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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:
Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:
Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:
Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:
Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:
Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:
Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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Mark Scheme Notes

The following notes are intended to aid interpretation of mark schemes in general, but individual mark schemes may include marks awarded for specific reasons outside the scope of these notes.

Types of mark

M Method mark, awarded for a valid method applied to the problem. Method marks are not lost for numerical errors, algebraic slips or errors in units. However, it is not usually sufficient for a candidate just to indicate an intention of using some method or just to quote a formula; the formula or idea must be applied to the specific problem in hand, e.g. by substituting the relevant quantities into the formula. Correct application of a formula without the formula being quoted obviously earns the M mark and in some cases an M mark can be implied from a correct answer.

A Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. Accuracy marks cannot be given unless the associated method mark is earned (or implied).

B Mark for a correct result or statement independent of method marks.

DM or **DB** When a part of a question has two or more "method" steps, the M marks are generally independent unless the scheme specifically says otherwise; and similarly, when there are several B marks allocated. The notation DM or DB is used to indicate that a particular M or B mark is dependent on an earlier M or B (asterisked) mark in the scheme. When two or more steps are run together by the candidate, the earlier marks are implied and full credit is given.

FT Implies that the A or B mark indicated is allowed for work correctly following on from previously incorrect results. Otherwise, A or B marks are given for correct work only.

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Abbreviations

AEF/OE Any Equivalent Form (of answer is equally acceptable) / Or Equivalent

AG Answer Given on the question paper (so extra checking is needed to ensure that the detailed working leading to the result is valid)

CAO Correct Answer Only (emphasising that no “follow through” from a previous error is allowed)

CWO Correct Working Only

ISW Ignore Subsequent Working

SOI Seen Or Implied

SC Special Case (detailing the mark to be given for a specific wrong solution, or a case where some standard marking practice is to be varied in the light of a particular circumstance)

WWW Without Wrong Working

AWRT Answer Which Rounds To

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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	$F=\mu\times 500g$	**B1**	Use of $F=\mu R$
	$[2500=\mu\times 500g]$	**M1**	Resolving horizontally
	$\mu=0.5$	**A1**	
		3	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	PE gain $=150000g\times 500\sin\alpha$ $(=75000000g\sin\alpha)$	**B1**	Correct expression for PE gain
	$\frac{1}{2}\times 150000\times 45^2-\frac{1}{2}\times 150000\times 42^2$ $(=19575000)$	**B1**	Correct expression for KE loss
		M1	For 5 term work energy equation (or 4 terms if using loss in KE as 1 term)
	$150000g\times 500\sin\alpha=19575000+16000\times 500-4\times 10^6$	**A1**	
	$\alpha=1.8$	**A1**	
		5	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	Resolving horizontally or vertically	**M1**	
	50cos20 + 60 – 100sin30 (=56.984…)	**A1**	
	100cos30 – 50sin20 (= 69.501…)	**A1**	
	$R = \sqrt{(56.984...^2 + 69.501...^2)}$ or $\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{56.984...}{69.501...}\right)$	**M1**	Method to find either R or α
	R=89.9 (89.876…)	**A1**	
	α=39.3 (39.348…)	**A1**	
		6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4(i)	$s_{PQ} = 20\times10 - 0.5a\times10^2$ **or** $s_{QR} = 20\times10 + 0.5a\times10^2$	**M1**	For use of $s = vt - \frac{1}{2}at^2$ or $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$ OE suvat to find PQ or QR
	$s = 200–50a$ **and** $1.5s = 200 + 50a$	**A1**	OE
	$1.5(200 – 50a) = 200 + 50a \rightarrow 100 = 125a \rightarrow a = 0.8$ ms^{-2}	**B1**	AG
		3	
4(ii)	Distance $QS = 20\times20 + \frac{1}{2}\times0.8\times20^2$	**M1**	Using $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$
	Distance=560 m	**A1**	
	Average speed between Q and $S = \frac{560}{20} = 28\,\text{ms}^{-1}$	**B1**	
		3	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5(i)	Driving force $= \frac{240}{6}$ (= 40 N)	**B1**	Use of power = force × velocity
	[40 – R = 80 × 0.3]	**M1**	Use of Newton's Second Law (3 terms)
	Resistance is 16 N	**A1**	AG
		3	
5(ii)	$\left[\frac{240}{v} = 16\right]$	**M1**	Use of $P=Fv$ with DF=resistance
	Steady speed is 15 ms^{-1}	**A1**	
		2	
5(iii)	Use of Newton's Second Law	**M1**	(4 terms)
	$\frac{240}{4} - 16 - 80g\sin 3 = 80a$	**A1**	
	Acceleration is 0.0266 ms^{-2}	**A1**	
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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
Q6(i)	$10 = 0.04\times5^3 + 5^2c + 5k$ $\quad(5c + k = 1)$	**B1**	Use of t=5, v=10
	$s = \frac{0.04}{4}t^4 + \frac{ct^3}{3} + \frac{kt^2}{2} + (C)$	***M1**	For use of $s = \int v\,\mathrm{d}t$
	$25 = 0.01\times5^4 + \frac{5^3}{3}c + \frac{5^2}{2}k$	**DM1**	Use of t = 0, s = 0 and t = 5, s = 25
	$6.25 + \frac{125}{3}c + \frac{25}{2}k = 25$ $\quad\left(\frac{125}{3}c + \frac{25}{2}k = 18.75\right)$	**A1**	
	Solving for c or for k	**M1**	
	$c = -0.3$ and $k = 2.5$	**A1**	
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Q6(ii)	$a = 0.12t^2 - 0.6t + 2.5$	**M1**	For use of $a = \frac{\mathrm{d}v}{\mathrm{d}t}$
	$a' = 0.24t - 0.6 = 0 \rightarrow t = ...$ **or** $a = 0.12(t^2 - 5t + ...) = 0.12\left[(t-2.5)^2 + ...\right]$	**M1**	Uses $\frac{\mathrm{d}a}{\mathrm{d}t} = 0$ or completes the square for a
	Minimum when t = 2.5	**A1**	AG
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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7(i)	$\left[0.81 = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times a \times 0.9^2\right]$	**M1**	For use of $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$
	$a = 2$	**A1**	
	$T - mg = ma$ **or** $kmg - T = kma$	**M1**	Use of Newton's Second Law for A or B or use of $a = \frac{(m_B - m_A)g}{(m_B + m_A)}$
	$T - mg = ma$ **and** $kmg - T = kma$ or $\left[a = \frac{(km - m)g}{(km + m)}\right]$	**A1**	
	$a = \frac{(kg - g)}{(k + 1)} = 2 \rightarrow k = ...$	**M1**	Solves to find k
	$k = 1.5$	**A1**	
	$T = 10m + 2m = 12m$ N	**B1**	AG
		7	
7(ii)	Velocity of A when string breaks = 2×0.9 (=1.8 ms^{-1} upwards)	**B1FT**	For use of $v=u+at$ ft a from **(i)**
	$v^2=1.8^2+2g\times1.62 \rightarrow v=...$	**M1**	For use of *suvat* to find v_A at ground
	Speed is 5.97 ms^{-1}	**A1**	AG
	Time taken $= \frac{(1.8 + 5.97)}{g} = 0.777s$ (0.7769...)	**B1**	
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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7(iii)	Straight line from (0, 0) to (0.9, 1.8)	**B1**	
	Straight line from (0.9, 1.8) to approx. (1.7, –6)	**B1FT**	FT 0.9 + t from **(ii)** for 1.7
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