

# **GCSE**

# **Physics B**

General Certificate of Secondary Education

Unit **B652/02**: Unit 2 – Modules P4, P5, P6 (Higher Tier)

## Mark Scheme for January 2012

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#### **Annotations**

Annotation	Meaning
<b>₩</b>	correct response
×	incorrect response
[4]4]	benefit of the doubt
2.500	benefit of the doubt <u>not</u> given
1464	error carried forward
<b>A</b>	information omitted
	ignore
R	reject
[संगा	contradiction

### **Subject-specific Marking Instructions**

Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme.

/ = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point

(1) = separates marking pointsallow = answers that can be accepted

not = answers which are not worthy of credit
reject = answers which are not worthy of credit

**ignore** = statements which are irrelevant

() = words which are not essential to gain credit

\_\_ = underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark (although not correctly spelt unless otherwise stated)

ecf = error carried forward AW = alternative wording ora = or reverse argument

	uesti	n n	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)	(i)	(charged paddles placed on) chest / AW (1) good electrical contact (1)	2	allow make sure it is charged up enough (1) ignore place charged paddles on heart ignore any reference to how paddles are charged allow dries chest / shaves chest / puts gel on chest (1) allow puts conducting pads on chest (1)
		(ii)	(heart muscle) contracts (1)	1	ignore heart starts beating / heart (re)starts / heart gets shocked / heart pumps / spasm
	(b)		any one from idea of where there is a fire / explosion risk (1) idea of where there is a danger to electrical / electronic equipment (1)	1	allow named examples e.g. refuelling (a plane) / in a petrol station / tanker / operating theatre / flour mills / lightning (1) ignore unqualified reference to (excess) oxygen ignore clothing clings / dust on TV / shock
	(c)	(i)	(like charges) repel (1)	1	allow charges move away from each other (1) ignore protons repel
		(ii)	car charged oppositely (to paint) / car charged negatively (1)  any one from (spray / paint) attracted (to car) (1) opposites attract (1)	2	
			Total	7	

Q	uestic	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(a)		(number of) waves per second (1)	1	allow (number of) waves per unit time / AW (1) allow (number of) vibrations per second or per unit time (1) allow other named examples of time e.g. waves per minute (1)
	(b)		any one from scanning (1)  cleaning (equipment) (1) breaking / treating (kidney) stones (1)	1	allow baby or pregnancy scan / to confirm pregnancy (1) allow to produce images / picture of body tissues or (unborn) baby(1) ignore look at or see (unborn) baby (in womb) ignore to check the body e.g. to check ears / heart / breathing allow ultrasonic toothbrush / dental treatment (1) allow to break up lens in cataract surgery (1) allow treatment of soft tissue damage (1) allow to measure speed of blood (flow in body) (1) ignore to measure heart rate allow to treat cancer (1)
			Total	2	

Q	uestion	Answer		Guidance
3	(a)	fission (1)		not fusion
	(b)	1 (nuclear reaction) 2 producing heat 3 producing steam 4 turning a turbine 5 (turning a generator) (1)	1	2, 3 and 4 correct for mark
		Total	2	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	3.3 (A) (2)	3	
	but if answer incorrect		
	<u>230</u> 69 (1)		
	and		
	any one from idea that 5A fuse is lowest value that will work (1)		
	3A fuse will blow (1)		
	13A fuse is too high and will allow excess current to flow (if there is a fault) / 13A fuse use carries a risk of fire (if there is a fault) (1)		
	Total	3	

Q	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5	(a)	234 (Th) 90 (1)	1	both numbers needed correct way round
	(b)	14 (C) 6 (1)	1	both numbers needed correct way round
	(c)	6400 (1)	1	more than one answer scores (0)
	(d) gamma tracer (in fluid pipe) (1) idea of detecting above (ground) / penetrate ground (1) idea of (build up of) tracer / (high) count before blockage / reduced or no count rate after blockage (1)		3	not beta or alpha
		Total	6	

Q	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6	(a)			
		but if answer incorrect		
		300 or (80 + 220) x 12 (1)		
	(b)	14.5 (m/s) (2)	2	
		but if answer incorrect		
		12 + (0.5 x 5) (1)		
		or		
		2.5 (1)		
	(c)	288 (m) (2)	2	
		but if answer incorrect		
		(15 + 33) x 12 / 2 (1)		
		or		
		48 x 12 / 2 (1)		
		or		
		48 x 6 (1)		
			Total 6	

Q	Question		Answer		Guidance
7	(a)	(i)	diffraction (1) reflection / bounce off from <u>ionosphere</u> (1)	2	must use a higher level answer <b>not</b> just spread around mountain / reflect from atmosphere <b>allow</b> transmit to and <b>retransmit</b> from satellite <b>ignore</b> reflect from satellite
		(ii)	any two from rain / dust (1) absorb / scatter (waves) (1) less diffraction (1) less reflection from ionosphere (1) because shorter wavelength / higher frequency (1)	2	allow clouds / fog
	(b)		(C) (1) any crest / crest or trough / trough—overlap  (D) (1) any crest / trough overlap.	2	candidates should <b>clearly</b> indicate the positions
			Total	6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
8	Look for two marking points – one related to speed, the other to refraction		
	colours travel at different speeds (in glass) (1) red travels faster than violet / ora (2)		allow red travels slower than violet as equivalent to different speeds (1)
	MAX 2		
	change of speed in glass causes refraction (1) greater change in speed causes more refraction (2) red light has lower refractive index (2) violet light has higher refractive index (2)		<b>allow</b> correct use of:- refractive index = speed of light (in vacuum) speed of light (in medium) (1)
	MAX 2		ignore reference to wavelength / frequency / diffraction / reflection
			N.B. MAX 3
	Total	3	

Q	uestic	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
9	(a)	equal / AW (1)		2	allow same size (1)
			opposite / AW (1)		ignore against each other
	(b)		more time (1) same change of momentum (1)	3	allow more distance (1)
			BUT lower rate of change of momentum (2)		allow correct argument using equation to illustrate lower rate of change of momentum (1) allow slower change in momentum (2) allow correct argument involving impulse (2)
			Total	5	

Q	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
10	(a)	current (1)increase <b>X</b> (1)	2	both needed <b>allow</b> bulb or lamp for <b>X allow</b> correct symbol
	(b)	20 (Ω) (1) <b>but if answer is incorrect</b> 8 ÷ 0.4 (1)	2	
	(c)	use gradient (1) BUT inverse / reciprocal of gradient or 1 over the gradient or divide 1 by the gradient (2)	2	allow divide voltage by current (1) allow take a given voltage and divide by corresponding current or indicated on the graph / AW (2)
		Total	6	

Q	uesti	on		Answer		Marks	Guidance
11	(a)		Light (intensity) decreases / AW (1)		1	allow no light (1) allow it is night time (1)	
	(b)		truth table			3	
	, ,		Q	Т	S		Q and T columns correct (1)
			0	1	0		S column correct (1)
			0	1	1		
			1	0	0		
			1	0	0		
			1	0	0		
			(output/buzzer on only when) cold / low temperature <b>and</b> dark / low light level / at night <b>and</b> system / control switch / power / electricity / mains is on (1)			all three linked points needed	
	(c)		increa			3	both needed
			increase voltage	e / pd (1)			both needed
			voltage / potenti temperature				both needed
					Total	7	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
12	any three from	3	
	charge moves or flows around the circuit (1)		charge flow should be during the charging cycle
	this means a current passes in the circuit (1)		allow ammeter deflects / AW (1)
	charge builds up or on / is stored on the capacitor (1)		but ammeter deflects then falls to zero / AW (2) ignore just charge increases
	voltage / pd / potential difference across or of the capacitor increases (1)		allow voltage / pd increases (1) ignore reference to voltage of power supply
	Total	3	

Q	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
13	(a)	(isolating) no marks shaver not connected directly to / isolated from mains or  idea of reduced risk of electrocution / no flow of current to or through user (1)	1	not step-up / step-down allow higher level answers e.g. no flow of current to user from earth (connection) is possible (1) allow blocks flow of AC from one circuit to another (1) allow decouples one circuit from another (1) allow no risk of electrocution / shock (1)
	(b)	alternating magneticcore 4  alternating current 2  induces voltage 6  alternating magneticprimary 3  alternates magneticsecondary 5  alternating voltage 1	2	all correct (2) 2,3 and 4 in correct order OR 5 and 6 in correct order (1)
	(c)	field lines always at 90° / right angles to / perpendicular to the coil / wire / current (1)	1	allow idea of coil always feels maximum / constant force as it rotates / turns / spins
		Total	4	

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