

Answers to 2017 O level Science Physics 5076/5077 Paper 1

Question	Answer	Explanation
1	C	Average speed = Total distance / Total time $= 120/(90/60)$ $= 80 \text{ km/h}$
2	C	Distance = Area under the graph (trapezium) $= \frac{1}{2} \times (40+80) \times (3/60)$ $= 3\text{km}$
3	C	Air resistance opposes motion.
4	B	Volume = Mass/Density $= 4/2$ $= 2\text{cm}^3$ Volume of water = $4.6 - 2 = 2.6\text{cm}^3$
5	A	Unstable objects tend to have smaller base area and higher centre of gravity.
6	D	At equilibrium, anticlockwise moment = clockwise moment. Moment = Force x Perpendicular distance from pivot
7	A	$P = F/A$ Since $F = \text{weight} = \text{constant}$, increasing A will decrease P .
8	D	According to Law of Conservation of Energy, Kinetic Energy at X = GPE at highest point

9	C	KE is directly proportional to temperature.
10	C	During solidification, temperature remains constant.
11	D	Definition.
12	A	Fact
13	B	Fact
14	B	The particles in solid are closer to each other.
15	A	$2d = \text{speed} \times \text{time}$ $= 1500 \times 0.24$ $= 360\text{m}$ $d = 180\text{m}$
16	B	Fact
17	D	$Q = It$ $= 3 \times (5 \times 60 \times 60)$ $= 54\ 000\text{C}$
18	B	$V = IR$ $= 3 \times 3$ $= 9\text{V}$ In parallel circuit, voltage remains constant. Hence, e.m.f. = 9V too. $\text{Total Resistance} = [(1/3) + (1/6)]^{-1}$ $= 2\Omega$ $I_t = V/R$ $= 9/2$ $= 4.5\text{A}$



19	A	Fuse is a safety device which melts when there is excessive current.
20	B	According to Fleming's Left-Hand Rule, direction of force, direction of magnetic field and direction of current flow are perpendicular to each other.