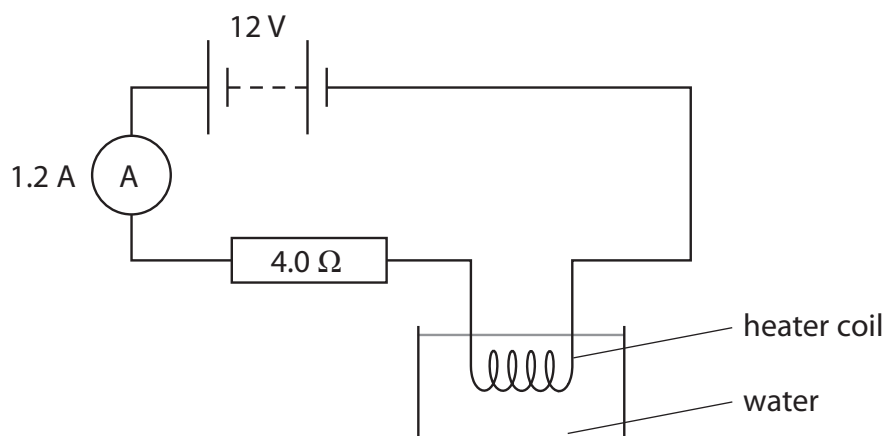


- 8 The diagram shows a heater coil and a resistor connected to a 12 V battery and an ammeter. The ammeter reading is 1.2 A.



- (a) (i) State the equation linking voltage, current and resistance.

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- (ii) Calculate the voltage across the 4.0 Ω resistor.

(2)

Voltage = V

- (iii) Show that the voltage across the heater coil is about 7 V.

(2)

- (iv) Calculate the energy transferred to the heater coil in 5.0 minutes.

(3)

Energy transferred = J



(v) At first, the temperature of the water increases.

After a while, the temperature reaches a steady value below the boiling point of water.

Explain why the temperature reaches a steady value.

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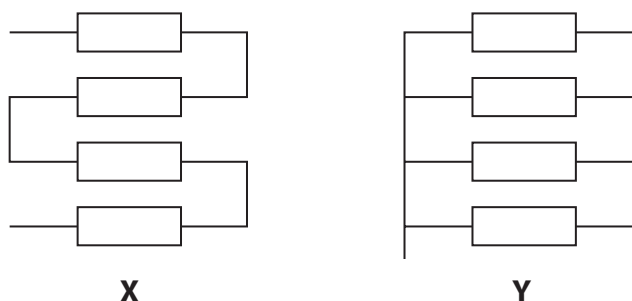
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(b) Resistors can be used as heating elements in the rear windows of cars.

The diagram shows two possible designs.



(i) Complete the table by placing a tick (✓) in the correct boxes.

(1)

Design	Series	Parallel
X		
Y		

(ii) Describe the advantages and disadvantages of design **X** when used as a heater in a car window.

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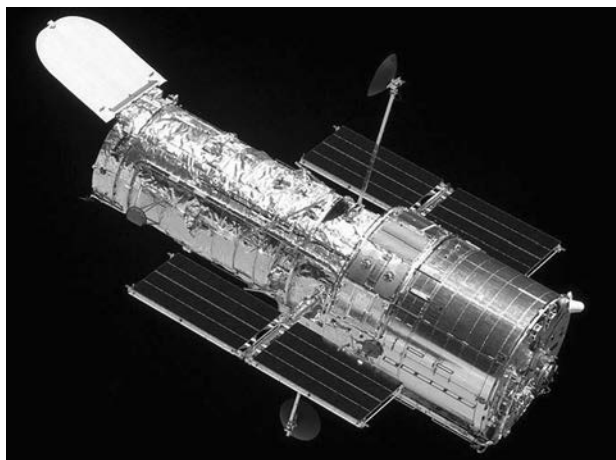
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- 9 The Hubble Space Telescope is in orbit around the Earth.

It detects visible light from distant objects.



- (a) Name the force that keeps the telescope in orbit around the Earth.

(1)

- (b) The Hubble Space Telescope moves in a circular orbit.

Its distance above the Earth's surface is 560 km.

- (i) The radius of the Earth is 6400 km.

Calculate the radius of the orbit of the Hubble Space Telescope.

(1)

Radius = km

- (ii) The Hubble Space Telescope completes one orbit in 96 minutes.

Calculate its orbital speed in m/s.

(3)

Orbital speed = m/s



(c) The Chandra Telescope also orbits the Earth, but does not move in a circular orbit.

Its distance from the Earth and its speed change as it orbits the Earth.

It travels fastest when it is closest to the Earth.

Use ideas about energy to explain why.

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(d) The Chandra Telescope detects X-rays from distant objects.

(i) State the name of the type of wave that includes X-rays and visible light.

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(ii) Describe **two** differences between X-rays and visible light.

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(Total for Question 9 = 11 marks)



10 A shopping centre has escalators to move people between floors.



(a) A man of mass 78 kg steps on to an escalator.

The escalator lifts him a height of 5.0 m.

(i) State the equation linking gravitational potential energy, mass, g and height.

(1)

(ii) Show that the gravitational potential energy gained by the man is about 4000 J.

(2)

(iii) State the work done on the man and give the unit.

(2)

Work done = Unit



(b) The escalator is powered by a 7.5 kW electric motor.

(i) State the equation linking efficiency, useful energy output and total energy input. (1)

(ii) The escalator lifts 30 people each minute.

Each person has a mass of 78 kg.

Calculate the efficiency of the escalator.

(3)

Efficiency =

(c) Another escalator has an efficiency of 20%.

Its input power is 15 kW.

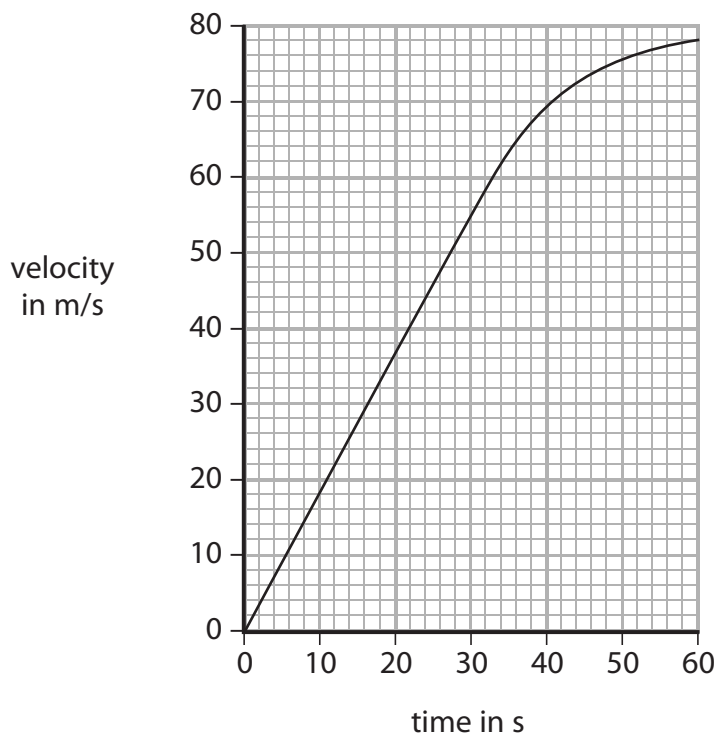
Draw a Sankey diagram for this escalator.

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(Total for Question 10 = 12 marks)



11 The graph shows how the velocity of an aircraft changes as it accelerates along a runway.



(a) Use the graph to find the average acceleration of the aircraft.

(3)

Acceleration = m/s^2

(b) Explain why the acceleration is not constant, even though the engines produce a constant force.

(3)

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(Total for Question 11 = 6 marks)



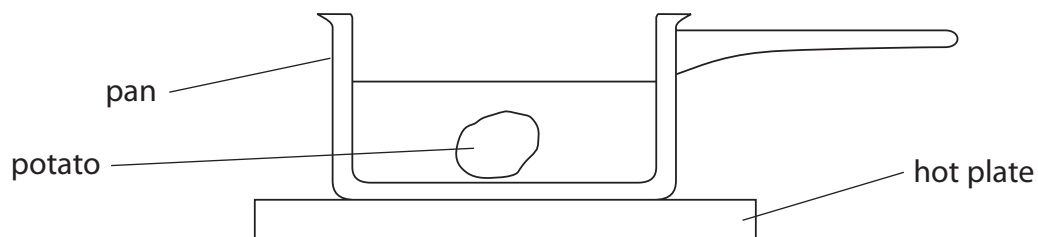
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12 This question is about three different methods used to cook potatoes.

(a) On a traditional cooker, a potato is placed in water in a pan on top of a hot plate.



Describe how energy is transferred from the hot plate to heat up all of the potato.

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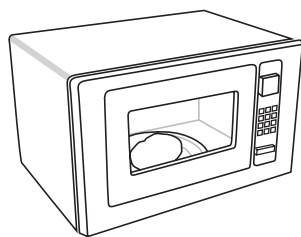
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(b) A microwave cooker is often said to 'cook the food from the inside'.



Explain whether this statement is true by describing how energy is transferred to heat up all of the potato.

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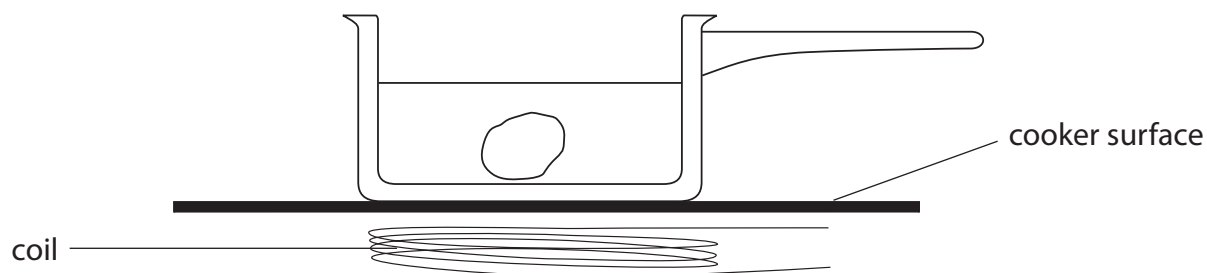
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(c) In an induction cooker, there is a coil under the surface of the cooker.



A potato is placed in water in a metal pan.

An alternating current is switched on in the coil under the pan.

The coil does not heat the surface of the cooker.

Describe how energy is transferred to heat up all of the potato.

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(Total for Question 12 = 12 marks)

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