

Mark schemes

Q1.		
(a)	D	1
(b)	C	1
(c)	$W = 300 \times 45$	1
	$W = 13\,500$	1
	<i>allow 13 500 with no working shown for 2 marks</i>	
(d)	straight line drawn from 13 m / s to 0 m / s	1
	finishing on x-axis at 65 s	1
		[6]
Q2.		
(a)	(i) 100 (m)	1
	(ii) stationary	1
	(iii) accelerating	1
	(iv) tangent drawn at $t = 45$ s	1
	<i>attempt to determine slope</i>	1
	speed in the range 3.2 – 4.2 (m / s) <i>dependent on 1st marking point</i>	1
(b)	(i) 500 000 (J) <i>ignore negative sign</i>	1
	(ii) 20 000 (N) <i>ignore negative sign</i> <i>allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie</i> $500\,000 = F \times 25$ or <i>their part (b)(i) = F × 25</i> <i>provided no subsequent step</i>	2

- (iii) *(kinetic) energy transferred by heating* 1
- to the brakes
- ignore references to sound energy*
- if no other marks scored allow k.e. decreases for 1 mark* 1
- [11]**
- Q3.**
- (a) 450
- allow 1 mark for correct substitution,*
- ie $18 \times 10 \times 2.5$ provided no subsequent step shown* 2
- (b) (i) friction between child ('s clothing) and slide
- accept friction between two insulators*
- accept child rubs against the slide*
- accept when two insulators rub (together)* 1
- causes electron / charge transfer (between child and slide)
- accept specific reference, eg electrons move onto / off the child / slide*
- reference to positive electrons / protons / positive charge / atoms transfer negates this mark*
- answers in terms of the slide being initially charged score zero* 1
- (ii) all the charges (on the hair) are the same (polarity)
- accept (all) the charge/hair is negative / positive*
- accept it is positive/negative* 1
- charges / hairs are repelling
- both parts should be marked together* 1
- (iii) charge would pass through the metal (to earth)
- accept metal is a conductor*
- accept metal is not an insulator*
- accept there is no charge / electron transfer*
- accept the slide is earthed*
- accept metals contain free electrons* 1
- [7]**

Q4.

- (a) (i) friction 1

- (ii) air resistance
accept drag
friction is insufficient

1

- (iii) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Written Communication (QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also refer to the information on page 5, and apply a 'best-fit' approach to the marking.

0 marks

No relevant content.

Level 1 (1–2 marks)

There is an attempt to explain in terms of forces A and B why the velocity of the cyclist changes between any two points

or

a description of how the velocity changes between any two points.

Level 2 (3–4 marks)

There is an explanation in terms of forces A and B of how the velocity changes between X and Y and between Y and Z

or

a complete description of how the velocity changes from X to Z.

or

an explanation and description of velocity change for either X to Y or Y to Z

Level 3 (5–6 marks)

There is a clear explanation in terms of forces A and B of how the velocity changes between X and Z

and

a description of the change in velocity between X and Z.

examples of the points made in the response

extra information

X to Y

- at X force A is greater than force B
- cyclist accelerates
- and velocity increases
- as cyclist moves toward Y, force B (air resistance) increases (with increasing velocity)
- resultant force decreases
- cyclist continues to accelerate but at a smaller value
- so velocity continues to increase but at a lower rate

Y to Z

- from Y to Z force B (air resistance) increases
- acceleration decreases
- force B becomes equal to force A
- resultant force is now zero
- acceleration becomes zero
- velocity increases until...
- cyclist travels at constant / terminal velocity

accept speed for velocity throughout

6

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution,
ie 140×24 provided no subsequent step
accept 3400 for 2 marks if correct substitution is shown*

2

joule / J

*do **not** accept j*

*do **not** accept Nm*

1

(ii) decreases

accept an alternative word / description for decrease

do not accept slows down

1

temperature

accept thermal energy

accept heat

1

[13]

Q5.

(a) (i) gravitational potential (energy)

1

(ii) kinetic (energy)

1

(b) (i) slope or gradient

1

(ii) area (under graph)

*do **not** accept region*

1

(iii) starts at same y-intercept

1

steeper slope than original and cuts time axis before original

the entire line must be below the given line

allow curve

1

(c) (i) 31
and
31

*correct answers to 2 significant figures gains 3 marks even if
no working shown*

both values to more than 2 significant figures gains 2 marks:

30.952.....

30.769.....

65 / 2.1 and / or

80 / 2.6 gains 1 mark

if incorrect answers given but if both are to 2 significant

figures allow 1 mark

- (ii) student 1 incorrect because $80 \neq 65$ 3
- student 2 correct because average velocities similar 1
ecf from (c)(i)
- student 3 incorrect because times are different 1

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Q6.

- (a) potential 1

- (b) (i) 13 200 2
allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie 660×20 provided no subsequent step shown

- (ii) 16.5 2
allow 1 mark for correct

or

- $\frac{\text{their (b)(i)}}{800}$ correctly calculated 2
substitution, ie $\frac{13\,200}{800}$ or $\frac{\text{their (b)(i)}}{800}$
provided no subsequent step shown

[5]

Q7.

- (a) (i) distance vehicle travels during driver's reaction time 1
accept distance vehicle travels while driver reacts
- (ii) any **two** from:
 - tiredness
 - (drinking) alcohol
 - (taking) drugs
 - speed
 - age

accept as an alternative factor distractions, eg using a mobile phone

2

- (b) (i) 320 000
 allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie $\frac{1}{2} \times 1600 \times 20^2$
 provided no subsequent step shown 2
- (ii) 320000 **or** their (b)(i) 1
- (iii) 40
or
their (b)(ii)
 8000 correctly calculated
 allow 1 mark for statement work done = KE lost
or
 allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie
 8000 \times distance = 320 000 **or** their (b)(ii) 2
- (iv) any **one** from:
 • icy / wet roads
 accept weather conditions
 • (worn) tyres
 • road surface
 • mass (of car and passengers)
 accept number of passengers
 • (efficiency / condition of the) brakes 1
- (v) (work done by) friction
 (between brakes and wheel)
 do **not** accept friction between road and tyres / wheels 1
 (causes) decrease in KE and increase in thermal energy
 accept heat for thermal energy accept
 KE transferred to thermal energy 1
- (c) the battery needs recharging less often
 accept car for battery 1
- or**
 increases the range of the car
 accept less demand for other fuels **or** lower emissions **or**
 lower fuel costs
 environmentally friendly is insufficient

as the efficiency of the car is increased
accept it is energy efficient

1

the decrease in (kinetic) energy / work done charges the battery (up)
accept because not all work done / (kinetic) energy is wasted

1

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Q8.

(a) gravitational / gravity / weight

do not accept gravitational potential

1

(b) accelerating

accept speed / velocity increases

1

the distance between the drops increases

1

but the time between the drops is the same

*accept the time between drops is (always) 5 seconds
 accept the drops fall at the same rate*

1

(c) (i) any **one** from:

- speed / velocity
- (condition of) brakes / road surface / tyres
- weather (conditions)

*accept specific examples, eg wet / icy roads
 accept mass / weight of car friction is insufficient
 reference to any factor affecting thinking distance negates
 this answer*

1

(ii) 75 000

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie 3000×25 provided
 no subsequent step shown
 or allow 1 mark for an answer 75
 or allow 2 marks for
 75 k(+ incorrect unit), eg 75 kN*

2

joules / J

*do not accept j
 an answer 75 kJ gains 3 marks
 for full marks the unit and numerical answer must be
 consistent*

1

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Q9.

(a) 1800 (N)

allow 1 mark for correct substitution ie 180×10 provided no further steps shown

2

(b) 3780

or
their (a) $\times 2.1$ correctly calculated

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution
ie 1800 **or** their (a) $\times 2.1$ provided no further steps shown*

2

joule

*accept J
accept any clear indication of correct answer*

1

(c) 0

reason does not score if 0 not chosen

1

work is only done when a force makes an object move

*accept distance moved is zero
accept no energy transfer (to the bar)
accept the bar is not moving/is stationary
'it' refers to the bar/weights*

1

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Q10.

(a) (i) 24

*allow 1 mark for converting time to 600 seconds
or showing method ie $14400/10$*

$$\frac{14400}{10 \times 60}$$

provided no further steps shown

2

(ii) 24

ignore any unit

or
their (a)(i)

1

(b) (i) 20 45

***both** required – either order*

1

(ii) the block transfers energy to the surroundings

1

[5]

Q11.

(a) 98

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution
ie $\frac{1}{2} \times 0.16 \times 35 \times 35$ provided no subsequent step shown
an answer of 98 000 scores 0*

2

(b) (i) 9.6

*allow 1 mark for (change in velocity =) 60
ignore negative sign*

2

(ii) 9600

ignore negative sign

or

their (b)(i) $\div 0.001$ correctly calculated, unless (b) (i) equals 0

1

(c) increases the time

1

to reduce/change momentum (to zero)

only scores if 1st mark scored

*decreases rate of change of momentum scores both marks
provided there are no contradictions*

accept decreased acceleration/deceleration

equations on their own are insufficient

1

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Q12.

(a) (i) horizontal arrow pointing to the left

judge by eye

drawn anywhere on the diagram

1

(ii) 60 (N)

1

(at steady speed) resultant force must be zero

accept forces must balance/are equal

accept no acceleration

*do **not** accept constant speed*

1

(b) 1680

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie 60×28 provided no
subsequent step shown*

2

joule

accept J

do not accept j

1

[6]

Q13.

(a) (i) 720

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution,
ie 72×10 provided no subsequent step shown*

2

(ii) 720
or
their (a)(i)

1

(b) (i) gravitational potential
*allow gravitational
allow potential*

1

(ii) 432

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie $\frac{21600}{50}$ provided no
subsequent step shown*

2

watt / W

1

[7]

Q14.

(a) (i) (connect) 30 (cells)

1

in series

1

(ii) current always flows in the same direction
or
current only flows one way

1

(iii) 36 000

*allow 1 mark for correctly converting 2 hours to 7200
seconds
answers 10 or 600 score 1 mark*

2

coulombs / C
*do **not** accept c*

1

(b) (i) 2160

*allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie $\frac{1}{2} \times 120 \times 6^2$
answers of 1620 or 540 score 1 mark*

(ii) reduce it

1

any **one** from:

- draws a larger current (from battery)
- motor draws greater power (from battery)
accept energy per second for power
accept more energy needed to move the bicycle
- greater resistance force (to motion) / air resistance / drag / friction
accept less streamlined
more mass to carry is insufficient

1

[10]

Q15.

(a) 572

allow 1 mark for correct substitution,

ie 220×2.6

allow 1 mark for

$220 \times 260 = 57\,200$

or

$220 \times 2600 = 572\,000$

but to score this mark the entire calculation must be shown

2

(b) (i) smooth curve drawn

accept a line that is extrapolated back to 0 degrees, but not through the origin

accept a straight line of best fit (point at 40 degrees can be treated as anomalous and line may stop at 30 degrees)

*do **not** accept straight lines drawn 'dot to dot' or directly from first to last point or a line going through the origin*

1

(ii) increases

accept a positive correlation

*do **not** accept proportional*

1

(iii) long plank

no mark for this, the marks are for the explanation

makes the angle small(er) (than a short plank)

accept increases the distance

accept small(er) slope

1

a small(er) force is needed

or
short plank
no mark for this, the marks are for the explanation

a large(r) force is used over a short(er) distance (1)

less work done (1)
accept less energy transfer

1

[6]

Q16.

(a) (i) 75 000

*accept correct substitution for 1 mark
ie 7500×10*

2

newtons / N

*do **not** accept n
full credit for using $g = 9.8$ **or** 9.81*

1

(ii) 60 000 000

*accept for both marks
their (a)(i) $\times 800$ correctly calculated
accept correct substitution for 1 mark
ie their (a)(i) $\times 800$*

2

(b) (i) arrow drawn parallel (to) **and** down (the) slope

accept arrow drawn anywhere on the diagram

1

(ii) increases

1

GPE transformed to KE

or

speed increasing

*accept is accelerating
however 'speed increasing' only scores if correctly linked to
increasing kinetic energy*

1

(c) so more likely to wear one

or

they know wearing a helmet is likely to / will reduce (risk) head injury

or

so can make an (informed) choice (about wearing one)

1

[9]

Q17.

- (a) (i) 50 (N)
ignore any units 1
- (ii) resultant force 1
- (iii) 4000
accept their (a)(i) × 80 correctly calculated for 2 marks
allow 1 mark for correct substitution i.e. 50 × 80 or their (a)(i) × 80
ignore any units 2
- (b) (i) joule 1
- (ii) heat 1
- [6]**

Q18.

- (a) 47250
answers of 1350/ 33750/ 48600 gain 1 mark
allow 1 mark for correct substitution using both 18 and 3 2
- (b) (i) 47250 or their (a)
accept statement 'same as the KE (lost)'
ignore any units 1
- (ii) transformed into heat/ thermal energy
sound on its own is insufficient
accept transferred/ lost/ for transformed
*do **not** accept any other form of energy included as a list* 1
- [4]**

Q19.

- (a) (i) a single force that has the same effect as all the forces combined
accept all the forces added / the sum of the forces / overall force 1
- (ii) constant speed (in a straight line)
*do **not** accept stationary*
or constant velocity 1
- (b) 3
allow 1 mark for correct substitution into transformed equation
accept answer 0.003 gains 1 mark

answer = 0.75 gains 1 mark

2

m/s²

1

- (c) as speed increases air resistance increases
accept drag / friction for air resistance

1

reducing the resultant force

1

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Q20.

- (a) concentration / tiredness / drugs / alcohol

accept any reasonable factor that could affect a driver's reactions

do **not** accept speed or any physical condition unrelated to the driver

1

- (b) 31.25

credit for 1 mark correct attempt to calculate the area under the slope **or** for using the equation

distance = average velocity (speed) × time

credit for 1 mark use of correct velocity change (12.5) and correct time (5) **or** answer of 62.5

3

- (c) 2.5

credit for 1 mark triangle drawn on slope **or** correct equation **or** two correct pairs of coordinates

credit for 1 mark use of correct velocity change (12.5) and correct time (5)

accept time = between 4.8 and 5.2 if used in (b)

do not accept an attempt using one pair of coordinates taken from the slope

3

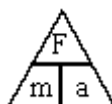
metres / second / second **or** metres / second / squared **or** m/s² **or** ms⁻²

1

- (d) (i) force = mass × acceleration

accept correct transformation

accept $F = m \times a$



accept provided subsequent use of Δ is correct

do **not** accept an equation in units

1

- (ii) 2250

credit their (c) × 900 for 2 marks
credit 1 mark for correct substitution

2

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Q21.

(a) (i) kinetic energy = $\frac{1}{2} \times \text{mass} \times \text{speed}^2$

accept $ke = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$

do **not** accept $KE = \frac{1}{2} ms^2$

1

(ii) 13

allow 1 mark for correct substitution or transformation

2

(b)

if B is at the top of the curve - **no** marks

PE at A maximum

PE at B minimum

PE at C just less than **or** = to A

do **not** accept wavy lines **or** very non-symmetrical

accept straight lines or curves

1

difference between A and B is 5000 to 5200

1

[5]

Q22.

(a) (i) work (done) = force (applied) × distance (moved)

accept $W = F \times s$ or $W = F \times d$



accept  provided subsequent method is correct

1

(ii) 240 000

allow 1 mark for correct substitution **or** correct use of 1200 (N)

2

joules

accept J

do **not** accept j / Nm

1

(b) 800 (watts)

accept 0.8 kW
 accept their (a)(ii) ÷ 300 correctly evaluated for 2 marks
 allow 1 mark for correct substitution
 (a)(ii) ÷ 5 correctly evaluated for 1 mark

2

(c) (i) any **one** from:

- needs to raise the chair / lift
- lifting more than one chair
 allow lifting more than 2 people
 implication of a heavier weight
- energy transfer to the surroundings
 correctly qualified
 accept loss for transfer
 do **not** accept motor inefficient
 do **not** accept motor gets hot
 do **not** accept friction unless the location is specified as
 external to the motor

1

(ii) electrical

accept electric

potential

both answers required for the mark

1

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Q23.

(a) (i) gpe = weight × height

accept $E_p = mgh$
 accept $pe = mgh$

1

(ii) 1200

accept values using 9.8 (1)
 allow 1 mark for correct substitution

2

(b) (i) 120

accept $\frac{\text{their (a)(ii)} \times 6}{60}$

1

(ii) 300

allow $b(i) \div 0.4$ for both marks
 allow 1 mark for correct transformation

2

[6]

Q24.

(i) kinetic energy = $\frac{1}{2} \times \text{mass} \times \text{speed}^2$

accept velocity for speed

accept $KE = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$

1

(ii) 32 000

accept 32 kJ

1

[2]

Q25.

(a) (i) gravitational potential

accept gravitational

accept potential

1

(ii) 2250 (N)

1

forces must be balanced

or

forces are equal and opposite

*do **not** accept because it is not moving*

*do **not** accept 'equilibrium' by itself*

*do **not** accept 'it is not balanced'*

*do **not** accept 'forces are equal'*

*do **not** accept 'forces are the same'*

1

(b) 1500

1 mark for correct substitution

2

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Q26.

(a) (i) linear scales used

do not credit if less than half paper used

1

points plotted correctly

all of paper used

1

(straight) line of best fit drawn

allow a tolerance of \pm half square

1

(ii) correct **and** straight line through origin

all needed
e.c.f. if their (a)(i) is straight but not through the origin -
incorrect because line does not go through origin
credit a calculation that shows proportionality

1

- (iii) 62 ± 0.5 (m)
credit 1 mark for $KE = 490000$ or $490kJ$
credit 1 mark for correct use of graph clearly shown

2

- (iv) any **one** from: wet or icy or worn or smooth road
accept slippery slope

brakes worn
accept faulty brakes

car heavily loaded
worn tyres
downhill slope

do not accept anything to do with thinking distance e.g.
driver tired or drunk

1

- (b) (i) acceleration = $\frac{\text{change in velocity}}{\text{time taken}}$

accept correct transformation

accept $\frac{v - u}{t} = a$

accept $m/s^2 = \frac{m/s}{s}$

do **not** accept acceleration = $\frac{\text{velocity}}{\text{time}}$

1

- (ii) 56
accept -56

1

- (iii) deceleration is reduced
accept deceleration is slower
accept acceleration

1

force on car and or passengers is reduced
accept an answer in terms of change in momentum for full
credit

1

Q27.

- (a) potential; bucket/pulley
for 1 mark each 2
- (b) 300
gains 2 marks
- else working
gains 1 mark 2

[4]

Q28.

- (a) (i) B unless unqualified
for 1 mark 1
- (ii) B unless unqualified
for 1 mark 1
- (iii) energy lost, doing work against
air resistance/friction
for 1 mark 1
- (b) intensity of gravity less (not zero)
for 1 mark
- energies/restoring forces less
for 1 mark 2

[5]

Q29.

- (a) 3
gains 1 mark
- m/s^2
gains 1 mark
- else working *gains 1 mark* 2
- (b) 2850 ecf
gains 1 mark
- N
gains 1 mark
- else working
gains 1 mark

- (c) friction/air resistance increases with speed;
till frictional = max forward force;
then force/acceleration is zero

for 1 mark each

alternative limitation for safety

gains 1 mark only

3

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Q30.

- (a) 100

gains 2 marks

else working

gains 1 mark

2

- (b) 100 ecf

for 1 mark

1

- (c) rounds to 14 (accept 14.142 or 14.14) ecf

gains 3 marks

else working to $v^2 = 200$

gains 2 marks

else initial working $v = 200$

gains 1 mark

3

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Q31.

- (a) 20 m/s

gets 2 marks

Else working

gets 1 mark

2

- (b) 10 m/s

1

- (c) 20 m

gets 2 marks

Else working

gets 1 mark

2

- (d) 12 000 N

- gets 2 marks*
- Else working
gets 1 mark 2
- (e) 2 400 000 J
gets 2 marks
- Else working
gets 1 mark 2
- (f) (i) Ans to (e) 1
- (ii) Ans to (e)/60
Else working 2
- (iii) Ans to (ii)/5 1

[13]

Q32.

- (a) $k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$
 $k = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1.2 \cdot 109.202$
 $k = 2.4 \cdot 10^{11}$
for one mark each 3
- (b) (i) 0.6.109
- (ii) mass halved
speed halved
(speed)² quartered
ke and/or power cut to one eight
for 1 mark each 5

[8]

Q33.

- (a) there is a (maximum) forward force
drag/friction/resistance (**opposes** motion) (**not** pressure)
increases with speed
till forward and backward forces equal
so no net force/acceleration
any 4 for 1 mark each 4
- (b) (i) $F = ma$
 $10\,000 = 1250a$
 $a = 8$
 m/s^2
for 1 mark each

4

- (ii) $ke = 1/2 mv^2$
 $ke = 1/2 1250.48^2$
 $ke = 1\ 440\ 000$
 J
for 1 mark each

4

- (iii) $W = Fd$
 $W = 10\ 000.144$
 $W = 1\ 440\ 000$
 J
for 1 mark each

4

[16]

Q34.

- (a) AB
for 1 mark
 1

- (b) (i) 0.7
for 1 mark each
 1

- (ii) 16.8
gains 2 marks
 2

but correct working
 (d = v.t, d = 24 × 0.7, or in terms of area under graph)
gains 1 mark
 1

- (c) $a = (v-u)/t$
 $= 24/4$
 $= 6$
 m/s^2
(see marking of calculations)

(can work in terms of graph gradient)
 4

- (d) $d = v.t$
 $= 24/2 \times 4$
 $= 48$
(see marking of calculations)

(can work in terms of area under graph)
 3

(e) $F = ma$
 $= 800 \times 6$
 $= 4800$

(see marking of calculations)

3

[15]

Q35.

(a) $p = mgh$
 $= 50 \times 10 \times 4 = 2000$
J/Nm

(see marking of calculations)

4

(b) $k = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 50 \times 8^2$
 $= 1600$

J/Nm

(see marking of calculations)

4

- (c) work is done against air resistance
fall of her C of G differs from rise in climbing stairs
part of gained pe used to rotate body
diver gains PE on take-off

any 2 for 1 mark each

2

[10]