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question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	centre of X at the point where the axes cross	to within 1 mm in any direction	1
(b)(i)	(at / in the) centre (of the tyre)	or unambiguously shown on the diagram	1
(ii)	(this is) where axes of symmetry (of the tyre) cross / intersect / meet	or point at which the mass of the tyre seems to be (concentrated)	1
total			3

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	I correct	only credit if unambiguously correct	1
	r correct	Angle of reflection ously correct	1
(ii)	(the) normal	do not credit 'perpendicular' / 'vertical'	1
(b)	both lines correctly connected one line correctly connected gains 1 mark	if two lines from any in list A to any in list B then both incorrect	2
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	tension	accept any unambiguous method of indication eg it's underlined or ticked	1
(b)(i)	speed of the ball is increased		1
(b)(ii)	the direction of the ball		1
(c)	centripetal	accept any unambiguous method of indication eg it's underlined or ticked	1
total			4

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	more than	accept any clear indication eg the other two lines crossed out	1
(ii)	less than	accept any clear indication eg the other two lines crossed out	1
(b)	 any two from: above the equator takes / period of 24 hours (remains) above the same point 	or 'rotates with the Earth' do not credit 'stays in the same place' but accept 'appears to stay in the same place' do not credit just 'one like satellite X's'	2
(c)	<u>low</u> polar		1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	Venus	accept Mercury	1
(b)	any negative number or range in the range -75 to -150 inclusive	do not credit any positive number or positive range	1
(c)	either increases increases or decreases decreases	both required for the mark	1
(d)	Today's about Mars.	accept any unambiguous method of indication for the correct answer eg it's underlined or ticked	1
total			4

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	increase the current (1)	credit increase the p.d./voltage credit reduce the resistance credit have thicker wiring credit add extra / more cells	1
	increase the magnetic field (strength) (1)	<pre>credit 'have stronger magnet(s) do not credit 'bigger magnets'</pre>	1
		either order	
(b)	either reverse polarity or connect the battery the other way round		1
	either reverse direction of the magnetic field or		1
	put the magnet the other way round / reverse the magnet	do not give any credit to a response in which both are done at the same time	
		either order	
(c)	either		1
	conductor parallel to the magnetic field		
	or lines of magnetic force and path of electricity do not cross		
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	converging		1
	or		
	convex		
(b)	(principal) focus		1
	or		
	focal point		
(c)	either (×)1.5 or (×)1½ or 150%	unambiguous evidence of appropriate measurements for 1 mark only eg 4 and 6 or 8 and 12 or 0.8 and 1.2	2
(d)	real rays cross to form it / formed at the intersection of real rays	accept 'image on the opposite side of the lens to the object' accept 'can be put onto a screen'	1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	moment	<pre>or torque do not credit 'leverage'</pre>	1
(b)	4 (2)	either 0.20 × 20 (1) or allow '400' (1)	2
(c)	use a longer spanner or 'fit a pipe over the (end of the) spanner (to lengthen it)' use a greater force / pull	or increases the perpendicular distance / length note 'lever' refers to 'spanner' note change the (0) ignore references to wider / larger nut either order	1
	use a greater force / puil	enner order	1
total			5