

Question 1

(a) $[v] = \text{ms}^{-1}$

while $[\rho] = \text{kg m}^{-3}$
 $[E] = \text{kg m}^{-1} \text{s}^{-2}$ [B1]

$$[E/\rho]^2 = \left[\frac{\text{kg m}^{-1} \text{s}^{-2}}{\text{kg m}^{-3}} \right] = \text{m}^4 \text{s}^{-4} \text{ [M1]}$$

since unit of v is different from the unit of $(E/\rho)^2$, hence this equation is not homogenous... [A1]

(b) (i)

$$V = \frac{\pi}{4} d^2 h$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\Delta V}{V} &= \frac{2\Delta d}{d} + \frac{\Delta h}{h} \\ &= \frac{2(1)}{16} + \frac{1}{28} \text{ [C1]} \\ &= 0.1607 \\ &= 16\% \text{ [A1]} \end{aligned}$$

percentage uncertainty =16 %.... [2]

(b) (ii)

The student may use vernier caliper instead of ruler to measure both diameter and height since the dimension is small[B1]

OR:

the vernier caliper has smaller uncertainty of measurement / is more precise

OR [B1]

This can reduce the percentage of uncertainty of volume [B1]..... [2]

Question 2

(a) (i)

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

$$= 0.5 \times 70 \times 20^2 \dots\dots [C1]$$

$$= 14\,000 \text{ J} \dots\dots [A1]$$

$$\text{total kinetic energy} = \dots 14000 \dots\dots \text{J} [2]$$

(a) (ii)

$$E_p = mg\Delta h$$

$$= 70 \times 9.81 \times 10 \dots\dots [C1]$$

$$= 6867 \text{ J} \dots\dots [A1]$$

$$\text{loss of gravitational potential energy} = \dots 6900 \dots\dots [2]$$

(a) (iii)

$$\text{Gain of KE} > \text{loss of PE} \dots\dots [B1]$$

$$\text{Because cyclist does work} \dots\dots [B1]$$

$$\text{Energy is wasted (on the cyclist and cycle) due to the air resistance / friction or}$$

$$\text{transferred to thermal or heat} \dots\dots [B1] \quad [3]$$

(b) (i)

$$s = \frac{1}{2} (u + v) t$$

$$t = \frac{2 \times 150}{20} \dots\dots [C1]$$

$$= 15 \text{ s} \dots\dots [A1]$$

$$\text{time} = \dots \dots 15 \dots \text{s} [2]$$

(b) (ii)

$$F = ma$$

$$= 70 \times \left(\frac{0 - 20}{15} \right) \dots\dots [C1]$$

$$= -93.3 \text{ N} \dots\dots [A1]$$

$$\text{force} = \dots 93.3 \dots\dots \text{N} [2]$$

Question 3

(a) (i)

$$T = \frac{1}{4} mg$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \times 22000 \times 9.81 \dots \dots [C1]$$

$$= 5.40 \times 10^4 \text{ N} \dots \dots [A1]$$

$$\text{tension} = \dots 5.4 \times 10^4 \dots \text{N} [2]$$

(a) (ii)

$$\text{Moment} = F \times r$$

$$= 22000 \times 9.81 \times 32 \dots \dots [C1]$$

$$= 6.9 \times 10^6 \text{ Nm} \dots \dots [A1] \dots \text{unit} [A1]$$

$$\text{moment} = \dots 6.9 \times 10^6 \text{ Nm.} [3]$$

(a) (iii)

The counterweight [B1] provides a sufficiently large anticlockwise moment [B1] (about Q) or moment in opposite direction (to that of the container to prevent the crane toppling clockwise)

OR

Left hand pillar [B1] pulls down and provide anticlockwise moment [B1] [2]

(b) (i)

$$\text{Tensile stress} = F/A$$

$$= \frac{5.4 \times 10^4}{3.8 \times 10^{-4}} \dots \dots [C1]$$

$$= 1.42 \times 10^8 \text{ Pa} \dots \dots [A1] \dots \text{unit} [A1]$$

$$\text{stress} = 1.42 \times 10^8 \text{ Pa} \dots [3]$$

(b) (ii)

$$\text{Extension} = \frac{FL}{AE} \dots \dots [C1]$$

$$= \frac{1.42 \times 10^8 \times 25}{2.1 \times 10^{11}} \dots \dots [C1]$$

$$= 17 \text{ mm} \dots [C1] [3]$$

Question 4

(a)

meter show highest reading when the probe pass the antinode (where the amplitude is greatest),[B1]

and reading decreases till the probe reach node where the displacement is zero (or minimum).....[B1] ... [2]

(b)

$$\lambda = 2 \times 15 \text{ mm} = 0.030 \text{ m} \dots\dots\dots[\text{C1}]$$

$$f = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{3.0 \times 10^8}{0.030} = 1.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz} \dots\dots\dots[\text{A1}]$$

$$\text{frequency} = \dots 1.0 \times 10^{10} \dots\dots\dots \text{Hz} [2]$$

(c)

(f increase, λ decrease) the distance between consecutive zero reading is closer (Or is reduced by half Or 7.5 mm).....[B1] ... [1]

Question 5

(a) electrical force acting upwards to overcome the weight by gravity---[M1]

so, the particle is positively charge[A1] [2]

(b) (i)

$$E = \frac{V}{d} = \frac{300}{0.0062} \dots\dots\dots[\text{B1}]$$

$$= 4.839 \times 10^4 \text{ Vm}^{-1} \dots\dots\dots[\text{A1}]$$

$$\text{field strength} = \dots\dots 4.84 \times 10^4 \dots\dots \text{NC}^{-1} [2]$$

(b) (ii)

$$mg = qE \dots\dots\dots[\text{B1}]$$

$$q = \frac{mg}{E} = \frac{5.1 \times 10^{-15} \times 9.81}{4.839 \times 10^4} \dots\dots\dots[\text{B1}]$$

$$= 1.03 \times 10^{-18} \dots\dots\dots[\text{A1}]$$

$$\text{charge} = \dots 1.03 \times 10^{-18} \dots\dots\dots \text{C} [3]$$

- (c) increase electric field strength.....[B1] by decreasing the separation between two plates
[B1]
 OR increase electric field strength[B1] by increasing the p.d. across two plates
[B1]

Question 6

(a)

For 2 parallel 400 Ω resistors, $R_T = \left(\frac{1}{400} + \frac{1}{400} \right)^{-1} = 200\Omega$[B1]

$$R_T = 25 \Omega + 200\Omega$$

$$= 225 \Omega \text{[A1]}$$

$$\text{total resistance} = \text{.....}225\text{.....}\Omega [2]$$

(b) (i) $P = V^2 / R$
 $2.0 = V^2 / 200$
 $V = \sqrt{2 \times 200} \text{[B1]}$
 $V = 20 \text{ VA[1]}$

$$\text{p.d.} = \text{.....}20\text{..... V [2]}$$

(b) (ii) $I = V/R$
 $= 20 / 400$
 $= 0.05 \text{ A[B1]}$
 $\therefore \text{current} = 2 \times 0.05 = 0.10 \text{ A[A1]}$

$$\text{current} = \text{.....}0.10\text{..... A [2]}$$

(b) (iii)
 p.d across 25 Ω resistor = $25 \times 0.10 = 2.5 \text{ V[B1]}$
 max applied p.d = $20 + 2.5 = 22.5 \text{ V[A1]}$

$$\text{.d.} = \text{.....}22.5\text{.... V [2]}$$

Question 7

(a) (i)

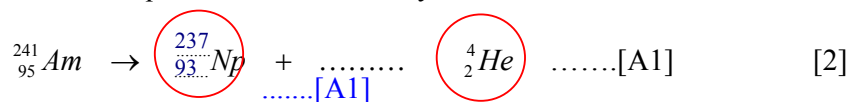
nucleus emits α - or β - particles and/or γ -rays[B1]

to become more stable [B1] [2]

(a) (ii)

decay unaffected by environmental changes [M1]

such as temperature, pressure etc. (one e.g. is sufficient) [A1]mmm..... [2]

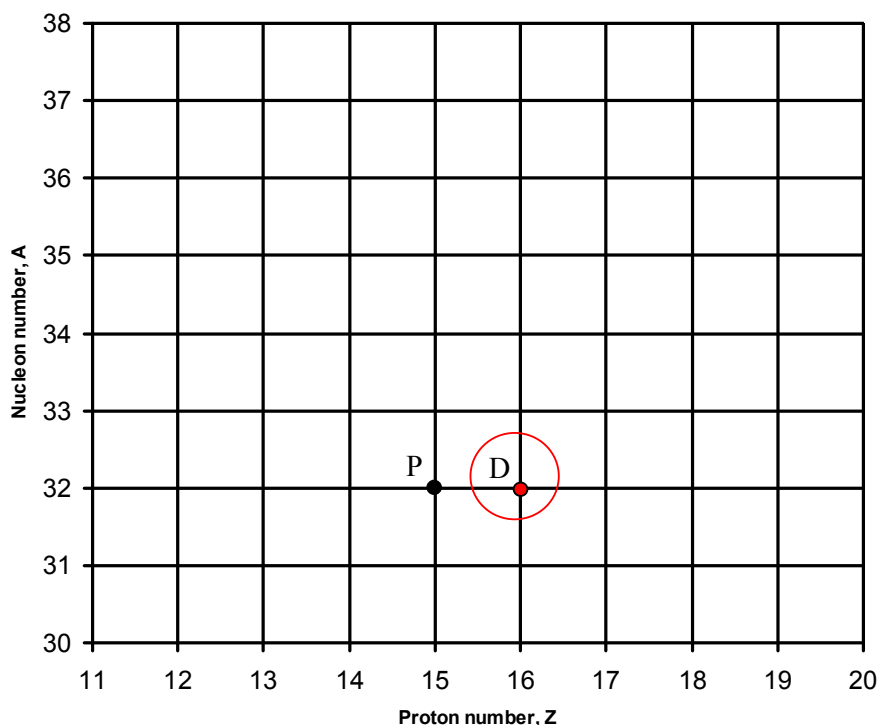
(b) (i) Complete the nuclear equation for the α -decay of a Americium -241 nucleus.

(ii) The unstable radioactive phosphorus isotopes have several modes of decay.

Phosphorus-32 decays by emission of a beta particle (an electron). Fig. 7.1 shows the position of Phosphorus-32 (${}_{15}^{32}\text{P}$) on a diagram in which nucleon number (mass number) A is plotted against proton number (atomic number) Z.

On Fig. 7.1, show this decay by labelling the position of the daughter product as D.

[1]

**Fig. 7.1**

.....[A1]