

FORMULAE

You may find the following formulae useful.

$$\text{average velocity} = \frac{\text{displacement}}{\text{time}}$$

$$v = \frac{s}{t}$$

$$\text{acceleration} = \frac{\text{change in velocity}}{\text{time}}$$

$$a = \frac{(v - u)}{t}$$

$$\text{force} = \text{mass} \times \text{acceleration}$$

$$F = m \times a$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{change in potential} \\ \text{energy} \end{array} = \text{mass} \times \text{gravitational field strength} \times \text{change in height} \quad PE = m \times g \times h$$

$$\text{kinetic energy} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{mass} \times (\text{velocity})^2$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} \times m \times v^2$$

$$\text{electrical energy} = \text{voltage} \times \text{current} \times \text{time}$$

$$E = V \times I \times t$$

$$\text{power} = \frac{\text{work done}}{\text{time taken}}$$

$$P = \frac{W}{t}$$

$$\text{work done} = \text{force} \times \text{distance moved in the direction of the force}$$

$$W = F \times s$$



- (a) The thinking distances and braking distances will be affected by different factors. Draw one straight line from each box on the left to the correct box on the right.

factors

- colour of the car

- condition of the tyres

- if the driver has been drinking alcohol

- whether the driver is male or female

- State one other safety feature used to reduce this risk of injury. Explain how it works.

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2. The photographs show two X-ray images.



image A taken in 1895



image B taken in 2009

Image A shows Wilhelm Röntgen's X-ray of his wife's hand taken just after the discovery of X-rays.

Image B shows a modern X-ray of a patient's foot.

(a) John says image B is better than image A.
Suggest why.

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(1)

(b) Soon after the discovery of X-rays, many different claims were made about their effects.

(i) Four of these claims are shown below.

X-rays can cure toothache.

X-rays.....
a treatment for cancer.

You can send your
Valentine an X-ray
of your heart.

Man says
"I no longer need to shave----
thanks to X-rays"

Which one of these claims is still being used today?

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(1)



(ii) Another early claim was

Baby has birthmark removed by X-rays.

The photograph shows an example of a birthmark.



1. Complete the following sentence by putting a cross (☒) in the correct box.

X-rays are unsuitable for removing birthmarks because

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| waves | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| they are produced using high voltages | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| strongly ionising | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

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2. Explain the effect that X-rays can have on body tissue.

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Q2



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3. George investigates static charges using balloons.
He rubs a balloon on a scarf.
The balloon becomes negatively charged.

(a) Complete the following sentences by putting a cross (☒) in the correct boxes.

- has become negatively charged

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- (i) The scarf

remains neutral

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- has become positively charged

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- electrons have moved onto the balloon

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- electrons have moved onto the scarf

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- (ii) This is because

no charges have moved

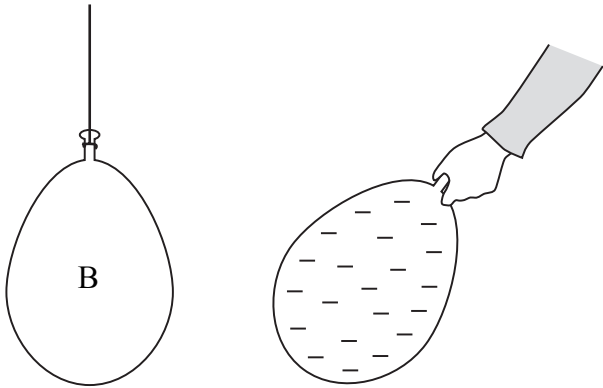
☐
- protons have moved onto the balloon

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- protons have moved onto the scarf

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(2)

(b) George holds his negatively charged balloon near to another balloon, B, as shown in the diagram.



Balloon B could be negatively charged, neutral or positively charged.
Complete the table to show what would happen to balloon B in each case.
The first one has been done for you.

charge on balloon B	what would happen to balloon B when it is near the negatively charged balloon
positive	attracted and moves to the right
negative	
neutral	

(2)



(c) George knows that static electricity can be a problem in some situations and a help in others.

The table below shows some situations which involve static electricity.
Complete the table by placing a tick (✓) in the correct column for each situation.

situation	static electricity is a problem	static electricity is a help
lifting fingerprints from a surface		
T.V. screens		
photocopying		
removing dust from waste gases		
taking dry clothes out of a tumble drier		

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Q3



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4. The photograph shows a pirate boat ride in a theme park.
At the bottom of its swing, the pirate boat passes over a roller, which gives the boat a push.



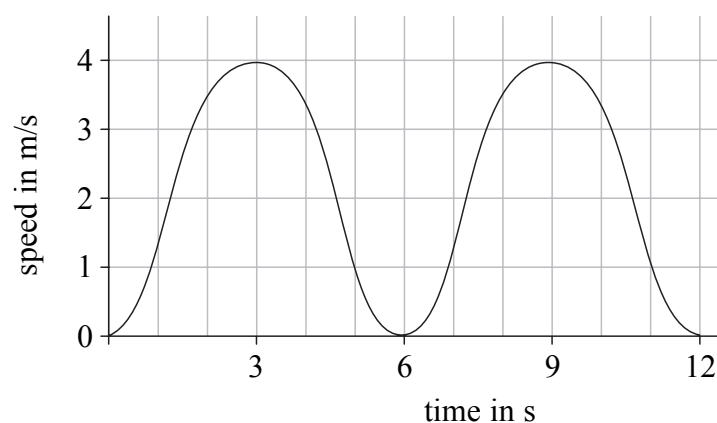
- (a) Friction between the roller and the boat gives the boat energy.
What happens to the movement of the boat as it gains energy?

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- (b) The photograph shows the pirate boat at the top of its swing.
State the main form of energy that the pirate boat has gained by this point.

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(1)

- (c) The roller is lowered and the boat swings freely.
The graph is a simplified speed-time graph for one complete swing of the pirate boat.



- (i) State the maximum speed of the pirate boat during this swing.

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- (ii) At what point of the swing does it reach maximum speed?

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(Total 4 marks)

Q4



5.



The diagram shows a racing car accelerating from rest along a straight road.

The acceleration of the car is 8.4 m/s^2 .

The mass of the car is 620 kg.

- (a) Calculate the force needed to produce this acceleration.
State the unit.

Force =
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- (b) Explain why the force produced by the engine must be greater than the force calculated in (a).

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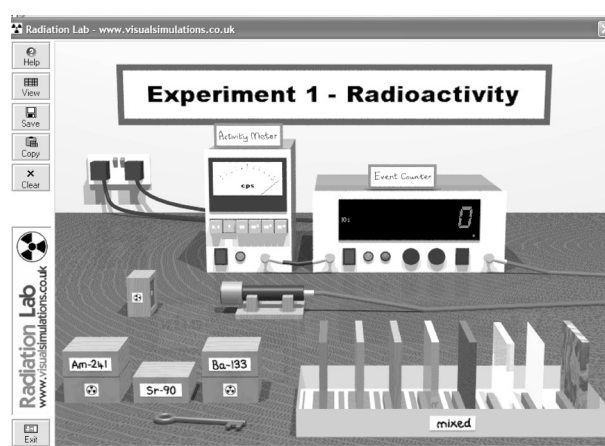
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Q5



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6. Ben used a computer simulation to investigate half-life.
The photograph shows a screenshot of the simulation he used.



- (a) Suggest an advantage of using a computer simulation to investigate half-life rather than watching a demonstration.

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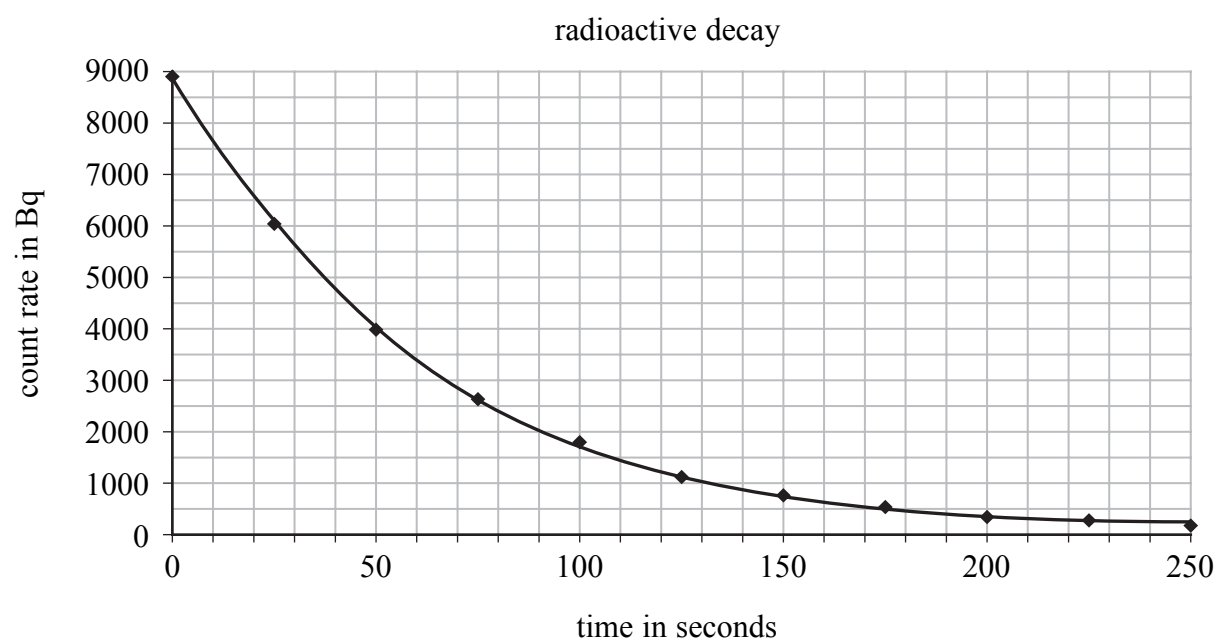
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- (b) Using data from the simulation, Ben produced the following graph.
He can use it to calculate the half-life.



- (i) Explain what is meant by **half-life**.

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- (ii) Use Ben's graph to estimate the half-life.

half-life = seconds

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(Total 3 marks)

Q6



7. Ben has made some fact cards to help him revise for a test on radioactivity.
Complete his fact cards correctly.

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charge =

ionising
ability = high

range in
air = a few cm




beta

charge = -1

ionising
ability =

range in
air =



gamma

charge =

ionising
ability = low

range in
air =

(3)

Q7

(Total 3 marks)

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