1
	(ii)	Substitution in correct equation; Calculation; e.g. 6.4×6 = 38.4 kg m/s ;	Ns;		3
(c)	(i)	4.8 (m/s) ;			1
	(ii)	Idea that momentum is conserved; Substitution; Calculation; e.g. $p_1 = p_2 \quad / \quad m_1 \times v_1 = (m_1 + m_2) \times v_2$ $6.4 \times 6 = (6.4 + m_2) \times 4.8$ $m_2 = (38.4 \div 4.8) - 6.4 = 8 - 6.4$ = 1.6 (kg)	Allow e.c.f. from incorrect momentum calculation in (b)(ii) and /or incorrect velocity reading e.g.: Idea of conservation of momentum; $m_2 = [(b)(ii) \div (c)(i)] - 6.4$; correct evaluation of this; e.g. 5 m/s \rightarrow 1.28 kg Allow for one mark - A calculation that only leads to total mass e.g. = 8 kg;		3
				Total	9