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PHYSICS PP2 MARKING SCHEME FORM 3



All the angles must be indicated

- Eight dry cells in series have a very high internal resistance ✓1 hence very little current can be drawn from them ✓1
- 3. The flame ionizes air producing both positive and negative ions $\checkmark 1$. The ions opposite to the charge of the electroscope are attracted to the cap of the electroscope causing discharge $\checkmark 1$.
- 4. (a) X Violet Give 1mk if the two
 Y Red Give are correct
 (b) Velocity √1
- 5. Light waves have very short wavelength. $\checkmark 1$
- **6.** Length of the conductor. $\checkmark 1$
 - Cross section area of the conductors $\checkmark 1$
- 7. a)Is a device used for storing charge
 - b) C=E₀A/d
 - $= 8.85^{*}10^{-12}^{*}4^{*}10^{-4}/6^{*}10^{-4}$
 - $= 5.9 * 10^{-12}$
 - =5.90pF

$$\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{V}$$

$$= 5.9*10^{-10}$$
C

8.
$$Q = It$$

 $= 0.8 \ge 6 \ge 600 \le 1$

 $\therefore \mathbf{Q} = \underline{\mathbf{288C}} \quad \checkmark^{\mathbf{1}}$

(Units must be shown)

9. .



12. i) Soft iron \checkmark 1 since it is easily magnetized and

Increasing the amount of current $\checkmark 1$ ii)

- Increasing the number of turns on the $coil \checkmark 1$
- 13,. a) i) it requires a medium for transmission. $\checkmark 1$
 - ii) It is propagated as a series of alternating compressions (High pressure zones) and rarefactions (Low pressure zones) $\checkmark 10R$ The direction of the wave travel is parallel to the disturbance that produces it $\checkmark 1$ (Any

one)

To evacuate the bell jar $\checkmark 1 \text{ OR}$ b) i) To pump air in and out of the bell jar $\checkmark 1$ (Any one)

- ii) The electric bell starts ringing but its sound as heard from outside the bell jar reduces in intensity and diminishes. ✓1 This is because as the air is pumped out, the density of air in the bell jar reduces. ✓1 As this continues a vacuum is created in the bell jar which cannot transmit sound ✓1 hence the sound get diminished
- iii) It is not possible to create vacuum in the bell jar $\checkmark 1$
 - Some sound is transmitted through the connecting wires and the walls of the bell jar. $\checkmark 1$
 - c) i) It penetrates deepest. $\checkmark 1$
 - It can be reflected easily by tiny grains. $\checkmark 1$
- ii) $S = \frac{D}{T} \Longrightarrow D = 84 \text{ x } 2 = 164 \text{ m}$

$$S = \frac{100}{0.12} \checkmark 1 = 1400 \text{ m/s} \checkmark 1$$

d) -Temperature of the solid $\sqrt{}$

-Density of the solid $\sqrt{}$

14 a) i) Double stroke method. $\checkmark 1$

- ii) A South pole \checkmark 1
 - **B** North pole $\checkmark 1$

- Mechanical method Hammering ✓1
- Electrical method. ✓1

(Any one)

b) i) Alternating current (a.c)

ii) It reverses many times per second, $\checkmark 1$ disorienting the magnetic dipoles. $\checkmark 1$

c) So that they don't retain any magnetism $\checkmark 1$ due to earth's magnetic field. $\checkmark 1$

15. a(i) For a concave mirror ,is the point at which all rays parallel and close to the principal axis converge after reflection. For convex is the point at which all rays parallel and close to the principal axis appear to diverge from after reflection by the mirror

(ii) Is the centre of the sphere of which the mirror is part

iii) - Induction method. $\checkmark 1$



(iii) Is a plane perpendicular to the principal axis and passes through the principal focus



V 14.29 20 = 0.07 - 0.05= 0.02 V = <u>1</u> 0.02 = 50cm 16. (a) (i) = V = IR \Rightarrow R = $\frac{V}{I}$ $=\frac{12}{2}\checkmark$ =6Ω**√** (ii) Y, Z are parallel $\frac{1}{R_P} = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6}$ $\Rightarrow P_P = 3\Omega \checkmark$ X in series with P_P $\Rightarrow R_T = (6+3)$ =9Ω **√** (iii) I = $\frac{V}{R}$ \checkmark $=\frac{12}{9}$ = 1.333A ✓ (iv) √ **√** (b) (i) **L**..... (ii) Terminal volt e = 1.3V(iii) $R = \frac{V}{I}$ $=\frac{1.3}{0.5}$ $= 2.6 \Omega$



c) -Determining the speed of sound in air $\!\!\sqrt{1}$

-Determining distances using pulse echo-technique $\sqrt{1}$