

Mark Scheme (Results)

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Pearson Edexcel International Advanced Level In Physics (WPH14) Paper 01 Further Mechanics, Fields and Particles

Question number	Answer	Mark
1	The only correct answer is B muon Incorrect answers A antiproton is made of antiquarks C neutron is made of quarks D Pion is made of quark-antiquark	(1)

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2	The only correct answer is B The nucleus of the atom is positively charged because the deflection could have been caused by a concentration of negative charge Incorrect answers A,C,D these are clear conclusions	(1)

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3	The only correct answer is C because lepton number and charge are equal before and after the interaction Incorrect answers A lepton number is not conserved B charge is not conserved D lepton number is not conserved and charge is not conserved	(1)

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4	The only correct answer is A	(1)
	Incorrect answers	
	B a baryon cannot mix q and anti-q, a mson cannot be qq	
	C both have the wrong number of quarks	
	D both have the wrong number of quarks	

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5	The only correct answer is B increase the anode potential V because this will increase momentum and decrease de Broglie wavelength and decrease the angle Incorrect answers A this does not affect the angle C this does not affect the angle, just the intensity D this will increase the angle	(1)

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6	The only correct answer is D because this will decrease the rate of change of flux linkage and therefore the induced emf and therefore the current Incorrect answer A, B, C these will all increase the rate of change of flux linkage and therefore the induced emf and therefore the current	(1)

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7	The only correct answer is B because each sphere has half of the original kinetic energy and if ke is decreased by a factor of ½, speed is decreased by the square root of this Incorrect answers A,C,D	(1)

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8	The only correct answer is C because $E = V/d$ so these changes decrease the electric field strength and therefore the force on the particle and therefore the acceleration and therefore the angle Incorrect answers A,B,D – these all increase the electric field strength	(1)

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9	The only correct answer is B because $F = Bqv$ so $v=F/Bq$ Incorrect answers	(1)
	A,C,D	

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10	The only correct answer is D because short de Broglie wavelengths are needed to investigate the structure of nucleons at smaller scales Incorrect answers A these experiments are not about the creation of new particles B negative electrons do not experience repulsive electrostatic forces from positive protons or neutral neutrons C particle lifetime is not relevant as all of the particles involved are believed to be stable, as long as neutrons are in a nucleus	(1)

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11(a)	• Calculate period = $8.3 \text{ s} \div 10 = 0.83 \text{ s}$	
	or calculate $f = 10/8.3 \text{ s} = 1.2 \text{ Hz}$ (1)	
	• Use of $\omega = 2\pi / T$	
	$\mathbf{or} \ Use \ of \ \omega = 2\pi f \tag{1}$	
	$\bullet \omega = 7.6 \text{ rad s}^{-1} \tag{1}$	3
	Example of calculation	
	$T = 8.3 \text{ s} \div 10 = 0.83 \text{ s}$	
	Use of $\omega = 2\pi / T$	
	$\omega = 7.6 \text{ rad s}^{-1}$	
11(b)	• Use of $F = BIl \sin \theta$ (1)	
	• $F = 2.0 \times 10^{-3} \mathrm{N}$ (1)	
	• direction is out of page (1)	3
	Example of calculation	
	$F = 0.053 \text{ T} \times 1.1 \text{ A} \times 3.5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} \times \sin 80^{\circ}$	
	$= 2.0 \times 10^{-3} \mathrm{N}$	
	Total for question 11	6

Question number	Answer		Mark
12 (a)	• Evidence of $E_k = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$ and $p = mv$ • Correct algebraic link to $E_k = \frac{p^2}{2m}$ Example of derivation $E_k = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$ $[= m \times mv^2 / 2 \times m]$ $= (mv)^2 / 2m$ $[p = mv]$ $E_k = \frac{p^2}{2m}$	(1) (1)	2
12(b)	• Use of $F = Eq$ • Use of $W = Fs$ • Use of $E_k = p^2/2m$ • Or Use of $E_k = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$ and $p = mv$ in conjunction • Momentum = 9.33×10^{-20} kg m s ⁻¹ $\frac{\text{Example of calculation}}{F = 7.64 \times 10^6 \text{ V m}^{-1} \times 1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}}$ $= 1.22 \times 10^{-12} \text{ N}$ $W = 1.22 \times 10^{-12} \text{ N} \times 5.50 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$ $= 6.72 \times 10^{-15} \text{ J}$ $6.72 \times 10^{-15} \text{ J} + 6.42 \times 10^{-15} \text{ J} = 1.31 \times 10^{-14} \text{ J}$ $1.31 \times 10^{-14} \text{ J} = p^2 / 2 \times 3.32 \times 10^{-25} \text{ kg}$ $p = 9.33 \times 10^{-20} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$	(1) (1) (1) (1)	4
	Total for question 12		6

Question number	Answer	Mark
13	 Use of ΔE_{grav} = mgΔh Idea that centripetal force at top of loop equals weight for minimum speed Use of F = mv²/r Use of E_k = ½ mv² Add E_{grav} at top of loop and required E_k Or Subtract E_{grav} at top of loop from E_{grav} at launch (ΔE_{grav} at start of) 0.081 J is less than 0.089 J (for sum of E_{grav} at top of loop and required E_k, so insufficient energy), so it does not complete the loop Or (Height required of) 0.275 m is greater than 0.25 m, (the height of launch position, so insufficient energy), so it does not complete the loop Or E_k at height of top of loop would be 0.0097 J which is less than the required 0.071 J (so insufficient energy), so it does not complete the loop Or v at height of top of loop would be 0.77 m s⁻¹ which is less than the required 1.04 m s⁻¹ so it does not complete the loop Or mv²/r = 0.18 N which is less than weight of 0.32 N so it does not complete the loop Or mv²/r = 0.18 N which is less than weight of 0.32 N so it does not complete the loop Or mv²/r = 0.18 N which is less than man biguously using the formula for uniform acceleration v² = 2as, i.e. if the symbols are seen and substitution is from them and not from mgΔh = ½ mv² Example of calculation AE_{grav} at release point = 0.033 kg × 9.81 N kg⁻¹ × 0.25 m = 0.0809 J W = 0.033 kg × 9.81 N kg⁻¹ = 0.324 N At minimum speed W = mv²/r 0.324 N = 0.033 kg × 0.11 m v = 1.04 m s⁻¹ E_k = ½ × 0.033 kg × (1.04 m s⁻¹)² = 0.0178 J AE_{grav} at top of loop = 0.033 kg × 9.81 N kg⁻¹ × 0.22 m = 0.0712 J Total energy required to complete loop = 0.0178 J + 0.0712 J = 0.089 J 	6
	0.0809 J < 0.089 J Total for question 13	6

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		ssesses a student's kages and fully-sus		w a coherent and lo	ogically structured	
	Marks are awar shows lines of r		content and fo	or how the answer i	s structured and	
	The following t	able shows how the	e marks shou	ld be awarded for in	ndicative content	
	Number of indicative marking points seen in answer	Number of marks awarded for indicative marking points	Max linkag mark availa			
	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		
				Number of marks awarded for structure of answer and sustained line of reasoning	reasoning.	
	Answer shows structure with sustained lines demonstrated		gical	2		
		tially structured wi and lines of reason		1		
	1.1	o linkages between	1	0		

Total for question 14	6
 current produces magnetic field (by Lenz's law the) magnetic field (due to the induced current) produces a force (on the magnet) that opposes the motion of magnet causing it upward force on magnet, so (increased) downward force on tube 	6
Or change of flux linked to copper tube • e.m.f induced • full conducting path available, so current in metal	
Indicative content: • change of flux linked to surrounding metal	
Guidance on how the mark scheme should be applied: The mark for indicative content should be added to the mark for lines of reasoning. For example, an answer with five indicative marking points which is partially structured with some linkages and lines of reasoning scores 4 marks (3 marks for indicative content and 1 mark for partial structure and some linkages and lines of reasoning). If there are no linkages between points, the same five indicative marking points would yield an overall score of 3 marks (3 marks for indicative content and no marks for linkages).	

Question number	Answer		Mark
15 (a)	Resultant on correct triangle or parallelogram including arrows with a clear right angle between initial asteroid momentum and initial spacecraft momentum	(1)	
	• Fully labelled (dependent on MP1) Example of diagram: asteroid + spacecraft spacecraft asteroid - spacecraft	(1)	2
15 (b)	• Use of $p = mv$ • $p = 1.1 \times 10^7$ (N s) (minimum 2 s.f.) Example of calculation	(1) (1)	2
15 (c)	$p = 920 \text{ kg} \times 12\ 000 \text{ m s}^{-1} = 1.1 \times 10^7 \text{ N s}$ • Use of correct trigonometry • Angle = 1.5×10^{-7} (rad) (minimum 2 s.f.) Allow ecf from (b) $\frac{\text{Example of calculation}}{\tan \theta = 1.1 \times 10^7 \text{ N s} \div 7.6 \times 10^{13} \text{ N s} = 1.45 \times 10^{-7}}$ $(\theta = 8.3 \times 10^{-6})$ $\theta = 1.45 \times 10^{-7} \text{ rad}$ (Answer depends on rounding from (b), accept 1.4 or 1.5 rad)	(1) (1)	2
15 (d)	 Apply principle of conservation of momentum along path at 90° to original path of asteroid Component of velocity = 3.9 × 10⁻³ m s⁻¹ Allow ecf from (b) or (c) Example of calculation Component of velocity = spacecraft momentum ÷ (mass of spacecraft + mass of asteroid) = 1.1 × 10⁷ N s ÷ (920 kg + 2.8 × 10⁹ kg) = 3.9 × 10⁻³ m s⁻¹ 	(1) (1)	2
15 (e)	 Use of impulse = F Δt = Δp Concludes 1.8 × 10⁹ N s change in momentum from rocket engines is greater than 1.1 × 10⁷ N s change from impact Allow ecf from (b) Example of calculation Impulse = 5.1 × 10⁶ N × 6 × 60 s = 1.8 × 10⁹ N s 	(1)	2
	Total for question 15		10

Question Number	Answer		Mark
16 (a)	• Use of $E = Q/4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2$ Or Use of $E = kQ/r^2$ • Adds E due to X to E due to Y • $E = 2.8 \times 10^6 \text{ V m}^{-1}$ Example of calculation E due to $X = 2.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}/4 \times \pi \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F m}^{-1} \times (4.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})^2$ $= 1.4 \times 10^6 \text{ V m}^{-1}$ (towards Y) E due to $Y = 2.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}/4 \times \pi \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F m}^{-1} \times (4.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})^2$	(1) (1) (1)	3
16 (b) (i)	 = 1.4 × 10⁶ V m⁻¹ (towards Y) E = 1.4 × 10⁶ V m⁻¹ + 1.4 × 10⁶ V m⁻¹ = 2.8 × 10⁶ V m⁻¹ Central straight line equidistant from X and Y and at least one of the diverging lines between X and the central line and at least one of the diverging lines between the central line and Y At least one line looping X and one line looping Y Line spacing between X and Y smaller than line spacing to the left of X and to the right of Y Example of diagram	(1) (1) (1)	3

16 (b) (ii)	 Field lines show direction of force on a (positive) charge (So) field line shows the direction of acceleration 	(1) (1)	
	• Point A - Where the line is straight, a charge (initially at rest) will follow the line, so true in this case	(1)	
	Point B - Curved line means acceleration always changing direction but velocity is not in the direction of acceleration so statement not true	(1)	4
16 (c)	• Use of $V = Q/4\pi\epsilon_0 r$ Or Use of $V = kQ/r$	(1)	
	• Applies potential at each point is sum of potential due to charge at X and potential due to charge at Y	(1)	
	 Applies p.d. = sum of potentials at D – sum of potentials at C V = (-) 2.0 × 10⁵ V 	(1) (1)	4
	Example of calculation V_C due to X= 5.0 × 10 ⁻⁷ C / 4 × π × 8.85 × 10 ⁻¹² F m ⁻¹ × 2.5 × 10 ⁻² m		
	$= 1.8 \times 10^5 \text{V}$		
	$V_{\rm D}$ due to X= 5.0 × 10 ⁻⁷ C / 4 × π × 8.85 × 10 ⁻¹² F m ⁻¹ × 5.5 × 10 ⁻² m = 0.8 × 10 ⁵ V		
	$V_{\rm D}$ due to Y= -5.0 × 10 ⁻⁷ C / 4 × π × 8.85 × 10 ⁻¹² F m ⁻¹ × 2.5 × 10 ⁻² m = -1.8 × 10 ⁵ V		
	$V_{\rm C}$ due to Y = -5.0 × 10 ⁻⁷ C / 4 × π × 8.85 × 10 ⁻¹² F m ⁻¹ × 5.5 × 10 ⁻² m = -0.8 × 10 ⁵ V		
	$V_{\rm C} = 1.8 \times 10^5 \text{ V} - 0.8 \times 10^5 \text{ V} = 1.0 \times 10^5 \text{ V}$ $V_{\rm D} = -1.8 \times 10^5 \text{ V} + 0.8 \times 10^5 \text{ V} = -1.0 \times 10^5 \text{ V}$		
	$V_{\text{CD}} = V_{\text{D}} - V_{\text{C}}$ = -1.0 × 10 ⁵ V - 1.0 × 10 ⁵ V = -2.0 × 10 ⁵ V		
	Total for Question 16		14

Question number	Answer		Mark
17 (a)	 Battery in series with capacitor and resistor Voltmeter/datalogger/oscilloscope in parallel with capacitor Appropriate switching mechanism and discharge circuit completed Example of diagram: 	(1) (1) (1)	3
17 (b) (i)	 Exponential decline Symmetry with charging curve, starts at 6.00 V, curves cross at 3.00 V Example of graph 7.00 6.00 5.00 1.00 2.00 1.00 0.00 5.00 1.00	(1) (1)	2
17 (b) (ii)	• Use of $I = I_0 e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$ with $V = IR$ • Apply total p.d. = sum of p.d.s • Suitable algebra Example of derivation $I = I_0 e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$ $V_R = RI_0 e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$ $I_0R = V_0$ $V_R = V_0 e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$ $V_{cap} = V_0 - V_R$ $V = V_0 - V_0 e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$	(1) (1) (1)	3

17 (b) (iii)	 Use of V = V₀ (1- 1/e) = 0.63 V₀ for V at time constant Read time constant off graph = 4.9 s (allow range 4.5 s to 5.0 s) Use of time constant = RC C = 1.5 × 10⁻⁵ F, so choose 15 μF capacitor (C = 1.4 × 10⁻⁵ F to C = 1.5 × 10⁻⁵ F when rounded to 2 s.f.) Or	(1) (1) (1) (1)	
	 Draws tangent to line at t = 0 s to intercept p.d. = 6.00 V line Read time constant off graph = 4.9 s (allow range 4.5 s to 5.0 s) Use of time constant = RC C = 1.5 × 10⁻⁵ F, so choose 15 μF capacitor (C = 1.4 × 10⁻⁵ F to C = 1.5 × 10⁻⁵ F when rounded to 2 s.f.) 	(1) (1) (1) (1)	
	 Or Record corresponding values of V and t from point (or points) on graph Use of V = V₀ - V₀e^{-t/RC} Convert to correct logarithmic form C = 1.5 × 10⁻⁵ F, so choose 15 μF capacitor (C = 1.3 × 10⁻⁵ F to C = 1.5 × 10⁻⁵ F when rounded to 2 s.f.) 	(1) (1) (1) (1)	
	Or • $\frac{V_0}{2} = V_0 e^{-\frac{t_1}{2}}$ • $RC = t_{\frac{1}{2}} / \ln 2$ • Records time for V to increase to $\frac{1}{2} V_0$ (3.4 s) (allow range 3.0 s to 3.5 s) • $C = 1.5 \times 10^{-5}$ F, so choose 15 μ F capacitor ($C = 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$ F to $C = 1.5 \times 10^{-5}$ F when rounded to 2 s.f.)	(1) (1) (1) (1)	
	Example of calculation V at time constant time = $0.63 \times 6.00 \text{ V} = 3.8 \text{ V}$ Time from graph = 4.9 s $4.9 \text{ s} = C \times 3.3 \times 10^5 \Omega$ $C = 1.48 \times 10^{-5} \text{ F}$		4

17 (b) (iv)	• Use of $Q = CV$ (ecf for C from (iii))	(1)	
	• $Q = 9.0 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{C}$	(1)	
			2
	Example of calculation		
	$1.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ F} \times 6.00 \text{ V} = 9.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ C}$		
17 (b) (v)	• Use of $W = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$ (ecf for C from (iii))		
	Or Use of $W = \frac{1}{2} QV$ (ecf for Q from (iv))		
	Or Use of $W = \frac{1}{2} Q^2 / C$ (ecf for C from (iii), for Q from (iv))	(1)	
	• $W = 2.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J}$	(1)	2
	Example of calculation:		
	$W = \frac{1}{2} \times 1.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ F} \times (6.00 \text{ V})^2 = 2.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J}$		
	Total for question 17		16

Question number	Answer		Mark
18(a)	 Mass equal (to mass of electron) Charge equal and opposite (to charge of electron) Lepton number (equal and) opposite (to lepton number of electron) 	(1) (1) (1)	3
18 (b)	 Curvature more in top half of picture Particle moving slower after passing through lead plate because energy lost, so moving from lower half to top half (Applying FLHR,) field into page (mark dependent on an indication of correct direction of positron motion) 	(1) (1) (1)	3
18 (c) (i)	 Use of conversion factor 1.6 × 10⁻¹⁹ C Use of E_k = ½ mv² Calculated speed = 2.8 × 10⁹ (m s⁻¹), which is greater than the speed of light (so it must be relativistic) Example of calculation E_k = 23 × 10⁶ eV × 1.6 × 10⁻¹⁹ C = 3.7 × 10⁻¹² J 3.7 × 10⁻¹² J = 0.5 × 9.11 × 10⁻³¹ kg × v² v = 2.8 × 10⁹ m s⁻¹ 	(1) (1) (1)	3
18 (c) (ii)	• Use of $E = pc$ (ecf for E from (c)(i)) • Use of $r = p/Bq$ • $B = 2.1 \text{ T}$ Do not award MP1 if $p = mv$ calculated using v from part (i) $\frac{\text{Example of calculation}}{3.7 \times 10^{-12} \text{ J}} = p \times 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ $p = 1.2 \times 10^{-20} \text{ N s}$ $0.037 \text{ m} = 1.2 \times 10^{-20} \text{ N s} / B \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ $B = 2.1 \text{ T}$	(1) (1) (1)	3

18 (d)	• Use of $E_k = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$ • Use of $\Delta E = c^2 \Delta m$ • Use of $E = hf$ • $f = 1.2 \times 10^{20} \mathrm{Hz}$ Example of calculation $E_k = 2 \times 0.5 \times 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \mathrm{kg} \times (1.5 \times 10^7 \mathrm{m s^{-1}})^2$ $= 2.0 \times 10^{-16} \mathrm{J}$ $\Delta E = (3.00 \times 10^8 \mathrm{m s^{-1}})^2 \times 2 \times 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \mathrm{kg}$ $= 1.64 \times 10^{-13} \mathrm{J}$ Total energy = $1.64 \times 10^{-13} \mathrm{J} + 2.0 \times 10^{-16} \mathrm{J} = 1.64 \times 10^{-13} \mathrm{J}$ Energy for one gamma photon = $8.2 \times 10^{-14} \mathrm{J}$ $8.2 \times 10^{-12} \mathrm{J} = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \mathrm{J} \mathrm{s} \times f$ $f = 1.2 \times 10^{20} \mathrm{Hz}$	(1) (1) (1) (1)	4
	Total for question 18		16

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