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PHYSICAL SCIENCES
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PAPER 1 – Physics
MARKING GUIDELINES

Time: 2 Hr

Marks: 100 Marks

QUESTION 1:

1. B ✓✓ (2)
1
1. D ✓✓ (2)
2
1. C ✓✓ (2)
3
1. D ✓✓ (2)
4
1. C ✓✓ (2)
5
1. B ✓✓ (2)
6
1. C ✓✓ (2)
7
1. A ✓✓ (2)
8

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QUESTION 2

2.
1

Difference	Similarity
Amplitudes ✓	Wavelength ✓ Period Frequency Transverse (Any one)

(2)

2.
2
- 2.2.1 A and B ✓
OR
C and D ✓
OR
B and C ✓
OR
A and D ✓ (1)
- 2.2.2 15 (mm) ✓ (1)
2. The number of waves/pulses passing a point per second. ✓✓ (2)
3

2.

4

$$2.4.1 \quad f = \frac{1}{T} \checkmark$$

$$f = \frac{1}{1,5} \checkmark$$

$$f = 0,67 \text{ Hz} \checkmark$$

(3)

2.4.2

**POSITIVE MARKING FROM
2.4.1
OPTION 1**

$$v = f\lambda \checkmark$$

$$v = (0,67)(0,1) \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$v = 0,067 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1} \checkmark$$

OPTION 2

$$v = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} \checkmark \quad v = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time}} \checkmark$$

$$v = \frac{0,1}{1,5}$$

$$v = 0,067 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$$

(4)

2.
52.5.1 INCREASE $\checkmark$

(1)

2.5.2 NO CHANGE $\checkmark$

(1)

[15]**QUESTION 3**3.
1

Wave in which the particles of the medium vibrate parallel to the direction of propagation (motion) of the wave. $\checkmark \checkmark$

(2)

3.
23.2.1 Rarefactions $\checkmark$

(1)

3.2.2 Compressions $\checkmark$

(1)

3.2.3 0,275 m $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$

(3)

3.2.4 $v = f\lambda \checkmark$

$$9 = f(0,275) \checkmark$$

$$f = 32,73 \text{ Hz}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{32,73} \checkmark \quad (5)$$

$$T = 0,03 \text{ s } \checkmark$$

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QUESTION 44.
14.1.1 Infrared waves $\checkmark$ (1)4.1.2 Radio waves **OR** microwaves $\checkmark$ (1)4.
24.2.1 Packet of energy found in light $\checkmark\checkmark$ (2)

4.2.2	OPTION 1	OPTION 2
	$c = f\lambda \checkmark$ $3 \times 10^8 = f \times (650 \times 10^{-9}) \checkmark$ $f = 4,615 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$ $E = hf \checkmark$ $E = (6,63 \times 10^{-34})(4,615 \times 10^{14}) \checkmark\checkmark$ $E = 3,06 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J } \checkmark$	$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} \checkmark\checkmark$ $E = \frac{(6,63 \times 10^{-34})(3 \times 10^8)}{(650 \times 10^{-9})}$ $E = 3,06 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J } \checkmark$

(6)

4.2.3 Laser light has high intensity and can penetrate soft tissue of humans $\checkmark$ This can lead to damage of the eye tissue $\checkmark$ (2)

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QUESTION 55.
15.1.1 The net charge of an isolated system remains constant during any physical process $\checkmark\checkmark\checkmark$ (2)

$$5.1.2 \quad Q = \frac{Q_1 + Q_2}{2}$$

$$Q = \frac{(-2,5 \times 10^{-6}) + (6 \times 10^{-6})}{2}$$

(3)

$$Q = 1,75 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C } \checkmark$$

5.
2

5.2.1 Tribo-electric effect ✓ (1)

5.2.2 Excess of electrons ✓ (1)

5.2.3 All charges in the universe consist of an integer multiple of the change on a single electron i.e. $1,6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ ✓✓ (2)

5.2.4 $Q = nq$ ✓

$$-5 \times 10^{-9} = n \times (-1,6 \times 10^{-19}) \quad \checkmark$$

$$n = 3,125 \times 10^{10} \text{ electrons} \vee 31250\,000\,000 \text{ electrons} \quad \checkmark \quad (3)$$

5.2.5 Water molecules are polar ✓, the positive sides of the water molecules will be attracted to the negatively charged ball. ✓ (2)

5.2.6 Neutral ✓ (1)

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QUESTION 6

6. The rate of flow of charge ✓✓ (2)
1

6.
2

6.2.1 V_2 ✓ (1)

6.2.2 V_1 ✓ (1)

6.2.3 V_1 ✓
Switch S must be CLOSED ✓ (2)

6. $Q = I \Delta t$ ✓
3 $Q = 1,5 \times (2,5 \times 60)$
 $Q = 225 \text{ C}$ ✓ (4)

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QUESTION 7

7.
1

7.1.1 (a) $V_1 = 24 \text{ V}$ ✓ (1)

(b) $A_1 = 0 \text{ (A)}$ ✓ (1)

7.1.2	OPTION 1 $\frac{1}{R_p} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \checkmark$ $\frac{1}{R_p} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} \checkmark$ $R_p = 4 \Omega$ $R_T = R_s + R_p$ $R_T = 8 + 4 \checkmark$ $R_T = 12 \Omega \checkmark$	OPTION 2 $R_p = \frac{\text{product}}{\sum \text{resistors}} \checkmark$ $R_p = \frac{(8)(8)}{8+8} \checkmark$ $R_p = 4 \Omega$ $R_T = R_s + R_p$ $R_T = 8 + 4 \checkmark$ $R_T = 12 \Omega \checkmark$	(4)
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7.1.3 $V = IR \checkmark$
 $24 = I(12) \checkmark$
 $I = 2 \text{ A} \checkmark$ (3)

7.1.4 $V = IR \checkmark$
 $V = (2)(8) \checkmark$
 $V = 16 \text{ V} \checkmark$ (3)

7.1.5 $A_2 = A_3 \checkmark$ (1)

7.1.6 $V_T = V_p + V_s \checkmark$
 $24 = 16 + V_p \checkmark$
 $V_p = 8 \text{ V} \checkmark$ (3)

7.
2

7.2.1 Resistance is directly proportional to the length of the conducting wire. $\checkmark \checkmark$
OR
 As the length of the wire increases, the resistance increases $\checkmark \checkmark$ (2)

7.2.2 $1,35 \Omega \checkmark \checkmark$ (Range: $1,3 \Omega$ to/tot $1,4 \Omega$) (2)
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TOTAL: [100]