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### **Engineering**

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### **Mark Scheme for June 2018**

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**Annotations**

<b>Annotation</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
tick	Correct response worthy of a mark. Number of ticks = number of marks awarded.
cross	Incorrect response
Omission mark (carat)	Incomplete response
ECF	Error carried forward
BOD	Benefit of doubt
NBOD	No benefit of doubt
POT	Power of ten error
RE	Rounding error
SF	Significant figure error

If the data given in a question is to 2 sf, then allow to 2 or more significant figures. If an answer is given to fewer than 2 sf, then penalise once only in the entire paper.

Penalise a rounding error in the second significant figure once only in the paper.

**Subject-specific marking instructions**

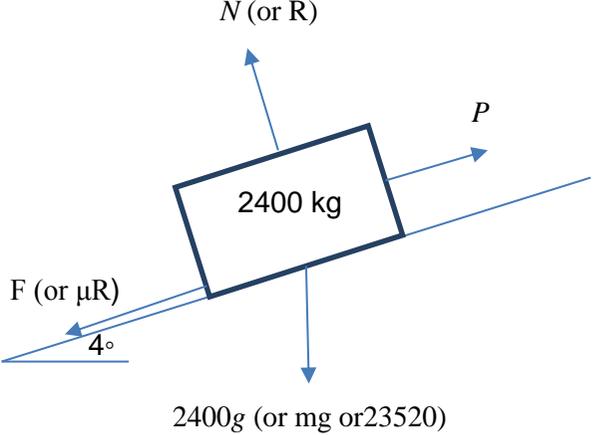
**B** marks: These are awarded as independent marks, which do not depend on other marks. For a **B**-mark to be scored, the point to which it refers must be seen specifically in the candidate's answers.

**M** marks: These are method marks upon which **A**-marks (accuracy/answer marks) later depend. For an **M**-mark to be scored, the point to which it refers must be seen in the candidate's answers. If a candidate fails to score a particular **M**-mark, then none of the dependent **A**-marks can be scored.

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**A** marks: These are accuracy or answer marks, which either depend on an **M**-mark, or allow a **C**-mark to be scored.

Question		Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance	
1	(a)	(i)		As for A1 but allow one error or omission.	
				A1	Class 1 lever drawn with Input force and load shown and labelled. Allow sensible labels eg 50g, 50x9.8, 490(N) etc. Do not award if only mass shown. At least one distance labelled. Allow reaction force shown acting upwards instead of / in addition to fulcrum.
				[2]	
		(ii)	$F_1 \times 0.7 = 490 \times 0.5$ $F_1 = 350 \text{ (N)}$	C1 A1	Award if 50 used instead of 490 (mass instead of weight) No ecf mass used. (Award 1 mark if 35.7(1) is seen)
				[2]	
		(iii)	$(VR = b/a = 0.5/0.7 =) 0.714$	A1	Allow 0.5/0.7 or 5/7
				[1]	
	(b)	Nutcracker, wheelbarrow, bottle-opener	A1	Accept any sensible answer	
			[1]		
	(c)	Accept reasonable answers eg: When the direction of the input gear should not be reversed/Where a high MA is needed /It is more compact/smaller than spur gears/ 90 degree change in direction.	A1	eg rotation should only occur in one direction, or the output gear should not drive the input gear Accept reference to high 'gear ratio' or 'force ratio' Allow reference to higher (maximum) torque	
		[1]			
(d)	To allow greater torque /To prevent slippage (which can occur with a flat belt)	A1	Accept any sensible reference to slippage		
		[1]			
(e)	(i)	$(VR=)$ product of drivers/product of driven / $(40 \times 60)/(60 \times 30)$ $= 1.3(3)$ OR VR A to B = $40/60 (= 2/3)$ AND/OR VR B to C = $60/30 (= 2)$ (Overall VR = $2/3 \times 2 = 1.3(3)$ )	C1 A1  (C1) (A1)	Use of formula for overall VR  Allow 4/3	
			[2]		
	(ii)	$(V_i = V_o/VR = 90/(4/3)) = 67.5 \text{ (rpm)}$ Accept ECF from i	A1	$VR = V_o/V_i$ (accept answers in range upto 69.23)	
			[1]		

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2	(i) 	C1  A1	Award 1 mark if maximum 1 mistakes/omissions  All forces shown correctly with arrowheads and with sensible labels. Normal reaction approximately at right angles to slope (not vertically upward) Allow any sensible shape used for object (van, dot, circle etc) Labelling of angle is not required.
		[2]	
	(ii) $(N = ) 2400g\cos 4 / 23463$ $(F = \mu N =) 0.3 \times 23463$ $= 7038.8 \text{ (N)}$	C1 C1 A1	allow mass used instead of weight allow FT of calculated N
		[3]	
	(iii) $\Sigma F = ma$ up slope (look for use of formula) allow ecf from ii $10000 - 7038.8 - 2400g\sin 4 = 2400a$ (soi) allow ecf from ii $(a =) 0.55 \text{ (ms}^{-2}\text{)}$	C1 C1 A1	Award max 1 mark if weight omitted or incorrect.  1.16 scores 2 marks
		[3]	
	(iv) $(v^2 = u^2 + 2as =) 9.2^2 + 2 \times 0.9 \times 75 (=219.64)$ $v = 14.8 \text{ (ms}^{-1}\text{)}$	C1 A1	
		[2]	
	(v) Initial KE = 101568 (J) OR Final KE = 262848(J) soi $(\text{Increase in K.E} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{1}{2}mu^2$ $= \frac{1}{2}2400 \times 14.82^2 - \frac{1}{2}2400 \times 9.2^2)$ $= 16128 \text{ (J)}$	C1  A1	Allow ECF from iv  Allow ECF from iv
		[2]	

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3	(a)	(i)	Area = $300 \times 50 + 300 \times 80 + 60 \times 300$	C1	Allow conversion to m
			OR Area = $300 \times 430 - 2 \times 300 \times 120$ = $57000 \text{ (mm}^2\text{)}$ = $0.057 \text{ (m}^2\text{)}$	C1 A1	
			[3]		
		(ii)	(Volume =) $0.057 \times 14 = (0.798 \text{m}^3)$ . ( $0.057 \times 14 \times 8000$ ) = 6384 (kg)	C1 A1	Allow ecf from (i)
			[2]		
		(iii)	(Change in length = strain x original length = $8 \times 10^{-4} \times 14 =$ ) 0.0112 (m)	A1	
			[1]		
		(iv)	The material would undergo permanent / plastic deformation	B1	
			[1]		
	(b)	Area = Force/stress = $120 \times 10^3 / 200 \times 10^6$ = $0.0006 \text{ (m}^2\text{)} / 600 \text{ (mm}^2\text{)}$	C1 A1	Correct use of formula. Allow errors in units (eg 120/200)	
			[2]		

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4 (a)	(Vertical equilibrium:) $P\sin 40 + 20\sin 60$ ( $P =$ ) 50.8(N) (Horizontal Equilibrium:) $P\cos 40 = Q + 20\cos 60$ ( $Q =$ ) 28.9(N)	C1 A1 C1 A1	Allow FT from their P (or Q)																																																
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(b)	Use of 1 <sup>st</sup> moment of area method, may be seen in vector format, table format or other.  <table border="1" data-bbox="347 486 1079 630"> <thead> <tr> <th>Shape</th> <th>Area</th> <th><math>x_i</math></th> <th><math>y_i</math></th> <th><math>a_i x_i</math></th> <th><math>a_i y_i</math></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>1.92</td> <td>0.6</td> <td>0.8</td> <td>1.152</td> <td>1.536</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>1.2</td> <td>1.7</td> <td>0.6</td> <td>2.04</td> <td>0.72</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>3.12</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>3.192</td> <td>2.256</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>OR</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="347 662 1079 805"> <thead> <tr> <th>Shape</th> <th>Area</th> <th><math>x_i</math></th> <th><math>y_i</math></th> <th><math>a_i x_i</math></th> <th><math>a_i y_i</math></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>2.64</td> <td>1.1</td> <td>0.6</td> <td>2.904</td> <td>1.584</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>0.48</td> <td>0.6</td> <td>1.4</td> <td>0.288</td> <td>0.672</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>3.12</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>3.192</td> <td>2.256</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> $\bar{x} = \frac{3.192}{3.12} = 1.023(m)$ $\bar{y} = \frac{2.256}{3.12} = 0.723(m)$	Shape	Area	$x_i$	$y_i$	$a_i x_i$	$a_i y_i$	1	1.92	0.6	0.8	1.152	1.536	2	1.2	1.7	0.6	2.04	0.72		3.12			3.192	2.256	Shape	Area	$x_i$	$y_i$	$a_i x_i$	$a_i y_i$	1	2.64	1.1	0.6	2.904	1.584	2	0.48	0.6	1.4	0.288	0.672		3.12			3.192	2.256	C1  C1  A1  A1	Area and co-ordinates of centroid shown for any 1 shape,  The sum of their $a_i x_i$ (or $a_i y_i$ ) found and divided by their total area. (Using $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum a_i x_i}{total\ area}$ or for $\bar{y}$ )
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(c) (i)	Net horizontal force = $15 - 12\cos 30$ (=4.607...) Net vertical force = $10 - 12\sin 30$ (=4)  Magnitude = $\sqrt{4.607...^2 + 4^2}$  = 6.1 (N)	C1 C1  C1  A1	Attempt to find net horizontal force Attempt to find net vertical force  Allow FT. Pythagoras used with their horizontal and vertical components Allow FT																																																
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(ii)	Moment = $15 \times 0.8 + 10 \times 0.2$ = 14 (Nm) (anticlockwise)	C1 A1	Allow one error in distance																																																
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5	(i)	(Work = average power x time =) 5000 x 30	C1	Use of equation – ignore POT errors	
		=150 000 J / 150 kJ	A1	Maximum 1 mark if unit not stated.	
			[2]		
	(ii)	(Force = Work/distance =150 000/600) = 250 (N)	A1	Allow ecf from (i)	
			[1]		
	(iii)	(Increase in K.E = $\frac{1}{2} 250 \times (28^2 - 5^2)$ ) = 94875 (J) (Work <sub>engine</sub> – Work <sub>resistance</sub> = Increase in K.E) 150 000 – W = 94875	C1	Calculating increase in K.E	
W=55125 (J)		C1	Allow FT from iii. Ignore sign errors.		
		A1	Award 2 marks for correct answer from use of F=ma and suvat		
			[3]		
6	(a)	(i)	(Self-weight = 350 x 8 =) 2800N (acting at centre of beam) soi	C1	Total self-weight calculated and evidence of point load acting at centre of beam (may be implied by later working)
			$\sum M(A)=0$ ; $R_b \times 8 - 800 \times 1 - 600 \times 6 - 2800 \times 4 = 0$ $R_b = 1950(N)$ (upwards)	C1 A1	Attempting moments about A and equating to 0. Allow one missing or incorrect term.
			$\sum M(B)=0$ ; OR Vertical equilibrium: $R_a + R_b = 800 + 600 + 2800$ $R_a = 2250 (N)$ (upwards)	C1 (C1) A1	Attempting moments about B and equating to 0. Allow one missing or incorrect term. Allow ecf of their $R_a$ or $R_b$ . ALLOW FT OF SELF WEIGHT THROUGHOUT
			[5]		
	(ii)	Pin-joint or Pin-support	A1		
			[1]		
	(iii)	200 (N), to the left, at support B	A1		
			[1]		
	(b)	A column being supported by a beam	A1	Allow sensible examples but must be acting on a structure that can be modelled as a beam.	
		A counterweight on a crane-arm Vehicle on bridge			
			[1]		

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