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Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided there may be more space than you need.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets
 use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each guestion.
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed
 - you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression, on these questions.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.





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FORMULAE

You may find the following formulae useful.

wave speed = frequency × wavelength	$v = f \times \lambda$
wave speed = $\frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time}}$	$v = \frac{x}{t}$
electrical power = current \times potential difference	$P = I \times V$
cost of electricity = power \times time \times cost of 1 kilowatt-hour	
$power = \frac{energy used}{time taken}$	$P = \frac{E}{t}$
(useful energy transferred by the device)	

efficiency = $\frac{(\text{dself lenergy transferred by the device)}}{(\text{total energy supplied to the device)}} \times 100\%$

primary voltage	number of turns on primary coil	$\frac{V_{p}}{}$	$N_{\rm p}$
secondary voltage	number of turns on secondary coil	$V_{\rm s}$	N _s



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Questions begin on next page.



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(1)

Answer ALL questions.

Some questions must be answered with a cross in a box \boxtimes . If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box \bigotimes and then mark your new answer with a cross \boxtimes .

Improvements in scientific equipment

- 1 Improvements in scientific equipment have made it possible for scientists to observe the Universe in greater detail.
 - (a) The invention of the refracting telescope is an example.

Refracting telescopes use converging lenses.

A student investigates the properties of a converging lens.

The diagram shows the equipment he uses.



He moves the screen to produce a sharp image of the bright object on the screen.

He measures the image distances for several object distances.

(i) Complete the sentence by putting a cross (\boxtimes) in the box next to your answer.

The image on the screen is always

- A upright and real
- **B** inverted and real
- C upright and virtual
- **D** inverted and virtual





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Induction

2 A meter is connected to a coil of wire.

When the **south** pole of a magnet moves into the top of the coil, the meter looks like this.



(a) Draw a line from each 'movement of the magnet' to the 'appearance of the meter'. Each meter diagram may be used once, twice or not at all.

(2)

movement of magnet

appearance of the meter



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The **south** pole of the magnet comes out of the top of the

coil faster than before

The **north** pole of the magnet



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(4)

(d) A step-down transformer has 20 turns on one coil and 500 turns on the other.

One end of the transformer is connected to a power supply and the other end to an appliance which needs 12 V.

Calculate the voltage of the supply.

voltage of supply =V

(Total for Question 2 = 9 marks)

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An electric fire

3 A student connects an electric fire to the mains supply.



The power rating of the fire is 2.5 kW.

(a) (i) Complete the sentence by putting a cross (\boxtimes) in the box next to your answer.

A power of 2.5 kW is the same as

- A 2500 amps per volt
- **B** 2500 joules per amp
- C 2500 joules per second
- **D** 2500 joules per volt
 - (ii) 1 kWh of electricity costs 20p.

Calculate the cost of keeping the fire on for 12 minutes.

(2)

cost of electricity = ...

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(ii)	The mains voltage falls to 210 V but the fire remains switched on. Describe what happens to the temperature of the element.	(2)
	even though the electric fire is on.	(2)
b) (i)	When the student leaves the electric fire on for a long time, the temperature of the wire element rises to 1100 °C and stays there. Explain how it is possible for the element to stay at a constant temperature	
	current =	
		(3)
	Calculate the current in the electric fire.	

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(b) X-rays and gamma rays can have the same frequencies.

One way of distinguishing between X-rays and gamma rays is to refer to how they are produced.

X-rays are emitted when high energy electrons collide with a metal target.

Describe how gamma rays are produced.

(c) X-rays and gamma rays have different uses.

Describe **one** use for X-rays and **one** use for gamma rays.

(3)

(2)

(d) Electromagnetic radiation with a frequency of 2.8×10^{19} Hz could be either X-rays or gamma rays depending on the source.

Calculate the wavelength of this radiation.

The speed of the radiation is 3.0×10^8 m/s.

wavelength = m (Total for Question 4 = 10 marks)



The	origin of the Universe	
(a) Red giant and red shift are terms	used in astronomy.	
(i) Describe what is meant by rec	l giant.	(2)
(ii) Describe what is meant by red	l shift.	(2)
(b) A spectrum is produced on Earth. One of the lines in the spectrum h The same line in a spectrum of lig		of 478 nm.
The speed of light is 3.00×10^8 m/		
Another term used in astronomy	s recessional speed.	
Use the equation to calculate the	recessional speed of the galaxy.	
recessional speed =	$\frac{\text{change in wavelength}}{\text{original wavelength}} \times \text{speed of light}$	
		(2)
	recessional speed =	m/s

evidence which has led scientists to reject the	Steady State theory.	(6)
	(Total for Question 5 = 1	2 marks)

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			Waves in the Earth		
6	(a)	Ele	phants communicate using waves of frequency 10 Hz.		
		(i)	Complete the sentence by putting a cross (\boxtimes) in the box next to your answer.	(1)	
			These waves can be described as	(1)	
	\times	Α	electromagnetic		
	\times	В	infrasound		
		C	supersonic		
		D	ultrasound		
		(ii)	State the value of the minimum frequency for ultrasound .	(1)	
				Hz	
		(iii)	Suggest why humans are unable to hear the waves used by the elephants.	(2)	
				(-)	
	(b)	6	mplote the contence by putting a cross (\mathbf{M}) in the boy payt to your answer		
	(D)		mplete the sentence by putting a cross ($oxtimes)$ in the box next to your answer.	(1)	
		Wł	en earthquake waves in a solid reach the boundary between the solid and a liq	uid,	
	\mathbf{X}	A	P-waves cannot reflect at the boundary		
	\boxtimes	B	P-waves cannot refract at the boundary		
	\mathbf{X}	C	S-waves cannot reflect at the boundary		
	\times	D	S-waves cannot refract at the boundary		



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*(c) In ancient China, scientists used instruments to find the origin of an earthquake. Each instrument had 'Dragons' and 'Toads' as shown in photograph 1.



photograph 1

Photograph 1 shows the instrument set up, ready to detect an earthquake.

Each dragon holds a ball in its mouth.

During earthquakes, balls drop from dragons' mouths and are caught by the toads underneath.



ball —

photograph 2

Photograph 2 shows the instrument after an earthquake.

The balls have been caught by two toads below the dragons.

Balls only drop in the direction towards the earthquake.

If two balls drop, then the direction of the earthquake is somewhere between them.

The diagram represents a map and shows three of these instruments at three different towns, L, M and N.

Two balls have dropped at each place as shown.



Describe how the data in the diagram can be used to find where the earthquake occurred.

Complete the diagram to support your answer.

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(Total for Question 6 = 11 marks)

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