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**GATEWAY SCIENCE**  
**SCIENCE B**

Unit 1 Modules B1 C1 P1 (Foundation Tier)

**THURSDAY 5 JUNE 2008**

Morning

Time: 1 hour



Candidates answer on the question paper.

**Additional materials (enclosed):**

None

Calculators may be used.

**Additional materials:** Pencil  
Ruler (cm/mm)Candidate  
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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use blue or 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.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

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

FOR EXAMINER'S USE		
Section	Max.	Mark
A	20	
B	20	
C	20	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>60</b>	

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## EQUATIONS

$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\text{useful energy output}}{\text{total energy input}}$$

$$\text{wave speed} = \text{frequency} \times \text{wavelength}$$

$$\text{power} = \text{voltage} \times \text{current}$$

$$\text{energy (kilowatt hours)} = \text{power (kW)} \times \text{time (h)}$$

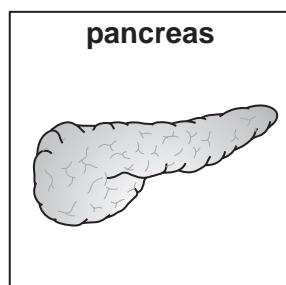
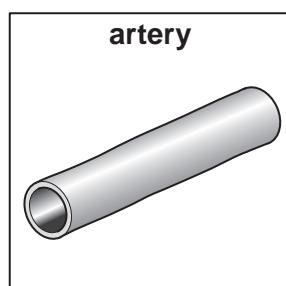
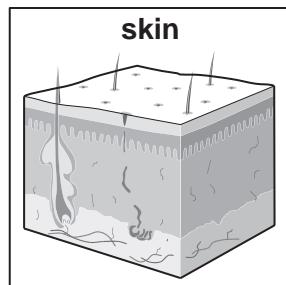
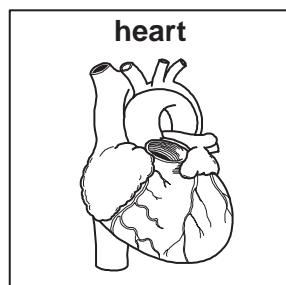
Answer **all** the questions.

**Section A – Module B1**

1 Timothy is playing a card game.  
 He has two sets of cards.  
 One set has parts of the body on them.  
 Another set has jobs on them.

Draw straight lines to match each **body part card** with the correct **job card**.

**body part card**



**job card**

helps to control the temperature of the body

detects the balance of the body

pumps blood around the body

produces insulin

carries blood around the body under pressure

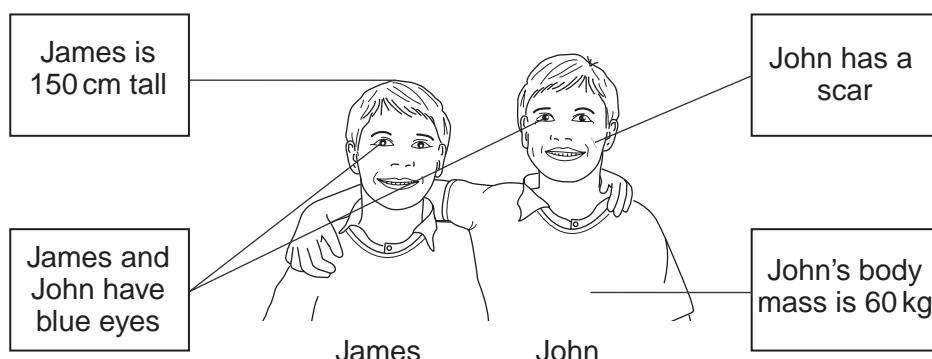
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2 James and John are identical twins.  
This means that they have inherited the same genes from their parents.  
The diagram shows some of their characteristics.



(a) Write each of the characteristics from the diagram in the correct column in the table.

One has been done for you.

controlled by their genes	caused by the environment	controlled by their genes and the environment
		James is 150 cm tall

[3]

(b) Finish the sentences about James and John's genes.

Choose words from this list.

cytoplasm      DNA      egg      nucleus      protein      sugar

James and John have the same genes.

Their genes are made of a chemical called .....

Their genes are found in the part of their cells called the .....

[2]

[Total: 5]

3 Karen sees a chart in a magazine.

The chart can be used to calculate the percentage of alcohol in her blood after she drinks some alcoholic drinks.

body mass in kg units of alcohol drunk	percentage of alcohol in the blood								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
50	.04	.08	.11	.15	.19	.23	.26	.30	.34
60	.03	.06	.09	.12	.16	.19	.22	.25	.28
70	.03	.05	.08	.11	.13	.16	.19	.21	.24
80	.02	.05	.07	.09	.12	.14	.16	.19	.21
90	.02	.04	.06	.08	.11	.13	.15	.17	.19
100	.02	.04	.06	.08	.09	.11	.13	.15	.17
110	.02	.03	.05	.07	.09	.10	.12	.14	.15
120	.02	.03	.05	.06	.08	.09	.11	.13	.14

 = below legal driving limit       = above legal driving limit

A single measure of spirits  or a half pint of beer  contains 1 unit of alcohol.

(a) Karen drinks the following:



a single measure of spirits      a half pint of beer      a pint of beer

(i) Work out the number of units that Karen has drunk.

answer ..... units

[1]

(ii) Karen has a body mass of 90 kg.

Use the chart to find the percentage of alcohol in Karen's blood after drinking these drinks.

answer ..... %

[1]

**(b)** Karen's friend Belinda has also been drinking alcohol.

The percentage of alcohol in her blood is 0.13%.

Explain why it is now unsafe for Belinda to drive a car.

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.....

[2]

[Total: 4]

4 Garry likes eating peanuts.



He looks on the back of his peanut packet.

He finds a list of some of the nutrients that are found in the peanuts.

**100 g of peanuts contains:**

protein	7.4 g
carbohydrate	2.1 g
fat	15.9 g
fibre	1.8 g

(a) Use nutrients from the list to answer these questions.

(i) Write down the nutrient that is used for growth and repair.

..... [1]

(ii) Write down the nutrient that may prevent constipation.

..... [1]

(b) When Garry eats the peanuts, they are digested in his digestive system.

(i) What is meant by the word **digestion**?

..... [1]

(ii) Finish the sentences about how fat is digested in Garry's digestive system.

Fat digestion starts in the .....

This is caused by the enzyme .....

[2]

(c) Garry has a friend Julie.

Julie is allergic to peanuts which makes her ill if she eats them.



If I eat peanuts, my body treats their proteins as foreign chemicals.

My white blood cells produce molecules that attack foreign chemicals.

Peanut proteins have many effects in my body. It becomes very difficult for me to breathe.

Write down scientific words that mean the same as these words in Julie's description.

Choose your scientific words from this list.

**acids**

**antibiotics**

**antibodies**

**antigens**

(i) the foreign chemicals .....

(ii) the molecules that attack foreign chemicals .....

[2]

[Total: 7]

## Section B – Module C1

5 Some foods contain additives.

Look at the table. It gives some information about E numbers.

type of food additive	E number range
food colour	E101 to E199
preservative	E200 to E299
antioxidant	E300 to E321
emulsifiers and stabilisers	E322 and E400 to E499
sweeteners	E950 to E967

Look at the list of **ingredients** of a food.

**Ingredients**

Wheat flour, carrots, sultanas, yeast, sugar, salt, ascorbic acid, E160, sodium carbonate.

(a) What type of food additive is E160?

..... [1]

(b) Which ingredient is there in the **smallest** amount?

..... [1]

(c) Sodium benzoate is a preservative.

It has the formula  $C_7H_5O_2Na$ .

How many **different** elements are chemically joined in sodium benzoate?

answer ..... [1]

(d) Antioxidants stop food from going 'off'.

They stop the food from reacting with a gas in the air.

Which gas?

..... [1]

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(e) Emulsifiers help oil and water to mix.

Write down the name of a food that contains an emulsifier.

Choose from the list.

**lemonade**

**mayonnaise**

**orange squash**

**potato chips**

answer ..... [1]

[Total: 5]

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6 Crude oil is a fossil fuel that is found in the Earth's crust. It is pumped to the surface in an oil well.

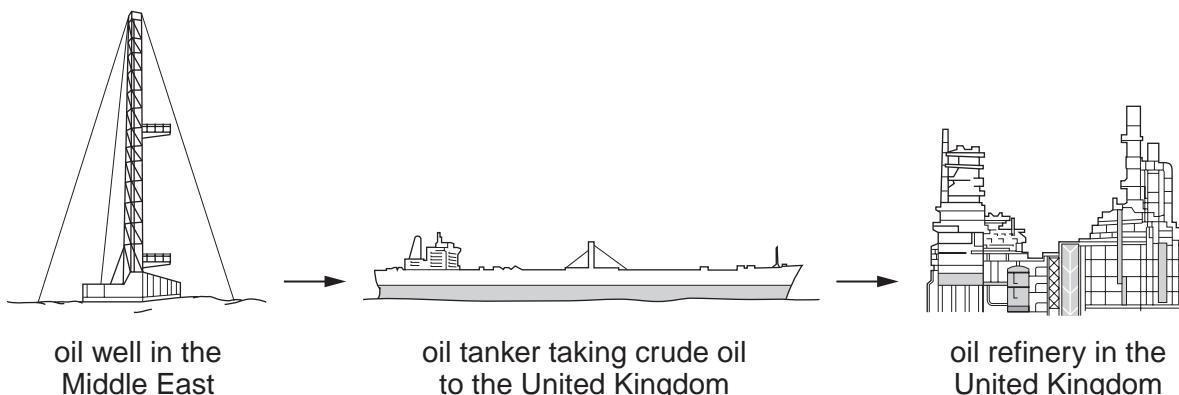
(a) Crude oil is a **non-renewable** fuel.

Explain why.

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[1]

(b) Look at the diagram. It shows how crude oil is transported from an oil well to a refinery.



(i) Crude oil is transported in a ship to oil refineries. Sometimes these ships have accidents and crude oil spills out. These spills make **oil slicks**.

Write about **one** environmental problem of oil slicks.

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.....

[1]

(ii) One of the processes that happens in an oil refinery is **cracking**.

Look at the list of sentences about cracking.

Which sentences about cracking are correct?

Put ticks (✓) in the **two** boxes next to the correct sentences.

Cracking converts small molecules into large molecules.

Cracking needs a catalyst and a high temperature.

Cracking separates crude oil into fractions.

Cracking is used at an oil refinery to make more petrol.

Cracking works because different fractions have different boiling points.

[2]

[Total: 4]

7 Polymers such as **poly(ethene)**, **polystyrene** and **nylon** have many uses.

(a) Lots of polystyrene is used in packaging electrical items.

(i) Write down **one** use of poly(ethene).

..... [1]

(ii) Write down **one** use of nylon.

..... [1]

(b) Getting rid of waste polystyrene is very difficult.

Most councils will not recycle polystyrene and so it goes into our rubbish bins.

Write about the problems of disposing of waste polystyrene.

Include in your answer

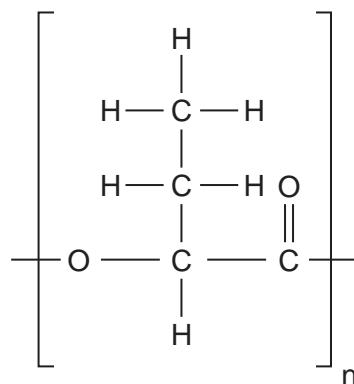
- the ways of getting rid of polystyrene
- the problems of waste polystyrene.

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[3]

(c) Look at the structure of a new polymer.

It is biodegradable.



This polymer is **not** a hydrocarbon.

Explain why.

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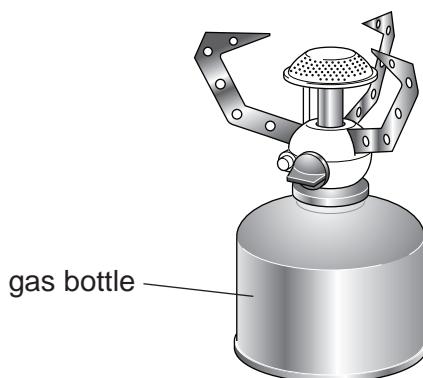
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[Turn over

8 This question is about fuels and combustion.

(a) Look at the diagram of a camping stove.



A fuel is stored in the gas bottle.

Many factors need to be considered when choosing a fuel for this camping stove.

One factor is whether the fuel is expensive or not.

Write down **two** other factors that need to be considered.

1 .....

2 ..... [2]

(b) Some camping stoves use propane,  $C_3H_8$ , as a fuel.

Complete combustion happens when propane burns in lots of air.

Complete combustion of propane makes **two** substances.

Which two substances?

Choose from the list.

**carbon**

**carbon dioxide**

**hydrogen**

**nitrogen**

**oxygen**

**water**

answer ..... and ..... [2]

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(c) Carbon monoxide is made when propane burns in a shortage of air.

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to a problem caused by carbon monoxide.

acid rain

ozone depletion

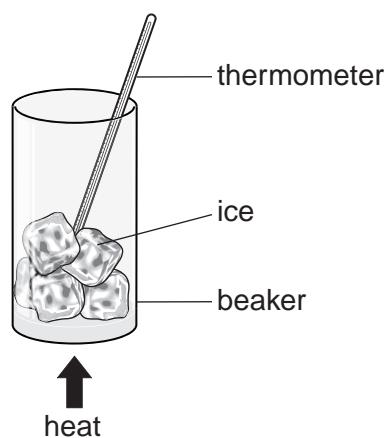
photochemical smog

poisonous to humans

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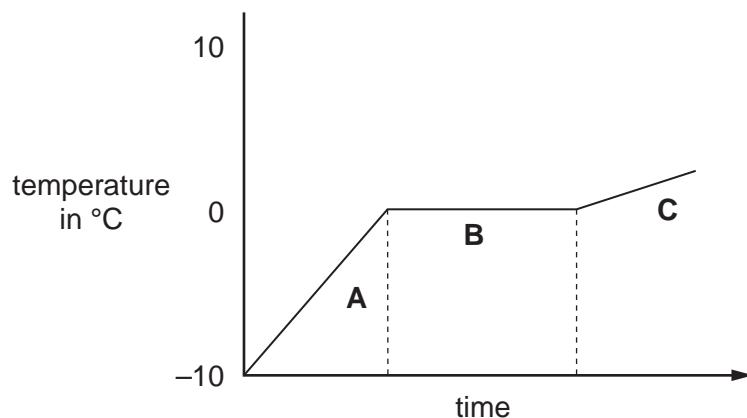
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9 Dave collects some ice from the freezer.



He heats the ice with a Bunsen burner and measures the temperature.

Look at the graph of his results.



(a) (i) When is the temperature rising fastest?

Choose from the list.

A      B      C

.....

[1]

(ii) When is the ice melting?

Choose from the list.

A      B      C

.....

[1]

(b) Look at the energy statements **A**, **B**, **C** and **D** below.

- A** the energy needed to raise the temperature of 1 kg of ice by 1 °C
- B** the energy needed to heat ice
- C** the energy needed to melt 1 kg of ice
- D** the energy needed to cool ice

(i) Which letter describes the **specific latent heat** of ice?

Choose from the list.

**A**      **B**      **C**      **D**

.....

[1]

(ii) Which letter describes the **specific heat capacity** of ice?

Choose from the list.

**A**      **B**      **C**      **D**

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[1]

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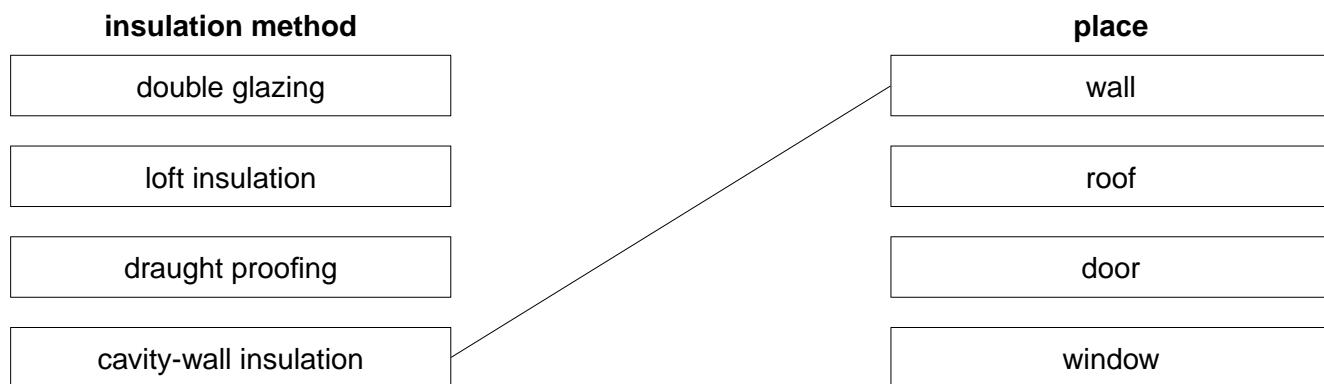
10 Sandra uses different insulation methods to insulate her house.

She fits cavity-wall insulation.

This reduces heat loss through the walls.

(a) Draw straight lines to connect the **insulation method** to the right **place**.

One line has been drawn for you.



[2]

(b) Look at the information about fitting insulation to Sandra's house.

insulation method	cost to fit in £	money saved each year in fuel bills in £	payback time in years
loft insulation	200	100	
double glazing		50	40
shiny foil behind radiators	5	10	0.5

(i) Calculate the payback time for loft insulation.

.....

answer ..... years [1]

(ii) How much did it cost Sandra to fit double glazing?

.....

answer £ ..... [1]

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(iii) Sandra puts **shiny** foil behind her radiators to reduce her fuel bills.

How does the foil reduce her fuel bills?

..... [2]

(iv) Loft insulation and double glazing contain air.

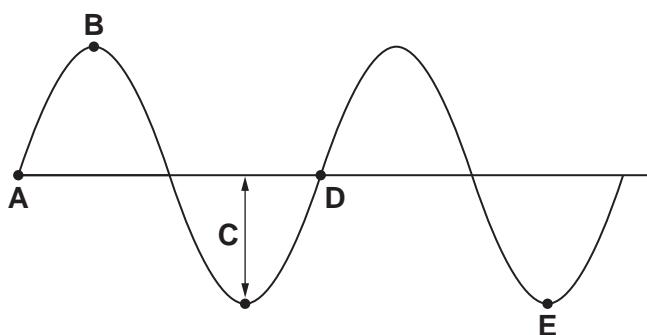
Why is **air** important?

..... [1]

[Total: 7]

11 This question is about waves.

Look at the diagram of a wave.



(a) Complete the sentences about the wave.

Choose from the list.

amplitude      crest      frequency      wavelength

**B** is called the .....

The distance between **A** and **D** is called the .....

**C** is called the .....

[3]

(b) Look at the list of waves.

microwaves

infrared

radio

ultraviolet

(i) Which wave is used in TV remote controls?

Choose from the list.

..... [1]

(ii) Which wave can cause skin cancer?

Choose from the list.

..... [1]

[Total: 5]

12 This question is about communication.

Mobile phones use wireless technology and microwaves.



(a) This **wireless** technology can be useful.

Suggest **two** reasons why.

- 1 .....
- 2 ..... [2]

(b) These **microwave signals** may cause problems.

Suggest **two** problems.

- 1 .....
- 2 ..... [2]

[Total: 4]

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# The Periodic Table of the Elements

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
7 Li lithium 3	9 Be beryllium 4	11 B boron 5	12 C carbon 6	14 N nitrogen 7	16 O oxygen 8	19 F fluorine 9	20 Ne neon 10
23 Na sodium 11	24 Mg magnesium 12	27 Al aluminum 13	28 Si silicon 14	31 P phosphorus 15	32 S sulfur 16	35.5 Cl chlorine 17	40 Ar argon 18
39 K potassium 19	40 Ca calcium 20	45 Sc scandium 21	48 Ti titanium 22	51 V vanadium 23	52 Cr chromium 24	55 Mn manganese 25	56 Fe iron 26
85 Rb rubidium 37	88 Sr strontium 38	93 Nb niobium 41	91 Zr zirconium 40	96 Mo molybdenum 42	[98] Tc technetium 43	101 Ru ruthenium 44	103 Rh rhodium 45
133 Cs caesium 55	137 Ba barium 56	139 La <sup>*</sup> lanthanum 57	178 Hf hafnium 72	181 Ta tantalum 73	184 W tungsten 74	186 Re rhenium 75	190 Os osmium 76
[223] Fr francium 87	[226] Ra radium 88	[227] Ac <sup>*</sup> actinium 89	[261] Rf rutherfordium 104	[262] Db dubnium 105	[266] Sg seaborgium 106	[264] Bh bohrium 107	[268] Mt meitnerium 109
				[277] Hs hassium 108	[271] Ds darmstadtium 110	[272] Rg roentgenium 111	Elements with atomic numbers 112-116 have been reported but not fully authenticated

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## Key

relative atomic mass
atomic symbol
atomic name (proton) number

\* 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.