Question Number	Answer		Mark
19(a)	Use of trigonometry to calculate the parallax angle Or Use of trigonometry to calculate distance	(1)	
	(Smallest) parallax angle = 3.3×10^{-7} (rad) Or max distance = 6.25×10^{17} (m)	(1)	
	Comparison of calculated value with corresponding value in question with valid conclusion		
	Example of calculation $\sin \alpha = \frac{1.5 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}}{d}$	(1)	3
	$\alpha = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1.5 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}}{4.6 \times 10^{17} \text{ m}}\right) = 3.26 \times 10^{-7} \text{ rad}$		
	Or $\alpha = \left(\frac{1.5 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}}{4.6 \times 10^{17} \text{ m}}\right) = 3.26 \times 10^{-7} \text{ rad (small angle approximation)}$		
	Earth d 1.5 x 10 m		
	Sun α		
19(b)	The intensity (of radiation from the candle) is measured	(1)	
	The luminosity of the standard candle is known	(1)	
	The inverse square law is used to determine the distance [Accept reference to $I=L/4\pi d^2$ with symbols defined]	(1)	3
19(c)(i)	Axis labelled with T/K	(1)	
	Reverse logarithmic scale	(1)	
	6000 K in correct position on scale	(1)	3
	Example of graph labelling	(-)	
	1 (Z2) (Z5) (Z5) (10 ⁻⁶ (12 000) 6000 3000		
	7/K		

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	Description	Zone		
	High mass hot stars	Z1	(1)	
	Low mass cool stars	Z5	(1)	
	Low mass hot stars	Z2	(1)	

19(c)(iii)

This question assesses a student's ability to show a coherent and logically structured answer with linkages and fully-sustained reasoning.

Marks are awarded for indicative content and for how the answer is structured and shows lines of reasoning.

The following table shows how the marks should be awarded for structure and lines of reasoning.

	Number of marks awarded for structure of answer and sustained line of reasoning
Answer shows a coherent and logical	
structure with linkages and fully sustained	2
lines of reasoning demonstrated throughout	
Answer is partially structured with some	1
linkages and lines of reasoning	1
Answer has no linkages between points and	0
is unstructured	U

Total marks awarded is the sum of marks for indicative content and the marks for structure and lines of reasoning

IC points	IC mark	Max linkage	Max final
		mark	mark
6	4	2	6
5	3	2	5
4	3	1	4
3	2	1	3
2	2	0	2
1	1	0	1
0	0	0	0

Indicative content

- IC1 The star is fusing hydrogen in its core
- IC2 When fusion ceases (the core of the star cools and) the core collapses/contracts (under gravitational forces)
- IC3 The star (moves to Z4 as it expands and) becomes a red giant star
- IC4 Temperature (in the core) is high enough for helium fusion to begin
- IC5 Helium begins to run out and then fusion ceases
- IC6 The star becomes a white dwarf (in Z2)