

- 1 (a) The diameter d of a cylinder is measured as $0.0125 \text{ m} \pm 1.6\%$.

Calculate the absolute uncertainty in this measurement.

absolute uncertainty = m [1]

- (b) The cylinder in (a) stands on a horizontal surface. The pressure p exerted on the surface by the cylinder is given by

$$p = \frac{4W}{\pi d^2}.$$

The measured weight W of the cylinder is $0.38 \text{ N} \pm 2.8\%$.

- (i) Calculate the pressure p .

$p =$ Nm^{-2} [1]

- (ii) Determine the absolute uncertainty in the value of p .

absolute uncertainty = Nm^{-2} [2]

[Total: 4]