

# Markscheme

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Physics








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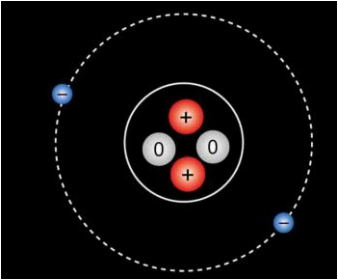
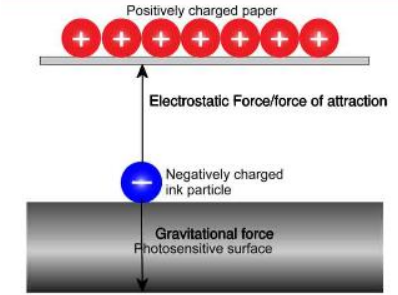
| Annotation  | Explanation  |
|---|--|
|    | Correct point, place at the point in the response where it is clear that the candidate deserves the mark. For use in analytically marked questions only. |
|    | Omission, incomplete   |
| CON   | Contradiction  |
|    | Valid part (to be used when more than one element is required to gain the mark)  |
|    | Error carried forward  |
|  | Dynamic annotation, it can be expanded to surround work  |
|  | Horizontal wavy line that can be expanded  |
|  | Highlight tool that can be expanded to mark an area of a response  |

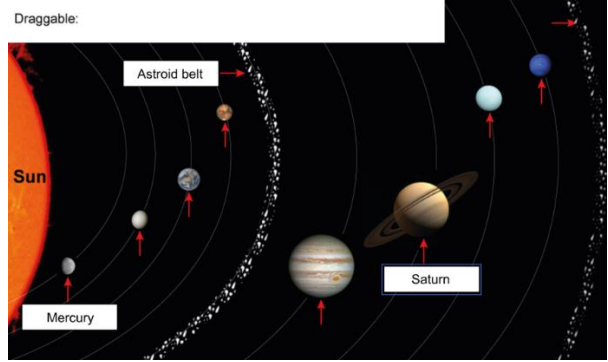
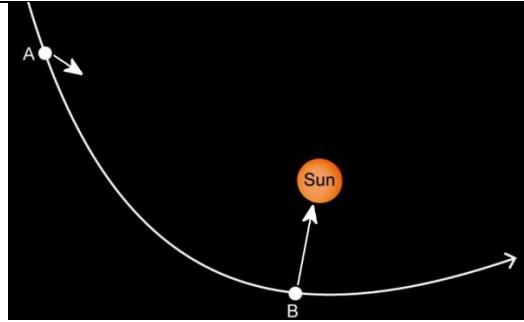
| Annotation  | Explanation  |
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|    | Not good enough  |
|    | The candidate has given a response but it is not worthy of any marks                               |
|    | Test box used for additional marking comments  |
|    | Seen; must be stamped on all blank response areas and on duplicate pages of concatenated responses |
|    | Vertical wavy line that can be expanded  |
|  | Words to that effect   |
|  | Award 1, 2, 3, 4 marks. For use in holistically marked questions only                              |

### Markscheme instructions

- 1 Mark positively. Give candidates credit for what they have achieved and what is correct. Do not deduct marks for incorrect responses.
- 2 Follow the markscheme provided and award only whole marks.
- 3 Each marking point appears on a separate line.
- 4 The maximum mark for each subpart is indicated in the “Total” column.
- 5 Where a mark is awarded a tick should be placed in the text at the precise point where it is clear the candidate deserves the mark.
- 6 Each marking point in a question part should be awarded separately unless there is an instruction to the contrary in the Notes column.
- 7 A question subpart may have more marking points than the total allows. This will be indicated by the word “**max**” in the Answer column. Further guidance may be given in the Notes column.
- 8 Additional instructions on how to interpret the markscheme are in bold italic text in the Answer column.
- 9 Alternative wording may be indicated in the Answer column by a slash (/). Either alternative is equally acceptable but the candidate cannot be rewarded for both as they are associated with the same marking point.
- 10 Alternative answers are indicated in the Answer column by “**or**”. Either alternative is equally acceptable but the candidate cannot be rewarded for both as they are associated with the same marking point.
- 11 If two related points are required to award a mark, this is indicated by “**and**” in the answer column.
- 12 Words in brackets ( ) in the Answer column are not necessary to gain the mark.
- 13 Words that are underlined are essential for the mark.
- 14 In some questions a reverse argument is also acceptable. This is indicated by the abbreviation *ORA (or reverse argument)* in the Notes column. Candidates should not be rewarded for reverse arguments unless *ORA* is given in the Notes column.
- 15 If the candidate’s response has the same meaning or is clearly equivalent to the expected answer the mark should be awarded. In some questions this is emphasized by the abbreviation *WTTE (or words to that effect)* in the Notes column.
- 16 When incorrect answers are used correctly in subsequent question parts the follow through rule applies. Award the mark and add ECF (error carried forward) to the candidate response.
- 17 The order of marking points does not have to be the same as in the Answer column unless stated otherwise.
- 18 Marks should not be awarded where there is a contradiction in an answer. Add CON to the candidate response at the point where the contradiction is made.
- 19 Do not penalize candidates for errors in units or significant figures unless there is specific guidance in the Notes column.
- 20 Questions with higher mark allocations will generally be assessed using a level response method using task specific clarifications developed with reference to the criteria level descriptors. A candidate’s work should be reviewed to determine holistically the mark for each row of the holistic grid and a mark awarded for each row.

| Question | Answers  | Notes  | Total | Criterion |
|----------|--|--|-------|-----------|
| 1<br>a   | <p>Universal Canvas Object<br/>Draggable labels:</p> <p>All correct</p>  |  | 1     | A         |
| b        | Celsius/(°)C <b>or</b> Kelvin/K<br><br>Joules/J <b>or</b> kilojoules/kJ  |  | 2     | A         |
| c        | <p><b>Feature of Dewar flask and named type of heat transfer [2 max]<br/>correctly linked scientific explanation [2 max]</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• silvered surface reflects (infra red) <u>radiation</u></li> <li>• so the sun's rays are reflected away from the ice</li> <li>• vacuum prevents <u>conduction</u></li> <li>• because conduction needs a medium and there is no medium for heat / (thermal) energy to transfer (from the surroundings) to the ice</li> <li>• insulated support prevents <u>conduction</u></li> <li>• heat / (thermal) energy cannot transfer through insulating materials and (so) cannot transfer (from the surroundings) to the ice</li> </ul> | <p><i>Do not accept reference to the stopper</i></p> <p><i>Accept references to moving particles</i></p> | 4     | A         |

|          |          |   |  |          |          |
|----------|----------|---|--|----------|----------|
| <p>2</p> | <p>a</p> |  <p>All correct</p>  | <p><i>Accept overlapping protons and neutrons</i></p>  | <p>1</p> | <p>A</p> |
|          | <p>b</p> | <p>Electrostatic force</p>  |  | <p>1</p> | <p>A</p> |
|          | <p>c</p> | <p>Positives and negative charges <u>attract</u> <b>or</b> there is an <u>attractive</u> force<br/><br/>(So) the ink sticks <b>or</b> is attracted to the paper to create the copy</p>  | <p><i>Ignore references to magnetism</i></p>   | <p>2</p> | <p>A</p> |
|          | <p>d</p> |  <p>single arrow pointing up at 90° to the photosensitive surface</p> <p>single arrow pointing down at 90° to the photosensitive surface</p> <p>labels: electrostatic (force) <b>or</b> gravitational force</p>   | <p><i>Ignore relative size of arrows</i></p> <p><i>Arrows must touch or be very close to touching the surface of the particle (judge by eye)</i></p> <p><i>Additional arrows are CON</i></p> <p><i>Award separately</i></p> <p><i>Accept weight or gravity</i></p> | <p>3</p> | <p>A</p> |
|          | <p>e</p> | <p>Force <b>or</b> attraction increases as the distance between charges <b>or</b> the oppositely charged surfaces decreases</p> <p>Distance needs to be small so the electric force can be greater than any opposing <b>or</b> downward force or weight</p> <p>Ink will then stick to the paper</p> | <p><i>Accept reference to attractive force from positive drum surface</i></p>  | <p>3</p> | <p>A</p> |

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| <b>3</b> | <b>a</b> | <p>Draggable:</p>  <p>Two correct – one mark</p> <p>All three correct – two marks</p>  |  | <b>2</b> | A |
|          | <b>b</b> | Distance <b>or</b> mass   |  | <b>1</b> | A |
|          | <b>c</b> |  <p>One arrow pointing towards the Sun</p> <p>Both arrows point in the direction of the Sun</p> <p>Arrow at A shorter than arrow at B</p> | <i>Judge by eye</i>                            | <b>3</b> | A |
|          | <b>d</b> | evidence of use of the correct equation   | <i>Seen or implied</i>                         | <b>2</b> | A |
|          | <b>e</b> | Selection of correct equation   | <i>Seen or implied</i>                         | <b>2</b> | A |
|          |          | 562 000 000 (kg) <b>or</b> $5.62 \times 10^8$ (kg)  | <i>Award two marks for the correct answer.</i> |          |   |
|          |          | 56 200 000 (N) <b>or</b> $5.62 \times 10^7$ (N)   | <i>ECF from part d</i>                         |          |   |

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| <b>4</b> | <b>a</b> | 100<br><br>kmh <sup>-1</sup>  | <i>Accept km/h. Do <b>not</b> accept kmh<sup>-1</sup> or unit written out as words</i>               | <b>2</b> | C |
|          | <b>b</b> | Only weight identified as the IV<br><br>Only air speed identified as the DV<br><br>Only CSA <b>and</b> shape identified as the CV   |  | <b>3</b> | B |
|          | <b>c</b> | As the weight increases, the air speed needed increases<br><br>Reference to air speed <sup>2</sup><br><br><b>Correct scientific information, for example [1 max]:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• reference to Newton's first law</li> <li>• description of forces in equilibrium (weight and drag)</li> </ul> | <i>Accept reference to gravitational force, do <b>not</b> accept gravity</i>                         | <b>3</b> | B |
|          | <b>d</b> | All balls have the same CSA<br><br>Balls with weight 1.20 N and 0.40 N are chosen<br><br>Only 5 balls chosen  | <i>No ECF from part b</i><br><br><i>Award the third mark only if the first two marks are awarded</i> | <b>3</b> | B |
|          | <b>e</b> | <b>Any two points from the following list [2 max]:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• greatest possible range</li> <li>• this will generate sufficient data</li> <li>• control variables held constant</li> </ul>   |  | <b>2</b> | B |
|          | <b>f</b> | Number of trials between 3 and 5<br><br><b>Any reasonable justification, for example [1 max]:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• it is difficult to spot outliers for fewer than three trials</li> <li>• you can be sure you have reliable data</li> <li>• you can calculate the mean/average</li> </ul>          | <i>Do <b>not</b> accept references to accuracy</i>   | <b>2</b> | B |



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| <b>5</b> | <b>a</b> | How does the CSA affect the air speed needed for it to float?   | <i>WTTE</i>  | <b>1</b> | B |
|          | <b>b</b> | 38 cm <sup>2</sup>  |  | <b>1</b> | D |
|          | <b>c</b> | <p><b>Column title:</b> CSA <b>and</b> unit</p> <p><b>Column title:</b> speed <b>and</b> unit</p> <p>Units in column header only</p> <p>All data recorded <b>and</b> arranged in order</p>  | <p><i>Accept area for CSA</i></p> <p><i>Accept table arranged in columns or rows</i></p> <p><i>Accept ecf from part b</i></p> <p><i>Accept either ascending or descending</i></p>  | <b>4</b> | C |
|          | <b>d</b> | <p>Graph C</p> <p>Allows for a straight line to be drawn</p> <p>Arranges IV and DV so that relationship can be determined</p>   |  | <b>3</b> | C |
|          | <b>e</b> | <p>(If hypothesis supported) a graph of <math>1/v^2 \sim \text{CSA}</math> would be a straight line (going through the origin)</p> <p>Graph C shows this trend</p> <p>(Therefore) the hypothesis is supported</p> <p><b>or</b></p> <p>(If hypothesis supported) two sets of data would show same constant</p> <p>Data used to demonstrate this</p> <p>(Therefore) the hypothesis is supported</p> | <p><i>Award one mark only if candidate has stated there is an (inverse) relationship</i></p> <p><i>Do <b>not</b> award the third mark unless either of the first two marks are awarded</i></p> <p><i>Seen or implied</i></p> <p><i>Do <b>not</b> award the third mark unless either of the first two marks are awarded</i></p> | <b>3</b> | C |
|          | <b>f</b> | <p>Repeats measurements <b>or</b> increases the number of trials</p> <p>Reduces the effect of (random) errors <b>or</b> increases reliability</p>   |  | <b>2</b> | C |

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| 6 | a | Scatter / line graph<br><br>Graph of weight against volume (of boat) below the water<br><br>x-axis: weight of boat <b>and</b> y-axis: volume of boat below the water  | <i>Accept displaced.</i> | 3 | C |
|   | b | <u>Straight</u> line through the points<br><br>Line goes through the origin   |                          | 2 | C |
|   | c | <b><i>Any reasonable improvement, for example: [2 max]</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• greater range</li> <li>• more trials</li> <li>• regular increment</li> </ul><br><b><i>Correctly linked effect, for example: [2 max]</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• gives more evidence for a proportional relationship over a greater range</li> <li>• reduces experimental uncertainty</li> <li>• better evidence for an observed trend</li> </ul> |                          | 4 | C |

|   |                                      |   |   |  |           |          |
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| d |                                      | <b>1 mark</b>   | <b>2 marks</b>  | <b>3 marks</b>   | <b>11</b> | <b>B</b> |
|   | <b>1. RQ<br/>(Research question)</b> | Research question links IV and DV   | Research question links IV and DV and refers to a control variable  |  |           |          |
|   | <b>2.E<br/>(Equipment)</b>           | Specific equipment for measuring mass of boat/cup eg top pan balance  | Specific equipment for measuring mass of boat/cup eg top pan balance, <b>and</b> equipment to monitor at least one control variable                               |  |           |          |
|   | <b>3. V<br/>(IV and DV)</b>          | IV identified as mass of salt (weight or density accepted) <b>or</b> DV identified as mass (weight) of boat/cup | IV identified as mass of salt (weight or density accepted) <b>and</b> DV identified as mass (weight) of boat/cup  |  |           |          |
|   | <b>4. M<br/>(Method)</b>             | Attempt at a method but detail is insufficient to follow  | Method described and could easily be followed by another student including reference to control of the control of displacement (eg measured line on the boat/cup) |  |           |          |
|   | <b>5. D<br/>(Data)</b>               | Method implies a range of values of the IV (eg. mass of salt added)   | Method implies a range of values of the IV (eg. mass of salt added) with at least 3 trials/repeats  | Method implies a range of values of the IV (eg. mass of salt added) with 3 trials/repeats <b>and</b> plans to calculate average (mean) |           |          |

| 7                    | a                   | Long enough half-life to record images<br>Short enough to prevent long term exposure   |   | 2  | D  |  |        |         |         |         |                      |                             |   |   |   |                         |                               |  |  |  |                      |                     |  |  |  |   |   |
|----------------------|---------------------|--|---|--|--|--|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|-----------------------------|---|---|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|----------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|---|---|
|                      | b                   | <p><b>Any two reasonable advantages, for example [2 max]:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• gamma rays are not blocked by bone or skin</li> <li>• they do not damage cells (by ionisation)</li> <li>• they can be detected by a gamma camera</li> </ul>   | <i>Do not accept references to half-life.</i> | 2  | D  |  |        |         |         |         |                      |                             |   |   |   |                         |                               |  |  |  |                      |                     |  |  |  |   |   |
| 7                    | c                   | <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>1 mark</th> <th>2 marks</th> <th>3 marks</th> <th>4 marks</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1. A<br/>(Advantages)</td> <td>A statement of an advantage</td> <td>A statement of two or more advantages<br/><b>or</b><br/>A statement of one advantages with an explanation</td> <td>A statement of two or more advantages with at least one explained</td> <td>A statement of two or more advantages with at least one explained <b>and</b> linked to the specific country</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2. D<br/>(Disadvantages)</td> <td>A statement of a disadvantage</td> <td>A statement of two or more disadvantages<br/><b>or</b><br/>A statement of one disadvantage with an explanation</td> <td>A statement of two or more disadvantages with at least one explained</td> <td>A statement of two or more disadvantages with at least one explained <b>and</b> linked to the specific country</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3. C<br/>(Conclusion)</td> <td>A simple conclusion</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> |   |  |  |  | 1 mark | 2 marks | 3 marks | 4 marks | 1. A<br>(Advantages) | A statement of an advantage | A statement of two or more advantages<br><b>or</b><br>A statement of one advantages with an explanation | A statement of two or more advantages with at least one explained | A statement of two or more advantages with at least one explained <b>and</b> linked to the specific country | 2. D<br>(Disadvantages) | A statement of a disadvantage | A statement of two or more disadvantages<br><b>or</b><br>A statement of one disadvantage with an explanation | A statement of two or more disadvantages with at least one explained | A statement of two or more disadvantages with at least one explained <b>and</b> linked to the specific country | 3. C<br>(Conclusion) | A simple conclusion |  |  |  | 9 | D |
|                      |                     |  | 1 mark  | 2 marks  | 3 marks  | 4 marks  |        |         |         |         |                      |                             |   |   |   |                         |                               |  |  |  |                      |                     |  |  |  |   |   |
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| <b>8</b> |  |   | <b>1 mark</b>  | <b>2 marks</b>   | <b>3 marks</b>  | <b>4 marks</b>  | <b>11</b> | <b>D</b> |
|          |  | <b>1. Ad/Dis<br/>(Advantages and disadvantages)</b> | States either an advantage <i>or</i> disadvantage                      | An advantage <i>and</i> disadvantage   | An advantage <i>and</i> disadvantage <i>one</i> of which is supported with scientific understanding | An advantage <i>and</i> disadvantage <i>both</i> of which are supported with scientific understanding |           |          |
|          |  | <b>2. P<br/>(Political implications)</b>            | General reference to a factor relating to government or public affairs | Specific reference to a factor relating to government or public affairs with an example (eg public safety) | More than one specific reference to a governmental responsibility each with an example              |   |           |          |
|          |  | <b>3. E<br/>(Environmental implications)</b>        | General reference to an environmental implication                      | A specific environmental implication with an example   |   |   |           |          |
|          |  | <b>4. A<br/>(Appraisal)</b>                         | A simple conclusion  | A concluding appraisal with reference to issues raised   |   |   |           |          |