

Marking Scheme

#1

Question			Marking details	Marks available					
				AO1	AO2	AO3	Total	Maths	Prac
14	(a)	(i)	An energy resource that can be replenished in a relatively short space of time e.g. human life time or equivalent OR An energy resource that can be used for a long period of time (1)	1			1		
		(ii)	Mass of LHS $4 \times 1.00728u + 2 \times 0.00055u = 4.03022$ $\Delta m = 4.03022 - 4.00151 = 0.02871$ [u] (1) $\frac{0.02871}{4.03022} \times 100 = [0.71\%]$ (1)		2		2	2	
		(iii)	Use of $E = mc^2$ i.e. $2 \times 10^{30} \times \frac{0.7}{100} \times (3 \times 10^8)^2 = 1.26 \times 10^{45}$ [J] (1) $t = \frac{E}{P} = \frac{1.26 \times 10^{45}}{3.8 \times 10^{26}} = 3.3 \times 10^{18}$ [s] = 1×10^{11} [years] (1)		2		2	2	
	(b)	(i)	θ used as 10° (1) Manipulation $\rightarrow A = \frac{P}{\mu I \cos \theta} = \frac{150}{0.2 \times 600 \times \cos 10^\circ}$ $= 1.27$ [m ²] (1)		2		2	2	
		(ii)	Award (1) mark for calculation and (1) mark for 'suitable' supporting comment $\frac{3.6 \times 10^4}{1.27} = 28000$ cells \therefore roof has large enough area for recommended no. of cells OR $\frac{4 \times 10^6}{150} = 27000$ cells \therefore power output would be large enough with recommended no. of cells OR $\frac{4 \times 10^6}{27500} = 145$ W \therefore power output of each cell (150 W) would be large enough with recommended no. of cells. N.B. Accept alternative suitable calculations Award (1) mark for 'unsuitable' comment referencing power output affected by other factors e.g. variable cloud cover / daily change in sun's position / seasonal change in sun's position / etc				3	3	1
	(c)	(i)	Increase concentration of U-235 (relative to U-238) (1) U-235 is fissile whereas U-238 is not [and absorbs neutrons] (1)	2			2		
		(ii)	$\sqrt{\frac{352}{349}} = 1.004$ (1) $0.7\% \times 1.004^n = 5\%$ (1) Taking logs to find n to be 492 or 459 if $\sqrt{\frac{352}{349}}$ used (1) [If $0.7\% + 1.004^n = 5\%$ used to give an answer of 365 or 340 award 2 marks out of 3]		3		3	3	
		(iii)	[Gas] centrifuge Accept alternative e.g. Laser isotope/liquid thermal diffusion	1			1		
	(d)	(i)	Allows only positive H ions through it to the cathode meaning negative electrons must travel along external circuit producing power (1) Waste product: Water (1)	2			2		
		(ii)	Electrolysis of water argument dependent on how electrical energy is produced e.g. gas fired power contributes to CO ₂ emissions whereas PV cells do not (1) Reforming fossil fuels releases carbon which could in turn be released into atmosphere as CO ₂ or comment regarding carbon capture (1)			2	2		
Question 14 total				6	9	5	20	10	0

#2

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				AO1	AO2	AO3	Total		
14	(a)	(i)	Object totally or partially immersed in a fluid (accept liquid or gas) is buoyed (accept lifted, upward force, upthrust) by a force equal to the weight of the displaced fluid	1			1		
		(ii)	(i) Volume = $1.5 \times 10^5 \times 2.1 = 3.15 \times 10^5 \text{ km}^3$ and correct conversion of units seen (e.g $3.15 \times 10^{15} \text{ m}^3$) (1) Mass = $920 \times 3.15 \times 10^{15} = 2.9 \times 10^{18} \text{ kg}$ seen (1)		2		2	2	
			(ii) Volume of water produced = $\frac{2.9 \times 10^{18}}{10^3}$ (= $2.9 \times 10^{15} \text{ m}^3$) (1) (accept $3.0 \times 10^{15} \text{ m}^3$ if value given used) Sea level rise = $\frac{2.9 \times 10^{15}}{3.6 \times 10^{14}} = 8.05 \text{ (m)}$ (seen) (or 8.3 if $3.0 \times 10^{15} \text{ kg}$ used) (1)			2	2	2	
	(b)	(i)	Mass of air (per second) = $\rho A u$ (1) Convincing substitution into $\frac{1}{2} \rho u^3$ (1)	2			2		
		(ii)	Doubling blade length will increase power by a factor of 4 (accept 2^2) (1) Doubling speed will increase power by a factor 8 (accept 2^3) (1)		2		2		
		(iii)	Either Correct substitution and power calculated for either input or output power: i.e. input $P = 0.87 \text{ MW}$, Output $P = 0.21 \text{ MW}$ Or $P_{IN} = \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi \times 30^2 \times 1.2 \times (8^3 - 5^3)$ (1) P_{IN} calculated ($0.87 - 0.21 = 0.66$) (1) (ecf for either or both powers). % efficiency = $(\frac{0.66}{0.87}) \times 100 = 75.9\%$ [accept 76%, 0.759 or 0.76](1)			3	3	2	
		(iv)	Friction between moving parts (in the turbine). Don't accept 'heat', 'sound'.			1	1		
	(c)	(i)	All units correctly identified: $\frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t}$: J s^{-1} ; A : m^2 ; $\frac{\Delta \theta}{\Delta t}$: K m^{-1} (1) Correct substitution and convincing algebra (1)	2			2		
		(ii)	Understanding shown that heat flow through both materials is the same (even if substitution below incorrect) (1) Either $\frac{0.06 \times A \times (18 - \theta_B)}{8} = \frac{0.9 \times A \times (4 - \theta_B)}{120}$ (1) Convincing algebra to show $\theta_B = 13 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ (1) Or With $13 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$: Carpet heat flow/ $\text{m}^2 = 37.5 \text{ W m}^{-2}$ or Concrete heat flow / $\text{m}^2 = 37.5 \text{ W m}^{-2}$ (1) Other heat flow shown to be the same, thus confirming (1)	1	1		3	2	
		(iii)	Either carpet: $\frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t} = \frac{0.06 \times 48 \times 5}{0.008}$ [or 48×37.5] or concrete: $\frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t} = \frac{0.9 \times 48 \times 5}{0.12}$ [or 48×37.5] (1) = $1.8 \text{ kW} = 50\%$ \therefore claim verified (1)			2	2	2	
			Question 14 total	6	9	5	20	10	0

#3

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			AO1	AO2	AO3	Total	Maths	Prac
(a)	(i)	$I = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{3.8 \times 10^{26}}{4\pi(1.5 \times 10^{11})^2} = 1\,344 \text{ [W m}^{-2}\text{]} \text{ (1)}$ Solar constant (1)	1	1		2	1	
	(ii)	Use of $P = \sigma AT^4$ (1) Manip and sub to give $T = \sqrt[4]{\frac{P}{\sigma A}} = \sqrt[4]{\frac{1.2 \times 10^{17}}{5.67 \times 10^{-8} \times 4\pi \times (6.4 \times 10^6)^2}} \text{ (1)}$ 253 [K] (answer seen) (1)		3		3	3	
	(iii)	Atmosphere and the greenhouse effect (1) Burning fossils/increased livestock farming increase CO ₂ /methane (1) More IR absorbed (1)		3		3		
(b)	(i)	High enough temperatures to overcome coulomb repulsion (1) High enough particle density to allow high enough collision rate (1) Long enough confinement time [for more output/reactions] (1)	3			3		
	(ii)	$3.5 \times 10^{28} = \frac{2.4 \times 10^{22}}{70} \times T \times 0.9 \text{ (1)}$ $T = 1.13 \times 10^8 \text{ [K]} \text{ (1)}$		2		2	2	
(c)	(i)	[Rate of flow of heat is] 0.030 J s ⁻¹ (or W) through an area of 1 m ² (1) when the temperature gradient is 1 K m ⁻¹ (1) Alternative: (Rate of heat flow is) 0.030 J s ⁻¹ (or W) per unit cross-sectional area (1) per unit temperature gradient (1)	2			2		
	(ii)	Gradients calculated: A = [-]0.25 and B = [-]0.5 [°C/mm] (1) Heat flow per unit area same through both materials so temperature gradient $\propto \frac{1}{k}$ or $k \times \text{temp gradient} = \text{constant}$ (1) Material A has 2x thermal conductivity of material B ∴ suggestion is incorrect (1) Use of B's gradient to find $\frac{P}{A} = 0.030 \times 0.5 \times 10^3 = 15 \text{ W m}^{-2}$ and $U = \frac{P}{A\Delta\theta} = \frac{15}{17}$ or use of thermal resistance (1) $= 0.88 \text{ W m}^{-2}\text{K}^{-1}$ ∴ suggestion is correct or too high as there is no consideration of stationary air layers (1)			5	5	4	
		Question total	6	9	5	20	10	0

#4

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				AO1	AO2	AO3	Total		
(a)	(i)		Use of Wien' law or correct substitution [$\lambda = \frac{0.0029}{288}$] (1) $\lambda = 10.1 \mu\text{m}$ and confirmation statement (1)			2	2	1	
	(ii)		Any 3 ×(1) from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All gases absorb in IR region (or between 1 μm at 20 μm) Methane absorbs strongly at 3 μm and 8 μm / has two peaks CO₂ - Isolated peaks at 2 / 2.5 / 4 and 15 μm CO₂ - Complete 'blockout' between 5 and 8 μm H₂O - Numerous peaks between 1 and 10 μm General comparison with no numerical data award max of 1 mark			3	3		
	(iii)		Any 2 ×(1) from: CO ₂ – Burning fossil fuels or deforestation (answer must imply increase as consequence of human activity e.g. more cars etc) CH ₄ – Increased agriculture or melting permafrost H ₂ O – Melting ice caps (or global warming – more evaporation)	2			2		
(b)	(i)		Correct attempt (without efficiency) at $mg\Delta h = 120 \times 10^6$ (1) Correct use of efficiency e.g. $m = \frac{120 \times 10^6}{0.85 \times 9.81 \times 420}$ (1) $m = 3.4 \times 10^4$ [kg s ⁻¹] (1)	1		1			
	(ii)		$t = \frac{E}{P}$ i.e. $\frac{240 \times 10^9}{365 \times 120 \times 10^6}$ or $t = 2000$ hrs /yr seen (1) $t = 5.5$ hrs per day (1)	1		1			
	(iii)		Limited by amount of water available in upper lake / time taken to pump water up	1			1		
(c)	(i)		$\frac{Q}{t} = 1.6 \times (16.12 - 4) \times 8 + 154$ (1) $\frac{Q}{t} = 309.14$ [W] (1)			2			
	(ii)	I	$154 = \frac{(0.8 \times 4 \times \Delta\theta)}{6 \times 10^{-3}}$ (1) $\Delta\theta = 0.29$ [°C] seen (1)			2			
		II	Inside air/glass boundary temp calculated to be = 16.15 °C or outside glass/air boundary temp to be 15.85 °C or $\Delta\theta$ for air = 3.85 °C (1) Correct use of thermal conduction equation to show thickness of air = 2.6 [mm] e.g. $154 = \frac{(4 \times 0.026 \times (20 - 16.5))}{x}$ (1) Alternative: $\Delta\theta$ across total air layers = (20 – 8 – 0.3) °C [= 7.7 °C] (1) Correct use of thermal conduction equation e.g. $154 = \frac{(4 \times 0.026 \times 7.7)}{2x}$ (1)			2			
		III	Rate of heat loss would increase due to removal of insulating (air) layer(s) (or $\Delta\theta$ for glass greater without air layers / greater temperature gradient). Accept appropriate calculation.	1			1		
			Question total	6	9	5	20	10	0