Oxford A Level Sciences

OCR Physics B

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Question	Answer	Marks
1	A	1
2	Energy of a photon of light of wavelength 400 nm	
	$= \frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js} \times 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}}{10^{-34} \text{ Js} \times 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}}$	
	$=\frac{400 \times 10^9 \text{ m}}{400 \times 10^9 \text{ m}}$	1
	$= 4.95 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$	1
	Number of photons emitted per second = energy emitted per	
	second/energy per photon = 18×10^{-3} J/ 4.95×10^{-19} J (1) = 3.6×10^{16}	
	photons. Number of photons emitted per second = energy emitted per	1
	second/energy per photon	
	$= \frac{18 \times 10^{-3} \text{ J}}{10^{-3} \text{ J}}$	
	$=\frac{1}{4.95 \times 10^{-19}}$ J	
	$= 3.6 \times 10^{16}$ photons	
3	Momentum of electron = $\sqrt{2 m E_k}$	
	womentum of electron – $\sqrt{2mE_k}$	
	= $(2 \times 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \times 1.6 \times 10^3 \text{ eV} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})^{\frac{1}{2}}$	4
	$= 2.159 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$	1
	De Proglie wavelength = $6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$	
	De Broglie wavelength = $\frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}}{2.159 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}}$	
	$= 3.11 \times 10^{-11} \mathrm{m}$	1
4	Energy required to release electron in J = $3.7 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ J	1
	<i>k.e.</i> _{max} = $\frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js} \times 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}}{170 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} - 3.7 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$	4
	$= 5.7 \times 10^{-19} \mathrm{J}$	1
5	6.6×10^{-34} Js 24.24	
	Momentum of electron = $\frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}}{6.6 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}} = 1.0 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$	1
	Velocity of electron = $\frac{1.0 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}}$	1
	$= 1.1 \times 10^6 \text{ m s}^{-1}$	
6.0		1
6 a	Phase difference of 2π radians corresponds to one wavelength path	
	difference, therefore, a path difference of $\frac{\lambda}{3}$ will correspond to a phase	
	3	
	difference of $\frac{2\pi}{3}$.	1
6 b	Resultant forms an equilateral triangle.	1
	Length of resultant = length of each individual phasor arrow	1
6 c	Length of resultant arrow at $P_2 = 2 \times \text{length of individual phasor arrow.}$	1
6 d	Ratio of lengths = 2	1
J U	Ratio = $\frac{1^2}{2^2}$	1
	2^{2} = 0.25	
		1
6 e	Three phasors form equilateral triangle. No resultant phasor.	1
	This model gives a zero probability for a photon arriving at P_1 when the	
	three slits are open.	1

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7 a	When the intensity of the light incident on the surface is doubled the	
	number of electrons released per second will also double;	1
	as twice as many photons are striking the surface each second.	1
	As the energy of each individual photon is unchanged,	1
	the ejected photoelectrons will have the same maximum kinetic energy.	1
7 b	$0.2 \text{ eV} = 4.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz} \times h - \Phi$	
	$1.4 \text{ eV} = 7.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz} \times h - \Phi$	1
	4.5×10^{14} Hz × h – 0.2 eV = 7.5 × 10 ¹⁴ Hz × h – 1.2 eV	1
	3.0×10^{14} Hz × h = $1.2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ J	1
	$h = 6.4 \times 10^{-34} \mathrm{Js}$	1
7 c	Using calculated value for <i>h</i> :	
-	Work function = $2.56 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$	1
	Frequency = $\frac{2.56 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{6.4 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}}$ = 4.0 × 10 ¹⁴ Hz	1
	0.1410 00	
	(Using 6.6 × 10^{-34} gives the same value to 2 s.f.)	
8 a i	All in phase	1
8 a ii	3 A	1
oun		•
8 b i	One phasor rotation corresponds to λ .	1
	100° $1/2$ m by the function h	
	$120^{\circ} = 1/3$ rotation for extra $\frac{\lambda}{3}$	1
8 b ii	(Arrows correctly drawn in circles;	1
0.0.11	three arrows add tip-to-tail to give zero resultant.	•
8 b iii	1/	1
	$\sin\theta = \frac{\Delta x}{b_3 \times 1} = \frac{\frac{\lambda}{3}}{b_3} = \frac{\lambda}{b} \operatorname{so} \lambda = b \sin\theta$	
	$b_{0} = b_{0} = b_{0$	
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8 C	$\sin\theta = \frac{\lambda}{b} = \frac{2.4 \text{ cm}}{6.0 \text{ cm}} = 0.40$	
	b^{-} 6.0 cm b^{-} 6.0 cm	1
	$\theta = 24^{\circ}$ (2 s.f.)	
		1