

GATUNDU SOUTH SUB-COUNTY FORM FOUR 2015 EVALUATION EXAM

PHYSIC 232/1
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Marking scheme

Section A

1 Diameter of wire = $\frac{0.6\text{cm}}{25} = 0.0024\text{cm}$

Radius = $\frac{0.0024\text{cm}}{2} = 0.0012\text{cm}$
 $= 1.2 \times 10^{-3}\text{cm}$

2 a) 1/100mm or 0.01mm

b) Initials reading = 16.32mm
1 revolution = 100 division = 1mm
2 1/2 rev = 2 1/2 x 1mm = 2.50mm
Diameter = 16.32 - 2.50 = 13.82mm

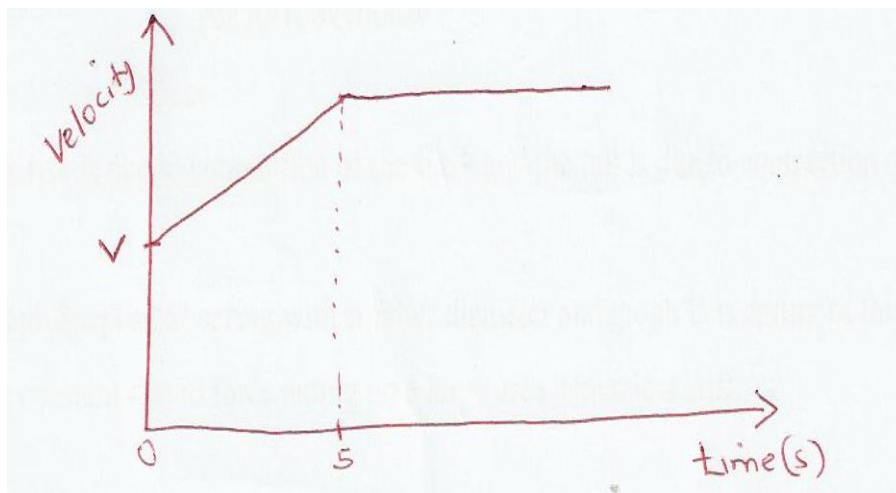
3. Water in a container B cold water from the melted ice in container A sinks to the bottom setting up convectional current.

4. The centre of gravity of bus is lower when the goods are in lower carrier than when the goods are at the top carrier.

5 $W = 21\pi F$
 $T = \frac{960\text{rev/min}}{60} = 16\text{rev}$

$W = 2 \times 16\pi = 32\pi \text{ rad/s}$
(100.5rd/s)

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7. When air is blown over the mouth of the container, the pressure above the container reduces and its atmospheric pressure pushes the pith ball upwards.
8. Cohesive forces between mercury molecules are much stronger than adhesive force between mercury and glass.

9. $1.2F = 2.7 \times 500N$
 $F = \frac{2.7 \times 500N}{1.2M}$
 $F = 1125N$
 $P = \frac{F}{A}$
 $= \frac{1125N}{15 \times 10^{-4}M^2}$
 $750,000N/M^2$

10 the potassium permanganate collides with the water molecules hence diffused from high concentration to low concentration.

11 $300m = 0.5gt^2$
 $300 = 5t^2$
 $60 = t^2$
 $t = \sqrt{60} = 7.746 \text{ sec}$
 $R = Ut$
 $= 400 \times \sqrt{60}$
 $= 400 \times 7.746m$
 $= 3098.4m$

12 $t = \frac{MC\Theta}{p}$
 $= \frac{5.0 \times 10^3 \times 3 \times 1000K \times 1 \times 77k}{20 \times 70 / 100 \times 1000W}$
 $= 115.5 \text{ sec}$

13 The rise is due to contraction of the flask and the fall is due to contraction of water.

14 Graph A represent spring with smaller diameter and graph B is spring of the larger diameter the smaller the spring constant due to force acting on a large area hence less stiff.

15 a) When a body is in equilibrium, the sum of clockwise moments about the point is equal to the sum of anticlockwise moments about the same point

b)i) Mass=density x volume

$$=2.7\text{gcm}^3 \times 0.6 \times 3 \times 100\text{cm}^3$$

$$=486\text{grams}$$

$$\text{Weight} = \frac{486 \times 10}{1000}$$

$$=4.86\text{N}$$

ii) Taking moment about pivot ,

$$F = \frac{0.15 \times 4.86}{0.2}$$

$$F = 3.645\text{N}$$

Upward force =downward force

$$R = 3.645 + 4.86$$

$$R = 8.505\text{N}$$

16 i) Work output = $60\text{kg} \times 100\text{kg} \times 20$
12,000 J

ii) Work input = force effort distance

$$= 200\text{N} \times \frac{20}{\sin 14^\circ}$$

$$= 200\text{N} \times 82.671$$

$$= 16,534.2\text{J}$$

iii) Frictional force = work input – work output

$$= 16534.2 - 12000$$

$$= 4,534.2\text{J}$$

(iv) Efficiency = $\frac{\text{work done}}{\text{Work input}}$

$$= \frac{12000 \times 100\%}{16534.2}$$

$$= 72.577\%$$

v) Velocity ratio = $\frac{1}{\sin 140}$

$$\sin 140$$

$$= 4.13$$

Or

$$V.R = \frac{MA}{\text{Efficiency}} \times 100$$

Efficiency

$$= \frac{600/200 \times 100}{72.5777}$$

$$= 4.13$$

17a) i) $P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2$

$$24 \times 750 = (750 + 150) v_2$$

$$V_2 = \frac{24 \times 750}{900}$$

$$V_2 = 20 \text{ cm}$$

ii) $P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2$

$$24 \times 750 = (750 - 150) v_2$$

$$V_2 = \frac{24 \times 750}{600}$$

$$V_2 = 30 \text{ cm}$$

iii) The mercury does not run out because the upward atmospheric pressure in the mercury column is greater than downward pressure due to the enclosed air and its own mass.

b) At the bottom of the lake the bubble is under the pressure of water column plus the atmospheric pressure on the surface of water as the bubbles rises the depth of the water column decreases as so does the pressure decreases results in increase in volume.

i.e. $pV = \text{a constant}$

c) Low temperature reduces the kinetic energy of molecule which lead to lower rate of collision which result to reduction of pressure.

d) $\frac{P_1 V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2 V_2}{T_2}$

$$\frac{1.5 \times 10^5 \times 1.6}{300} = \frac{8 \times 10^4 \times V_2}{273}$$

$$V_2 = \frac{240000 \times 273}{24000000}$$

$$= 2.73 \text{ cm}^3$$

e) Pressure of fitted mass of a gas is directly proportional to its absolute temperature provided volume is kept constant.

18a) A floating body displaces its own weight of fluid in which it float.

$$\text{Bi) Volume displaced} = 0.8 \times 0.5 \times 1.2 \text{ m}^3 \\ = 0.48 \text{ m}^3$$

$$\text{Weight} = 0.48 \times 1000 \times 10 \text{ N} \\ = 4,800 \text{ N}$$

ii) Average density of water = $\frac{\text{Total mass}}{\text{Total volume}}$

$$1000 = \frac{480 \text{ kg} + \text{extra mass}}{0.8 \times 0.5 \times 2}$$

$$1000 = \frac{480 + \text{extra mass}}{0.8}$$

$$800 - 480 = \text{extra mass} \\ = 320 \text{ kg} = \text{Extra mass}$$

$$\text{Force} = 320 \times 10 \text{ N} \\ = 3200 \text{ N}$$

c) Volume = $\frac{\text{mass}}{\text{Density}}$

$$= \frac{0.25 \text{ kg}}{13600 \text{ kg/m}^3} \\ = 1.8382 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^3$$

d) Apparent loss in weight = $3.0 - 0.22$
 $= 2.78 \text{ N}$

Volume displaced = $\frac{\text{mass displaced}}{\text{density}}$

$$= \frac{0.278}{1000} \\ = 2.78 \times 10^{-4}$$

Density = $\frac{\text{mass}}{\text{Volume}}$

$$= \frac{0.3 \text{ kg}}{2.78 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^3}$$

$$= 1079.1367 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

e) Upthrust = weight of air displaced

$$\begin{aligned} &= V \times \rho \times g \\ &= 2 \times 1.3 \times 10 \\ &= 26\text{N} \end{aligned}$$

Weight of balloon = $0.1 \times 2 \times 10\text{N} + 10\text{N}$

$$= 2\text{N} + 10\text{N}$$

$$= 12\text{N}$$

Resultant force = $26\text{N} - 12\text{N}$

$$= 14\text{N}$$

19a) Speed is scalar quantity while velocity is a vector quantity

$$\text{b) } T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{100} = 0.01 \text{ seconds} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{i) } V_{AB} = \frac{12}{2 \times 0.01} = 600 \text{ cm/s or } 6 \text{ m/s} \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$V_{pq} = \frac{32}{2 \times 0.01} = 1600 \text{ cm/s or } 16 \text{ m/s} \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$\text{ii) } a = \frac{V_{pq} - V_{AB}}{t}$$

$$= \frac{16 \text{ m/s} - 6 \text{ m/s}}{6 \times 0.01} = \frac{10 \text{ m/s}}{0.06 \text{ s}}$$

$$= 166.7 \text{ m/s}^2$$

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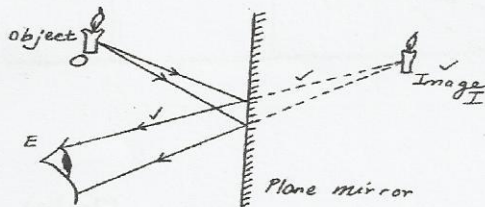
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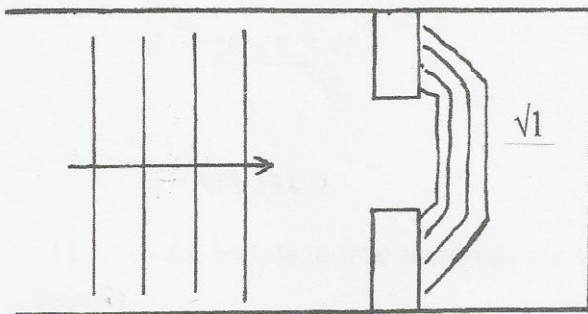
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SECTION A

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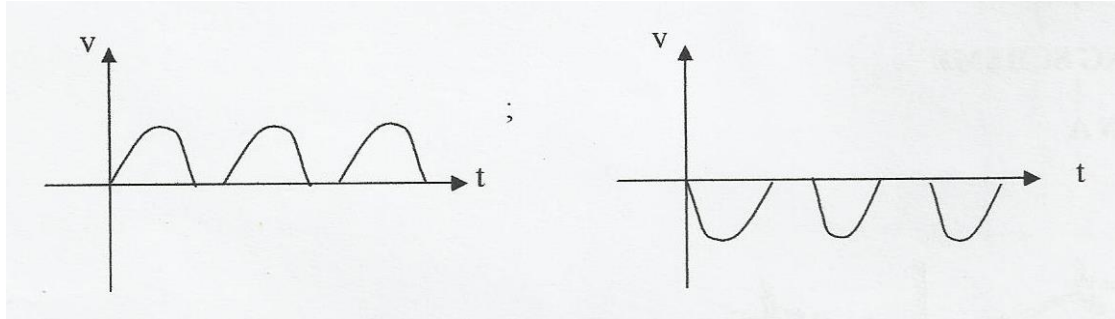


3. X-rays are produced due to electron transition while gamma rays are produced due to energy changes in the nucleus.

4. $V = 1R;$
 $(6-4) = \frac{40R}{1000}$

$$R = 50\Omega$$

5. a) Forward bias



6. $X = 2\theta$

$$= 2 \times 15^\circ \sqrt{}$$

$$= 30^\circ \sqrt{}$$

(2 marks)

7. $P = \frac{V^2}{R}$

$$= \frac{240^2}{950}$$

$$= 60.63W$$

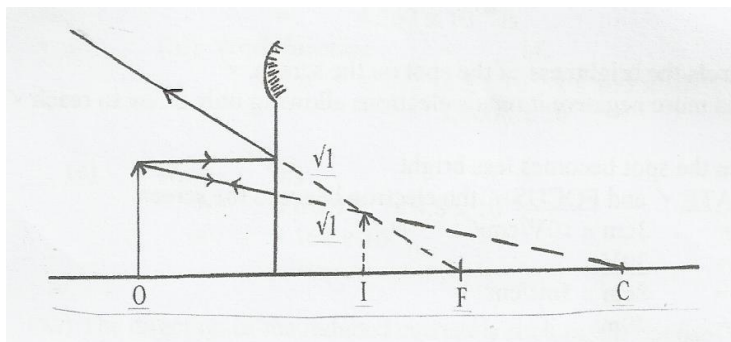
(2 marks)

8. $N = \frac{1}{\sin c}$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin 42.5^\circ \sqrt{1}}$$

$$n = 1.48 \sqrt{}$$

9.



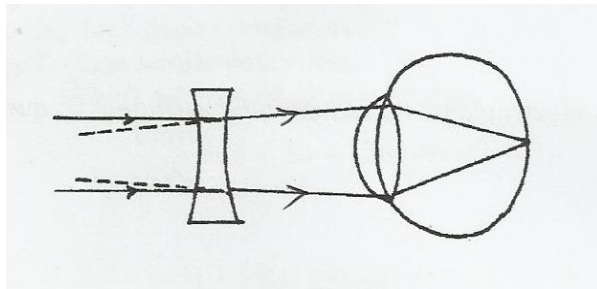
10. $S = \frac{2d}{t}$

$$d = \frac{330 \times 2.5}{2} \sqrt{1}$$

$$d = 412.5M \sqrt{1}$$

11. –All ferromagnetic materials are attracted by magnets $\sqrt{1}$

12.



13. – They are transverse waves
- They obey the wave equation $v = \lambda f$
- They travel in vacuum
- They can be plane polarized
- Can be reflected, diffracted, refracted and exhibit interference (any 2)

14. a) C are UV radiations

- Produced by hot bodies such as the sun, mercury vapour lamps and electric arc sparks $\sqrt{}$

b) - are x-rays

- used in treatment of cancer
- used in study of crystal structure
- used to detect flaws in metal castings and welded joints

SECTION B

15. a) (i) A: Cathode $\sqrt{}$
B: Grid $\sqrt{}$

(ii) B(Grid) – controls the brightness of the spot on the screen. $\sqrt{}$
When the grid is more negative it repels electrons allowing only a few to reach $\sqrt{}$ the screen hence the spot becomes less bright. (2 marks)

(iii) To ACCELERATE and FOCUS $\sqrt{}$ the electron beam to the screen.

b) (i) Peak voltage $V_0 = 3\text{cm} \times 10\text{V/cm}$
 $= 30\text{V}$
 (ii) Period $T = 8\text{cm} \times 5\text{ms/cm}$
 $= 40\text{ms}$
 $T = 0.040\text{S}$

Therefore frequency $f = \frac{1}{T}$
 $= \frac{1}{0.040} \text{ Hz}$
 $f = 25\text{Hz}$

16. a) (i) Time for half of atoms present to decay in a radioactive element. (1 mark)

b) (i) 20 minutes

(ii) $80 \rightarrow 40 \rightarrow 20 \rightarrow 10$
 3 half-life's (2 marks)

(iii) $a = 232$
 $b = 89$ (2 marks)

17. a) (i) Emission of electrons when an electromagnetic radiation of sufficient frequency is radiated on a metal surface.

b) (i) $2.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$

(ii) gradient = $\frac{h}{e}$

Gradient = $\frac{1.8 - 0.2}{(7.5 - 3.0) \times 10^{14}}$

$\frac{h}{e} = \frac{1.8 - 0.2}{(7.5 - 3) \times 10^{14}}$
 $h = \frac{1.8 - 0.2}{(7.5 - 3) \times 10^{14}} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$
 $= 4.267 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii) Work function} &= hf_0 \\
 &= 2.5 \times 10^{14} \times 4.265 \times 10^{-34} \\
 &= 1.0668 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}
 \end{aligned}$$

18. a) The direction of the induced current is such that it opposes the change producing it \checkmark

$$\text{b) (i) } \frac{V_p}{V_s} = \frac{N_p}{N_s} \checkmark ; \frac{800}{V_s} = \frac{2000}{150}$$

$$V_s = \frac{800 \times 150}{2000} = 60V \checkmark$$

(ii) Power input = power output

$$I_p = \frac{1000}{800} = 1.25A \checkmark$$

$$\text{(iii) } I_s = \frac{\text{power output}}{\text{Output voltage}} = \frac{1000}{60} = 16.67A \checkmark$$

(iv) Step-down transformer

c) (i) To minimize power loss.

Thick cables minimize resistance.

$$\text{(ii) } \frac{2000}{1000} \times 2 \times 30 = 120\text{kwh} \checkmark$$

$$\frac{75}{1000} \times 10 \times 30 = 22\text{kwh} \checkmark$$

$$\frac{1500}{1000} \times 1 \times 30 = 45\text{kwh}$$

$$\text{Cost } 187 \times 9.50 = \text{kshs.}1776.50 \checkmark$$

19.(a) Capacitance is charge per unit volt

$$\text{(b) (i) } 2\mu\text{F} + 6\mu\text{F} = 8 \mu\text{F}$$

Effective capacitance = $\frac{\text{Product}}{\text{sum}}$

$$= \frac{8 \times 3}{8 + 3}$$

$$= \frac{24}{11}$$

$$= 2.182 \mu\text{F}$$

(ii) Total charge $Q = CV = 2.18 \times 10^{-6} \times 12$
 $= 26.16 \times 10^{-6}\text{C}$

(iii) p.d across the $2 \mu\text{F} = \frac{26.16 \times 10^{-6} \sqrt{1}}{8 \times 10^{-6}}$
 $= 3.27\text{V}$

- c) Ohm's law – The amount of current flowing through a metallic conductor is directly proportional to the p.d across its ends so long as temperature and other physical conditions remain constant.

(ii) Effective resistance

$$R_E = 4 + \frac{6 \times 3}{3 + 6}$$

$$= 4 + \frac{18}{9}$$

$$= 6\Omega$$

$$V = IR$$

$$I = \frac{12}{6} = 2\text{A}$$

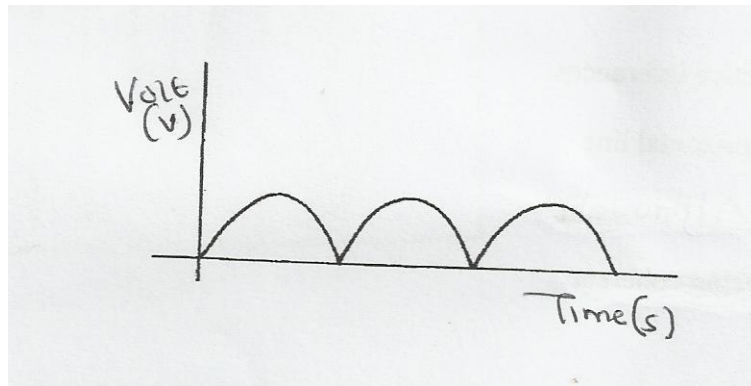
$$\therefore V = 2 \times 4 = 8\text{V}$$

(ii) $V = 12 - 8 = 4\text{V}$

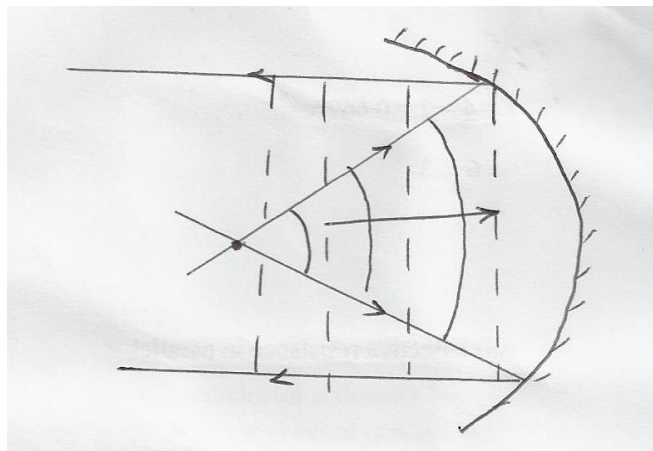
$$\therefore V = IR$$

$$I = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3} = 0.667 \text{ A}$$

20.A) (i)



- (ii) During the first half-cycle D_1 is forward biased while D_2 is reverse biased. Hence, current takes the path A, D_1 RT.
During the next half-cycle, D_2 forward biased while D_1 is reverse biased and the path of the current is BD_2 RT.
- (iii) – Protect a circuit from damage
- As a switch ✓ any 2
 - In charging a battery using solar panels.



b) Mark for incident ray ✓

mark for correct reflected ray ✓

C) (i) Destructive and constructive interference

(ii) Maximum amplitude or horizontal line

(iii) Loud sound all through