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# HKDSE MOCK EXAMINATION 2024

## Physics

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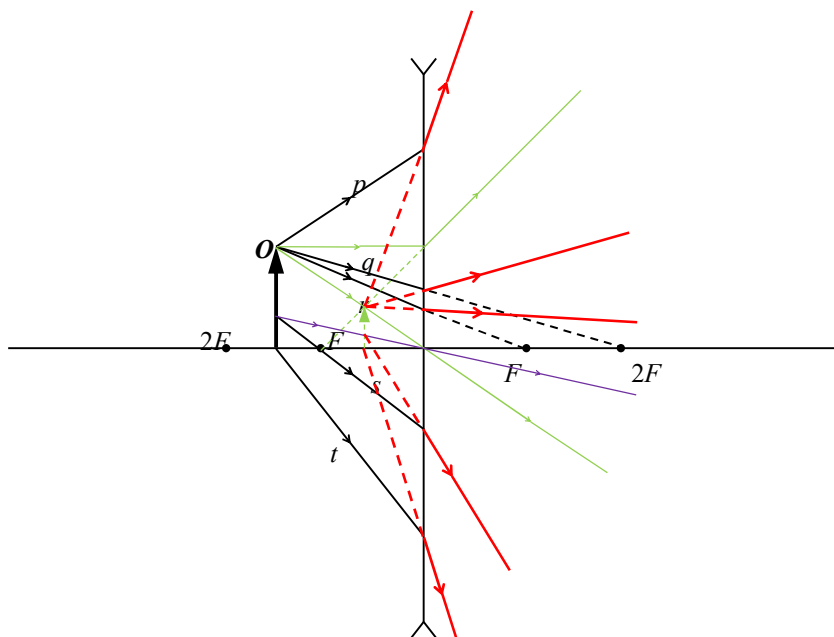
### Paper I Section A

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Paper I Section B

		<u>Marks</u>
1.	(a)	By $pV = nRT$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$n = \frac{pV}{RT} = \frac{(10^5)(1200 \times 10^{-6})}{(8.31)(27 + 273)} = \underline{0.0481 \text{ mol}}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>
	(b)	Total amount of gas molecules before the tap is opened = Total amount of gas molecules after the tap is opened <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$\frac{(10^5)(1200 \times 10^{-6})}{(8.31)(27 + 273)} + 0 = \frac{p'(1200 \times 10^{-6})}{(8.31)(27 + 273)} + \frac{p'(400 \times 10^{-6})}{(8.31)(127 + 273)}$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$\therefore p' = \underline{7.99 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>
2.	(a)	$E_{\text{stored}} = \frac{1}{2} mu^2 = \frac{1}{2} (0.5)(0.8)^2$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$= \underline{0.16 \text{ J}}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>
	(b)	$W = Fs \Rightarrow 0.16 = F(0.05)$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$\therefore F = \frac{0.16}{0.05} = \underline{3.2 \text{ N}}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>
		<u>No</u> , the maximum compression of the spring should be <u>larger than 5 cm</u> <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		It is because the <u>total mechanical energy is larger</u> . The height of the trolley drops when the spring is compressed. Therefore, more kinetic energy and gravitational potential energy <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		converts to elastic potential energy at the spring.
		(Another answer is also acceptable) Yes, the maximum compression of the spring is equal to 5 cm. <span style="float: right;">1 M</span> Although the trolley is on an inclined runway, the speed of the trolley is also $0.8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ during the collision, which means the energy transferred from the trolley to the spring is still <span style="float: right;">1 M</span> the same. (The height difference caused by spring's compression is neglected)
		(*compression less than 5 cm* is <b>NOT</b> accepted)
3	(a)	$F_c = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{(5 \times 10^4)(240)^2}{45 \times 10^3}$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$= \underline{64000 \text{ N}}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>
	(b)	$\tan \theta = \frac{v^2}{gr} = \frac{(240)^2}{(9.81)(45 \times 10^3)}$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$\therefore \theta = \underline{7.43^\circ}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>
	(c)	$F_L \cos \theta = mg \Rightarrow F_L = \frac{mg}{\cos \theta} = \frac{(5 \times 10^4)(9.81)}{\cos 7.43^\circ}$ <span style="float: right;">1 M</span>
		$\therefore F_L = \underline{495000 \text{ N}}$ <span style="float: right;">1 A</span>

4.



5 A

(1 mark for each correct ray)

5. (a)

Take moment at O,

$$T(0.8) \sin 30^\circ = (50 \times 9.81)(0.4) + (2000)(1.2 + 0.4)$$

1 M

$$\therefore T = \underline{8490 \text{ N}}$$

1 A

(b)

$$\begin{cases} R \sin \phi = T \cos 30^\circ & \dots(1) \\ R \cos \phi = T \sin 30^\circ + 50 \times 9.81 + 2000 & \dots(2) \end{cases}$$

1 M

Solving above equations, we have

$$\begin{aligned} R &= \sqrt{(T \cos 30^\circ)^2 + (T \sin 30^\circ + 50 \times 9.81 + 2000)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(8490 \cos 30^\circ)^2 + (8490 \sin 30^\circ + 50 \times 9.81 + 2000)^2} \\ &= \underline{9970 \text{ N}} \end{aligned}$$

1 M

1 A

6. (a)

By conservation of mass and energy,

$$4m_p = m_{He} + \Delta E$$

$$4(1.007279u) = m_{He} + \frac{(4.28 \times 10^{-12})}{(3 \times 10^8)^2} \left( \frac{1}{1.661 \times 10^{-27}} \right)$$

1 M

$$\therefore m_{He} = \underline{4.000473u}$$

1 A

(b) According to  $P = \frac{E}{t} = \frac{N(\Delta E)}{t}$ ,

$$\text{number of fusion occurs per second : } \frac{N}{t} = \frac{P}{\Delta E} = \frac{3.68 \times 10^{26}}{4.28 \times 10^{-12}} = 8.598 \times 10^{37} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

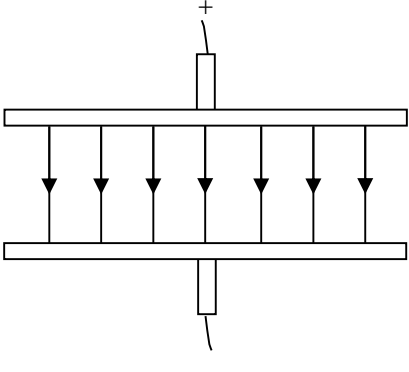
1 M

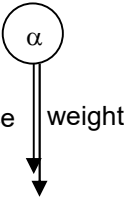
Mass of the helium produced per second :

$$\frac{M}{t} = \frac{N}{t} \times m_{He} = (8.598 \times 10^{37}) \times (4.000473 \times 1.661 \times 10^{-27}) = \underline{5.71 \times 10^{11} \text{ kg s}^{-1}}$$

1 M + 1A

7. (a) The impact force is equal to the rate of change of momentum during a collision . 1 M  
 The airbags decrease the rate of change of momentum (i.e. impact force) by increasing the time of the collision, which protect passengers from getting injured. 1 M  
 (b) Seat-belt / crumple zones of vehicles / other reasonable answers 1 A + 1A

8. (a)  (Parallel and evenly spaced field lines) 1 A  
 (Correct direction) 1 A

(b)  1 A+1 A  
 (2 correct labeled forces)

- (c) The polarities of the parallel plates are reversed. 1 A

9. (a) Radio waves 1 A

- (b) A cell typically uses a different set of frequencies from neighboring cells, to avoid interference within each cell. 1 A

Signal from the cell towers blocked by the construction materials such as brick, steel bar inside concrete wall, etc. 1 M

Cell signal may enter a building through windows. However, going outside should allow cell phones to receive a stronger signal from the local cell towers. 1 M

10. (a) reflection 1 A

- (b) Orientation 1 1 A

- (c) The wave travels slower in region B. 1 M

$$\frac{v_A}{v_B} = \frac{\lambda_A}{\lambda_B} \Rightarrow \frac{v_A}{1} = \frac{3}{2}$$

1 M

$$\therefore v_A = \underline{\underline{1.5 \text{ m s}^{-1}}}$$

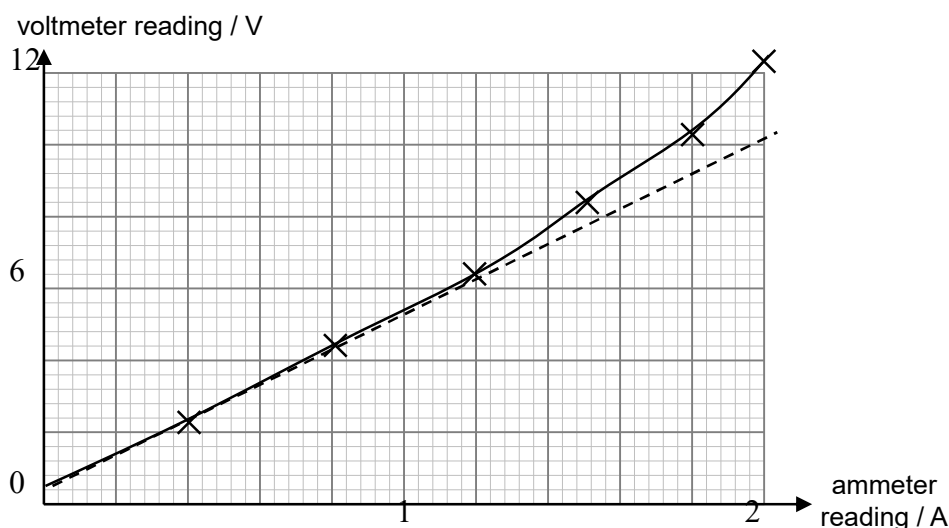
1 A

10. (b) (i) Electric force = weight
- $$Eq = mg$$
- 1 M
- $$E = \frac{mg}{q}$$
- $$= \frac{10^{-27} \times 9.81}{2 \times 1.60 \times 10^{-19}}$$
- $$= 3.066 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N C}^{-1}$$
- $$= 3.07 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N C}^{-1}$$
- 1 A
- The electric field strength needed is about  $3.07 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N C}^{-1}$ .
- (ii) By  $E = \frac{V}{d}$
- $$V = Ed = 3.066 \times 10^{-8} \times 0.005 = 1.53 \times 10^{-10} \text{ V}$$
- 1 M + 1 A
- The potential difference between the plates required is about  $1.53 \times 10^{-10} \text{ V}$ .
- (iii) The EHT power supply is not suitable for the experiment
- 1 A
- since it is unable to provide such a small voltage output.
- 1 A
11. (a) The electric field points upwards.
- 1 M
- $$E = \frac{V}{d} = \frac{4.68 \times 10^3}{0.5 \times 10^{-2}} = \underline{\underline{936000 \text{ N C}^{-1}}}$$
- 1 A
- (b) The magnetic force points downwards.
- 1 M
- $$F_B = F_E = qE = (3.2 \times 10^{-19})(936000) = \underline{\underline{3.00 \times 10^{-13} \text{ N}}}$$
- 1 A
- (c)  $F_B = qvB \sin \theta$
- $$3.00 \times 10^{-13} = (3.2 \times 10^{-19})v(1.8) \sin 90^\circ$$
- 1 M
- $$\therefore v = \underline{\underline{5.20 \times 10^5 \text{ m s}^{-1}}}$$
- 1 A
- (d)  $F_C = F_B \Rightarrow \frac{mv^2}{r} = qvB$
- $$\Rightarrow r = \frac{mv}{Bq} = \frac{(6.64 \times 10^{-27})(5.2 \times 10^5)}{(2)(3.2 \times 10^{-19})} = 0.005395 \text{ m}$$
- 1 M
- $$\therefore d = 2r = \underline{\underline{0.0108 \text{ m}}}$$
- 1 A
- (e) (i) There are two forces, electrostatic force  $F_E$  and the induced magnetic force  $F_B$ , which are in opposite direction acts on the electron.
- $$F_E = F_B \Leftrightarrow qE = qvB \Leftrightarrow v = \frac{E}{B}$$
- When an electron is projected to the selector at the speed in (c), that means net force on it is zero since  $F_E$  and  $F_B$  equals and in opposite. So, the electron can pass without deflection.
- 1 M + 1 M
- (ii) The radius of circular path / the rotating direction / period of the circular motion (any two)
- 1 M + 1 M

12. (a)  $\lambda = \frac{v}{f} = \frac{340}{3000} = \underline{\underline{0.113 \text{ m}}}$  1 M+1 A
- (b) (i) Constructive and destructive interference occurs alternatively along  $PQ$ . 1 A
- (ii) Loud sound is detected at O. 1 A
- (iii) - There is a background noise. 1 A
- Intensity/amplitude of sound wave from slits  $S_2$  and  $S_3$  have slightly difference due to the path differences. 1 A
- (c)  $\lambda' = \frac{v}{f'} = \frac{340}{30000} = 0.0113 \text{ m} = 1.13 \text{ cm} \ll 10 \text{ cm}$
- Degree of diffraction is too small at slit  $S_1$  since wavelength becoming shorter.
- (d) Path difference :  $\Delta x = n\lambda$
- $$S_3R - S_2R = n\left(\frac{v}{f}\right)$$
- $$\sqrt{(S_2R)^2 + (S_2S_3)^2} - S_2R = n\left(\frac{v}{f}\right)$$
- $$\sqrt{\left(\frac{300}{100}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{40}{100}\right)^2} - \frac{300}{100} = 5\left(\frac{340}{f}\right)$$
- $$\therefore f = 5\left(\frac{340}{\sqrt{3^2 + 0.4^2} - 3}\right) = \underline{\underline{64000 \text{ Hz}}}$$
- (e) Only two bright projections from  $S_2$  and  $S_3$  can be observed. i.e. No interference pattern is observed since wavelength of visible light is much shorter than the width of the slits. 1 A

13. (a) Both readings decrease. 1 A

(b)



1 A+1 A

Marks

13. (b) (ii)  $R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{4}{0.8} = \underline{\underline{5\ \Omega}}$  1 M+1 A
- (iii) Resistance increases with temperature of the resistor increases due to the heating effect of current. 1 A+1 A
- (c) (i) The ammeter is connected in series to the resistor which means the reading of ammeter is same as the current through the resistor. 1 A
- However, the voltmeter is connected in parallel across the resistor and ammeter. Therefore, the reading of voltmeter is larger than the potential difference across the resistor. 1 A
- So, the measured value of the resistance, (in other words, the ratio of readings of voltmeter and ammeter) is larger than the actual resistance of the resistor. 1 A
- (ii)  $V = I(R + R_A)$   
 $4 = 0.8(R + 2)$  1 M  
 $\therefore R = \underline{\underline{3\ \Omega}}$  1 A



**Paper II**

**Section A: Astronomy and Space Science**

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
B	C	C	B	B	B	A	A

Marks

1. (a) S rises and sets everyday as seen from the Earth, and so it cannot always be observed. 1 A
- (b) The relative motion between the source (i.e. the star) and the observer on the Earth gives rise to the Doppler effect. 1 A
- (c) (i) From the plot, the peak values of the graph correspond to the speeds of S when it is moving directly towards or away from the Earth. 1 A

Orbital speed of S

$$v_S = c \left| \frac{\Delta\lambda}{\lambda} \right| = (3 \times 10^8) \times \left| \frac{0.13 \times 10^{-12}}{656.3 \times 10^{-9}} \right| = 59.42 \approx 59.4 \text{ m s}^{-1} \quad 1 \text{ M} + 1 \text{ A}$$

Orbital radius of S

$$R_S = \frac{v_S}{\omega_S} = \frac{v_S T_S}{2\pi} = \frac{59.4 \times (60 \times 60 \times 100)}{2\pi} = 3.4047 \times 10^6 \approx 3.40 \times 10^6 \text{ m} \quad 1 \text{ M} + 1 \text{ A}$$

- (d) By Kepler's third law of planetary motion,  $T^2 = \frac{GM}{4\pi^2} R^3$

Orbital radius of P

$$R_P = \left( \frac{GM_S T_P^2}{4\pi^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \left[ \frac{(6.67 \times 10^{-11}) \times (2.10 \times 10^{30}) \times (60 \times 60 \times 100)^2}{4\pi^2} \right]^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad 1 \text{ M}$$

$$= 7.718 \times 10^9 \approx 7.72 \times 10^9 \text{ m} \quad 1 \text{ A}$$

- (e) The curve of the graph will shift upwards. 1 A

**Section B: Atomic world**

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

Marks

2. (a) (i) Feature 1: There is a threshold frequency for the incident radiation below which no photoelectron is emitted irrespective of the radiation intensity.  
 Feature 2: The maximum kinetic energy of the photoelectrons depends only on the frequency and not the intensity of the incident radiation.  
 Feature 3: No time delay occurs during the emission of photoelectrons.  
 (Any Two of above / other reasonable answers) 1 M + 1 M
- (ii) Explanation 1: The energy carried by a photon is  $hf$  and so the electrons cannot acquire enough energy to escape from the metal surface.  
 Explanation 2: By Einstein's photoelectric equation  $K.E.\max = hf - \phi$ , the maximum kinetic energy depends only on the frequency of the incident photons.  
 Explanation 3: The incident photons transfer energy to an electron once it is absorbed.  
 (Any Two of above / other reasonable answers) 1 M + 1 M
- (b) (i) Work function is the minimum amount of energy required to remove an electron from a metal surface. 1 A
- (ii) Threshold frequency of the alloy :  $f_0 = \frac{\phi}{h} = \frac{(1.8)(1.60 \times 10^{-19})}{6.63 \times 10^{-34}} = 4.34 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$  1 M
- Frequency of the infrared radiation :  $f = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{1000 \times 10^{-9}} = 3 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz} < f_0$  1 M
- Hence the photomultiplier tube does not work with the infrared radiation. 1 A
- Alternative:**  
 Energy of the infrared photon:  

$$E = hf = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \left[ \frac{(6.63 \times 10^{-34})(3 \times 10^8)}{1000 \times 10^{-9}} \right] \frac{1}{1.60 \times 10^{-19}} \approx 1.24 \text{ eV} < 1.8 \text{ eV}$$
 Hence the photomultiplier tube does not work with the infrared radiation.
- (iii) The more intense is the incident light, the more photons reach the photocathode. 1 A  
 Since each photoelectron has to absorb one photon before it is emitted, more photons reaching the photocathode results in more electrons to be emitted. 1 A  
 So, Derek's claim is correct.

**Section C: Energy and Use of energy**

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
A	B	C	B	B	C	C	A

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|----|---|--------------|
| 3. | (a) Solar panels are portable, so they can be easily transported to remote areas.(Or other reasonable answers)  | 1 A          |
|    | (b) Maximum energy stored = $Pt = 7 \times 60 \times 60 \times 24 \times 3$<br>$= \underline{1.81 \times 10^6 \text{ J}}$   | 1 M<br>1 A   |
|    | (c) $1000 \times A \times 18\% = 45$<br>$A = \underline{0.25 \text{ m}^2}$  | 1 M<br>1 A   |
|    | (d) There is an extended period of rainy (or cloudy) weather.   | 1 A          |
|    | (e) (i) By $P_{\text{最大}} = \frac{1}{2} \rho A v^3 = \frac{1}{2} \times 1.2 \times (\pi \times 0.8^2) \times \left( \frac{20 \times 10^3}{3600} \right)^3$<br>$= \underline{207 \text{ W}}$ | 1 M<br>1 A   |
|    | (ii) Air does not stop after passing through the turbine.<br>The generator in the turbine is not 100% efficient.<br>(Or other reasonable answers)   | 1 A<br>1 A   |

**Section D: Medical Physics**

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
A	A	A	D	B	A	A	D

- Marks
4. (a) The result does not tell which kidney is not working normally. 1 A
- (b) (i) Only a few radionuclides are accumulated in the kidneys. 1 A
- (ii) More radionuclides are accumulated in the kidneys. 1 A
- The kidney appearing whiter absorbs fewer radionuclides. 1 A
- (iii) Most radionuclides have decayed / been removed from the body by biological processes. 1 A
- (c) (i) By  $\frac{1}{t_{eff}} = \frac{1}{t_{phy}} + \frac{1}{t_{bio}}$ , 1 M
- $$t_{eff} = \left( \frac{1}{t_{phy}} + \frac{1}{t_{bio}} \right)^{-1} = \left( \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{4} \right)^{-1} = \underline{2.4 \text{ hours}}$$
- Decay constant  $k = \frac{\ln 2}{t_e} = \frac{\ln 2}{2.4} = 0.289 \text{ h}^{-1}$
- By  $A = A_0 e^{-kt}$ , 1 M
- $$t = \frac{-1}{k} \ln \frac{A}{A_0} = \frac{-1}{0.289} \ln 0.1 = \underline{7.97 \text{ h}}$$
- 1 A
- Or By  $A = A_0 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{\frac{t}{t_e}}$ , 1 M

$$t = t_e \frac{\ln \frac{A}{A_0}}{\ln 0.5} = 2.4 \times \frac{\ln 0.1}{\ln 0.5} = 7.97 \text{ h}$$

1 A
- (ii) Any two of the following: 1 A + 1 A
- Emit  $\gamma$  radiation only
  - Non-toxic / no pharmacological effect
  - Decay to a stable nuclide
- (Accept other reasonable answers.)