

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
4 (a)	A helium <b>nucleus</b> / 2 protons and 2 neutrons/ 4 nucleons, 2 protons;	Ignore chemical symbol	1
(b) (i)	Arrow labelled Y, through X away from nucleus;  Line of action of force would pass through centre of nucleus by eye;		2
(ii)	Arrow labelled Z, opposite direction to their answer from b) (i) by eye;  Same size as their answer from b) (i) by eye;	If no arrow Y, condone correct direction for arrow Z, i.e. force arrow pointing away from point X.	2
(iii)	MP1 Force on alpha is repulsive;  MP2 Alpha and nucleus must be same (type of) charge;  MP3 Alpha is positive <b>therefore</b> nucleus is positive;	Allow 'like charges repel' for MP1 and MP2	3
4 (c)	Selection of $F = ma$ ;  Substitution or re-arrangement;  Evaluation;  e.g. $a = 3.6 / 6.6 \times 10^{-27} = 5.5 \times 10^{26} \text{ m/s}^2$	Can be implied from working  -1 for PoT error  Allow $5.45 \times 10^{26}$ , $5.454 \times 10^{26}$ , $5.4545 \dots \times 10^{26}$ etc Condone $5.4 \times 10^{26}$	3