

GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

GATEWAY SCIENCE

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ADDITIONAL SCIENCE B

Unit 1 Modules B3 C3 P3

(Higher Tier)

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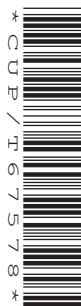
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Other Materials Required:

- Pencil
- Ruler (cm/mm)

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Morning

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided, however additional paper may be used if necessary.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- A list of physics equations is printed on page two.
- The Periodic Table is printed on the back page.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- This document consists of **24** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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Section	Max.	Mark
A	20	
B	20	
C	20	
TOTAL	60	

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EQUATIONS

$$\text{speed} = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time taken}}$$

$$\text{acceleration} = \frac{\text{change in speed}}{\text{time taken}}$$

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

$$\text{work done} = \text{force} \times \text{distance}$$

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

$$\text{kinetic energy} = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

$$\text{potential energy} = mgh$$

$$\text{weight} = \text{mass} \times \text{gravitational field strength}$$

$$\text{resistance} = \frac{\text{voltage}}{\text{current}}$$

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Answer **all** the questions.**Section A – Module B3**

- 1** Scientists are trying to develop new treatments for heart attacks.

Heart attacks may cause heart muscle to be damaged.

- (a)** Heart attacks are often caused by cholesterol.

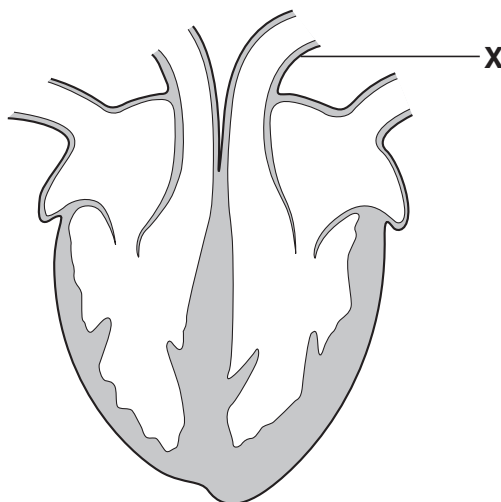
Explain how cholesterol can cause problems in blood vessels.

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- (b)** The scientists insert a small tube into a blood vessel in the leg.

The tube is moved along inside this blood vessel so that it enters the heart.

They use this tube to inject stem cells into the heart muscle.



The tube enters the heart through the blood vessel labelled **X**.

Write down the name of blood vessel **X**.

..... **[1]**

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- (c) The scientists inject stem cells into the heart muscle.

They hope that the stem cells will repair the damaged muscle.

What are stem cells?

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- (d) Stem cells can be extracted from human embryos.

Describe **two** reasons why some people might object to the use of stem cells.

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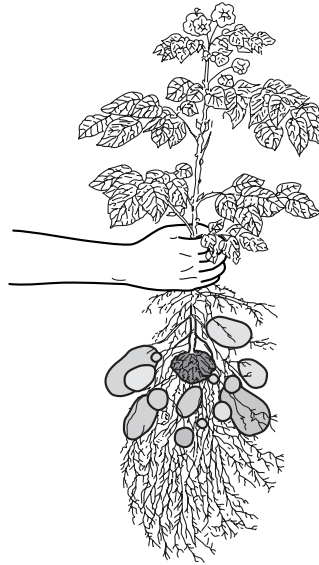
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2 Harry grows potatoes.

Harry plants a potato in soil and it grows into a potato plant.

Several months later the plant has made many new potatoes.



(a) The potatoes grow by producing new cells by cell division.

Write down the name of this type of cell division.

..... [1]

(b) Harry grows different types of potatoes.

They all have different properties.

Some of these properties are shown in the table.

property of potato	type of potato			
	goldrush	asterix	Yukon gold	pink eye
good for baking	✓	✗	✓	✓
good for potato salads	✗	✓	✗	✗
skin colour	brown	red	yellow	pink
number of potatoes produced	high	very high	high	medium

(i) Harry wants to produce a yellow skinned potato with a very high yield.

He decides that he needs to set up a selective breeding programme.

Which **two** types of potato from the table should he use in his programme?

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(ii) Harry starts his selective breeding programme by growing these two types of potato.

Describe what he should do to complete the selective breeding programme.

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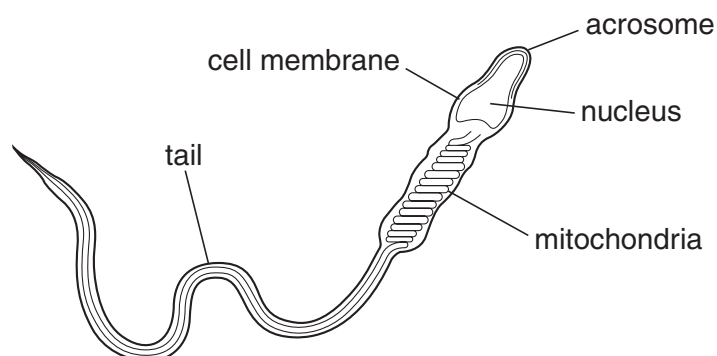
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(iii) Write down **one** possible **disadvantage** of selective breeding programmes.

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 [1]

[Total: 5]

3 The diagram shows a normal sperm cell.



(a) Which part of the sperm cell provides most of the energy?

..... [1]

(b) The nucleus of the sperm cell is haploid.

Why is this important for the correct formation of the zygote?

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 [1]

(c) Scientists have discovered a mutation in the DNA of mice.

The mutation changes a protein called the MSJ protein.

They have found that this change makes the mice produce sperm without an acrosome.

(i) What effect do mutations have on DNA?

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 [1]

(ii) Why is a mutation likely to change the protein that the DNA codes for?

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 [1]

(iii) The sperm that are produced without an acrosome **cannot** fertilise an egg.

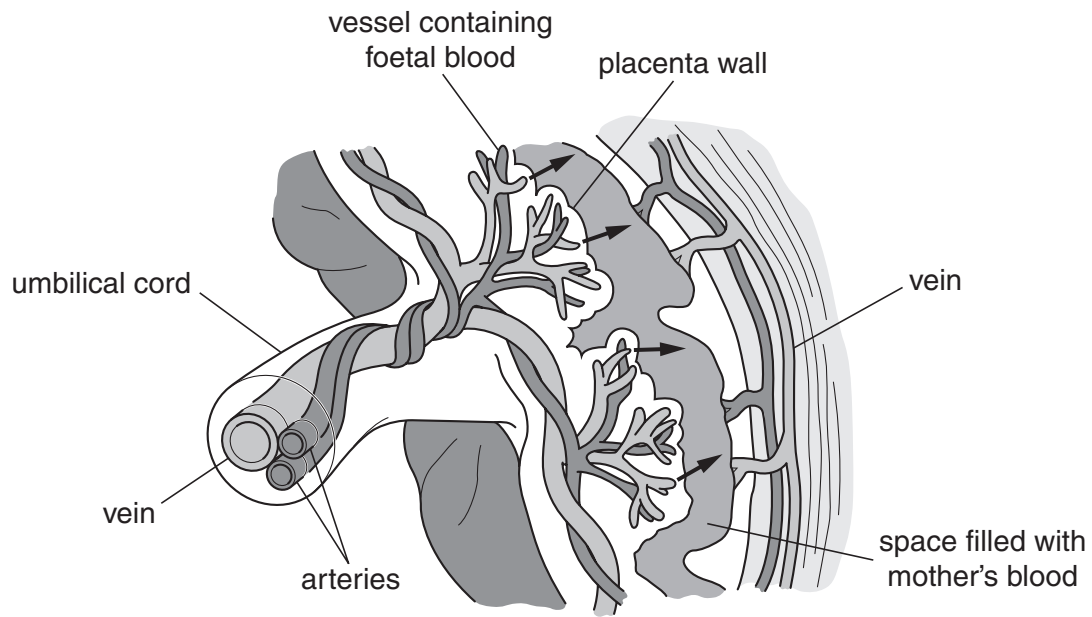
Explain why.

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 [1]

[Total: 5]

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4 The diagram shows the structure of the placenta.



(a) Write down the name of **one** substance that moves in the direction of the arrows.

..... [1]

(b) Write down the name of the process by which this substance moves.

..... [1]

(c) Write down **two** ways that the placenta is adapted to speed up the exchange of substances between the mother and the foetus.

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..... [2]

[Total: 4]

Section B – Module C3

- 5 This question is about the elements in the Periodic Table.

Look at the list of elements.

bromine	chromium
hydrogen	iodine
magnesium	neon
nitrogen	oxygen
potassium	sodium

Answer the questions.

Choose your answers from the list.

Each element can be used **once**, **more than once** or **not at all**.

The Periodic Table on the back page may help you.

- (a) Write down the name of an element which has **8 electrons** in its outer shell.

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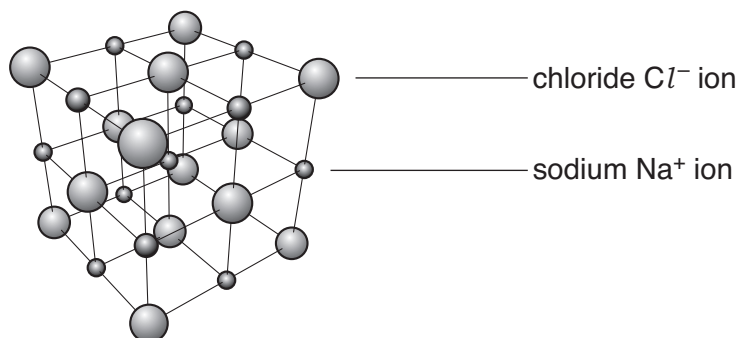
- (b) Write down the name of an element which has the electronic structure **2.8.1**.

..... [1]

[Total: 2]

- 6 This question is about ionic compounds.

Look at the diagram. It shows the structure of **solid** sodium chloride.



- (a) Sodium chloride has a high melting point.

Explain why. Use ideas about forces between particles.

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..... [2]

- (b) **Solid** sodium chloride does **not** conduct electricity.

Explain why.

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..... [1]

[Total: 3]

7 Nadia holds a flask half full of a solution.

She does not know if the solution contains

- a copper compound (containing Cu^{2+} ions)
- or an iron compound (containing Fe^{2+} ions)

She uses sodium hydroxide solution to find out.



Nadia adds sodium hydroxide solution to the unknown solution in the flask.

A coloured solid forms.

She decides that the unknown solution contains a copper compound.

(a) Write down the **colour** of the solid made.

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(b) Write down the name of the type of solid which forms in the flask.

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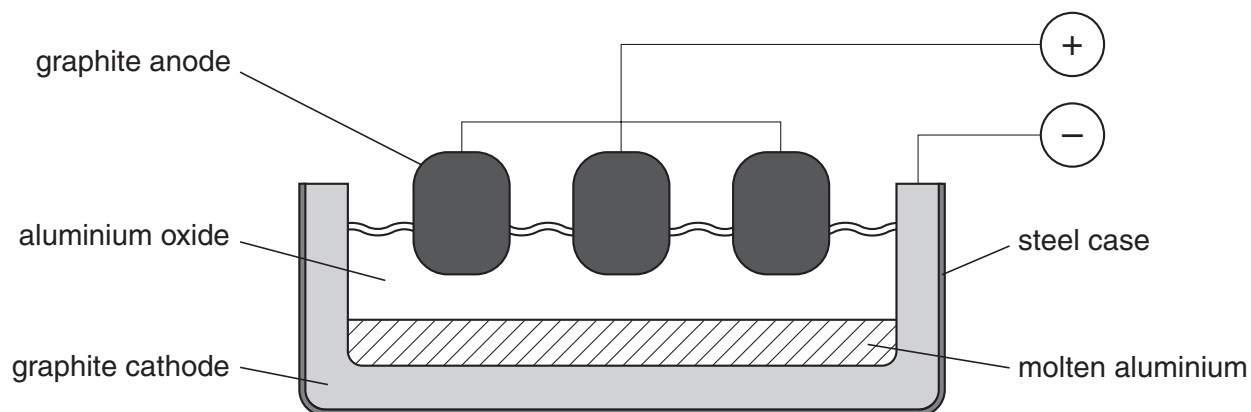
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- 8 Aluminium is extracted from its mineral using electricity.

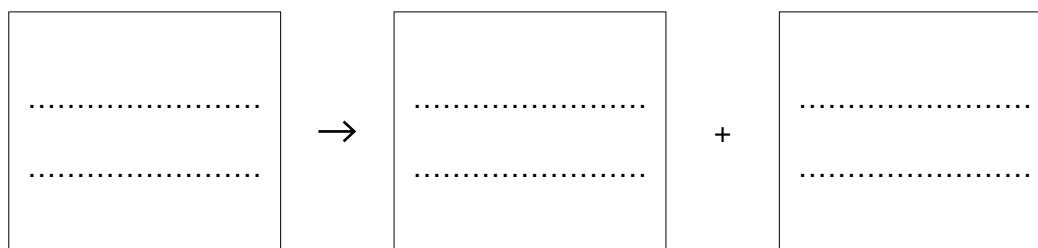
Look at the diagram.

It shows the equipment that is used.



- (a) Molten aluminium oxide is broken down by electrolysis into aluminium and oxygen.

Write down the **word** equation for the electrolysis of aluminium oxide.



[1]

- (b) Every few days the **graphite anodes** have to be replaced.

Explain why the graphite anodes need to be replaced.

In your answer

- describe what happens to the graphite anodes
- and explain why it happens.

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[2]

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- (c) At the cathode, an aluminium ion, Al^{3+} , gains electrons to make an aluminium atom, Al .

Write down the ionic equation for this reaction. Use e^- to represent an electron.

..... [1]

- (d) The extraction of aluminium from aluminium oxide is very expensive.

Explain why.

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- (e) Cryolite is added to the aluminium oxide.

Why does using cryolite reduce the cost of making aluminium?

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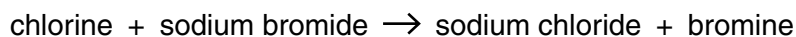
- 9 Chlorine, bromine and iodine are halogens.

The halogens are in Group 7 of the Periodic Table.

- (a) How does the reactivity of the halogens change down the group?

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- (b) Look at the word equation.



In this reaction, chlorine **displaces** bromine from sodium bromide solution.

In another experiment, iodine is added to sodium bromide solution.

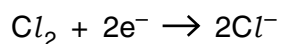
There is no reaction.

Explain why.

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..... [1]

- (c) Look at the equation.

It shows how a chloride ion, Cl^- , is made from a chlorine molecule.



This is an example of **reduction**.

Explain why.

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..... [1]

[Total: 3]

10 The diagram shows the reaction between sodium and water.



(a) Complete the following sentences to describe this reaction.

Choose words from the list.

acidic	alkaline
decreases	hydrogen
increases	neutral
oxygen	stays the same

Going down Group 1, the reactivity of the alkali metals

A solution of sodium hydroxide, NaOH, is made which is [2]

(b) Sodium, Na, reacts with water.

Sodium hydroxide, NaOH, and hydrogen, H₂ are made.

Write a balanced **symbol** equation for this reaction.

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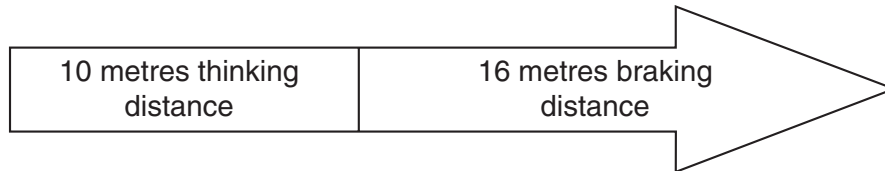
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Section C – Module P3

11 This question is about road safety.

(a) Look at the diagram.

It shows the stopping distance for a car travelling at 13 m/s (30 miles per hour).



(i) Cars travel into the city along a busy road.

They travel at 13 m/s.

One car travels less than 3 m behind the car in front.

This is very dangerous.

Explain why.

Use the information in the diagram to explain your answer.

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 [2]

(ii) When the car goes faster the **thinking** distance increases.

What will happen to the **braking** distance when the car goes faster?

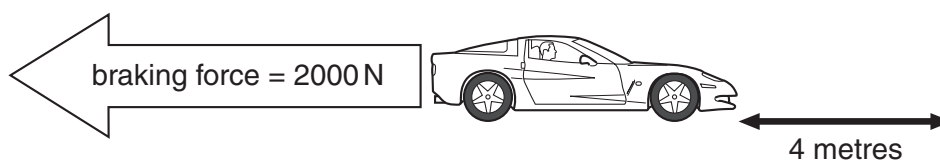
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(iii) Write down **one** other thing that increases thinking distance.

..... [1]

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(b) The car brakes. Look at the diagram.



The braking force is 2000 N. The braking distance is 4 m.

Calculate the **work done** by the brakes on the car.

The equations on page 2 may help you.

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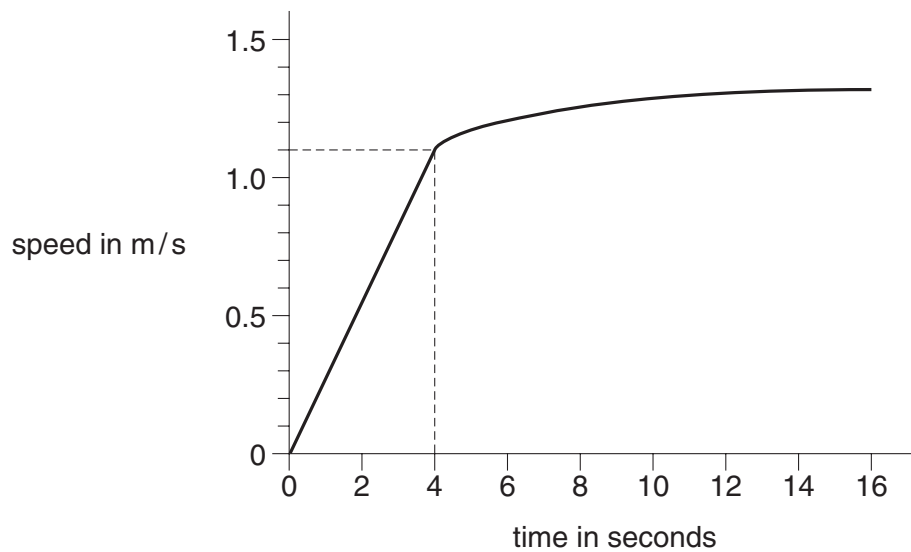
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12 Daly is in the swimming pool. He starts to swim and increase his speed.

Look at the graph of his speed.



(a) Daly accelerates steadily for the first 4 seconds. He reaches a speed of 1.1 m/s.

How far does he travel in the first 4 seconds? Use the graph to help you.

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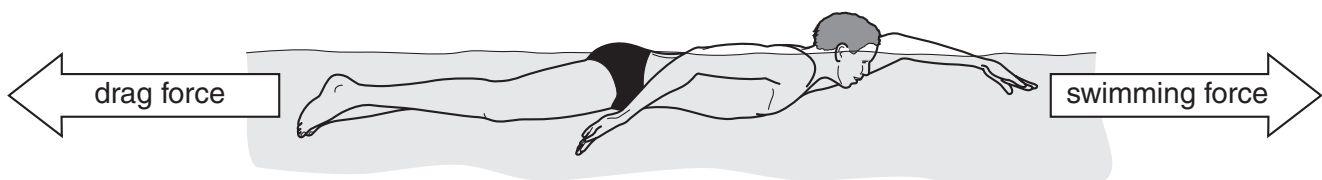
answer metres

[2]

(b) When Daly swims there are forces acting on him.

Two of these forces are

- a forward swimming force
- a backward drag force.



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- (i) What can you say about the **size** of these forces as Daly increases his speed?

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..... [1]

- (ii) What can you say about the size of these forces when Daly is at a **steady** speed?

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..... [1]

- (c) Daly swims the next 25 metres in 20 seconds.

Calculate Daly's speed.

The equations on page 2 may help you.

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answer m/s [2]

[Total: 6]

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13 Look at the information on fuel consumption for different vehicles.

vehicle	average fuel consumption in km per litre
car	11
van	7

(a) The car has an average fuel consumption of 11 km per litre.

The car uses 6 litres of fuel. How far will the car travel?

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answer km [1]

(b) The van has an **average** fuel consumption of 7 km per litre.

Most drivers rarely get 7 km per litre when they drive the van.

Suggest **two** reasons why.

reason 1

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reason 2

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..... [2]

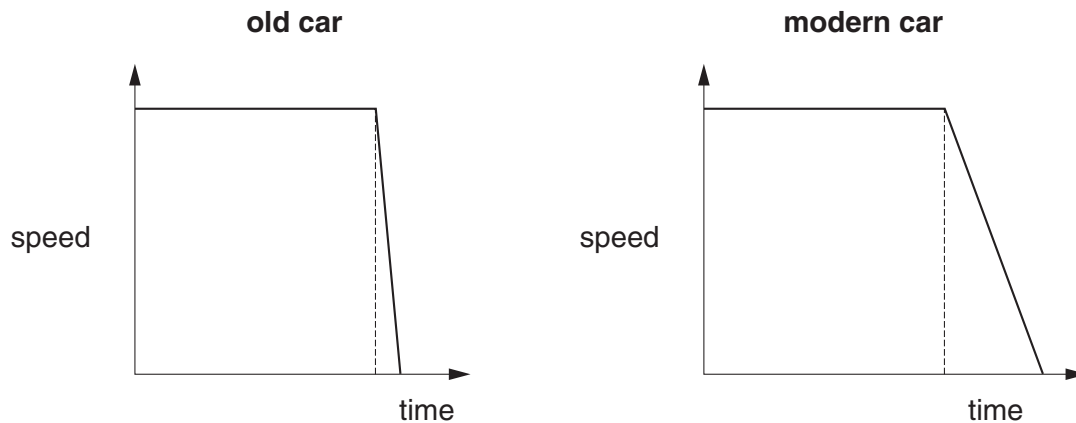
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- 14 Modern cars have safety features fitted to help reduce injuries.

They have crumple zones at the front.

The crumple zones absorb energy in a crash.

Look at the graphs from two test crashes.



- (a) The modern car has a better crumple zone.

Give **two** reasons how a crumple zone reduces injuries in a crash.

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- 2
- [2]

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(b) Look at the two statements about car crashes.

who	statement
Mike	'If you double the speed the crash is only twice as bad.'
Sue	'If you double the speed the crash is four times worse.'

Sue is correct.

Explain why.

In your answer use ideas about energy.

The equations on page 2 may help you.

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* The lanthanoids (atomic numbers 58-71) and the actinoids (atomic numbers 90-103) have been omitted.

The relative atomic masses of copper and chlorine have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.