

Name of the Student: _____

Max. Marks : 21 Marks

Time : 21 Minutes

Mark Schemes

Q1.

- (a) (i) 50(Hz)
ignore any unit given
1
- (ii) any **two** from:
- (some) current flows to Earth
accept ground for Earth
 - current flows through copper braid
accept current flows through the earth wire
accept electricity for current in either the first or second marking point but not both
 - RCCB detects difference between current in live and neutral wire
2
- (iii) can be reset
accept does not need replacing
- or**
- faster acting
accept switches circuit off faster
1
- (b) (i) 79 200
allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie $11 = \frac{Q}{2 \times 3600}$
an answer 22 gains 1 mark
2
- coulombs / C
*do **not** accept c*
1
- (ii) 18 216 000
*accept for 2 marks 18 216 kJ **or** 18.216 MJ*
- or**
- 230 × their (b)(i) correctly calculated
*allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie 230 × their (b)(i) **or***

allow 1 mark for power calculated as 2530(W)

2

- (c) increases temperature of thermistor

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changes resistance (of thermistor)

do **not** accept increases resistance (of thermistor)

an answer decreases resistance (of thermistor) gains 2 marks

1

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Q2.

- (a) d.c. flows in (only) one direction

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a.c. changes direction (twice every cycle)

accept a.c. constantly changing direction

ignore references to frequency

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- (b) a current flows through from the live wire / metal case to the earth wire

accept a current flows from live to earth

do **not** accept on its own if the current is too high

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this current causes the fuse to melt

accept blow for melt

do **not** accept break / snap / blow up for melt

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Q3.

- (a) (i)
$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\text{useful energy out} (\times 100\%)}{\text{total energy in}}$$

1.6 (W)

$$0.2 / \frac{20}{100} = \frac{\text{output}}{8}$$

allow 1 mark for correct substitution ie

2

- (ii)
$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\text{useful energy out} (\times 100\%)}{\text{total energy in}}$$

32 (%) / 0.32

or

their (a)(i) $\div 5$ correctly calculated

ignore any units

1

- (b) (i) any **two** from:

- comparison over same period of time of relative numbers of bulbs required eg over 50 000 hours 5 CFL's required to 1 LED

accept an LED lasts 5 times longer

- link number of bulbs to cost eg 5 CFL's cheaper than 1 LED
an answer in terms of over a period of 50 000 hours CFLs cost £15.50 (to buy), LED costs £29.85 (to buy) so CFLs are cheaper scores both marks
an answer in terms of the cost per hour (of lifetime) being cheaper for CFL scores 1 mark if then correctly calculated scores both marks
- over the same period of time LEDs cost less to operate (than CFLs)

2

(ii) any **one** from:

- price of LED bulbs will drop
*do **not** accept they become cheaper*
- less electricity needs to be generated
accept we will use less electricity
- less CO₂ produced
- fewer chips needed (for each LED bulb)
- fewer bulbs required (for same brightness / light)
- less energy wasted
*do **not** accept electricity for energy*

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