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### Key to mark scheme abbreviations

<b>M</b>	Mark is for method
<b>m</b>	Mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method
<b>A</b>	Mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy
<b>B</b>	Mark is independent of M or m marks and is for method and accuracy
<b>E</b>	Mark is for explanation
✓ <b>or ft</b>	Follow through from previous incorrect result
<b>CAO</b>	Correct answer only
<b>CSO</b>	Correct solution only
<b>AWFW</b>	Anything which falls within
<b>AWRT</b>	Anything which rounds to
<b>ACF</b>	Any correct form
<b>AG</b>	Answer given
<b>SC</b>	Special case
<b>oe</b>	Or equivalent
<b>A2, 1</b>	2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks
<b>–x EE</b>	Deduct x marks for each error
<b>NMS</b>	No method shown
<b>PI</b>	Possibly implied
<b>SCA</b>	Substantially correct approach
<b>sf</b>	Significant figure(s)
<b>dp</b>	Decimal place(s)
<b>ISW</b>	Ignore subsequent working

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
1(a)(i)	<p>Taking moments about <math>B</math></p> <p>Anticlockwise moments</p> $= (3.60 - x) \times 800 \times 9.8$ <p>Clockwise moments</p> $= 3.60 \times 6100 \quad [= 21960]$ <p>Principle of moments</p> $3.60 \times 6100 = (3.60 - x) \times 800 \times 9.8$ $x = 3.60 - \frac{3.60 \times 6100}{800 \times 9.8}$ $x = 0.80$	<p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p>	<p><b>oe</b></p> <p><b>oe</b></p> <p><b>AWRT 0.80</b> Note: unrounded answer is 0.798...</p>
		<b>3</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
1(a)(ii)	<p>[Let <math>R_B</math> be the reaction force on the front wheels]</p> <p>Forces in equilibrium gives</p> $R_B + 6100 = 800 \times 9.8$ $R_B = 1700 \text{ [N, to 2 sf]}$	B1	AWRT 1700 [N] from correct working Note: unrounded answer is 1740 [N]
		1	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
1(b)(i)	$W = Fd$ $W = (0.95 \times 20^2) \times (20 \times 7.5)$ $W = 57,000 \text{ [J]}$	<b>M1</b>  <b>A1</b>	oe
		<b>2</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
1(b)(ii)	$F = \frac{P}{v} - 0.95v^2$ $F = \frac{780 \times 10^3}{50} - 0.95 \times 50^2$ $F = 13,000 \text{ [N, to 2 sf]}$	<b>M1</b>  <b>A1</b>	oe Note: unrounded answer is 13,225 N
		<b>2</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
1(b)(iii)	$\frac{P}{v} - 0.95v^2 = 0$ $v = \sqrt[3]{\frac{P}{0.95}}$ $v = \sqrt[3]{\frac{780 \times 10^3}{0.95}}$ $v = 94 \text{ [m s}^{-1}\text{, to 2 sf]}$	<b>M1</b>  <b>A1</b>	Note: unrounded answer is 93.639... [m s <sup>-1</sup> ]
		<b>2</b>	

	<b>Question 1 Total</b>	<b>10</b>	
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Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
2(b)(iv)	$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$ $s = 0.5 \times 0.564... \times 6^2$ $s = 10 \text{ [m]}$	<p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1ft</b></p>	<p>Use of <math>s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2</math> with <math>u = 0</math> and their <math>a \neq 9.8</math> from <b>(b)(ii)</b></p> <p><b>AWRT 10 ft</b> their acceleration from <b>(b)(iii)</b></p> <p>Note: unrounded answer is 10.15... [m]</p>
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	<b>Question 2 Total</b>	<b>10</b>	
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Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
3(a)	$[\mathbf{r} =] (1.5\cos(4t) + c_1)\mathbf{i} + (1.5\sin(4t) + c_2)\mathbf{j}$ <p>When <math>t = 0</math></p> $[\mathbf{r} =] (1.5 + c_1)\mathbf{i} + c_2\mathbf{j} = 1.5\mathbf{i}$ $\Rightarrow c_1 = 0 \text{ and } c_2 = 0$ $[\mathbf{r} =] 1.5\cos(4t)\mathbf{i} + 1.5\sin(4t)\mathbf{j}$ $[ \mathbf{r}  =] \sqrt{(1.5\cos(4t))^2 + (1.5\sin(4t))^2}$ $[ \mathbf{r}  =] 1.5 \text{ [m]}$ <p>so <math>A</math> is a constant distance away from <math>O</math>, meaning it moves on a circular path</p>	<p><b>M1 A1</b></p> <p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>m1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p>	<p><b>M1:</b> Uses integration to find at least one correct component  <b>A1:</b> Finds both correct components                      Condone no constants of integration for <b>M1 A1</b></p> <p>Finds correct position vector at time <math>t</math> by explicitly showing both constants of integration are zero/the constant of integration vector is zero</p> <p>Must have reference to constant distance, not just 1.5 [m]</p>
		<b>5</b>	



Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
3(b)(i)	$[\omega =] 4 \text{ rad s}^{-1}$	B1 B1	B1: Correct value B1: Correct units
		2	

<b>Q</b>	<b>Answer</b>	<b>Marks</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>3(b)(ii)</b>	$m\omega^2 r = 4.9 \times 4^2 \times 1.5$ or $\frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{4.9 \times 6^2}{1.5}$  120 [N, to 2 sf]  Towards O	<b>M1</b>        <b>A1</b>        <b>B1</b>	Use of $m\omega^2 r$ with their $\omega$ and $r = 1.5$ or use of $\frac{mv^2}{r}$ with $r = 1.5$ or use of $\mathbf{F} = m\mathbf{a}$ and differentiation of $\mathbf{v}$ <b>PI</b> By correct magnitude of force  <b>CAO, AWRT</b> 120 Exact answer is 117.6 [N]  <b>oe</b> , such as $-\cos(4t)\mathbf{i} - \sin(4t)\mathbf{j}$
		<b>3</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
3(c)	[Tension in string = 117.6 N]  $117.6 = mg$  $m = 12$	<b>M1</b>  <b>A1</b>	<b>AWRT 12</b> Note: $m = 12.244\dots$ if using $T = 120$ N
		<b>2</b>	

	<b>Question 3 Total</b>	<b>12</b>	
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Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
4(a)	$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$  $t = \sqrt{\frac{2d}{g}}$ or $t = \frac{d}{u}$  $d [= ut] = u\sqrt{\frac{2d}{g}}$ or $d = \frac{1}{2}g\left(\frac{d}{u}\right)^2$  $u = \sqrt{\frac{gd}{2}}$	<p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p>	<p>Time to travel from O to A</p> <p>oe</p>
		<b>3</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
4(b)	<p>[Vertical component of velocity immediately before colliding with ground at A]</p> $v = u + at$  $\left[ v = 0 + g \times \sqrt{\frac{2d}{g}} \right]$  $v = \sqrt{2gd}$  <p>Speed immediately before colliding with ground at A</p> $= \sqrt{(2u)^2 + u^2}$  $= \sqrt{5} u$	<p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p>	<p>or <math>v = 2u</math></p> <p>or <math>= \sqrt{(2gd) + u^2}</math> or</p> <p><math>= \sqrt{(2gd) + \left(\frac{gd}{2}\right)}</math></p>
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	<b>Question 4 Total</b>	<b>6</b>	
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Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
5(a)	The logo is symmetric in the line through $C$ , $B$ and $M$	E1	Allow any mention of symmetry or that the centres of mass of the circle and the triangle lie on $CBM$
		1	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
5(b)	<p>[C.O.M. of the circle from <math>M</math> is]</p> $2d\sin(60^\circ) + \frac{d}{2} \left[ = d\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \right]$ <p>[C.O.M. of the triangle from <math>M</math> is]</p> $\frac{1}{3} \times 2d\sin(60^\circ) \left[ = d\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \right]$ $\rho \times \left( \frac{1}{2} \times 4d^2\sin(60^\circ) + \frac{\pi d^2}{4} \right) \bar{Y}$ $= \rho \times \frac{1}{2} \times 4d^2\sin(60^\circ) \times \frac{2d\sin(60^\circ)}{3}$ $+ \rho \times \frac{\pi d^2}{4} \times \left( 2d\sin(60^\circ) + \frac{d}{2} \right)$ $\left( \sqrt{3}d^2 + \frac{\pi d^2}{4} \right) \bar{Y} = \sqrt{3}d^2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}d$ $+ \frac{\pi d^2}{4} \times d\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{2}\right)$ $d^2\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \bar{Y} = d^3\left(1 + \frac{\pi}{4}\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$ $\bar{Y} = \frac{4 + \pi\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{2}\right)}{4\sqrt{3} + \pi} \times d$ <p><math>k = 1.09</math> [3 sf]</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>B1</p> <p>M1 m1 A1</p> <p>A1</p>	<p>PI</p> <p>PI</p> <p>M1: At least one of the three terms correct                      m1: At least two of the three terms correct                      A1: Fully correct equation                      Condone lack of <math>\rho</math></p> <p>Allow <math>k = \frac{4 + \pi\left(\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{2}\right)}{4\sqrt{3} + \pi}</math></p>
		6	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
5(c)	[Let $\alpha$ be the angle $OM$ makes with the vertical]  $\tan \alpha = \frac{1.094... \times d}{d}$  $\alpha = 48^\circ$	<b>M1</b>  <b>A1</b>	$\tan \alpha = \frac{\bar{Y}}{d}$ using their $\bar{Y}$  Allow $47^\circ$ as final answer if rounded answer of $1.09d$ used
		<b>2</b>	
	<b>Question 5 Total</b>	<b>9</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
6(a)	<p>Loss in GPE for A</p> $mg\Delta h = 3 \times 9.8 \times 5$ $= 147 \text{ [J]}$ <p>Loss in GPE = Gain in KE for A</p> $147 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ $v = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 147}{3}} = 7\sqrt{2} \text{ [m s}^{-1}\text{]}$ <p>Total momentum of system before collision</p> $[p =] 3 \times 7\sqrt{2} = 21\sqrt{2} \text{ [kg m s}^{-1}\text{]}$ <p>Conservation of momentum</p> $21\sqrt{2} = 3 \times (\pm 2) + 10v_B$ <p>If A moves in the <u>same</u> direction after the collision, then speed of B is</p> $v_B = 2.37 \text{ [m s}^{-1}\text{]}$ <p>If A moves in the <u>opposite</u> direction after the collision, then speed of B is</p> $v_B = 3.57 \text{ [m s}^{-1}\text{]}$	<p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1ft</b></p> <p><b>A1ft</b></p>	<p>Sight or use of 147 or 15g or use of 29.4 <b>PI</b> by <math>v = 7\sqrt{2} \text{ [m s}^{-1}\text{]}</math></p> <p><b>oe</b>, eg <math>\sqrt{10g}</math> <b>AWRT</b> 9.9</p> <p><b>oe</b>, eg <math>3\sqrt{10g}</math> <b>PI</b> by sight or use of <b>AWRT</b> 30 Total momentum before collision <b>ft</b> their speed of A before the collision <b>oe</b>, eg <math>3\sqrt{10g} = 3 \times (\pm 2) + 10v_B</math> Condone + or – instead of <math>\pm</math> Total momentum after collision</p> <p>Answer given to 3 sf <b>ft</b> their speed of A before the collision</p> <p>Answer given to 3 sf <b>ft</b> their speed of A before the collision</p>
		<b>6</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
6(b)	$[\Delta p_B =] 10 \times 2.37 = 23.7 \text{ [kg m s}^{-1}\text{]}$	<b>M1</b>	<b>PI</b> by correct answer
	$\left[F = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t} =\right] \frac{23.7}{0.20} = 120 \text{ [N, to 2 sf]}$	<b>A1ft</b>	<b>AWRT</b> 120 N
		<b>2</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
6(c)	Total KE of system after collision $0.5 \times 3 \times 2^2 + 0.5 \times 10 \times 3.57^2$ $= 69.7245 \text{ [J]}$ KE lost during the collision $147 - 69.7245$ $= 77 \text{ [J, to 2 sf]}$	<b>M1</b>	<b>AWRT</b> 70 <b>PI</b> by correct answer
		<b>A1</b>	<b>AWRT</b> 77 <b>CAO</b>
		<b>2</b>	

	<b>Question 6 Total</b>	<b>10</b>	
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Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
7(a)	<p>Resultant force acting on the particle</p> $\begin{bmatrix} 10\cos^2 t \\ 30t \\ 50e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 10\sin^2 t \\ 90t^2 \\ -31 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -49 \end{bmatrix} =$ $\begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 30t + 90t^2 \\ 50e^{-2t} - 80 \end{bmatrix} \text{ [N]}$ <p>Acceleration of the particle</p> $\mathbf{a} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6t + 18t^2 \\ 10e^{-2t} - 16 \end{bmatrix} \text{ [m s}^{-2}\text{]}$ <p>Velocity of the particle</p> $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2t + c_1 \\ 3t^2 + 6t^3 + c_2 \\ -5e^{-2t} - 16t + c_3 \end{bmatrix}$ $\left[ \text{When } t = 0, \mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ -5 + c_3 \end{bmatrix} \right]$ $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2t + 3 \\ 3t^2 + 6t^3 - 1 \\ -5e^{-2t} - 16t + 10 \end{bmatrix} \text{ [m s}^{-1}\text{]}$	<p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p> <p><b>M1 A1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p>	<p><b>oe</b> At least two components correct Condone unsimplified</p> <p>Condone unsimplified Condone <math>-6.2</math> instead of <math>-16</math> in <b>k</b> component</p> <p><b>M1</b>: At least one correct component <b>A1</b>: All three components correct Condone no constants of integration for <b>M1 A1</b></p> <p><b>CAO</b></p>
		<b>5</b>	

[illegible]



Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
8(a)	<p>[Time taken for the golf ball to cover the 90 m horizontal displacement]</p> $T = \frac{90}{30 \cos \theta}$ <p>[s =] <math>30 \sin \theta T - 0.5 \times 9.8 \times T^2</math></p> <p>[s =] <math>30 \sin \theta \times \frac{90}{30 \cos \theta} - 0.5 \times 9.8 \times \left( \frac{90}{30 \cos \theta} \right)^2</math></p> <p>[s =] <math>90 \tan \theta - \frac{44.1}{\cos^2 \theta}</math></p> <p>[s =] <math>90 \tan \theta - 44.1 \times (1 + \tan^2 \theta)</math></p> $-2.4 = 90 \tan \theta - 44.1 - 44.1 \tan^2 \theta$ <p>[ <math>44.1 \tan^2 \theta - 90 \tan \theta + 41.7 = 0</math> ]</p> <p><math>\tan \theta = 1.3296\dots, 0.7111\dots</math></p> <p><math>\theta = 53.054\dots, 35.417\dots</math></p> <p><math>\theta = 53.1, \text{ or } \theta = 35.4</math></p>	<p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>M1 A1</b></p> <p><b>m1</b></p> <p><b>m1</b></p> <p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>m1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p>	<p>Any subject</p> <p><b>M1:</b> Use of <math>s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2</math> with <math>u = 30 \sin \theta</math> and <math>a = \pm 9.8</math> <b>PI</b>  <b>A1:</b> Fully correct</p> <p>Eliminating <math>T</math> <b>PI</b></p> <p>Correct simplification with second term in <math>\cos^2 \theta</math></p> <p>Use of <math>\sec^2 \theta = 1 + \tan^2 \theta</math> <b>PI</b></p> <p>Use of <math>s = -2.4</math></p> <p><b>PI</b></p> <p>At least one unrounded value of <math>\theta</math></p> <p>Both values of <math>\theta</math> to 3 sf and no others</p>
		<b>9</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
8(b)	$T = \frac{90}{30 \cos \theta}$ $T = \frac{90}{30 \cos(53.054...^\circ)}$ $T = 5.0 \text{ [s, to 2 sf]}$	<p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1ft</b></p>	<p>or use of their largest angle with <math>s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2</math>, <math>u = 30 \sin \theta</math> and <math>a = \pm 9.8</math> <b>PI</b></p> <p><b>ft</b> their larger angle from <b>part (a)</b>                      Note: unrounded answer is 4.99... [s]</p>
		<b>2</b>	

Q	Answer	Marks	Comments
8(c)	The assumption is unlikely to be true [as the golf ball is moving quickly through the air]	<b>E1</b>	Allow any sensible comment
		<b>1</b>	

	<b>Question 8 Total</b>	<b>12</b>	
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