

Marking Scheme

#1

Question			Marking details	Marks available				Maths	Prac
				AO1	AO2	AO3	Total		
7	(a)		Two × (1) from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Molecules [themselves] occupy negligible volume Molecules exert negligible forces on each other except during collisions or move in straight lines between collisions There is no preferred direction of molecular velocity or [directions of] motion are random or equivalent Collisions are elastic [on average] Collisions take negligible time or equiv, e.g. molecules are hard spheres 	2			2		
	(b)	i	$\rho = \frac{2.2 \times 0.0399 \text{ [kg]}}{0.050 \text{ [m}^3\text{]}}$ or by implication (1) $c_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{3p}{\rho}}$ or by implication (e.g. re-arrangement after data inserted). Mark can be given even if ρ is wrong (1) $c_{\text{rms}} = 654 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (1) Slips in $10^4 \rightarrow -1$; incorrect $N_A \rightarrow 1_{\text{max}}$	1			3	2	
		ii	I $\frac{1}{2} m \overline{c^2} = \frac{3}{2} kT$ used or KE proportional to T or equiv or by imp (1) c_{rms} goes up by [factor of] $\sqrt{2}$. (1) Accept $\sqrt{2} \times 654 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ or 924 m s^{-1}	1		1	2	1	
			II Yes, c_{rms} depends only on temperature, or equivalent		1		1		
			Question 7 total	4	4	0	8	3	0

#2

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(a)	<p>Indicative comments:</p> <p>A: Why the gas exerts a pressure A1 Molecules collide with walls (or by implication). A2 Collisions exert (outward) forces on walls. A3 Molecules undergo changes in momentum [or in velocity or undergo acceleration] when colliding with walls. A4 Newton's third law applied correctly [even if not named] A5 Collisions distributed randomly over wall area. Accept reference to $p = \frac{F}{A}$. A6 Collisions between molecules and walls [on average] elastic</p> <p>B: Why the pressure increases with temperature B1 Mean KE of molecules [or rms speed, or mean speed or mean [magnitude] of momentum] increases with temperature. B2 Hence increases pressure [or force] exerted on walls. B3 On average each collision contributes more to pressure [or exerts greater force or has a greater momentum change] if molecules moving faster. B4 There'll also be more collisions per second if molecules are moving faster.</p> <p>5-6 marks Comprehensive account of why the gas exerts a pressure along with why pressure increases with temperature typically: Typical example A1 + A2 + A3 + (A4 or A5 or A6) B1 + B2 + (B3 or B4) <i>There is a sustained line of reasoning which is coherent, relevant, substantiated and logically structured.</i></p> <p>3-4 marks Either comprehensive account of why the gas exerts a pressure or why pressure increases with temperature or account given of why the gas exerts a pressure and why pressure increases with temperature typically: Typical example A1 + A2 + (A3 or A4 or A5) B1 (but no mention of 'mean' needed) + B2 <i>There is a line of reasoning which is partially coherent, largely relevant, supported by some evidence and with some structure.</i></p> <p>1-2 marks Limited account of why the gas exerts a pressure and/or why pressure increases with temperature typically: Typical example A1, A2 B1 (but no mention of 'mean' needed) Any other point from A3, A4, A5, A6, B2 <i>There is a basic line of reasoning which is not coherent, largely irrelevant, supported by limited evidence and with very little structure.</i></p> <p>0 marks <i>No attempt made or no response worthy of credit.</i></p>	6			6			
(b)	(i)	$\rho = \frac{0.091}{0.020} [= 4.55 \text{ kg m}^{-3}]$ or $Nm = 0.091$ [kg] or by implication (1) $c_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{3 \times 3.9 \times 10^5 \times 0.020}{0.091}}$ or $c_{\text{rms}}^2 = \frac{3 \times 3.9 \times 10^5 \times 0.020}{0.091}$ or by implic (1) [transposed and data inserted or vice versa] 510 m s ⁻¹ (1) Single arithmetical slips, including by a factor of 1 000, attract a 1 mark penalty. An error factor of N_A , (which may arise when $pV = \frac{1}{2} N m c_{\text{rms}}^2$ is misapplied) loses 2 marks (error of principle).		3		3	3	
	(ii)	$n = \frac{91}{28} = [3.25 \text{ mol}]$ or by implication (1) $T = \frac{3.9 \times 10^5 \times 0.020}{3.25 \times 8.31}$ or by implication ecf on n for this mark only (1) = 290 K UNIT (1)		3		3	3	
		Question total	6	6	0	12	6	0

#3

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6	(a)	(i)	ρ correctly calculated ignoring sig figs, units, factors of 10^n [1] $\rho = 8.9 \times 10^3 \text{ [kg m}^{-3}\text{]}$ Accept $\rho = 8.87 \times 10^3 \text{ [kg m}^{-3}\text{]}$ [1] Percentage (or fractional) unc = 0.07[2] (or 7[.2]%) or by implic [1] $\rho = (8.9 \pm 0.6 \text{ [or 0.7]}) \times 10^3 \text{ [kg m}^{-3}\text{]}$ accept $\rho = (8.87 \pm 0.64) \times 10^3 \text{ [kg m}^{-3}\text{]}$ [1]	1					
		(ii)	Division of density by atomic mass even if error in units [1] $8.4 \times 10^{28} \text{ [m}^{-3}\text{]}$ ecf on ρ , no sig fig penalty [1]		1				
	(b)	(i)	I Correct transpos'n at any stage of $pV=nRT$ or $pV=NkT$ [1] Correct insertion of data, including $T = 288 \text{ K}$ in $pV=NkT$ or in $pV=nRT$ giving $n = 42[.2] \text{ [mol]}$ or by implic from N [1] $N = 2.5[4] \times 10^{25} \text{ [m}^{-3}\text{]}$ [1]			3		3	2
			II Gas mainly empty space (between molecules) [but atoms packed/bonded together in solid] [1] Gas molecules are moving about at high speeds [so could be said to take up more space than vibrating atoms in solid] or molecules themselves are of comparable size [1]	1			1	2	
		(ii)	I Correct use of $\frac{1}{2}mc_{\text{rms}}^2 = \frac{1}{2}kT$ or equivalent [1] Convincing algebra [1]	1	1			2	
			II $\frac{c_{\text{rms}} \text{ for nitrogen}}{c_{\text{rms}} \text{ for oxygen}} = 1.07$ or equiv or by implic [1] 7% [1]				2	2	1
Question 6 total				3	9	3	15	6	6

#4

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	(a)	(i)	Mean KE = $\frac{3}{2} \times 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 1500 \text{ [J]}$ or by impl [1] $= 3.11 \times 10^{-20} \text{ [J]}$ [1]	1					
		(ii)	$c_{\text{rms}}^2 = \frac{3.11 \times 10^{-20}}{\frac{1}{2} \times 3.82 \times 10^{-26}}$ [i.e. transposed] or by impl [1] $c_{\text{rms}} = 1275 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ [1]		1			2	1
	(b)	(i)	Any statement that shows knowledge of gas molecules [at a given temp] having a range of speeds [1] 6.40 km s^{-1} is a few [5] times greater than rms speed [1] Molecule could have acquired this speed through a succession of 'lucky' collisions [1]			3		3	
		(ii)	$m \times 6.40 + 0 = m \times 4.39 + m \times v$ or equiv or by impl [1] $v = 2.01 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ to the East [1]		2			2	2
		(iii)	KE before = $7.82 \times 10^{-19} \text{ [J]}$ [1] KE after = $3.68 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} + 0.77 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ [= $4.45 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$] or equivalent (no need to include the $\frac{1}{2}m$ or 10^3) Inelastic as KE [= $3.37 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$] has been lost [1] Alternative Considering relative velocities of approach and separation [1] $6.40 \times 10^3 > 4.39 \times 10^3 - 2.01 \times 10^3$ or equiv [1] Therefore KE lost or inelastic [1]			3		3	2
		(iv)	The molecules exert equal and opp forces on each other	1				1	
		(v)	Photon momentum = $\frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}}{589 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}}$ or by implication [1] $= 1.1 \times 10^{-27} \text{ N s}$ UNIT mark [1] << either molecule's momentum, so insignificant effect [1]				3	3	1
Question total				2	11	3	16	8	0