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9702/22 Paper 2 (AS Structured Questions), maximum raw mark 60

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1 **(a)** units for D identified as kg m s^{-2}
all other units shown: units for A: m^2 units for v^2: $\text{m}^2\,\text{s}^{-2}$ units for ρ: kg m^{-3}

$C = \dfrac{\text{kg m s}^{-2}}{\text{kg m}^{-3}\,\text{m}^2\,\text{m}^2\text{s}^{-2}}$ with cancelling / simplification to give C no units A1 [2]

(b) **(i)** straight line from (0,0) to (1,9.8) ± half a square B1 [1]

(ii) ½ $mv^2 = mgh$ or using $v^2 = 2as$ C1
$v = (2 \times 9.81 \times 1000)^{1/2} = 140\,\text{m s}^{-1}$ A1 [2]

(c) **(i)** weight = drag (D) (+ upthrust) B1 [1]
Allow mg or W for weight and D or expression for D for drag

(ii) **1.** $mg = 1.4 \times 10^{-5} \times 9.81$ C1

$1.4 \times 10^{-5} \times 9.81 = 0.5 \times 0.6 \times 1.2 \times 7.1 \times 10^{-6} \times v^2$ M1

$v = 7.33\,\text{m s}^{-1}$ A0 [2]

2. line from (0,0) correct curvature to a horizontal line at velocity of $7\,\text{m s}^{-1}$ M1
line reaches $7\,\text{m s}^{-1}$ between 1.5 s and 3.5 s A1 [2]

2 **(a)** (resultant) force = rate of change of momentum / allow proportional to
or change in momentum / time (taken) B1 [1]

(b) **(i)** $\Delta p = (-)\ 65 \times 10^{-3}\ (5.2 + 3.7)$ C1

$= (-)\ 0.58\,\text{N s}$ A1 [2]

(ii) $F = 0.58 / 7.5 \times 10^{-3}$

$= 77(.3)\,\text{N}$ A1 [1]

(c) **(i)** **1.** force on the wall from the ball is equal to the force on ball from the wall M1
but in the opposite direction A1 [2]
(statement of Newton's third law can score one mark)

2. momentum change of ball is equal and opposite to momentum change
of the wall / change of momentum of ball and wall is zero B1 [1]

(ii) <u>kinetic</u> energy (of ball and wall) is reduced / not conserved so inelastic B1 [1]
(Allow relative speed of approach does not equal relative speed of separation.)

3 **(a)** metal: regular / repeated / ordered arrangement / pattern / lattice or long range order (of atoms / molecules / ions) B1

polymer: tangled chains (of atoms / molecules) or long chains (of atoms / molecules / ions) B1

amorphous: disordered / irregular arrangement or short range order (of atoms / molecules / ions) B1 [3]

(b) metal: straight line or straight line then curving with less positive gradient B1

polymer: curve with decreasing gradient with steep increasing gradient at end B1 [2]

4 **(a)** waves (travels along tube) reflect at closed end / end of tube B1

incident and reflected waves or these two waves are in opposite directions M1

interfere or stationary wave formed if tube length equivalent to $\lambda / 4$, $3\lambda / 4$, etc. A1 [3]

(b) **(i)** **1.** no motion (as node) / zero amplitude B1 [1]

2. vibration backwards and forwards / maximum amplitude along length B1 [1]

(ii) $\lambda = 330 / 880$ (= 0.375 m) C1

$L = 3\lambda / 4$ C1

$L = 3 / 4 \times (0.375) = 0.28$ (0.281) m A1 [3]

5 **(a)** **(i)** $I_1 = I_2 + I_3$ B1 [1]

(ii) $I = V / R$ or $I_2 = 12 / 10$ (= 1.2 A) C1

$R = [1/6 + 1 / 10]^{-1}$ [total $R = 3.75\ \Omega$] or $I_3 = 12 / 6$ (= 2.0 A) C1

$I_1 = 12 / 3.75 = 3.2$ A or $I_1 = 1.2 + 2.0 = 3.2$ A A1 [3]

(iii) power = VI or I^2R or V^2 / R C1

$$x = \frac{\text{power in wire}}{\text{power in series resistors}} = \frac{I_2^2 R_w}{I_3^2 R_s} \text{ or } \frac{VI_2}{VI_3} \text{ or } \frac{V^2/R_w}{V^2/R_s}$$ C1

$x = 12 \times 1.2 / 12 \times 2.0 = 0.6(0)$ allow 3 / 5 or 3:5 A1 [3]

(b) p.d. BC: $12 - 12 \times 0.4 = 7.2$ (V) / p.d. AC = 4.8 (V) C1

p.d. BD: $12 - 12 \times 4 / 6 = 4.0$ (V) / p.d. AD = 8.0 (V) C1

p.d. = 3.2 V A1 [3]

6 **(a)** extension is proportional to force / load B1 [1]

(b) $F = mg$ C1

$x = (mg / k) = 0.41 \times 9.81 / 25 = (4.02 / 25)$ M1

$x = 0.16$ m A0 [2]

(c) **(i)** weight and (reaction) force from spring (which is equal to tension in spring)

(ii) F – weight or $0.06 \times 25 = ma$ C1
$F = 0.2209 \times 25 = 5.52$ (N) or $0.22 \times 25 = 5.5$
$a = (5.52 - 0.41 \times 9.81) / 0.41$ or $1.5 / 0.41$ and $(5.5 - 4.02)$ C1
$a = 3.7\ (3.66)\,\text{m s}^{-2}$ gives $3.6\,\text{m s}^{-2}$ A1 [3]

(d) elastic potential energy / strain energy to kinetic energy and gravitational potential energy B1
stretching / extension reduces and velocity increases / height increases B1 [2]

7 **(a)** ${}^{3}_{2}\text{He} + {}^{3}_{2}\text{He} \rightarrow {}^{4}_{2}\text{He} + 2\ {}^{1}_{1}\text{p} + Q$
A numbers correct (**4** and **1**) B1
Z numbers correct (**2** and **1**) B1 [2]

(b) both nuclei have 2 protons B1
the two isotopes have 1 neutron and two neutrons B1 [2]
[allow 1 for 'same number of protons but different number of neutrons']

(c) proton number and neutron number B1
energy – mass B1
momentum B1 [2]

(d) **(i)** γ radiation B1 [1]

(ii) product(s) must have kinetic energy B1 [1]

(e) $13.8\,\text{MeV} = 13.8 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 10^{6}$ $(= 2.208 \times 10^{-12})$ C1
$60 = n \times 13.8 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-13}$
$n = 2.7(2) \times 10^{13}\ \text{s}^{-1}$ A1 [2]