

① Q1 Hunky Dory (1971)

$$\text{Q2a) } g = \frac{GM}{r^2} \quad \therefore r = \sqrt{\frac{GM}{g}} = \sqrt{\frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23}}{3.7}}$$

$$r = 3.40 \times 10^6 \text{ m} = 3400 \text{ km}$$

$$\text{b) } V_{\text{grav}} = \frac{-GM}{r} = \frac{-6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23}}{3390 \times 10^3}$$
$$= -1.26 \times 10^7 \text{ J kg}^{-1}$$

$$\text{c) } E_{\text{grav}} = \frac{-GMm}{r}$$

$$\text{at surface } E_{\text{grav}} = \frac{-6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23} \times 2500}{3390 \times 10^3}$$
$$= -3.15 \times 10^{10} \text{ J}$$

$$\text{in orbit } E_{\text{grav}} = \frac{-6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23} \times 2500}{(3390 \times 10^3 + 280 \times 10^3)}$$
$$= -2.91 \times 10^{10} \text{ J}$$

$$\Delta E = -2.91 \times 10^{10} - -3.15 \times 10^{10} = \underline{2.4 \times 10^9 \text{ J}}$$

(2) Q2 d) $\frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{GMm}{r^2}$

$$\therefore v^2 = \frac{GM}{r} \quad \& \quad v = \sqrt{\frac{GM}{r}}$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23}}{3390 \times 10^3 + 280 \times 10^3}} = 3411 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

$$E_K = \frac{mv^2}{2} = \frac{2500 \times 3411^2}{2} = \underline{1.45 \times 10^{10} \text{ J}}$$

e) $E_{\text{TOTAL}} = 2.4 \times 10^9 + 1.45 \times 10^{10} = \underline{1.69 \times 10^{10} \text{ J}}$

$$\% \text{ Kinetic} = \frac{1.45 \times 10^{10}}{1.69 \times 10^{10}} \times 100 = \underline{86 \%}$$

$$\% \text{ gravitational} = 100 - 86 = \underline{14 \%}$$

$$③ T = 24 \times 3600 + 40 \times 60 = \underline{88800 \text{ s}}$$

$$\text{Q2 f)} \quad \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{GMm}{r^2} \quad \therefore v^2 = \frac{GM}{r}$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi r}{v} \quad \therefore v^2 = \left(\frac{2\pi r}{T}\right)^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{GM}{r} = \frac{4\pi^2 r^2}{T^2} \quad \therefore r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{GMT^2}{4\pi^2}}$$

$$r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23} \times 88800^2}{4\pi^2}}$$

$$r = 2.043 \times 10^7 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Altitude} = r - \text{radius of Mars}$$

$$= 2.043 \times 10^7 - 3390 \times 10^3$$

$$= 1.70 \times 10^7 \text{ m} = \underline{17000 \text{ km}}$$

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Q3 a) Width of image = 22.0cm (on screen)
Width of Mars in image 16.5cm

$$\text{Fraction of Mars in image} = \frac{16.5}{22} = \underline{0.75}$$

$$\therefore \text{Number of pixels across Mars} = 0.75 \times 500 \\ = 375 \text{ pixels}$$

$$\text{Resolution (size that 1 pixel represents)} = \frac{3390 \times 10^3}{375} \\ = 9040 \text{ m} = \underline{9 \text{ km pixel}^{-1}}$$

It should be double this - 18 km/pixel I used the radius when I should have used the diameter!

b) $500 \times 500 \times 24 = 6 \times 10^6 \text{ bits}$

$$= 6 \times 10^6 / 8 = 7.5 \times 10^5 \text{ bytes}$$

$$= \underline{750 \text{ kBytes or } 0.75 \text{ MBytes}}$$

c) Number of alternatives = $2^{24} = \underline{16777216}$

d) $6 \times 10^6 / 2.5 \times 60 = 4 \times 10^4 \text{ bits s}^{-1}$

$$= \underline{5 \text{ kByte s}^{-1}}$$

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Q3 e)

- i) Increasing brightness could make it easier to see detail in dark areas of the image
- ii) Increasing contrast could make it easier to see detail in uniform areas in the image where there is little variation in colour or brightness
- iii) Noise reduction can remove any anomalous bright or dark spots making the image look smoother - but some detail may be lost.
- iv) Edge detection will highlight places in the image where there is a sharp transition from one pixel value to another. For example where one type of surface changes to another at a boundary.
- v) False colour could, like a contrast increase, highlight detail in areas of the image that seem to have little detail or variation in colour or shade.

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$$\text{Q4 a) } T^2 \propto r^3$$

$$\therefore T \propto \sqrt{r^3}$$

Radius increases by factor of $\frac{2.3 \times 10^{11}}{1.5 \times 10^{11}} = 1.53$

$\therefore T$ will increase by factor of $\sqrt{1.53^3} = 1.89$

$\therefore \text{Period} = 365.25 \times 1.89 = \underline{\underline{690 \text{ Earth days}}}$

$$\text{b) i) } V = \frac{2\pi r}{T} = \frac{2\pi \times 2.3 \times 10^{11}}{687 \times 24 \times 3600} = \underline{\underline{2.4 \times 10^4 \text{ ms}^{-1}}}$$

$$\text{ii) } a = \frac{V^2}{r} = \frac{(2.4 \times 10^4)^2}{2.3 \times 10^{11}} = \underline{\underline{2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ ms}^{-2}}}$$

$$\text{c) Min distance } \textcircled{S} \text{ } \textcircled{E} \text{ } \textcircled{M} = 2.3 \times 10^{11} - 1.5 \times 10^{11} \\ = \underline{\underline{8 \times 10^{10} \text{ m}}}$$

$$\text{Time} = \frac{2 \times \text{dist}}{C} = \frac{2 \times 8 \times 10^{10}}{3 \times 10^8} = \underline{\underline{530 \text{ s}}} (8.9 \text{ min})$$

$$\text{Max distance } \textcircled{M} \text{ } \textcircled{S} \text{ } \textcircled{E} = 2.3 \times 10^{11} + 1.5 \times 10^{11} \\ = \underline{\underline{3.8 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}}}$$

$$\text{Time} = \frac{2 \times \text{dist}}{C} = \frac{2 \times 3.8 \times 10^{11}}{3 \times 10^8} = \underline{\underline{2500 \text{ s}}} (42 \text{ min})$$

$$5 \text{ a) } pV = \frac{1}{3} N m \bar{c^2} \quad \& \quad pV = nRT = NkT$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{3} N m \bar{c^2} = NkT$$

$$\therefore \bar{c^2} = \frac{3kT}{m}$$

$$C_{rms} = \sqrt{\bar{c^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{3kT}{m}}$$

$$\text{b) i) Mass of CO}_2 \text{ molecule} = \frac{4.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg mol}^{-1}}{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}$$
$$= 7.31 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$$

$$C_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3 \times 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 210}{7.31 \times 10^{-26}}} = \underline{345 \text{ ms}^{-1}}$$

$$\text{ii) Mass of N}_2 \text{ molecule} = \frac{2.8 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg mol}^{-1}}{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}$$

$$= 4.65 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$$

$$C_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3 \times 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 210}{4.65 \times 10^{-26}}} = \underline{432 \text{ ms}^{-1}}$$

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$$5c) E_K = E_{\text{grav}}$$

$$\frac{mv^2}{2} = \frac{GMm}{r} \quad \therefore v^2 = \frac{2GM}{r}$$

$$V_{\text{esc}} = \sqrt{\frac{2GM}{r}}$$

$$d) V_{\text{esc}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23}}{3390 \times 10^3}}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{5020 \text{ ms}^{-1}}}$$

e) At 210 K the root mean square speed of both CO_2 and N_2 is much less than the escape velocity. However this is a mean speed and some molecules are likely to exceed the escape velocity. It is more probable for N_2 as its Crms is higher. This could be why Mars has an atmosphere of CO_2 and not N_2 .

$$\text{N}_2 = \frac{432}{5020} \times 100 = 8.6\% \text{ of escape velocity}$$

$$\text{CO}_2 = \frac{345}{5020} \times 100 = 6.9\% \text{ of escape velocity}$$

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$$Q6 \text{ a) Energy to escape} = -E_{\text{grav}} = \frac{GMm}{r}$$

$$\text{For } CO_2 \quad m = \frac{4.4 \times 10^{-2}}{6.02 \times 10^{23}} = 7.31 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$$

$$E_{\text{esc}} = \frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23} \times 7.31 \times 10^{-26}}{3390 \times 10^3}$$

$$= \underline{9.20 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}$$

$$\text{For } N_2 \quad m = \frac{2.8 \times 10^{-2}}{6.02 \times 10^{23}} = 4.65 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$$

$$E_{\text{esc}} = \frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 6.4 \times 10^{23} \times 4.65 \times 10^{-26}}{3390 \times 10^3}$$

$$= \underline{5.85 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}$$

$$e^{-E/kT}$$

$$\text{Fraction for } CO_2 = e^{-9.2 \times 10^{-19} / 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 210}$$

$$= \underline{e^{-317}}$$

$$\text{Fraction for } N_2 = e^{-5.85 \times 10^{-19} / 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 210}$$

$$= \underline{e^{-201}}$$

$$\text{Ratio} = \frac{e^{201}}{e^{-317}} = e^{-201 - -317} = e^{116}$$

$$= \underline{2.4 \times 10^{50}}$$

N_2 molecules are 10^{50} times more likely to escape Mars - so no N_2 on Mars.

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Q6 b) Close to the surface $\Delta E_{\text{grav}} = mg\Delta h$

or $E_{\text{grav}} = mgh$ for short.

Fraction of molecules with energy $E = e^{-E/kT}$

$\therefore \text{Fraction} = e^{-mgh/kT}$
at height, h

since $pV = NkT$ $p \propto N$ (number of molecules)

$$\therefore p = p_0 e^{-mgh/kT}$$

$$c) p = 0.6 \times 10^3 \times e^{\left(\frac{-7.31 \times 10^{-26} \times 3.7 \times 22 \times 10^3}{1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 210} \right)}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{77 \text{ Pa}}}$$

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$$Q7 \quad a) \quad \text{Risk} = 20 \times 10^{-3} \times 3\% = \underline{\underline{0.06\%}}$$

$$b) \quad \text{Dose} = 80 \times 10^{-3} \times 20 = 1.6 \text{ Sv}$$

$$\text{Risk} = 1.6 \times 3\% = 4.8\%$$

$$4.8\% \times 500 = \underline{\underline{24}}$$

$$Q8 \quad a) \quad E_K = \frac{mv^2}{2} \quad \therefore \quad v = \sqrt{\frac{2E_K}{m}}$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 10 \times 10^3 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{1.673 \times 10^{-27}}} = \underline{\underline{1.38 \times 10^6 \text{ ms}^{-1}}}$$

$$b) \quad \text{Angle} = \tan^{-1}(1/320) = \underline{\underline{0.179^\circ}}$$

$$\text{OR} \approx \underline{\underline{1/320 \text{ radians}}}$$

$$c) \quad F = qvB \quad \& \quad F = mv^2/r$$

$$\therefore qvB = mv^2/r \quad \therefore r = \frac{mv}{qvB}$$

$$r = \frac{1.673 \times 10^{-27} \times 1.38 \times 10^6}{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 2.0 \times 10^{-6}} = 7.2 \times 10^3 \text{ m}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\text{arc}}{\text{rad}} = \therefore \text{arc} = \theta \times \text{rad}$$

$$= 1/320 \times 7.2 \times 10^3 = \underline{\underline{22.5 \text{ m}}}$$