Practice Question Set For GCSE

Subject: Physics

Paper-1 Topic: 4_ Waves

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Name of the Student:

Max. Marks: 17 Marks

Time: 17 Minutes

Mark Schemes

Q1.

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
8	recall and substitution (1) (v =) 0.25 x 1.5		(2)
	evaluation (1)		
	0.38 (m/s)	accept 0.375 or 0.37 (m/s)	
		accept 37.5, 37 or 38 for 1 mark only	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

Q2.

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
	uses data taken from x axis (1)		(2) AO3
	28(cm) (1)		
		award full marks for correct answer without working	

Q3.

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
(i)		allow substitution and rearrangement in either order	(3) AO2
	selection and substitution (1) $3(.00) \times 10^8 = 2.45 \times 10^9 \times \lambda$ rearrangement (1)	$2.45 \left(\times 10^9 \right) = \frac{3(.00) \times 10^8}{\lambda}$	
	$(\lambda =) \frac{3(.00) \times 10^8}{2.45 (\times 10^9)}$ evaluation (1) 0.12 (m)	$\lambda = \frac{V}{f}$	
		accept 0.122(m) power of ten error gains 2 marks	
		award full marks for the correct answer without working	

Question	Answer	Additional	Mark
Number		guidance	
(ii)		allow substitution	(3)
		and	AO2
		rearrangement in	
		either order	
	selection and substitution (1)		
	$(0.)55 = \frac{42\ 000}{\text{total energy supplied (to device)}}$	$(0.)55 = \frac{42\ 000}{x}$	
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	rearrangement (1)		
	(total energy supplied to device=) $\frac{42\ 000}{(0.)55}$		
	evaluation (1)		
	76 000(J)	accept any value	
		that rounds to 76 000(J)	
		760/764/763(J)	
		gains 2 marks	
		any other power	
		of ten error gains 1 mark	
		award full marks	
		for the correct	
		answer without	
		working	

Q4.

Question number	Answer	Mark
(i)	An answer that combines the following points of understanding to provide a logical description:	
	 take time T for waves to pass a fixed point (1) and frequency = <u>number of waves</u> 	
	time taken (1)	(2)

Question number	Answer	Mark
(ii)	А	(1)
Question number	Answer	Mark
(iii)	D	(1)

Q5.

Question number	Answer	Mark
(i)	smooth road	→ (1)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
(ii)	An explanation that combines identification - knowledge (1 mark) and reasoning/justification - understanding (1 mark): • both car and light ray slow down when entering sand / glass (1)		(2)
	direction changes towards normal (1)	Bend towards the normal	