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Key to mark scheme abbreviations

M Mark is for method

m Mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method

A Mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy

B Mark is independent of M or m marks and is for method and accuracy

E Mark is for explanation

√ or ft Follow through from previous incorrect result

CAO Correct answer only

CSO Correct solution only

AWFW Anything which falls within

AWRT Anything which rounds to

ACF Any correct form

AG Answer given

SC Special case

oe Or equivalent

A2, 1 2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks

–x EE Deduct x marks for each error

NMS No method shown

PI Possibly implied

SCA Substantially correct approach

sf Significant figure(s)

dp Decimal place(s)

| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
|------|--|------------|---|
| 1(a) | Anticlockwise moments about front wheel $0.80 \times 170 \times 9.8 = 1332.8 \text{ Nm}$ | M1 | PI. Or taking moments about the centre of mass. |
| | Clockwise moments about front wheel $1.4R_A$ | M1 | $0.6R_A = 0.8R_B$ |
| | Equilibrium – no resultant moment | | |
| | $1.4R_{A} = 1332.8$ | | |
| | $[R_{_{\!A}}=]950 \text{ N}$ | A 1 | Answer is 952 N to 3 sf |
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| 1(b) | Equilibrium – no resultant force $952 + R_B = 170 \times 9.8$ $[R_B =] 710 \text{ N}$ | M1 A1ft | PI. ft their (a) if less than 170g Correct answer is 714 N to 3 sf |
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| Question 1 Total | 5 | |
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| 2(a)(i) | $\mathbf{a} = 4\cos 2t \mathbf{i} - e^{-t} \mathbf{j} + \left(6t + \sin t\right) \mathbf{k}$ $\mathbf{a} = -2\mathbf{i} - e^{-\frac{\pi}{3}} \mathbf{j} + \left(2\pi + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \mathbf{k}$ | M1 A1 A1 | M1: At least two components correct. A1: All components correct. Accept j and k components given to 2 sf, eg a = -2.0i -0.35j+7.1k |
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| 2(a)(ii) | $[\mathbf{a} =]7.43 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ | | |
| | or | | |
| | $[\mathbf{F} =] - 20\mathbf{i} - 10e^{-\frac{\pi}{3}}\mathbf{j} + (20\pi + 5\sqrt{3})\mathbf{k}$ | M1 | PI by correct answer. ft their acceleration from (a)(i) |
| | [F =]74 N | A 1 | CAO Correct answer is 74.3 N to 3 sf |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 2(b) | $\mathbf{r} = (-\cos 2t + a)\mathbf{i} + (-e^{-t} + b)\mathbf{j}$ $+ (t^3 - \sin t + c)\mathbf{k}$ | M1A1 | M1: At least two components correct (condone no constants of integration) A1: All components correct with (condone no constants of integration) |
| | $-\cos 0 + a = 1$ $-e^0 + b = 2$ | M1 | Substituting $t = 0$ into their position vector [to find their constant(s) of integration] |
| | $0 - \sin 0 + c = 3$ $a = 2$ $b = 3$ $c = 3$ | | |
| | $\mathbf{r} = (2 - \cos 2t)\mathbf{i} + (3 - e^{-t})\mathbf{j} + (3 + t^3 - \sin t)\mathbf{k}$ | A1 4 | CAO, oe |
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| Question 2 Total | 9 | |
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| 3(a) | Loss in GPE = $30 \times 9.8 \times 3.0$ = 882 J | В1 | Must see full calculation leading to given result. |
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| 3(b) | KE at A | | |
| | $=0.5\times30\times(1.2)^2$ | | |
| | = 21.6 J | B1 | Use of kinetic energy equation. |
| | KE at B | | |
| | $=0.5\times30\times\left(4.0\right)^{2}$ | | |
| | = 240 J | B1 | B1 B1 implied by sight of 218.4 [J] |
| | Conservation of Energy | | |
| | 21.6 + 882 = 240 + W | М1 | Use of the conservation of energy |
| | W = 663.6 J | | their 21.6 + 882 = their 240 + W |
| | Resistive Force | | |
| | $R = \frac{663.6}{12} = 55$ | A 1 | CAO . Correct answer is 55.3 to 3 sf Condone inclusion of units in answer. |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 3(c) | The student uses 12 metres in their calculation when they should use 3.0 metres | E1 | Accept any plausible reason. |
| | The child does not have a uniform acceleration of 9.8 m s ⁻² | E1 | Accept a second plausible reason, eg the equation $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$ can only be used for uniformly accelerated motion in a straight line. |
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| Question 3 Total | 7 | |
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| 4(a)(i) | Area of Lamina / cm ² $1600 (= 20 \times 80)$ $1000 (= 50 \times 20)$ $1000 (= 50 \times 20)$ $2000 (= 100 \times 20)$ | (40, 10) (90, 25) (75, 60) (10, 70) | M1 A1 | At least 3 areas and <i>x</i> -coordinates of COMs correct. All 5 areas and <i>x</i> -coordinates of COMs correct. |
| | 1600 (=80×20) | (60, 110) | | |
| | $1600\sigma \times 40 + 1000\sigma \times 90$ $+2000\sigma \times 10 + 1600\sigma \times$ $= 7200\sigma \overline{X}$ | | M1 | Condone not using σ |
| | $\overline{X} = \frac{575}{12} \text{ cm}$ | | A 1 | CAO , such as $\overline{X} = 47 \frac{11}{12}$ cm oe Condone missing units. |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 4(a)(ii) | $1600\sigma \times 10 + 1000\sigma \times 25 + 1000\sigma \times 60 + 2000\sigma \times 70 + 1600\sigma \times 110$ | M1 | At least 4 <i>y</i> -coordinates of COMs correct [May be seen in (a)(i)] |
| | $=7200\sigma\overline{Y}$ | M1 | Forming COM equation. |
| | $\overline{Y} = \frac{695}{12} \text{ cm}$ | A 1 | CAO , such as $\overline{Y} = 57 \frac{11}{12}$ cm oe Condone missing units. |
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| 4(a)(iii) | The centre of mass of each lamina is at its centre. | E1 | |
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| 4(b) | $\tan \theta = \frac{\frac{575}{12}}{120 - \frac{695}{12}} \left[= \frac{575}{745} \right]$ | M1 | PI. $\tan \theta = \frac{\text{their } \overline{X}}{120 - \text{their } \overline{Y}}$ |
| | $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{575}{745}\right) \left[=37.6^{\circ}\right]$ | A1ft | ft their (a)(i) & (a)(ii) |
| | $\theta=38^{\circ}$ | A 1 | CAO |
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| Question 4 Total | 11 | |

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| 5(a) | $\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 15 \end{bmatrix}$ | B1 | oe Ignore units. |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 5(b)(i) | $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ | M1 A1 | M1: Use of $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{u} + \mathbf{a}t$ or integration A1: All correct. oe Ignore units. |
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| 5(b)(ii) | $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + 6 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 22 \end{bmatrix}$ | M1 | ft their final answer to (b)(i) with use of $t = 6$ |
| | $v = \sqrt{12^2 + 22^2} = \sqrt{628}$ | m1 | PI by correct answer. Condone one slip. |
| | $KE = 0.5 \times 5 \times 628 = 1570 \text{ J}$ | A 1 | Answer is 1600 J to 2 sf |
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| 5(c) | $P = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 15 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{g} \begin{bmatrix} 2t \\ 4+3t \end{bmatrix}$ | M1 | ft their vectors from (a) & (b)(i) |
| | P = 20t + 60 + 45t $P = 65t + 60$ | A 1 | Correct expression for P |
| | 65t + 60 > 580 t > 8 | A 1 | Condone $t \ge 8$ Ignore units. |
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| Question 5 Total | 9 | |
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| 6(a)(i) | The length of the string does not increase | E1 | Allow '[length] does not change' |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 6(a)(ii) | The particle is accelerating | E1 | |
| | as its velocity continuously changes direction | E1 | Accept any valid alternative such as references to resultant or centripetal force. Must not contradict statement about acceleration. |
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| 6(b)(i) | $\sin(BAC) = \frac{1.2}{1.5} = 0.8$ [Forces Vertically Upwards =] $T_{\rm B} \sin(BAC)$ [Forces Vertically Downwards =] mg $T_{\rm B} \sin(BAC) = mg$ | B1 M1 | Seen or used, or $BAC = 53.13^{\circ}$ seen or used or $\cos(ABC) = \frac{1.2}{1.5} = 0.8$ seen or used. $T_{\rm B}\cos(ABC) = mg$ |
| | $T_{\rm B} = \frac{2.4 \times 9.8}{0.8} = 29.4 \rm N$ | A1 3 | Condone missing units. |

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| 6(b)(ii) | $\cos(BAC) = \frac{0.9}{1.5} = 0.6$ | В1 | Seen or used or $\sin(ABC) = \frac{0.9}{1.5} = 0.6$ |
| | [Forces Towards $C = $] $T_{\rm B}\cos\left(BAC\right) + T_{\rm C}$ or [Resultant Force =] $\frac{2.4 \times 6^2}{0.90}$ | М1 | $T_{\rm B} \sin \left(ABC\right) + T_{\rm C}$ PI by 96 N |
| | $\left[0.6T_{\rm B} + T_{\rm C} = \frac{mv^2}{r}\right]$ $T_{\rm C} = \frac{2.4 \times 6^2}{0.90} - 0.60 \times 29.4$ | m1 | ft their (b)(i) |
| | $T_{\rm C} = 78.4 {\rm N}$ | A 1 | CAO to 3 sf Condone missing units. |
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| Question 6 Total | 10 | |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 7(a) | $2000 - 500 = \left(\frac{500}{9.8}\right)a$ | M1 | Forming equation of motion with no resistive force. |
| | $a = \frac{1500}{\left(\frac{500}{9.8}\right)}$ $a = 29.4 \mathrm{m s^{-2}}$ | A 1 | Intermediate step showing calculation leading to given result, be convinced. |
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| 7(b) | Magnitude of Resistive Force = $5^2 k = $ 25 k 2000 – 500 – 25 $k = \left(\frac{500}{9.8}\right) \times 9.8$ 25 $k = 1000$ | M1 m1 | Using resistive force as 25 <i>k</i> Forming equation of motion, condone one sign error. PI by correct answer. |
| | <i>k</i> = 40 | A 1 | |
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| 7(c) | $2000 - 500 - 40v^2 = 0$ $40v^2 = 1500$ | M1 | $\mathbf{M1}$: Use of resultant force being zero with their k |
| | $40v^2 = 1500$ [$v =$] 6.1 m s ⁻¹ | A1ft | ft their k , provided $k \neq 60$ [i.e. $v \neq 5$] oe such as $\frac{5\sqrt{6}}{2}$ m s ⁻¹ |
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| Question 7 Total | 7 |
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| 8(a)(i) | v = u + at | | |
| | $t = \frac{v - u}{g}$ $t = \frac{0 - (u \sin \theta)}{-g}$ $u \sin \theta$ | М1 | Use of $v = u + at$ with $v = 0$ and $u \sin \theta$ Condone $a = +g$ for M1 |
| | $t = \frac{g}{g}$ | A 1 | AG , intermediate steps shown and no errors made. Be convinced. |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 8(a)(ii) | The object does not experience any air resistance | E1 | |
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| Q | Answer | Marks | Comments |
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| 8(b) | Time of flight | | |
| | $t = \frac{2u\sin\theta}{g}$ | М1 | |
| | Distance OA $\left[(u\cos\theta)t = \right] \frac{2u^2\sin\theta\cos\theta}{g}$ | A 1 | oe , such as $\frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$ |
| | Maximum height $\left[\frac{u\sin\theta}{2} \times \frac{u\sin\theta}{g} = \right] \frac{u^2\sin^2\theta}{2g}$ | B1 | $u\sin\theta\times\frac{u\sin\theta}{g}-\frac{1}{2}g\times\left(\frac{u\sin\theta}{g}\right)^{2}$ |
| | Maximum height = <i>OA</i> | | |
| | $\frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g} = \frac{2u^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{g}$ | M1 | ft their max height and their OA |
| | $\sin^2\theta - 4\sin\theta\cos\theta = 0$ | | |
| | $\tan \theta = 4$ | A1ft | $\tan \theta = k$ |
| | $\theta = \tan^{-1}(4) = 76^{\circ}$ | A1ft | θ = 75.963° |
| | | | ft their $\theta = \tan^{-1}(k)$ |
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| 9(a) | Friction Weight | B1 | Must have clear labels on arrows. Do not accept symbols (N , W , mg etc) as labels unless they are defined. Do not condone 'gravity' in place of weight. |
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| 9(b) | Force down the slope $mg \sin \theta$ | M1 | PI, 117.6 sin θ |
| | Force up the slope $\mu mg \cos \theta$ | M1 | PI, $47.04\cos\theta$ |
| | Resultant force on the block $mg \sin \theta - \mu mg \cos \theta = ma$ | A1 | $117.6 \sin \theta - 47.04 \cos \theta = 38.4$ |
| | $g(\sin\theta - 0.4\cos\theta) = a$ | | $9.8 \sin \theta - 3.92 \cos \theta = 3.2$ oe |
| | $\sin \theta - 0.4 \cos \theta$ $= R \sin \theta \cos \alpha - R \cos \theta \sin \alpha$ | M1 | M1 : For use of compound angle formulae. PI by correct R or correct α |
| | $R = \frac{\sqrt{29}}{5}$, $\alpha = 21.801^{\circ}$ | A1 A1 | A1 : Correct R (allow 1.08 oe correct multiples such as 126.659) A1 : Correct α [$\alpha = \tan^{-1}(0.4)$] |
| | $g \times \frac{\sqrt{29}}{5} \sin(\theta - 21.801^{\circ}) = a$ | | |
| | $\sin(\theta - 21.801^{\circ}) = \frac{3.2 \times 5}{9.8 \times \sqrt{29}}$ | m1 | |
| | $\theta - 21.801^{\circ} = 17.648^{\circ}$ | | |
| | $\theta = 39[.449]^{\circ}$ | A 1 | CAO |
| | | 8 | |

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| 9(c)(i) | Angle would not change | E1 | |
| | as the situation is independent of the mass of the block | E1 | oe (both component of weight down the slope and friction increase by the same factor) |
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| 9(c)(ii) | Angle would be larger | E1 | |
| 9(c)(ii) | [as the component of the weight down the slope would need to be greater to overcome the] increased friction force | E1 | |
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| Question 9 Total | 13 | |