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## **General Marking Guidance**

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Mark schemes have been developed so that the rubrics of each mark scheme reflects the characteristics of the skills within the AO being targeted and the requirements of the command word. So for example the command word 'Explain' requires an identification of a point and then reasoning/justification of the point.

Explain questions can be asked across all AOs. The distinction comes whether the identification is via a judgment made to reach a conclusion, or, making a point through application of knowledge to reason/justify the point made through application of understanding. It is the combination and linkage of the marking points that is needed to gain full marks.

When marking questions with a 'describe' or 'explain' command word, the detailed marking guidance below should be consulted to ensure consistency of marking.

Assessment Objective		Commai	nd Word
Strand	Element	Describe	Explain
AO1*		An answer that combines the marking points to provide a logical description	An explanation that links identification of a point with reasoning/justification(s) as required
AO2		An answer that combines the marking points to provide a logical description, showing application of knowledge and understanding	An explanation that links identification of a point (by applying knowledge) with reasoning/justification (application of understanding)
AO3	1a and 1b	An answer that combines points of interpretation/evaluation to provide a logical description	
AO3	2a and 2b		An explanation that combines identification via a judgment to reach a conclusion via justification/reasoning
AO3	За	An answer that combines the marking points to provide a logical description of the plan/method/experiment	
AO3	3b		An explanation that combines identifying an improvement of the experimental procedure with a linked justification/reasoning

<sup>\*</sup>there will be situations where an AO1 question will include elements of recall of knowledge directly from the specification (up to a maximum of 15%). These will be identified by an asterisk in the mark scheme.

Qustion Number	Answer	Mark
1a	Once DTP redraw image, crop and insert here.  A is not correct because the angle of incidence is not equal to the angle of reflection  C is not correct because glass is more optically dense than air  D is not correct because glass is more optically dense than air	(1) AO1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(b)(i)	substitution (1) $\frac{18.0 \pm 1}{7.0 \pm 1}$		(2) AO2
	OR 3.5±0.2		
	1.4±0.2 evaluation (1) 2.6 ± 0.5	award full marks for correct answer without working	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(b)(ii)	a description to including one pair of: use different lens/replace lens (1)		(2) AO3
	{higher power / shorter focal length / fatter / thicker / more curved / greater refractive index / more convex} lens (1)	accept stronger curvature of lens increased (2)	
	OR		
	change the distance / move the lens / move the object (1)		
	further away (from the object/lens) (1)	increase distance between object and lens (2)	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(c)	substitution (1) $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{20+40}{20\times40}$ evaluation of $\frac{1}{f}$ (1)	accept $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{60}{800} \text{ OR } \frac{1}{f} = \frac{3}{40}$	(3) AO2
	evaluation of f (1)  13 (cm)	accept 13.3 (cm) 13.33 (cm) power of ten error on 13 gains 2 marks  0.075 on answer line gains 2 marks  power of ten error on 0.075 gains 1 mark $\frac{40}{3}$ scores 2 marks  award full marks for correct answer without working	

(Total for Question 1 = 8 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2(a)	B. when there are energy transfers, the total energy does not change	(1) AO1
	<ul> <li>A is not correct because the total energy does not reduce</li> <li>C is not correct because the total energy does not reduce</li> <li>D is not correct because the total energy does not increase</li> </ul>	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2(b)(i)	a diagram showing:		(3) AO2
	<ul><li>apparatus labelled to include <b>three</b> from</li><li>thermometer</li><li>water</li></ul>	independent of arrangement	
	<ul> <li>insulator / sand / sawdust / material</li> </ul>	ignore kettle and stop clock	
	• (copper) can (1)		
	thermometer in the <b>water</b> (1)  arrangement for water and insulator in and between copper cans (e.g. as in diagram below) (1)	accept reverse positions for water and insulator	
	thermometer large copper can (hot) water small copper can		

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2(b)(ii)	any <b>three</b> factors from: {mass / volume} of water (1)	accept amount / specified values / "how much"	(3) AO3
	{volume / thickness / mass} of insulators / materials (1)	accept amount / specified values / "how much"	
	{starting / initial} temperature of water (1)	accept temperature of hot / boiling water / specified values	
	time interval / temperature change (1)	accept specified values of interval or change unqualified "same time" is insufficient	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2(c)	a description giving		(2) AO2
	as the density (of expanded polystyrene) increases the (thermal) conductivity decreases (1)	ORA	
	non-linear / gradient decreases / at a decreasing rate / levels off / plateaus /	allow inversely proportional / exponential for non-linear in this context	
	becomes (almost) constant (1)	ignore negative correlation unqualified quoted values are insufficient	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(a)(i)	an explanation linking <b>two</b> from:	accept reverse arguments throughout	(2) AO1
	(wet road means) less / no friction (between tyres and road) (1)	accept (road) more slippery / less grip accept idea of reduced visibility	
	(wet weather means) increased stopping distance (1)	accept braking or thinking distance in this context	
		accept takes longer to slow down / stop ignore harder to brake	
	(slower speed means) shorter braking / stopping distance (1)		
	(dry weather / slower speed) reduces possibility of skidding / sliding / idea of losing control / crashing (1)		

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(a)(ii)	convert <b>either</b> distance or time (1)		(2) AO2
	(31 m =) $\frac{31}{1000}$ (km) or 0.031 (km)	(130 km =) 130 × 1000 (m) or 130 000 (m)	
	OR $(1 \text{ s =) } \frac{1}{3600} \text{ (h) = } \frac{1}{60 \times 60} \text{ (h)}$ or 0.000 28 (h)	OR (1 h =) 60 x 60 (s) or 3600 (s)	
	evaluation (1)		
	(31 m/s =) 110 (km/h)	(130 km/h =) 36(.1)(m/s)	
		accept 111.6 or 112 (km/h) for 2 marks	
		if no other marks awarded accept <u>1860 m/min</u> and <u>2167 m/min</u> for 1 mark each	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(a)(iii)	select and substitute into distance travelled = average speed x time (1)		(3) AO2
	46 = 31 x t	$31 = \frac{46}{t}$	
		$(t =) \frac{46}{31}$	
	rearrangement and evaluation (1)		
	(t=) 1.48(3) (s)	award two marks for the correct evaluation without working	
	evaluation given to 2 sf (1) (t =) 1.5 (s)	any answer written to 2 sf independent mark	
		1.5 scores 3 marks	
		<ul> <li>1.4 scores 2 marks</li> <li>1.50 scores 2 marks</li> <li>0.67 scores 2 marks</li> <li>1400 scores 2 marks</li> </ul>	
		0.673(9) scores 1 mark 1426 scores 1 mark	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4(a)(i)	D gamma  A is not correct because alpha cannot pass through and out of the body.	(1) AO1
	of the body <b>B</b> is not correct because beta plus cannot pass through and out of the body	
	<b>C</b> is not correct because beta minus cannot pass through and out of the body	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4 (a)(ii)1 CLIP with	decays too quickly to give a reading (1)	accept (half-life) not long enough for reading to be taken	(1) AO1
(a)(ii)2		ignore disappear after 12 min	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4 (a)(ii)2 CLIP	stays in the body too long (1)	accept could harm / damage other organs	(1) AO1
with (a)(ii)1		patients stay radioactive for too long	
		so the patient does not get too high a dose of radiation	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(a)(iii)	<b>Two</b> from: shielding (1)	accept stand behind barriers / store (source) in lead box	(2) AO1
	time limiting exposure (1)	radiation monitoring badges	
	distance limiting exposure (1)	leave the room / go outside / stay away from the patient / use tongs	
	wear PPE / protective clothing (1)	lead aprons / gloves ignore goggles / masks	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(b)(i)	an explanation linking:	ignore slow down the nuclear chain reaction	(2) AO1
	(control rods) absorb neutrons (1)	accept (control rods) block neutrons accept neutrons can't pass through (control rods)	
	(so) fewer (neutrons) available for chain reaction (1)	fewer fission(s) (reactions)	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(b)(ii)	$\frac{4(.0 \times 10^{3})(\times 100)}{3(.0 \times 10^{7})} \tag{1}$		(2) AO2
	$1.3 \times 10^{-2}$ (%) (1)	0. 013 (%)	
		allow 0.01 (%)	
		power of ten error scores 1 mark maximum	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(b)(iii)	A description to include:	accept references to energy stores	(2) AO1
	(from) kinetic energy (of fission fragments) (1)	accept energy in nuclear store accept nuclear energy / gamma radiation energy / binding energy / mass	
	(transferred to) thermal energy (of coolant) (1)	(to) thermal store (in coolant)  accept heat for thermal	
		if no other marks awarded allow steam transfers thermal energy/heat from reactor to kinetic energy of turbine for 2 marks	

Total for Question 4 = 11 marks

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(a)(i)		note: this is a "show that" question	(2) AO2
	selection and substitution (1) $ (a = ) \frac{82(-0)}{36} $		
	evaluation (1) 2.3 (m/s²)	accept any value that rounds to 2.3 (m/s²)	
		accept 2.2 (m/s²) for 1 mark maximum	
		answer of 2 (m/s²) without a substitution scores 0 marks	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(a)(ii)		allow substitution and rearrangement in either order	(3) AO2
	substitution (1) $82^2 (-0^2) = 2 \times 2.3 \times x$	accept 2, 2.2, 2.27, 2.3 for "a" throughout	
	rearrangement (1) (x) = $\frac{82^2 (-0^2)}{2 \times 2.3}$	$(x) = \frac{v^2 (-u^2)}{2 \times a}$	
	evaluation (1) 1500 (m)	ignore sign	
		accept 1460 (m)	
		allow answers in the ranges: 1460 (m) to 1482 (m) 1520 (m) to 1530 (m) 1680 (m) to 1700 (m)	
		award full marks for correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(a)(iii)	one statement from		(1) AO3
	take off aborted (1)	any other sensible suggestion	
	mechanical/engine failure (1)		
	acceleration reduced (1)		
	weather related reasons (1)		
	larger mass / heavier plane / extra passengers (1)		
	(longer runway required) for landing (1)		

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(b)(i)	selection and substitution (1) (KE) = $\frac{1}{2}$ x 3.6 x 10 <sup>5</sup> x 71 <sup>2</sup>		(2) AO2
	evaluation (1) 9.1 x 10 <sup>8</sup> (J)	accept 9.07 x 10 <sup>8</sup> (J) accept 907 380 000 (J)	
		award full marks for correct answer without working	
		do not award a power of ten error	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(b)(ii)	any <b>one</b> from:  mechanically (to the thermal store) (1)  (heating) due to air resistance / friction (1)	allow dissipated	(1) AO2
	thermally (1)	thermal (store) / heat (energy)	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
Q6	C both Redshift and CMB can be explained by the Big Bang theory	(1) AO1
	<b>A</b> is not correct because CMB can be explained by the Big Bang	
	<b>B</b> is not correct because the Steady State theory cannot explain CMB	
	<b>D</b> is not correct because the Steady state theory can explain red shift	

	Answer	Additional	Mark
		guidance	
6(b)(i)	substitution (1)		(2) AO2
	$(z=)\frac{6.72\times10^{-7}-6.56\times10^{-7}}{6.56\times10^{-7}}$ <b>OR</b>	allow $(z=)\frac{6.72-6.56}{6.56}$ <b>OR</b>	
	$(z=)\frac{0.16\times10^{-7}}{6.56\times10^{-7}}$	$(z=)\frac{0.16}{6.56}$	
	evaluation (1)		
	0.024		
		do not accept 0.025 on its own	
		accept 0.0243 / 0.02439 / 0.0244	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
6(b)(ii)	substitution (1) (v) = 0.024 x 3(.00) x10 <sup>8</sup>	accept (v) = $0.025 \times 3 \times 10^8$ (v) = $0.02 \times 3 \times 10^8$	(2) AO2
	evaluation (1) 7.2 x 10 <sup>6</sup> (m/s)	accept answers which round to: 6.0 x10 <sup>6</sup> (m/s) 7.5 x10 <sup>6</sup> (m/s) 7.3 x10 <sup>6</sup> (m/s) 7.2 x10 <sup>6</sup> (m/s)	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
6b(iii)	An explanation linking :-		(2) AO1
	the redshift / z (value) will be larger (1)	bigger (increase in) wavelength bigger difference in wavelength longer wavelength	
	the galaxy is moving (away) at a high <u>er</u> velocity / recession velocity increased (1)	moving (away) fast <u>er</u>	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
6(c)	an explanation linking:	allow any other sensible benefit	(2) AO1
	telescopes are above Earth / in space / outside the Earth's atmosphere (1)		
	less interference from dust / clouds (1)	allow atmospheric distortion/ (light/air) pollution	
	wavelengths that are absorbed by Earth's atmosphere (microwaves / IR / UV) (1)	accept named examples of satellites or waves	
	can view the whole sky (1)		
		do not accept idea that telescope is closer to object in space	

Total for Question 6 = 9 mark

Question Number	Answer	Mark
Q7(a)	A kg m/s	(1)
	<b>B</b> is not correct it is mass divided by velocity	AO1
	<b>C</b> is not correct because it is the product of mass and acceleration	
	<b>D</b> is not correct because it is mass divided by acceleration	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(b)(i)	a description using any <b>four</b> of the following points in a logical order:		(4) AO1
	measure the mass / weight of the trolley(s) / weigh the trolley(s) (1)	allow determine / find / calculate	
	determine the speed of trolley A (1)	use (average) speed = distance / time to calculate speed of trolley A	
	put one light gate (connected to data logger) further down the runway than trolley A and another beyond	may be shown on diagram	
	trolley B (1)	measure distance and time in appropriate places	
	trollies A and B stick together (1)		
	measure combined velocity / speed of A and B (1)		
	calculate momentum of trolley A before collision <b>and</b> A and B after collision (1)	calculate (total) momentum before and after collision	
	check for equality / velocity after collision is half that before collision (1)	(total) momentum before equals (total) momentum after	
	repeat <b>and</b> take mean / average (1)		

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7 (b)(ii)	{compensating for / reducing effect of / overcoming / balancing / cancelling effect of} friction  OR  so that trolley A travels at a constant speed / doesn't slow down	do not accept reducing / cancelling friction  do not accept so trolley accelerates down slope	(1) AO3

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7 (c)(i)	conversion of time to s (1)  (t =) 0.012 <b>OR</b> 12×10 <sup>-3</sup> <b>OR</b> 1.2×10 <sup>-2</sup> substitution (1)  (F=) $\frac{(0.075 \times -15.0) - (0.075 \times 8.2)}{0.012}$ OR  (F=) $\frac{(0.075 \times 15.0) - (0.075 \times -8.2)}{0.012}$ OR  (F=) $\frac{0.075 \times (15.0 + 8.2)}{0.012}$ evaluation (1) (-)150 (N)	substitution and conversion in either order  ignore signs on velocity accept time to any power of ten for substitution mark $(F=)\frac{(1.125) + (0.615)}{0.012}$ 145 (N) scores 3 marks 145 (N) to any other power of ten scores 2 marks maximum 42.5 (N) scores 2 marks maximum 42.5 (N) to any other	Mark (3)
		maximum 42.5 (N) to any other power of ten scores 1 mark maximum	
		93.75 (N) or 51.25(N) 1.933 scores 1 mark maximum  award full marks for correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7 (c)(ii)	Any two from:	no marks awarded for answers in terms of energy	(2) AO1
	(forces are) equal / same size (1)		
	(forces are) opposite (direction) (1)	(forces are) one to the left, one to the right	
	(forces) act on different bodies (1)	one (force) acts on racket, one acts on ball	
	same type of force (1)	both are contact forces	
		if no other marks awarded, allow action and reaction (acting) for 1 mark	

Total for Question 7 = 11 marks

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
8(a)	substitution (1) number of atoms = $\frac{4.0 \times 10^{-7}}{0.15 (\times 10^{-9})}$	4.0×10 <sup>-7</sup> 1.5 (×10 <sup>-10</sup> )	(2) AO2
		0.000 000 4 0.000 000 000 15	
	evaluation (1) 2 700	accept any value that rounds to 2 700	
		award full marks for correct answer without working	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
8(b)(i)	reading from graph (1)		(2) AO2
	(at 5 degrees:) number between 10 <sup>6</sup> and 10 <sup>7</sup> <b>AND</b> (at 100 degrees:) 10 <sup>2</sup>	(e.g. 10 <sup>6.5</sup> )	7.02
	evaluation (1)  number between $10^6$ and $10^7$ $10^2$		
	OR		
	between 10 <sup>4</sup> :1 and 10 <sup>5</sup> :1 between 10 000:1 and 100 000:1	(e.g. $10^{4.5}$ :1 or $10^7$ : $10^2$ ) allow any correct ratio not in its simplest form	
	OR		
	between 10 <sup>4</sup> and 10 <sup>5</sup> between 10 000 and 100 000	(e.g. 10 <sup>4.5</sup> )	
		award full marks for correct answer without working	
		inverted ratio scores 1 mark maximum	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
8(b)(ii)	an explanation including any <b>four</b> from:	ignore electrons	(4) A01,AO3
	Observations		
	most (alpha particles) pass (straight) through the foil (with little deflection) (1)		
	some (alpha particles) are {scattered / deflected} through {small angles / less than 90 degrees} (1)	ignore refracted allow repelled	
	(very) few (alpha particles) are {scattered / deflected} through {large angles / greater than 90 degrees} (1)	allow rebound / reflect / back scattering / bounce back	
	Conclusions		
	atoms are mainly empty space (1)	ignore electrons	
	there must be a nucleus / something inside the atom (1)		
	(nucleus / something) must be {small / heavy / dense / concentrated / charged / positive} (1)		

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
8(c)(i)	A description including:		(2) AO3
	roll / release / drop a marble (down the slope) (1)	allow alpha particle for marble	
	and <b>one</b> from		
	record where the marbles go (1)	allow any method of recording	
	OR		
	measure the angle of path (1)		

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
8(c)(ii)	any <b>one</b> from		(1) AO3
	marble / weight has no charge (1)		
	the edge of the paper is not far enough away from the weight (1)		
	the marble / weight is too big / small (1)	not to scale	
	there is only one marble / weight (1)		
	it is 2 dimensional / not 3D (1)		
	all marbles have the same speed / alpha particles different speed to marbles (1)		
	marbles (only deflect on) hitting / contact with weight (1)	allow marble cannot pass through the weight (1)	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9a	<ul> <li>B frequency increases</li> <li>A is not correct because the danger does not increase with decreasing frequency</li> <li>C is not correct because all waves in the e-m spectrum have the same velocity</li> <li>D is not correct because all waves in the e-m spectrum have the same velocity</li> </ul>	(1) AO1

Question	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
9b(i)		allow substitution and rearrangement in either order	(3) AO2
	selection and substitution (1)	0	
	$3(.00) \times 10^8 = 2.45 (\times 10^9) \times \lambda$	$2.45 (\times 10^9) = \frac{3(.00) \times 10^8}{\lambda}$	
	rearrangement (1)		
	$(\lambda=) \frac{3(.00)\times10^8}{2.45 \ (\times10^9)}$	$\lambda = \frac{V}{f}$	
	evaluation (1) 0.12 (m)		
		accept 0.122(m)	
		power of ten error gains 2 marks	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
9b(ii)		allow substitution and rearrangement in either order	(3) AO2
	selection and substitution (1) 42 000		
	$(0.)55 = \frac{12.000}{\text{total energy supplied (to device)}}$	$(0.)55 = \frac{42\ 000}{x}$	
	rearrangement (1) (total energy supplied to device=) $\frac{42\ 000}{(0.)55}$		
	evaluation (1) 76 000(J)		
		accept any value that rounds to 76 000(J)	
		760/764/763(J) gains 2 marks	
		any other power of ten error gains 1 mark	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

Indicative content	Mark
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Comparison X-rays: high frequency / short wavelength / ionising / high energy Radio waves: low frequency / long wavelength / not ionising / low energy	
<ul> <li>X ray are used</li> <li>in medical diagnosis, to find broken bones, damage to lungs</li> <li>radiotherapy</li> <li>treatment of cancer</li> <li>airport security</li> <li>revealing counterfeit art</li> </ul>	
X-rays are emitted when electrons change energy levels because  • electrons in lower energy levels can absorb energy • the electrons move to higher energy levels • when the electrons return to a lower energy level • the electrons lose energy as radiation. • the electrons need to lose a large amount of energy • (so that) they emit x-ray radiation of high energy/frequency •  Radio waves are used • broadcasting television • broadcasting radio • communications • satellite transmissions • mobile phones	
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Radio-waves are emitted when  • electrons oscillate in electrical circuits
oscillations are
current (flow of electrons) that
continually change direction
<ul> <li>current flows up and down in a</li> </ul>
(transmitting) aerial
alternating current (AC)
this generates radio waves in the air
around the aerial
the frequency of the radio waves
corresponds to the oscillation frequency
N.B. No credit is given for: Electrons within an atom go through energy changes OR Radio waves are produced in electrons in circuits These phrases are in the stem of the question

Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material.	
Level 1	1-2	Demonstrates elements of physics understanding, some of which is inaccurate. Understanding of scientific, enquiry, techniques and procedures lacks detail. (AO1)  Presents a description which is not logically ordered and with significant gaps. (AO1)	
Level 2	3-4	Demonstrates physics understanding, which is mostly relevant but may include some inaccuracies. Understanding of scientific ideas, enquiry, techniques and procedures is not fully detailed and/or developed. (AO1)  Presents a description of the procedure that has a structure which is mostly clear, coherent and logical with minor steps	
		missing. (AO1)	
Level 3	5-6	Demonstrates accurate and relevant physics understanding throughout. Understanding of the scientific ideas, enquiry, techniques and procedures is detailed and fully developed. (AO1)	
		Presents a description that has a well-developed structure which is clear, coherent and logical. (AO1)	

Level	Mark	Additional Guidance	General additional guidance - the decisions within levels
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	Additional guidance	Possible candidate response
		Elements of physics present i.e. isolated knowledge of principles, <b>two</b>	any use of X rays
		unconnected statements	any use of radio waves
			any comparison
			electrons are around the nucleus
			a current is electrons (moving)
			electrons oscillate
Level 2	3-4	Additional guidance	Possible candidate response
		Some knowledge of principles with limited detail on use and a comparison or process	any use of x-rays and of radio waves with limited detail
			and one of:
			a comparison
			or
			electrons lose energy to emit X-rays
			or
			electrons oscillate in circuits
Level 3	5-6	Additional guidance	Possible candidate response
		Detailed knowledge of principles on use with logical connections made	Use of X-rays and of radio waves with detail
		about one process	and one of:
			electrons lose energy to change to lower energy level and emit energy as X–rays
			or
			electrons oscillate in circuit and currents move up and down in aerials to generate radio waves

Total for Question 9 = 13 marks

Question Number	Answer	Mark
Q10(a)	<b>B</b> 20k Hz to 20 Hz	(1) AO1
	<b>A</b> is not correct because 2Hz is an infrasound frequency	
	<b>C</b> is not correct because 2000kHz is an ultrasound frequency	
	<b>D</b> is not correct because 200kHz is an ultrasound frequency	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
10 (a) (ii)	An explanation linking any two of :-		(2) AO2
	the size of the parts of the (inner) ear (1)	allow length of cochlea	
	vibrations at (limited) range of		
	frequencies/range of sounds most common as adapted through evolution (1)		
	common as adapted till odgir evolution (1)		
	(membrane) variations in stiffness/ width/thickness (1)	allow cochlea	
	different parts vibrate at different frequencies (1)		
	eardrum not sensitive enough to detect low/high frequencies (1)	allow ultrasound / infrasound	
	brain cannot interpret low/high frequencies (1)	allow ultrasound / infrasound	

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
10 (b) (i)	An explanation linking two of:		(2) AO3
	the crack reflects/bounces back /echoes the signal (1)	Q is reflection from crack/P and R are reflections from the base	
	in a shorter time/ before it reaches the base of the metal (1)		

	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
10 (b) (ii)	One from:- less of the pulse reaches the base (1)	allow less of the pulse is reflected/bounces off base allow signal/wave/energy/ultrasound for pulse	(1) AO1
	some energy is absorbed by the crack (1)	allow signal/wave/pulse/ultrasound for energy	
	some energy is reflected by the crack (1)	allow signal/wave/pulse/ultrasound for energy	

Question number	Indicative content	
10c	Answers will be credited according to candidate's deployment of knowledge and understanding of the material in relation to the qualities and skills outlined in the generic mark scheme.  The indicative content below is not prescriptive and candidates are not required to include all the material which is indicated as relevant. Additional content included in the response must be scientific and relevant.  AO1 3 marks AO3 Strand1 3marks	(6) AO1 AO3
	<ul> <li>When there is an Earthquake</li> <li>At A</li> <li>Longitudinal and transverse waves detected</li> <li>P arrive before S.</li> <li>must be travelling in a solid because S waves only travel through solids</li> <li>the region just under the Earth's crust (mantle) must be a solid</li> <li>the diagram show the waves refracting so the mantle must be getting more dense as it gets deeper</li> <li>At B</li> <li>No S waves or P waves detected</li> <li>S waves do not pass through liquid so do not get to B</li> <li>P waves pass through liquid but are refracted at a</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>solid/ liquid boundary so do not arrive at B</li> <li>The core of the Earth must be liquid to stop both P and S waves arriving at B</li> <li>At C</li> <li>No S waves arrive at C</li> <li>P waves arrive at C at different times because the waves have travelled at different speeds.</li> <li>This suggests the very centre of the Earth would be solid because the P waves that go through the solid would travel faster and arrive before those that just travelled through liquid</li> </ul>	

Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material.	
Level 1	1-2	<ul> <li>Demonstrates elements of physics understanding, some of which is inaccurate. Understanding of scientific ideas lacks detail. (AO1)</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Interpretation and evaluation of the information attempted but will be limited with a focus on mainly just one variable.</li> <li>Demonstrates limited synthesis of understanding. (AO3)</li> </ul>	
Level 2	3-4	<ul> <li>Demonstrates physics understanding, which is mostly relevant but may include some inaccuracies. Understanding of scientific ideas is not fully detailed and/or developed. (AO1)</li> <li>Interpretation and evaluation of the information on both variables, synthesising mostly relevant understanding. (AO3)</li> </ul>	
Level 3	5-6	<ul> <li>Demonstrates accurate and relevant physics understanding throughout. Understanding of the scientific ideas is detailed and fully developed. (AO1)</li> <li>Interpretation and evaluation of the information, demonstrating throughout the skills of synthesising relevant understanding. (AO3)</li> </ul>	

Level	Mark	Additional Guidance	General additional guidance - the decisions within levels
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	Additional guidance	Possible candidate responses
		Elements of physics present i. e. isolated knowledge of principles, <b>two</b> unconnected statements from any section	core is liquid/ mantle (crust) is solid
			waves refract
			P waves change direction
			S and P waves travel through mantle(crust)
			at A, S and P waves detected
			at B, no waves detected
			at C, only P waves detected
			S waves are transverse
			P waves are longitudinal
Level 2	3-4	Additional guidance	Possible candidate response
		Some knowledge of principles with a logical connection made in <b>ONE</b> section and a statement in <b>ONE</b> other  Or  From ONE section detailed knowledge of principles with logical connections	at A, S and P waves are detected so must pass through solid
			at B no waves are detected, the waves change direction/ Region B is the shadow zone
			at C, P waves are detected because they go straight through the Earth/can travel through the core
			in Earth's core there are different densities/waves change direction
Level 3	5-6	Additional guidance	Possible candidate response
		Detailed knowledge of principles with logical connections made in <b>TWO</b> of the sections	at A, S and P waves are detected so must pass through solid and refract/curve
			at B, no waves are detected because S waves do not pass through liquid core and P waves are refracted away by the liquid.
			At C, only P waves are detected because they can pass through the liquid core and change direction in the core( refracted)
			In the Earth's core there is refraction of waves/ inner and outer core have different densities

Total for Question 10 = 12 marks

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