KCSE CLUSTER TESTS 11

Physics Paper 2

SECTION A (25 Marks)

1.



1 marks

2.

-Waves of the same amplitude frequency traveling along the same direction. $\!\!\sqrt{1}$ Or Waves from two coherent sources.

1 marks 3.

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a) Cathode :Zinc \sqrt{1} Anode :Copper \sqrt{1}

b) i) Polarization. ii) Local action.

4 marks

4.

90 - 28=62°

2 marks

5.

Let the angle be x

\frac{360}{x} - 1 = 7\sqrt{1};

\frac{360^{\circ}}{x} = 8\sqrt{1};

8 \times 360^{\circ}

X = 45^{\circ}\sqrt{1};

2 marks

6.

R_{*} = \frac{2}{3} + 2 = 3\Omega;
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$$I = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{3}{3};$$
$$= LA$$

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7. Total power consumed = $3kw + 75w \times 5$ = 3000 + 375= 3.375kw, 1 day = 24 hrs Power used in 1 day = 3.375×24 = 81kwh; 1kwh = 80cts $81kwh = \frac{81 \times 80}{100}$ Sh6480 = 64.803 marks

8.

P.D across PQ=150v $Q_{T} = 1.8 \times 10^{-4}C$ $C_{T} \quad \frac{Q_{T}}{V_{T}} = \frac{1.8 \times 10^{-4}}{150}$ $= 1.2\mu F;$ $\frac{1}{C_{T}} = \frac{1}{C_{1}} + \frac{1}{C_{2}} \Longrightarrow C_{T} = \frac{C_{1}C_{2}}{C_{1} + C_{2}};$ $1.2 \times 10^{-6} = \frac{2 \times 10^{-6} \times C_{2}}{2 \times 10^{-6} + C_{2}};$ $1.2 \times 10^{-6} (2 \times 10^{-6} + C_{2}) = 2 \times 10^{-6} \times C_{2}$ $2.4 \times 10^{-12} + 1.2 \times 10^{-6}C_{2} = 2 \times 10^{-6}C_{2}$ $2 \times 10^{-6}C_{2} - 1.2 \times 10^{-6}C_{2} = 2.4 \times 10^{-12}$ $0.8C_{2} \times 10^{-6} = 2.4 \times 10^{-12}$ $C_{2} = \frac{2.4 \times 10^{-12}}{0.8 \times 10^{-6}}$ $C_{2} = 3 \times 10^{-6}F$ $= 3\mu F;$

3 marks

9.

-Biconvex lenses.

-Because the grandfather is having long sightedness eye defect.

2 marks

10.

When there is a fault in an appliance, the earth wire provides a route for charges and large current flows hence the fuse blows. This prevents the metallic part of appliance from being live.

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Apparatus is arranged as shown with distance between lens and the object being greater than focal length. Position of the lens is adjusted until a sharp image of the object is formed beside the object; Distance between the lens and the object is then measured and is the focal length of the lens;

3 marks

1 marks

12.

For plane mirror same size as object for a concave mirror image is magnified 1 marks



ii) I- Increases in size to accommodate more light; II-Increases the amount of light entering the eye; iii)

Part of eye	Description
Retina Q	Sensitive to light
Optical nerve R	Carries signal to brain
Cilliary muscle S	Alters the size of the pupil.

iv) <u>Relaxation of the cilliary muscles.</u> Enables the lens to increase <u>its focal length, hence focus</u> <u>a distant</u> object;

-Contraction on the other hand reduce the tension in the lens, making it have a shorter focal length, thus focusing near objects.

13 marks

14.

a) i) When the switch is closed current flows through the coil causing a magnet field; that repels the magnet towards the chime bar. The end of the coli adjacent to the sound pole of the bar magnet acquires a South Pole;

ii) He should increase the number of turns in the coil;

-Use a dc source of higher voltage to increase current, -Introduce a soft iron core in the coil (any 2)

iii) Electrical energy - magnetic;

Potential energy - sound energy.

b) i)



Field outside;

Field inside:

ii) Resistance in the circuit increases;

iii) The current reduces;

iv) Becomes less stronger:

c)

i) There must be a change in the magnet flux of the primary coil linked to the secondary coil; with D-C voltage there will be change in the flux linked to the secondary coil hence No induced Emf in it;

ii) Step up the voltage to higher values for transmission which minimizes power loss;

-Step down the higher voltage required by the consumers;

13 marks

15.

a) i) The energy of the election is despated at the lamp wire due to its resistance as heat; -Which the wire get red hot and the white hot it gives out light and heat energy;
$$\begin{split} E &= I^2 R t; \\ E &= V t; \\ &= 12 \times 3 \times 20; \\ &= 720 J; \end{split}$$

b) i) The resistance of the wire increase in current and hence the potential difference across it;The wire becomes hotter increasing the opposition to the flow of current;

-The wire is a non ohmic conductor (doesn't obey ohms law)

ii) I: Resistance doubles; since Resistance α length;

II - The resistance reduces to¼ the original value

Resistance
$$= \frac{\rho L}{A}$$

But $A = \pi \left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^2$
10 marks
16.
16.a) $\frac{1}{R_T} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{2+2+1}{4} = \frac{5}{4}$
i) $R_T = \frac{4}{5} = 0.8\Omega$
 $R_{T12} = RT_1 + R_2$
 $= 0.8 + 3$
 $= 3.8\Omega$
 $RT_3 = \frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{5+1}{5} = \frac{6}{5}$
 $R_{T3} = \frac{5}{6} = 0.83\Omega$
 $R_T = RII_2 + R_{13}$
 $= 3.8 + 0.83$
 $= 4.63\Omega$
ii) $I = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{10}{4.63} = 2.1A$ Ratio 1:5
 I thro $5\Omega = \frac{1}{6} \times 2.16$ 5 Ω takes the smallest ratio
 $0.36A$
b) i) $I = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{20}{50} = 0.4A$
ii) $Q = 1t$ $n = \frac{Q}{R}$
 $= 0.4 \times 1 = \frac{0.4}{1.6 \times 10^{-9}}$
 $= 0.4c = 2.5 \times 10^{18}$ electrons

10 marks

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b) Pattern of field; Direction of field;

Direction of force;



c) i) When the push button switch is pushed on, current flow; the soft iron core is Soft iron core (magnetized) attract, the soft iron armature and the hammer hits the gong; Meanwhile the contact is broken stopping current flow. The core demagnetized releases the armature and the hammer goes back; The process is repeated again;

ii) If the armature is made of steel; the hammer hits the gong and remains there/the bell rings once; this is because steel acquires permanent magnetism;

iii) The soft iron core should be U -shaped;

9 marks