

# 2018 Engineering Science National 5 Finalised Marking Instructions

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### General marking principles for National 5 Engineering Science

This information is provided to help you understand the general principles you must apply when marking candidate responses to questions in this paper. These principles must be read in conjunction with the specific marking instructions for each question. The marking schemes are written to assist in determining the 'minimal acceptable answer' rather than listing every possible correct and incorrect answer.

- (a) Marks for each candidate response must **always** be assigned in line with these general marking principles and the specific marking instructions for the relevant question.
- (b) Marking should always be positive. This means that, for each candidate response, marks are accumulated for the demonstration of relevant skills, knowledge and understanding: they are not deducted from a maximum on the basis of errors or omissions.
- (c) Where a candidate makes an error at an early stage in a multi-stage calculation, credit should normally be given for correct follow-on working in subsequent stages, unless the error significantly reduces the complexity of the remaining stages. The same principle should be applied in questions which require several stages of nonmathematical reasoning.
- (d) All units of measurement will be presented in a consistent way, using negative indices where required (eg ms<sup>-1</sup>). Candidates may respond using this format, or solidus format (m/s) or words (metres per second), or any combination of these (eg metres/second).
- (e) Answers to numerical questions must be rounded to an appropriate number of significant figures. However, the mark can be awarded for answers which have up to two figures more or one figure less than the expected answer.

# Marking instructions for each question

# Section 1

Q	uestion	n Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
1.	(a)	Mechanical (engineer)	1	
	(b)	Electronic (engineer)	1	Not electrical engineer
2.		+ V O	3	1 mark for LDR symbol 1 mark for fixed resistor symbol
		ov 0		1 mark for correct wiring of components with given sensor at top of voltage divider
3.		15 N 15 N	2	<ul><li>1 mark for all forces with arrows and units in the correct position</li><li>1 mark for all dimensions with units (dimension and leader lines are not required)</li></ul>
4.	(a)	Open loop	1	Do not accept open on its own
	(b)	The speed limit is set.  The sensor measures the speed of the car  The control unit compares the set speed limit with the speed of the car  If the speed is too fast then camera is activated taking the photograph	3	Descriptive response covering:  1 mark sensor measuring car speed (inferred)  Do not accept speed sensor detects a car without reference to speed  1 mark control unit decision  1 mark camera being activated when speed is too fast / no photo taken when within speed limit

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5.			1	1 mark for correct symbol
6.		<ul><li>A - Compressive/compression</li><li>B - Tensile/tension</li></ul>	2	Accept strut/tie/squashed/ stretched No FTE
7.			1	Correct actuator symbol drawn on the top surface of the valve symbol  Should include both the rectangle and an inclined line (any direction)
8.		Incorrect line type used / not solid lines  Should be crosses in the centres / not dots  Double outlines missing	2	Must be descriptive response  Do not accept overlapping  Do not accept lines incorrect
9.	A 0- B 0- C 0-	Z Z	3	mark for NOT gate on A     mark for OR gate with correct connections     mark for AND gate with correct connections

## Section 2

Question	Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
10. (a)	pin 0 on?  Yes  pins 7 and 6 on  wait 5 seconds  pin 4 on  wait 0.5 seconds  pin 4 off  wait 2 seconds  loop 10 times ?  Yes  pin 7 and 5 off	10	Pin numbers must be correct where applicable  Pin 0 on ? (inc Y or N, loop and arrow head) - 1 mark  Pin 7 on and off positions - 1 mark  Pin 6 on and off positions - 1 mark  Pin 5 on and off positions - 1 mark  Pin 4 on and off positions - 1 mark  All three delays with unit - 1 mark  Loop x10 ? decision (inc Y or N) - 1 mark  Feedback loop and arrow to before pin 4 on - 1 mark  Continuous loop (with arrow to start) - 1 mark  All marked symbols correct - 1 mark  Ignore any additional steps.

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Q	uestic	n	Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
10.	(b)		$0\cdot0016 = \frac{\Delta l}{1200}$	3	1 mark for substitution
			∆l = 0·0016 × 1200		1 mark for transposition
			$\Delta l = 1.92 \text{ mm}$		
			1·9 mm (2 sf)		1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit

Q	Question		Expected response		Additional guidance
11.	(a)		Oscillating	1	
	(b)	(i)	E <sub>p</sub> = mgh	2	
			$E_p = 69 \times 9.8 \times 6.8$		1 mark for substitution
			E <sub>p</sub> = 4598 J		1 mark for answer from given working with unit
			E <sub>p</sub> = 4600 J (2 sf)		Working With unit
		(ii)	$Ek = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$	3	
			$970J = \frac{1}{2} 69kg v^2$		1 mark for substitution
			$v = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 970}{69}}$		1 mark for transposition
			5·302 ms <sup>-1</sup>		
			v = 5·3 ms <sup>-1</sup> (2 sf)		1 mark for answer from given working with unit
	(c)	(i)	$\sum \mathbf{M} = 0$	1	Accept $\Sigma$ CWM = $\Sigma$ ACM or written response
		(ii)	450 (N)	1	Accept 445N-455N
	(d)		Material C	2	1 mark for correct material
			It is durable <b>and</b> will support the (1300N) load		1 mark for justification in terms of durability and tensile load/ strength
			It is strong (enough) to support the acrobats and it is durable		

Q	Question		Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
12.	(a)	(i)	L = (A · B) · C	2	1 mark for NOT B  1 mark for ANDing A and B and C (ignore brackets if given)
		(ii)	D         E         L           1         0         0           1         0         0           0         0         0           0         0         0           1         1         0           0         0         0           0         0         0           0         0         0	3	1 mark for each correct column Allow FTE: column E - A AND D column L - E AND C
	(b)	(i)	A variety of unlock codes can be programmed  User can set own unlock code  Time delays can be incorporated  Automatic lockout after a set number of incorrect attempts	1	1 mark for any description of an advantage relating to function  Response must relate to the context (lock control/coding)
		(ii)	Less components needed to be manufactured so less fumes produced.  Less materials needed so fewer natural resources used up  Can be reprogrammed/reusable therefore less waste (to landfill).	2	Response must relate to environment  1 mark for cause (advantage)  1 mark for effect (reason for advantage)  Do not accept less materials used as an effect on its own.  Do not accept less waste material

Q	Question		Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
13.	(a)	(i)	$(1.8 \times 1.5) + (R_A \times 5.0) = (3.2 \times 2.5)$	3	1 mark for substitution
			$R_{A} = \frac{5 \cdot 3}{5 \cdot 0}$		1 mark for transposition
			1.06 kN R <sub>A</sub> = 1.1 kN (2 sf)		1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit  If R <sub>B</sub> is calculated correctly (3.9 kN) 2 marks
		(ii)	$3 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 8 = 1 \cdot 1 + R_B$ $R_B = 5 \cdot 0 - 1 \cdot 1$ $R_B = 3 \cdot 9 \text{ kN (2 sf)}$	2	1 mark for substitution (allow FTE from 13(a)(i)  1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit
	(b)		Calculate the forces on the hull Select material for the mast Test the mast cables / ensure the cables are strong enough Design the deck (to ensure the loads are supported)	2	1 mark for each appropriate descriptive response of an engineer's activity and specific structural aspect  Must be linked to development - design/calculate/select/simulate/model/test (ensure) and management related activities  Two different activities must be used  Do not accept design the sail on its own  Do not accept developing as an activity on its own

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14.	(a)			4	Descriptive responses covering:
			The resistance of the thermistor decreases		1 mark thermistor resistance decreasing
			this results in $V_{in}$ increasing		1 mark V <sub>in</sub> increasing
			the transistor switches on		1 mark transistor switching on/saturating / V <sub>BE</sub> = 0.7 V
			and the motor will switch on		(do not accept $V_{in} = 0.7 \text{ V}$ )
					(do not accept transistor acts as a switch on its own)
					1 mark motor switching on
					Apply FTE from each statement
	(b)		$V_1 = 6.0 - 4.5 = 1.5 \text{ V}$	4	1 mark for calculating voltage V <sub>1</sub> . (ignore unit)
			$\frac{R}{16k} = \frac{1.5V}{4.5V}$		1 mark for substitution (apply FTE and accept 6.0 V if V <sub>1</sub> not calculated)
			R = 0·333 × 16k		1 mark for transposition
			$R = 5328 \Omega$		1 mark for correct answer from
			$R = 5.3 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ (2 sf)}$		given working with unit
			OR		
			$V_2 = IR_2$ $I = V_2/R_2$ $I = 4.5/16000$ $I = 0.000281A$ $V_1 = 6.0 - 4.5 = 1.5 \text{ V}$		1 mark for calculating current (ignore unit)
			$V_1 = IR_1$ $R_1 = V_1/I$		1 mark for calculating voltage $V_1$ (ignore unit).
			R = 1.5/0.000281 R= 5.33 kΩ		1 mark for substitution (allow FTE)
			R= 5·3 kΩ (2 sf)		1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit

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Q	uestic	n	Expected response		Additional guidance
Q	Question		Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
14.	(c)		Replace the fixed resistor with a variable resistor  Add a variable resistor	1	Descriptive response  Do not accept just use a variable resistor
	(d)		50 kΩ	1	Unit required
	(e)		$0\cdot 029 = \frac{25}{A}$	3	1 mark for substitution
			$A = \frac{25}{0 \cdot 029}$		1 mark for transposition
			A = 862.1 mm <sup>2</sup> A = 860 mm <sup>2</sup> (2 sf)		1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit

Q	Question		Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
15.	(a)	(i)	Teeth A x Speed A = Teeth B x Speed B $8 \times 880 = 32x \text{ B}$	4	1 mark for substitution
			$\frac{8 \times 880}{32} = \text{Speed B}$ B = 220 revs min <sup>-1</sup>		1 mark for answer from working (units not required)
			Teeth C x Speed C = Teeth D x Speed D $16 \times 220 = 32 \times D$		1 mark for substitution (allow FTE)
			$\frac{16 \times 220}{32} = Speed D$ D = 110 revs min <sup>-1</sup>		1 mark for answer from working with unit  Do not accept RPM
			OR $\frac{\text{input speed}}{\text{output speed}} = \frac{A}{B} \times \frac{C}{D}$		<ul><li>1 mark for first ratio</li><li>1 mark for second ratio</li><li>1 mark for substitution. (880/8 if</li></ul>
		(::)	$output speed = \frac{8}{32} \times \frac{16}{32} \times 880$ $output speed = 110 \text{ revs min}^{-1}$	2	ratios inverted)  1 mark for answer from working with unit
		(ii)	$VR = \frac{\text{input speed}}{\text{output speed}}$ $VR = \frac{880}{110}$	2	1 mark for substitution (allow FTE from 15(a)(i)) 1 mark for answer from working
	(b)		VR = 8:1 or 8  Reduce/remove a number of teeth  Make the gear smaller	1	(ignore units)  1 mark for descriptive response

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15.	(c)		When the air bleed is covered valve 1 is actuated	3	Must be descriptive responses using appropriate terminology
			pilot air is sent to Valve 2 causing the piston in Cylinder A to outstroke		1 mark for Valve 2 causing piston to outstroke
			air is also sent to (Components 3 and 4) creating a time delay		1 mark for time delay before instroking (second piston movement)
			pilot air is sent to Valve 2 again causing the piston in Cylinder A to instroke.		1 mark for Valve 2 causing piston to instroke
	(d)		It is clean therefore will not contaminate pastry/hygienic	2	Response must be in the context/ referencing pastry
			Does not apply pressure therefore will not damage pastry		1 mark for cause 1 mark for effect
	(e)		$P = \frac{F}{A}$	2	
			$P = \frac{73}{810}$		1 mark for substitution
			P = 0·09012 Nmm <sup>-2</sup>		1 mark for answer from working with unit
			P = 0.090 Nmm <sup>-2</sup> (2 sf)		Accept 0.090 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> Nm <sup>-2</sup> (Pa)

Q	uestic	on	Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
16.	(a)	(i)	Less pollution/clean source of energy  Lower/no emissions of greenhouse gases  Reduction in global warming.	1	1 mark for any appropriate descriptive response of a positive environmental impact  Do not accept does not use fossil fuel on its own
		(ii)	Cost of having to build additional power stations to cope with demand.  Reduction in fossil fuel cars being sold so less profit.  Installation costs (charging points)  Specialist vehicle technicians may be more expensive	1	1 mark for any appropriate descriptive response of a negative economic impact of the increasing use  Do not accept it costs money to charge the batteries  Do not accept loss of jobs / unemployment on its own without link to economy  Do not accept expensive to manufacture
	(b)		$R_{p} = \frac{5 \cdot 6 \times 12}{5 \cdot 6 + 12}$ $R_{p} = \frac{67 \cdot 2}{17 \cdot 6}$ $R_{p} = 3 \cdot 82$ $R_{t} = 3 \cdot 82 + 15$ $R_{t} = 18 \cdot 82 \text{ k}\Omega$ $R_{t} = 19 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ (2 sf)}$	3	1 mark for $R_p$ substitution  1 mark for $R_p$ answer (ignore units)  1 mark for correct answer with unit (apply FTE for $R_p$ )

Question			Expected response	Max mark	Additional guidance
16.	(c)	(i)	V = 0.6 ×15	2	1 mark for substitution
			V = 9.0 V (2 sf)		1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit
		(ii)	12 - 9·0 = 3·0V	4	1 mark for calculating voltage across $5.6 \text{ k}\Omega$ resistor (FTE from (c)(i))
			$3.0V = I \times 5.6k$		1 mark for substitution (allow FTE for calculated voltage)
			$I = \frac{3 \cdot 0}{5 \cdot 6k}$		1 mark for transposition
			I = 0⋅5357 mA		
			l = 0·54 mA (2 sf)		1 mark for correct answer from given working with unit
	(d)		Graphene Conducts and stores electricity more	2	Accept impact for any emerging technology
			efficiently than other materials. This will result in batteries being		1 mark for cause
			charged quicker/holding their charge for longer		1 mark for effect
			Self driving car Impact of emerging system is it may not be fully tested and so may have faults and be unreliable/unsafe		If no technology named or the given example is clearly an established / developing type, 1 mark maximum for cause and effect

Q	Question		Expected response		Max mark	Additional guidance
17.	(a)				3	1 mark for electrical and 1200 (J) input
						Do not accept electricity
						1 mark for heat and 790 (J) output
						1 mark for heat/sound/light and 410 (J) lost
			energy in			energy out
			electrical		_	heat
			J	Grilling Machine		J
				<b>\</b>		
	energy losse			ses		
		heat				
	410			1		
	(b)		$\eta = \frac{\text{Energy out}}{\text{Energy in}}$		2	
			$\eta = \frac{790}{1200}$			1 mark for substitution
			η = 0·6583			1 mark for answer from working
			η = <b>0·66 (2 sf)</b> or <b>66</b> %			(ignore any units)
	(c)	(i)	Closed loop (control)		1	

Question			Expected response		Additional guidance
		(ii)	Preset Control Output driver	t He	1 mark for heating element/heater  1 mark for temperature sensor accept thermistor/thermostat/heat sensor  1 mark for feedback lines from node into control unit, with an arrow head showing direction. Do not accept feedback joining preset temperature input
17.	(d)	(i)	<b>1</b> 1 → <b>1</b> 1	2	<ul><li>1 mark for correct symbol</li><li>1 mark for correct orientation (apply FTE mark if diode is drawn)</li></ul>
	(ii)		Add a resistor (in series).  Lower the voltage	1	1 mark for descriptive answer

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]