

G.C.E. (Advanced Level) Examination - August 2011

PHYSICS - I

Provisional Scheme of Marking

2011 - Answers

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PHYSICS - II

Provisional Scheme of Marking

A - PART

01. (a) 0.01mm / 0.001 cm / 0.00001m
(b) By ensuring that the tip of the screw touches its image formed by the glass plate. 01
(c) (i) Turn the screw until its tip touches the surface. 01
(ii) The number of rotations of the circular scale and reading of the circular scale.
OR
the readings of the vertical scale and the circular scale. 01
(d) Waste of the screw/ threads OR
The screw might travel through the thimble loosely
OR
The circular scale might wobble OR
The circular scale might be inclined OR
The circular scale may not be horizontal 01
(e) (i) Meter Ruler / half meter ruler / vernier calipers 01
(ii) Place the spherometer on a sheet of paper and press to imprint/ emboss its leg marks 01
measure the distances between adjacent marks produced by the spherometer legs.
(f) Thickness of a microscope slide OR Thickness of a small glass slide / Thickness of a small disc (CD) OR small depth of a cavity OR small depressions / elevations of a structure.
(g) Reduce the progress made by the circular scale on the vertical scale.
Reduce the pitch of the screw / Reduce the progress made by the circular scale on the vertical scale after one complete rotation of the circular scale/ Divide the circular into more divisions. 01

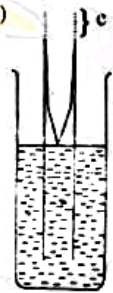
02. (a) (i) Heat absorbed by Calorimeter = $100 \times 10^{-3} \times 375 \times (45 - 30)$
= 562.5 J
(ii) Heat absorbed by water = $50 \times 10^{-3} \times 4200 \times (45 - 30)$
= $5 \times 42 \times 15$
Heat given out by Iron balls = $150 \times 10^{-3} \times C_{Fe} \times (100 - 45)$
= $0.15 \times 55 \times C_{Fe}$
 $562.5 + 5 \times 42 \times 15 = 0.15 \times 55 \times C_{Fe}$
 $C_{Fe} = \frac{562.5 + 5 \times 42 \times 15}{0.15 \times 55}$
= $450 \text{ J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

- (b) Heat absorbed by styrofoam cup = heat given out by iron balls
- heat absorbed by water
= $150 \times 10^{-3} \times 450 \times (100 - 47) - 50 \times 10^{-3} \times 4200 \times (47 - 30)$ -01
= 7.5 J
(c) Heat absorbed by styrofoam cup is very small compared to heat absorbed by the water OR
Heat absorbed by styrofoam cup (7.5J) is very small

compared to heat absorbed by the calorimeter (562.5J)
01

- (d) Setting up and handling of items will be easy compared to the calorimeter experiment / with styrofoam it is not necessary to use a heat insulation / Heat absorbed by the styrofoam cup can be neglected. 01

- (e) (i) Measured Temperature will not be equal to that of the outer surface of the cup OR
Outer surface will not reach the same temperature as its contents OR
There will be a temperature gradient across the wall of the cup. 01
(ii) Rate of cooling will be very small OR
Temperature of the outer surface of the cup will be almost that of air.

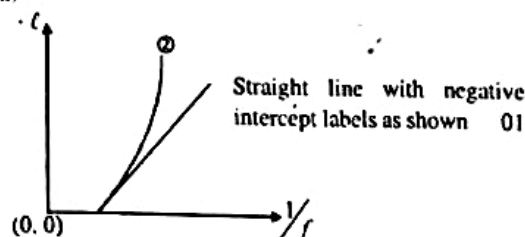
03. (a) longitudinal or standing (any one or both) 01
(b) (i) To produce a closed - end tube with variable length 01
(ii)  Correct wave pattern with end correction and labeled (e) 01

- (iii) The tuning fork of 480Hz or highest frequency.
The resonance length is lowest for highest frequency.
Then, the fundamental resonance length for other tuning forks can be obtained, without being missed out by continuously raising the tube.
Correct answer and reason 01


(iv) Minimum length = $\frac{\lambda}{4} = \frac{v}{4f} = \frac{345.6}{4 \times 288}$
= 0.30m 01

(v) $v = \lambda f$
 $v = 4f(l + e)$ 01
 $l = \frac{v}{4f} - e$ 01

- (vi) The tuning fork with $f = 406.4 \text{ Hz}$ (or $1/f = 2.5 \times 10^{-3}$) 01
(vii)

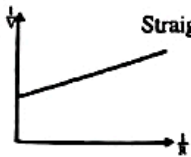


- (viii) For correct curve drawn on the plot and labeled as Q
($v \times \sqrt{f}$) 01

04. (a)  01

(b) (i) $V_0 = \frac{V}{R} (R + R_i)$ 01

(ii) $\frac{1}{V} = \frac{R_i}{V_0} \cdot \frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{V_0}$ 01

(iii)  Straight line with positive intercept labels as shown 01

(iv) $\frac{\text{gradient}}{\text{intercept}}$ 01

(v) from intercept OR $\frac{1}{\text{intercept}}$

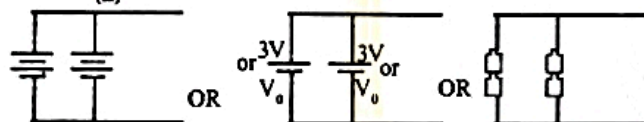
(c) 25 Ω - 500 Ω range

Reason: Equation of the form $y = mx + c$, can be obtained only when $R \ll R_i$ the internal resistance of the voltmeter/ straight line is possible only when the value of R chosen is very much smaller than the internal resistance of the voltmeter.

as the internal resistance of the voltmeter is in parallel with R its influence on R can be neglected only if R is small compared to 1500 Ω 01

(d) (i) Repeat the first readings at the end of the experiment

(ii)



PART B

05. (a) (i) let v be the speed of the capsule at depth h Applying law of conservation of energy.

$$Mgh = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 \quad 01$$

$$v = \sqrt{2gh} \quad 01$$

(ii) ω - is the Angular speed

$$v = R\omega$$

$$\omega = \frac{\sqrt{2gh}}{R} \quad 01$$

(b) kinetic energy of the pulley $= \frac{1}{2} I\omega^2$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} mR^2 \right) \omega^2 \quad 01$

From the law of conservation of energy

$$Mgh = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 + \frac{1}{2} I\omega^2$$

$$Mgh = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} mR^2 \omega^2$$

$$Mgh = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 + \frac{1}{4} mV^2$$

$$Mgh = \frac{V^2}{4} (2M + m)$$

$$V = \sqrt{\frac{4Mgh}{2M + m}}$$

$$\omega = \frac{V}{R}$$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{4Mgh}{2M + m}}$$

(c) (i) work done against the frictional torque $= \tau_f \theta$
(ii) Applying the law of conservation of energy 01

$$Mgh - \tau_f \frac{h}{R} = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 + \frac{1}{2} I\omega^2$$

$$Mgh - \frac{\tau_f h}{R} = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 + \frac{1}{4} mR^2 \omega^2$$

$$Mgh - \frac{\tau_f h}{R} = \frac{1}{2} MV^2 + \frac{1}{4} mV^2$$

$$V = \sqrt{\frac{4(Mgh - \frac{\tau_f R}{h})}{2M + m}}$$

$$\omega = V/R$$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{4(Mgh - \frac{\tau_f R}{h})}{2M + m}}$$

(iii) let ω_0 be the Angular speed of the pulley when Capsule the depth h_0 .

Work done against the frictional torque = Rotational K. E. of the pulley.

$$n \cdot 2\pi \tau_f = \frac{1}{2} I\omega_0^2$$

$$n \cdot 2\pi \tau_f = \frac{1}{4} mR^2 \omega_0^2$$

$$n \cdot 2\pi \tau_f = \frac{1}{4} mR^2 \cdot \frac{4}{R^2} \left(\frac{Mgh - \tau_f h/R}{2M + m} \right)$$

$$n = \frac{m}{2\pi \tau_f} \left(\frac{Mgh - \tau_f h/R}{2M + m} \right)$$

(d) For Constant angular speed the net torque acting on the pulley should be zero 02

$$\tau_e = \tau_f + (M + m_0)gR \quad 01$$

06. (a) $d < f_1$ OR d is smaller than f_1 01
($f_1 - d < f_2$).

(b) Applying the lens formula

$$\frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{f}$$

Considering object as vertical and image as real.

Object distance Without the sign convention $u = f_1 - d$

The Applying the lens formula

$$-\frac{1}{V} + \frac{1}{f_1 - d} = \frac{1}{f_2} \quad \text{OR} \quad \frac{1}{V} + \frac{1}{f_1 - d} = \frac{1}{f_2}$$

Alternative method - considering object as real and image as virtual

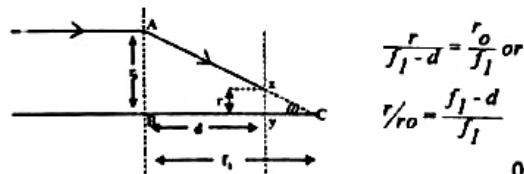
Image distance without the sign convention $V = (f_1 - d) 01$

The applying the lens formula $\frac{1}{f_1 - d} - \frac{1}{V} = \frac{1}{f_2} \quad 01$

$$\frac{1}{v} = \frac{1}{f_1 - d} - \frac{1}{f_2}$$

$$v = \frac{f_2(f_1 - d)}{(f_2 - f_1 + d)} \text{ OR } v = \frac{-f_2(f_1 - d)}{(f_2 - f_1 + d)} \text{ OR } v = \frac{f_2(f_1 - d)}{(f_1 - f_2 - d)}$$

c. (i) Using similar triangles (ABC Δ and XYZ Δ) or tan θ



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(ii) Using similar triangles PQIA Δ and XYIA Δ or tan θ



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$$\frac{r}{r_0} = \frac{v}{f} \quad 01$$

$$f = \frac{r}{r_0} v \quad 01$$

Substituting for r/r_0 and V

$$f = \frac{f_1}{(f_1 - d)} \cdot \frac{f_2(f_1 - d)}{(f_2 - f_1 + d)} \text{ OR } f = \frac{f_1 f_2 (f_1 - d)}{(f_1 - d)(f_2 - f_1 + d)}$$

$$f = \frac{f_1 f_2}{(f_2 - f_1 + d)} \text{ OR } f = \frac{f_1 f_2}{(f_1 - f_2 - d)}$$

(iii) minimum value for f is $d = 4\text{cm}$

$$f = \frac{12 \times 18}{18 - 12 + 4} \text{ OR } f = \frac{12 \times 18}{12 - 18 - 4}$$

$$f = 21.6 \text{ cm OR } f = -21.6 \text{ cm}$$

maximum value for f is $d = 0$

$$f = \frac{12 \times 18}{18 - 12} \text{ OR } f = \frac{12 \times 18}{12 - 18} \text{ cm}$$

$$f = 36 \text{ cm OR } f = -36 \text{ cm}$$

(iv) yes for a change of 4cm in d there is a change of 14.4cm in f OR

for a change of 4cm in d there is a considerable change in f . OR

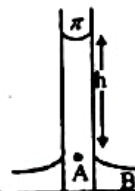
f has changed more than 3 times compared to a change of 4cm in d . 01

7. (a) Equating the pressure differences

$$P_A = P_B$$

$$\pi - \frac{2T}{r} + h\rho g = \pi$$

$$h = \frac{2T}{\rho r g}$$



[equating the surface tension forces to the weight of the water column. $2\pi rT = \pi r^2 h \rho g$ -01

$$(b) (i) h = \frac{2 \times 7.2 \times 10^{-2}}{10^3 \times 100 \times 10^{-6} \times 10} \quad 01$$

$$h = 0.144 \text{ m} (14.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}, 14.4 \text{ cm}) \quad 01$$

$$(ii) r = \frac{2 \times 7.2 \times 10^{-2}}{10^3 \times 100 \times 10} \quad 01$$

$$r = 1.44 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m} (0.144 \mu\text{m}) \quad 01$$

(c) (i) $h\rho g$ = pressure difference OR $h\rho g = \Delta P$ 01

$$h \times 10^3 \times 10 = [-10^2 - (-10^3)] \times 10^3 \quad 01$$

$$H = \frac{10^2(10 - 1)}{10}$$

$$H = 90 \text{ m}$$

(d) (i) V - speed of water
Applying poiseuille's equation

$$\pi r^2 V = \frac{\Delta P \pi r^4}{8 \eta l}$$

$$V = \frac{\Delta P r^2}{8 \eta l}$$

$$V = \frac{9 \times 10^5 (100 \times 10^{-6})^2}{8 \times 10^{-3} \times 90}$$

$$V = 1.25 \times 10^{-2} \text{ ms}^{-1} (1.25 \text{ cms}^{-1})$$

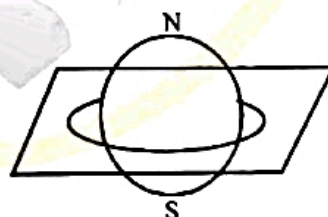
(ii) Power = $\Delta P \cdot \pi r^2 V$ ($P = FV$) -01

$$= 9 \times 10^5 \times 3 \times (100 \times 10^{-6})^2 \times 1.25 \times 10^{-2} \quad 01$$

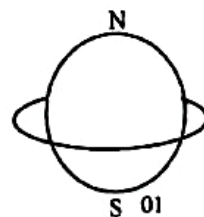
$$= 3.375 \times 10^{-4} \text{ W} (3.37 - 3.40) \times 10^{-4} \text{ W} \quad 01$$

08. (a) The period of geostationary satellite (GSS) = 24 hours 01

(b)



OR



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(c) Polar Satellite

Hubble space telescope

International space station

Anyone 01

$$(d) \frac{GM_E}{r^2} = \frac{mv^2}{r} \text{ OR } mr\omega^2 \text{ OR } mr \left(\frac{2\pi}{T} \right)^2$$

$$\frac{GM_E}{r^2} = \frac{v^2}{r} \text{ OR } r\omega^2 \text{ OR } r \left(\frac{2\pi}{T} \right)^2$$

$$r = \left[GM_E \left(\frac{T}{2\pi} \right)^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$r = \left[40 \times 10^{23} \left(\frac{24 \times 60 \times 60}{2\pi} \right)^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

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($\pi = 22/7$ OR 3.14)

(e) Time delay $= \frac{2 \times 36000 \times 10^3}{3 \times 10^8}$
 $= 0.24 \text{ s}$

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(f) $\frac{GM_E m}{r^2} = \frac{mv^2}{r}$ OR $mr\omega^2$ OR $mr \left(\frac{2\pi}{T}\right)^2$

OR $T^2 = \frac{r^3 (2\pi)^2}{GM_E}$

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$T^2 = \frac{(6700 \times 10^3)^3 \times 4 \times 10}{40 \times 10^{24}}$

$T = 67^{1/2} \times 10$

$T = 5484 \text{ s}$

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This is LEOS Because

- it is in an inclined plane
- the height is in the range of 160 - 2000km
- Period is less than 24 hours

Any one reasons

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(g) advantages of LEOS

- Reduced time delay for EM signals
- Possibility of using of Simple non-directional antennas
- Higher clarity pictures of the earth.
- Less exposure to EM radiation from the sun
- less energy and resources to place the satellite in to a LEO
- need less powerful amplifiers

any three correct

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(h) L_1 is better because at this location the earth partially blocks solar radiation falling on the satellite.

(i) Angular speed of the plank space observatory $2\pi \text{ rad year}^{-1}$

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(j) Orbital equation for plank observatory

$\frac{GM_S m}{(R+r)^2} + \frac{GM_E m}{r^2} = \frac{mV^2}{(R+r)}$ OR $\frac{GM_S m}{(R+r)^2} + \frac{GM_E m}{r^2} = m(R+r)\omega^2$

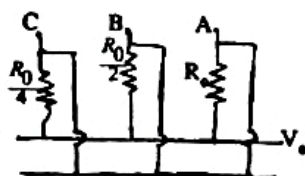
(k) For a Satellite at L_1 $\frac{GM_S m}{(R-r)^2} - \frac{GM_E m}{r^2} = m(R-r)\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}\right)^2$

For a Satellite at L_2 $\frac{GM_S m}{(R+r)^2} + \frac{GM_E m}{r^2} = m(R+r)\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}\right)^2$

At L_1 the force on the satellite is reduced due to the earth and at L_2 the force increased due of the earth

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09. (A) (a) (i)



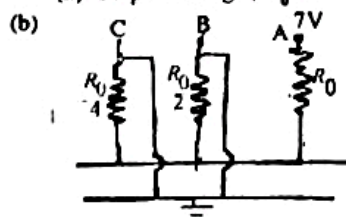
R - the equivalent resistance across ZY

$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{R_0} + \frac{2}{R_0} + \frac{4}{R_0}$

$= \frac{7}{R_0}$

$R = \frac{R_0}{7}$

(ii) Output Voltage, $V_0 = 0$



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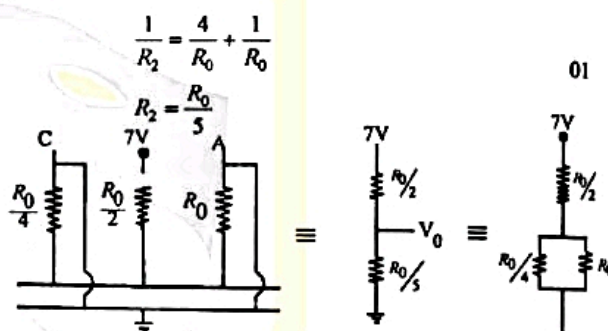
$\frac{1}{R_4} = \frac{2}{R_0} + \frac{4}{R_0}$

$R_4 = \frac{R_0}{6}$

$V_0 = \left(\frac{7}{6} \times \frac{R_0}{R_0}\right) \times \frac{R_0}{6}$

$V_0 = 1V$

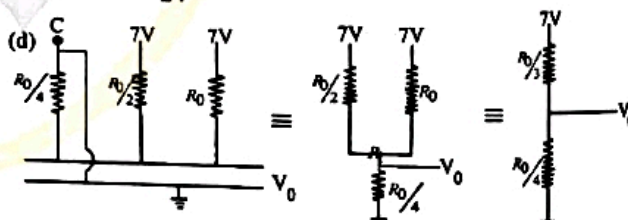
(c) (i) $R^* \Rightarrow$ Parallel Combination of $\frac{R_0}{4}$ and R_0
 Equivalent resistance.



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Diagram 1 OR 2 OR 3

$V_0 = \frac{7}{7R_0} \times \frac{R_0}{5}$
 $= 2V$



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For diagram (1) OR (2) OR (3)
 (OR Diagram 2 OR 3)

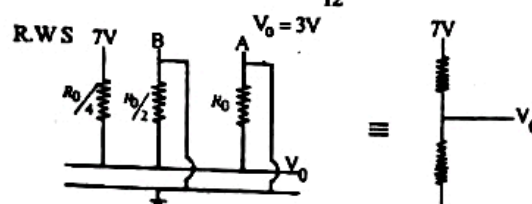
$\frac{1}{R''} = \frac{1}{R_0} + \frac{2}{R_0}$

$R'' = \frac{R_0}{3}$

$V_2 = \frac{R_0/4}{7R_0} \times V_0$
 $= \frac{1}{12} V_0$

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$$\frac{1}{R_{\text{TH}}} = \frac{1}{R_0} + \frac{2}{R_0}$$

$$R_{\text{TH}} = \frac{R_0}{3}$$

$$V_0 = \frac{R_0/3}{7R_0/12} \times 7$$

$$V_0 = 4V \quad 01$$

(For the diagram (1) OR (2) and Calculation of V_0)

(c) (i)

	V_c (Volts)	V_B (Volts)	V_A (Volts)	V_0 (Volts)
Row 1	0	0	0	0
Row 2	0	0	7	1
Row 3	0	7	0	2
Row 4	0	7	7	3
Row 5	7	0	0	4
Row 6	7	0	7	5
Row 7	7	7	0	6
Row 8	7	7	7	7

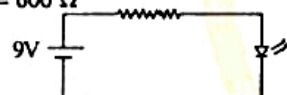
(Complete V_0 column) 01

(ii) Binary to decimal convertor
OR The circuit will act as a Digital to Analogue Convertor (DAC) 01

09. (B) (a) (i) 30mA 01

(ii) Because the minority Carrier concentration depends on temperature. 01

(iii) $9 - 3 = 10 \times 10^{-3} R$
 $R = 600 \Omega$ 01



(iv) $V_R = 600 \times 10.3 \times 10^{-3}$
 $= 6.18V$ 01

$V_D = 9 - 6.18$
 $= 2.82V$ 01

Power dissipated by the LED at $30^\circ C = 3 \times 10 = 30mW$
power dissipated when heated $= 2.82 \times 10.3 = 29mW$

Therefore power dissipated has decreased 01
when current increases, V_R will increase and V_D will decrease 01

(b) (i) Since i_D flows through R_D as well

$$i_D R_D = 9 - 3$$

$$i_D = 6 / 3000$$

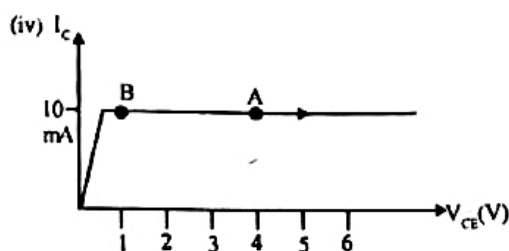
$$= 2 \times 10^{-3} A, 2mA \quad 01$$

(ii) $3 = 0.7 + 10 \times 10^{-3} \times R_E$, OR $2.3 = 10 \times 10^{-3} \times R_E$ 01
 $R_E = 2.3 \times 10^3 + 3$ 01
 $R_E = 230 \Omega$ 01

(iii) $9 = V_D + V_{CE} + i R_E$
 $9 = 3 + V_{CE} + 10 \times 10^{-3} \times 230$ 01
 $V_{CE} = 3.7V$ 01

$$\text{OR } 9 = V_D + V_{CE} + V_E$$

$$= 3 + V_{CE} + 2.3 \quad 01$$



For making point A 01
(v) For making the arrow 01
(vi) $V_{CE} = 0.7V$ 01
For making point B

10. A. (a) Absolute Humidity (AH) of atmospheric air at $30^\circ C$ is given by the expression.

$$\text{Relative humidity (AH)} = \frac{(\text{AH})_{30}}{(\text{AH of air saturated with water vapour})_{30}}$$

OR

$$\text{Relative humidity (AH)} = \frac{\text{mass of water vapour present in a given volume of air}}{\text{mass required to saturate it at the same temperature.}}$$

$$(\text{AH})_{30} = 30 \times \frac{80}{100} \quad 01$$

Absolute humidity of atmospheric air $= 24 \text{ gm}^{-3}$

$$\text{AH of dried air} = 24 \times \frac{50}{100} \quad 01$$

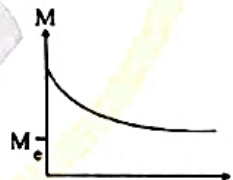
$$= 12 \text{ gm}^{-3} \quad 01$$

(b) mass of the moisture present in paddy sample.

$$= 750 \times \frac{20}{100}$$

$$= 150g \quad 01$$

(C) (i)



1. Rate of decrease of M with t gradually become smaller as the air becomes more and more humid due to evaporation of moisture from the paddy. and therefore the rate of evaporation decrease with time. 01

2. Finally M attains a constant value because air becomes saturated with water vapour and no further evaporation is possible. 01

(ii) RH = 100% 01

(iii) $M_e = 750 - (30 - 12)$
 $= 732g$ 01

(iv) Remaining moisture content in the paddy sample
 $= 150 - 18$
 $= 132g$ 01

(d) Since each 1 m^3 of dry air can absorb $18g$ of moisture from paddy, the minimum volume of the required chamber would be $75/18 \text{ m}^3$
 $= 4.17 \text{ m}^3$ OR 4.2 m^3 01

(e) (i) Initial relative humidity = $\frac{24}{216} \times 100\%$
= 11% 01

(ii) 1 m^3 of air at 70°C is capable of absorbing $(216-24)\text{g}$. 192g of moisture from the paddy sample Therefore $M_s = 600\text{g}$ 01

10. (B) (a) (i) $N = \frac{20 \times 10^{-12}}{2.8 \times 10^{-28} \times 10^3} = \frac{10^{12}}{1.4}$ 01

$A = \frac{0.7}{120} \times \frac{10^{12}}{1.4}$ 01

= $4.2 \times 10^6\text{Bq}$ 01
(4.16 - 4.20)

(ii) Activity in the brain 2 min after the injection
= $4.2 \times 10^6 \times 0.1 \times 0.5$ 02

= $2.1 \times 10^6\text{Bq}$ 01
(2.08 - 2.10)

(iii) 40 min = 20 half lives. Therefore, the activity after 40min

= $\frac{A}{2^{20}} = \frac{4.2 \times 10^6}{10^6 \times 10^6}$
= $4.2 \times 10^3\text{Bq}$

This is less than the natural activity of 10^4Bq

(vi) Most of the radioactivity will be removed from the body very quickly OR

If is possible to obtain a very high activity from the body using a small amount of radioactive material. 01

(b) (i) β^- rays will be absorbed by the body tissues OR
 β^- rays cannot produce γ rays in the body. 01

(ii) Suppose the momenta of the two γ rays are p_1 and p_2 .
Initial momentum = 0 Final momentum = $p_1 + p_2$

Therefore, from the law of conservation of momentum

$0 = p_1 + p_2$

$p_1 = -p_2$ 01

The directions will be opposite

Because the magnitudes of the momentum are equal, the energies will be equal. 01

(iii) From the law of conservation of energy.

Mass of the positron + mass of the electron = 2 x γ ray energy 01

Therefore γ rays energy $E_\gamma = 511\text{keV}$ 01

(c) Total energy released = $2NE_\gamma = 2 \times \frac{10^{12}}{1.4} \times 511 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-16}$ 01

absorbed dose = $2 \times \frac{10^{12}}{1.4} \times 511 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-16} \times \frac{1}{51.1}$

= $2.3 \times 10^{-4}\text{Gy}$ (For dividing by 51.1) 01
(2.28 - 2.30)