



## Particle model and pressure

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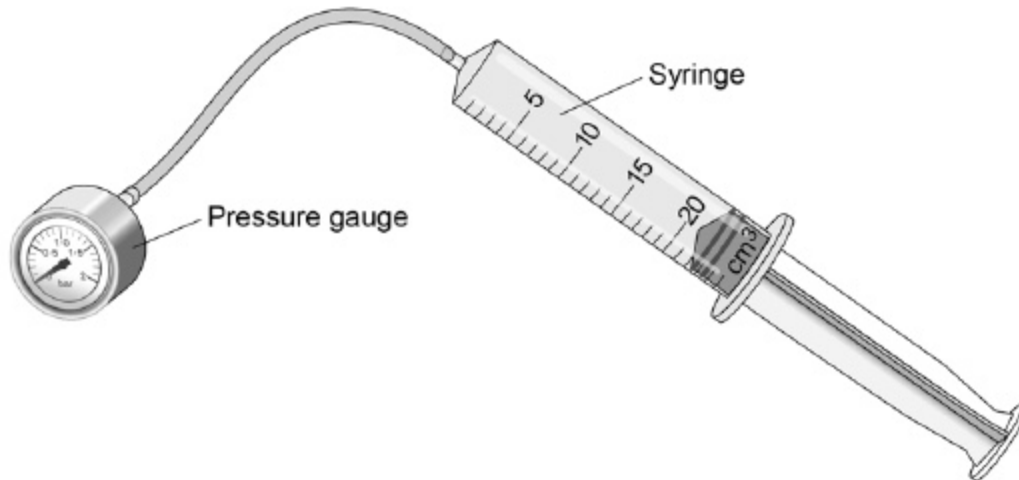
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A student investigated how the pressure of a gas varied with the volume of the gas.

The mass and temperature of the gas were constant.

The diagram shows the equipment the student used.



(a) What is the range of the syringe?

Tick **one** box.

0 to 1  $\text{cm}^3$

0 to 5  $\text{cm}^3$

0 to 20  $\text{cm}^3$

0 to 25  $\text{cm}^3$

(1)

(b) What type of variable was the mass of gas?

Tick **one** box.

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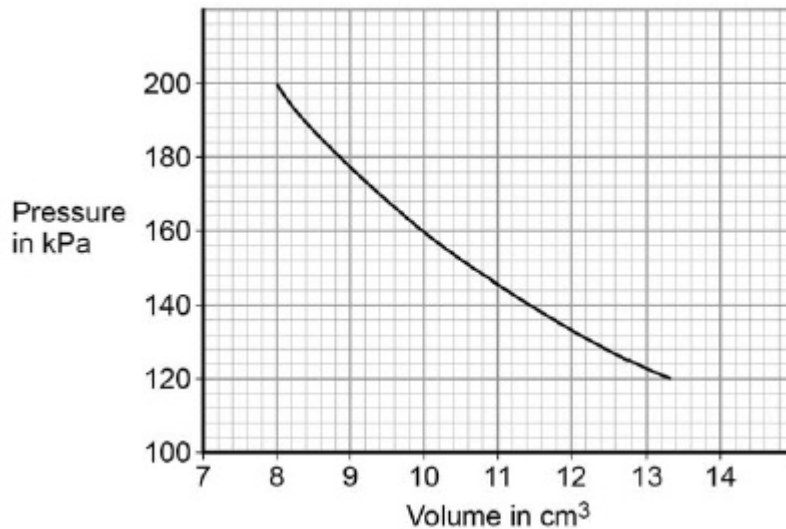
Dependent

Independent

(1)

The student compressed the gas in the syringe and read the pressure from the pressure gauge.

The graph shows the student's results.



(c) The student concluded that when the pressure was multiplied by the corresponding volume the answer was the same.

Use data from the graph to show that the student's conclusion was correct.

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(d) Complete the sentences.

Choose the answers from the box.

Each answer may be used once, more than once or not at all.

**decreases**

**increases**

**remains the same**

When the gas is compressed, the volume of gas in the syringe \_\_\_\_\_ .

So the number of collisions each second between the gas particles inside the syringe and the inside surface of the syringe \_\_\_\_\_ .

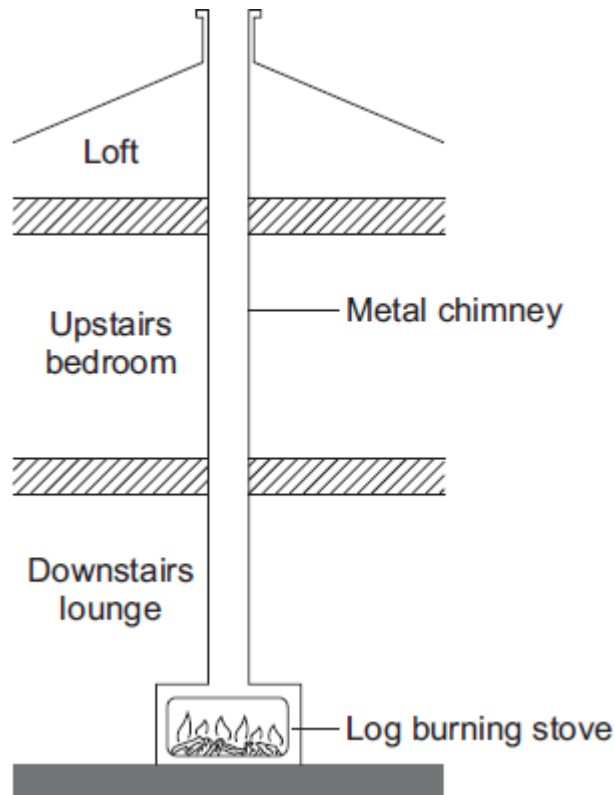
This means the force exerted on the inside surface of the container walls \_\_\_\_\_ .

**(3)**

**(Total 7 marks)**

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The diagram shows how the metal chimney from a log-burning stove passes through the inside of a house.



(a) Explain how heat is transferred by the process of convection from the inside of the stove to the top of the chimney.

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(2)

(b) Although the outside of the chimney becomes very hot, there is no insulating material around the chimney.

(i) Explain, in terms of the particles in a metal, how heat is transferred by conduction from the inside to the outside of the metal chimney.

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(2)

(ii) Suggest **one** advantage of having no insulation around the chimney.

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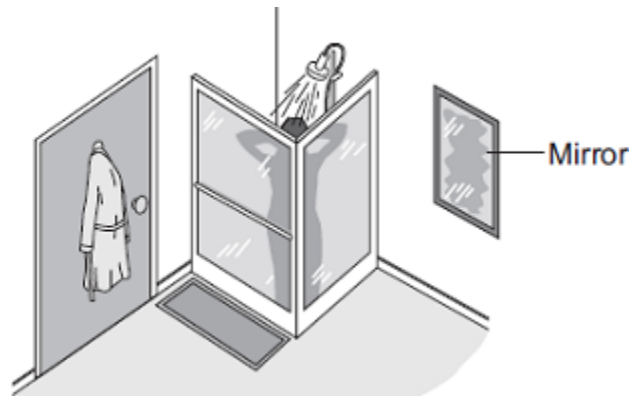
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The picture shows a person taking a hot shower.



(a) When a person uses the shower the mirror gets misty.

Why?

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(3)

(b) The homeowner installs an electrically heated mirror into the shower room.

When a person has a shower, the heated mirror does **not** become misty but stays clear.

Why does the mirror stay clear?

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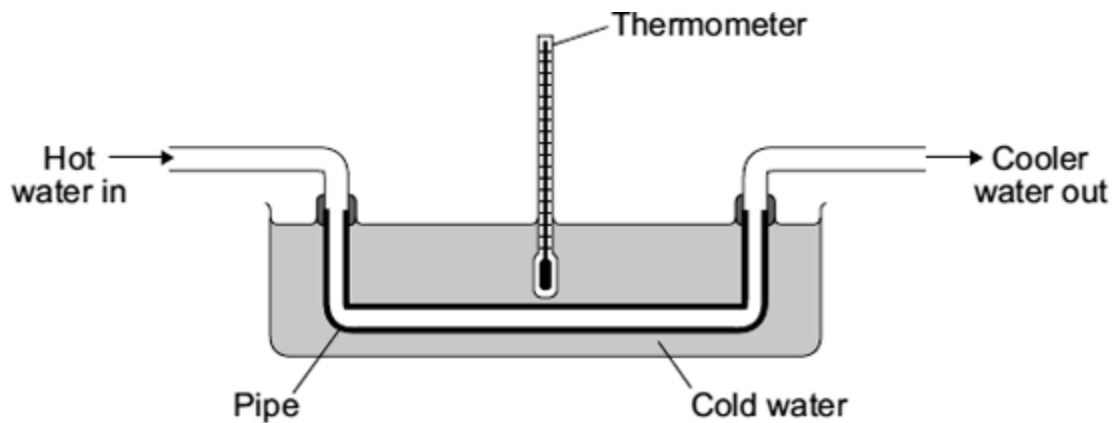
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4

Heat exchangers are devices that are used to transfer heat from one place to another.

The diagram shows a simple heat exchanger used by a student in an investigation.  
Heat is transferred from the hot water inside the pipe to the cold water outside the pipe.



- (a) By which process is heat transferred from the hot water inside the pipe to the cold water outside the pipe?

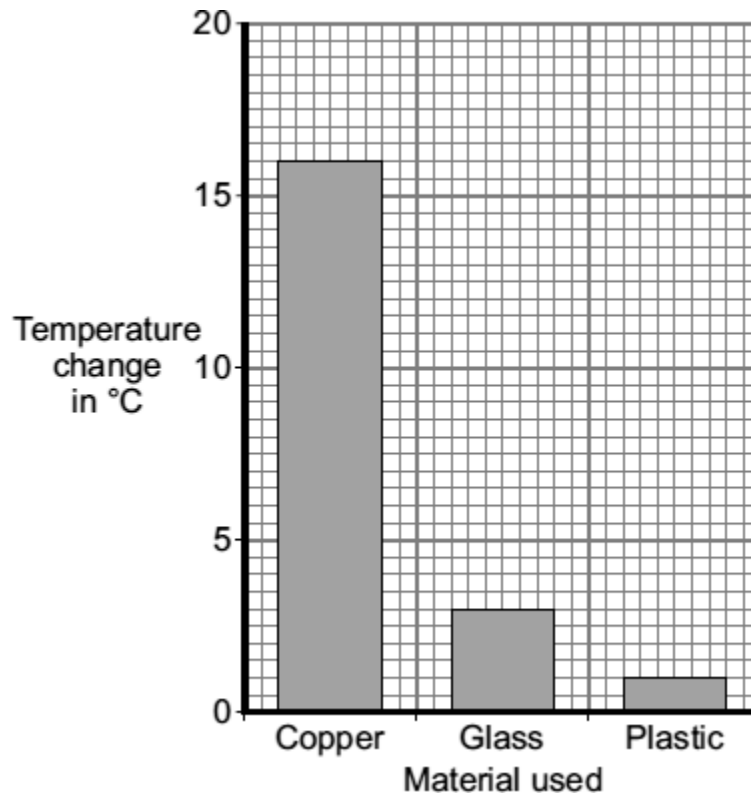
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(1)

- (b) The student wanted to find out if the efficiency of a heat exchanger depends on the material used to make the pipe. The student tested three different materials. For each material, the rate of flow of hot water through the pipe was kept the same.

The results obtained by the student are recorded in the table and displayed in the bar chart.

Material	Temperature of the cold water at the start in °C	Temperature of the cold water after 10 minutes in °C
Copper	20	36
Glass	20	23
Plastic	20	21



- (i) The rate of flow of hot water through the pipe was one of the control variables in the investigation.

Give **one** other control variable in the investigation.

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(1)

- (ii) Why did the student draw a bar chart rather than a line graph?

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(iii) Which **one** of the three materials made the best heat exchanger?

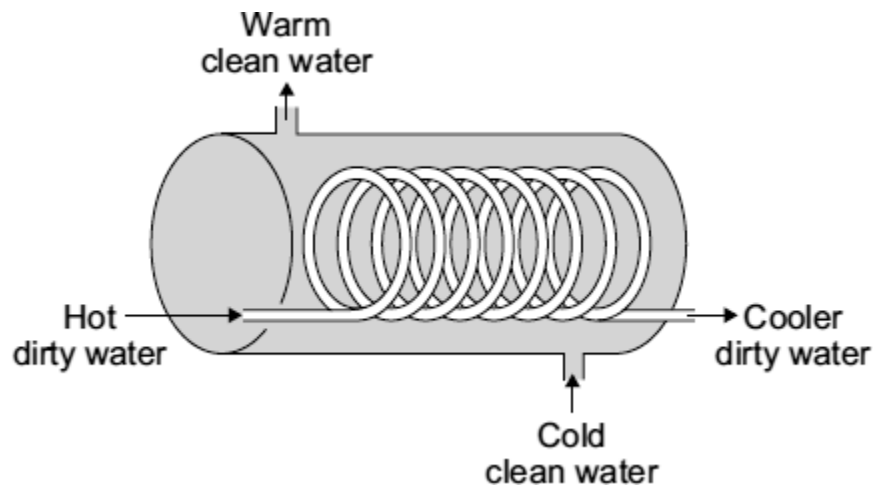
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Give a reason for your answer.

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(2)

(c) The student finds a picture of a heat exchanger used in an industrial laundry. The heat exchanger uses hot, dirty water to warm cold, clean water.



Why does this heat exchanger transfer heat faster than the heat exchanger used by the student in the investigation?

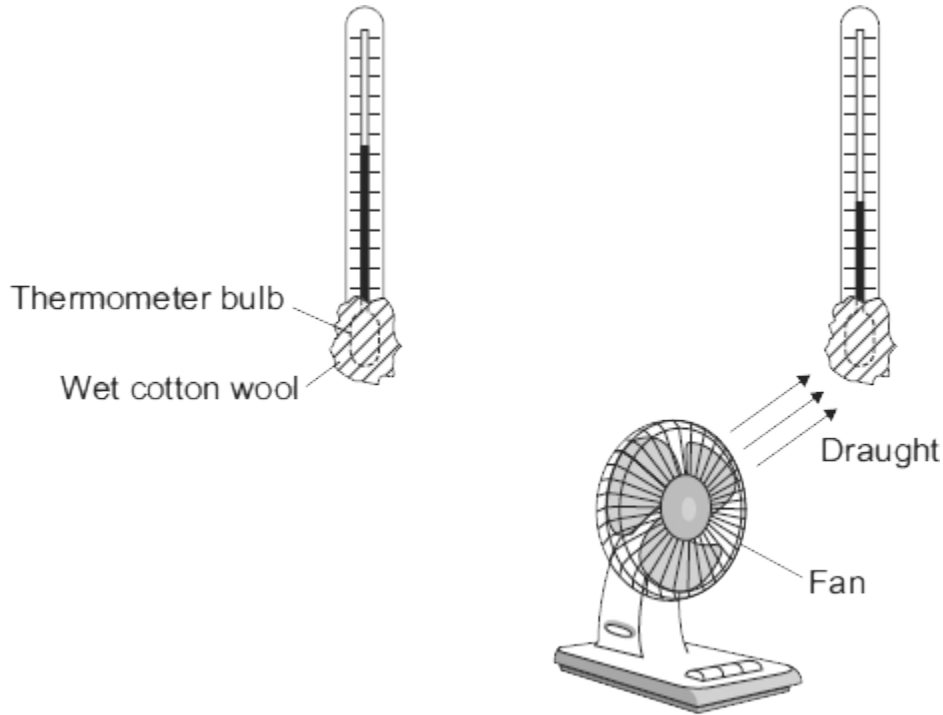
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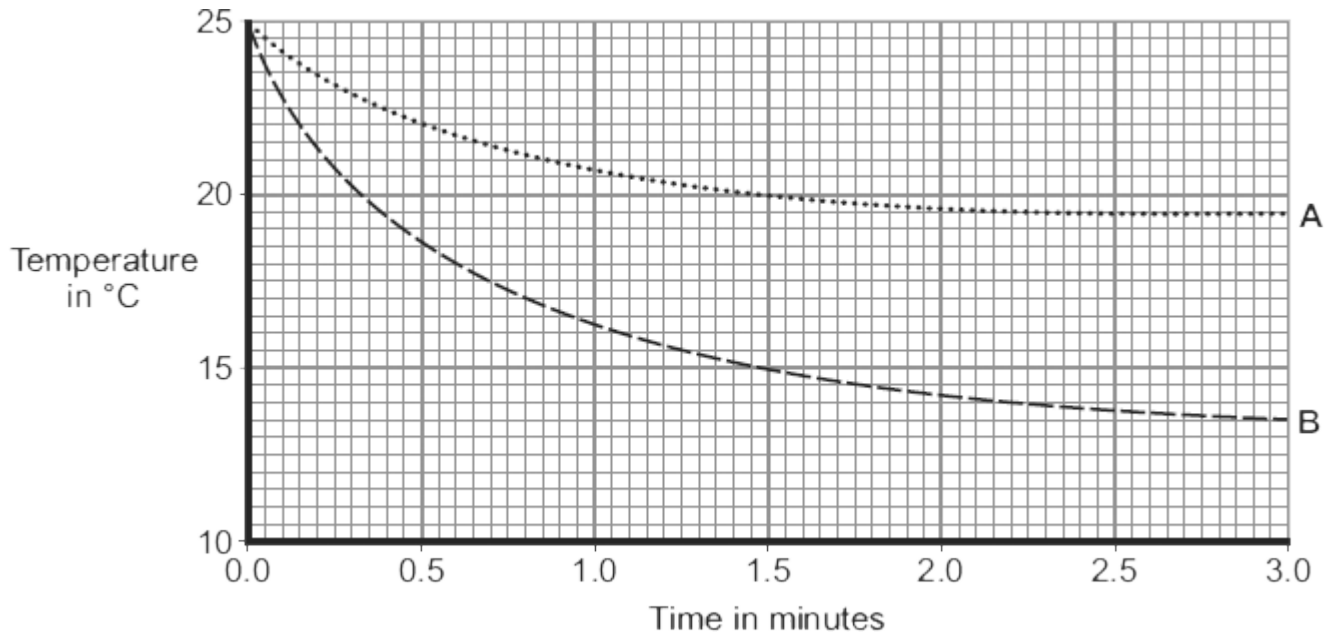
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The diagram shows two thermometers. The bulb of each thermometer is covered with a piece of wet cotton wool. One of the thermometers is placed in the draught from a fan.



The graph shows how the temperature of each thermometer changes with time.



- (a) Which of the graph lines, **A** or **B**, shows the temperature of the thermometer placed in the draught?

Write the correct answer in the box.

Explain, in terms of evaporation, the reason for your answer.

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- (b) A wet towel spread out and hung outside on a day without wind dries faster than an identical wet towel left rolled up in a plastic bag.

Explain why.

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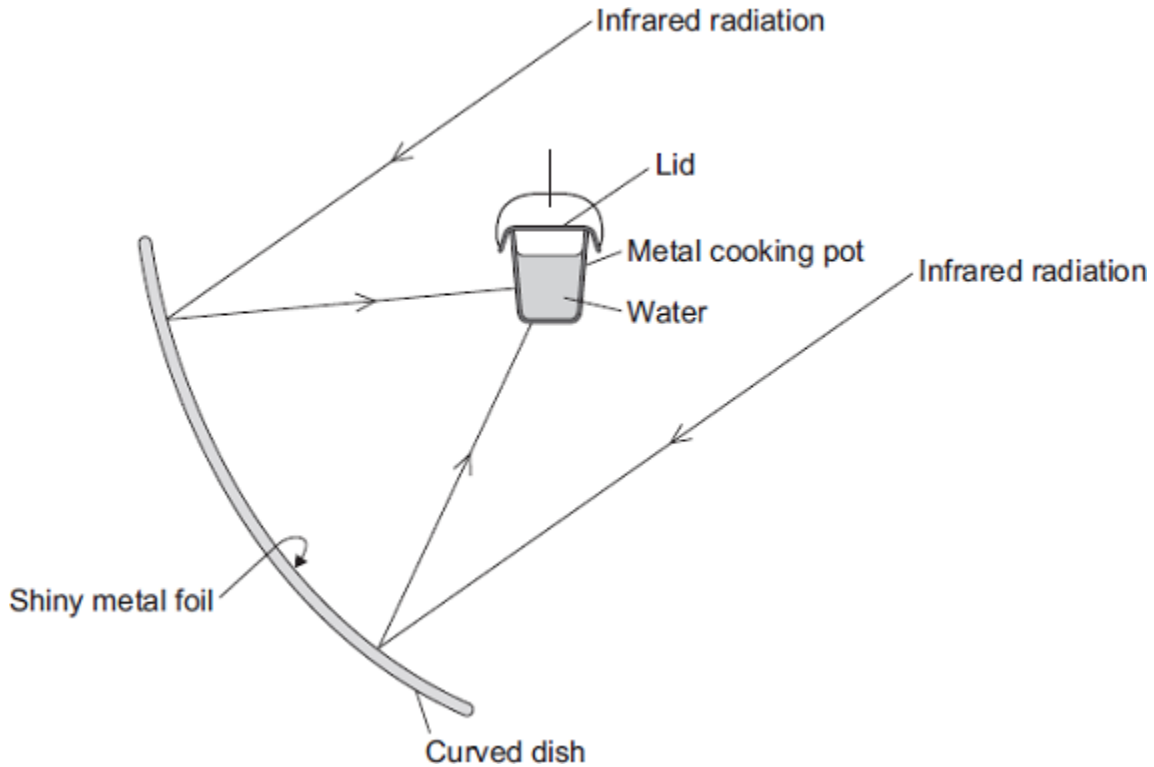
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The diagram shows the design of a solar cooker. The cooker heats water using infrared radiation from the Sun.



(a) Why is the inside of the large curved dish covered with shiny metal foil?

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(1)

(b) Which would be the best colour to paint the outside of the metal cooking pot?

Draw a ring around the correct answer.

**black**

**silver**

**white**

Give a reason for your answer.

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(2)

(c) Why does the cooking pot have a lid?

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- (d) Calculate how much energy is needed to increase the temperature of 2 kg of water by 80 °C.

The specific heat capacity of water = 4200 J/kg °C.

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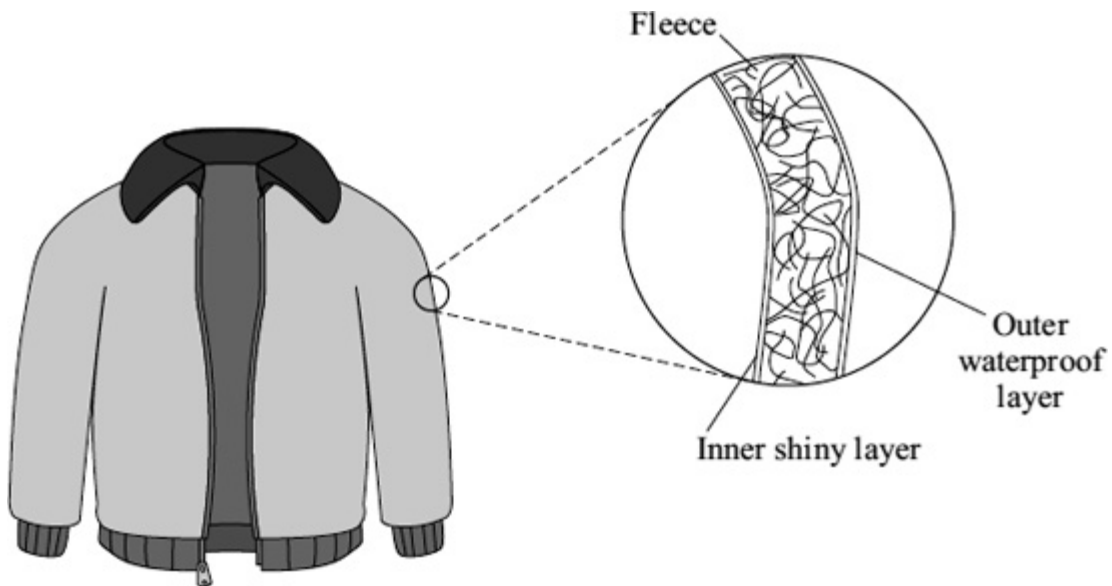
Energy = \_\_\_\_\_ J

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

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- (a) The diagram shows a ski jacket that has been designed to keep a skier warm. The jacket is made from layers of different materials.



- (i) The inner layer is shiny to reduce heat transfer.

Which process of heat transfer will it reduce?

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(1)

- (ii) Why is the layer of fleece good at reducing the transfer of heat from a skier's body?

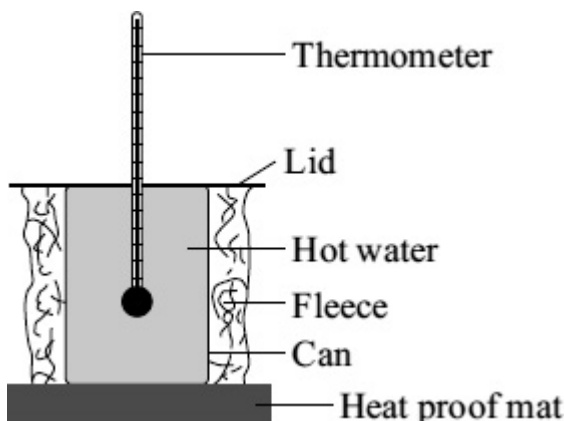
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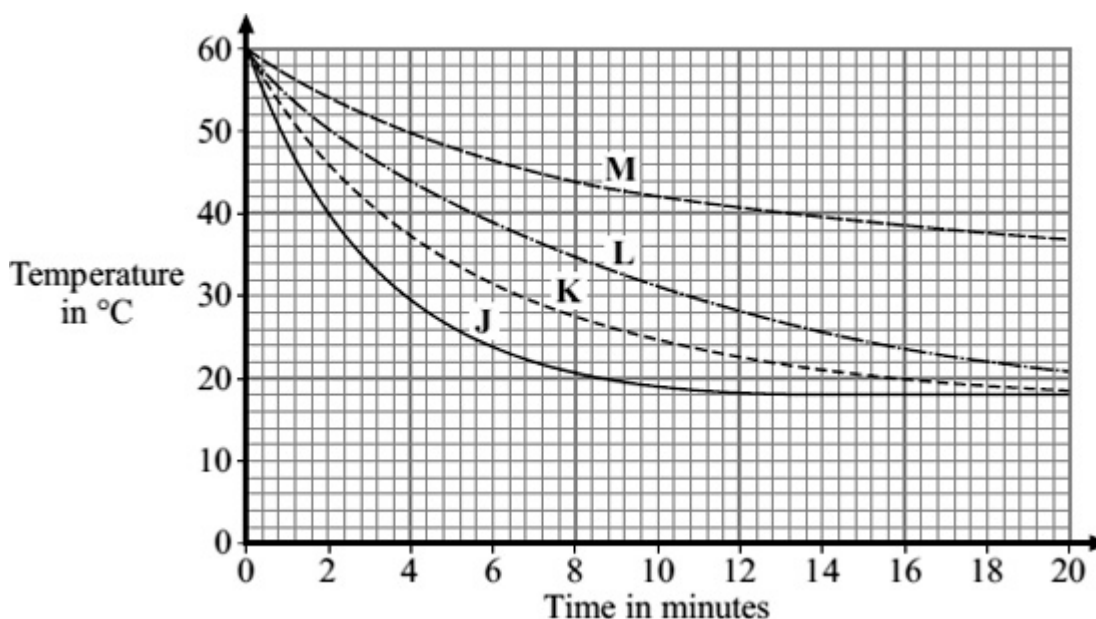
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(1)

- (b) A student tested four different types of fleece, **J**, **K**, **L** and **M**, to find which would make the warmest jacket. Each type of fleece was wrapped around a can which was then filled with hot water. The temperature of the water was taken every two minutes for 20 minutes.



The graph shows the student's results.



- (i) In each test, the water cooled faster during the first five minutes than during the last five minutes. Why?

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(1)

- (ii) To be able to compare the results, it was important to use the same volume of water in each test.

Give **one** other quantity that was the same in each test.

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(1)

- (iii) Look at the graph line for fleece **K**.

Estimate what the temperature of the water in the can wrapped in fleece **K** would be after 40 minutes.

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(1)

- (iv) Which type of fleece, **J**, **K**, **L** or **M**, should the student recommend to be used in the ski jacket?

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Give a reason for your answer.

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(2)

(Total 7 marks)





- (b) What name is given to the total kinetic energy and potential energy of all the particles of helium gas in the balloon?

Tick **one** box.

External energy

Internal energy

Movement energy

(1)

- (c) Write down the equation which links density, mass and volume.

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(1)

- (d) The helium in the balloon has a mass of 0.00254 kg.

The balloon has a volume of 0.0141 m<sup>3</sup>.

Calculate the density of helium. Choose the correct unit from the box.

<b>m<sup>3</sup> / kg</b>	<b>kg / m<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>kg m<sup>3</sup></b>
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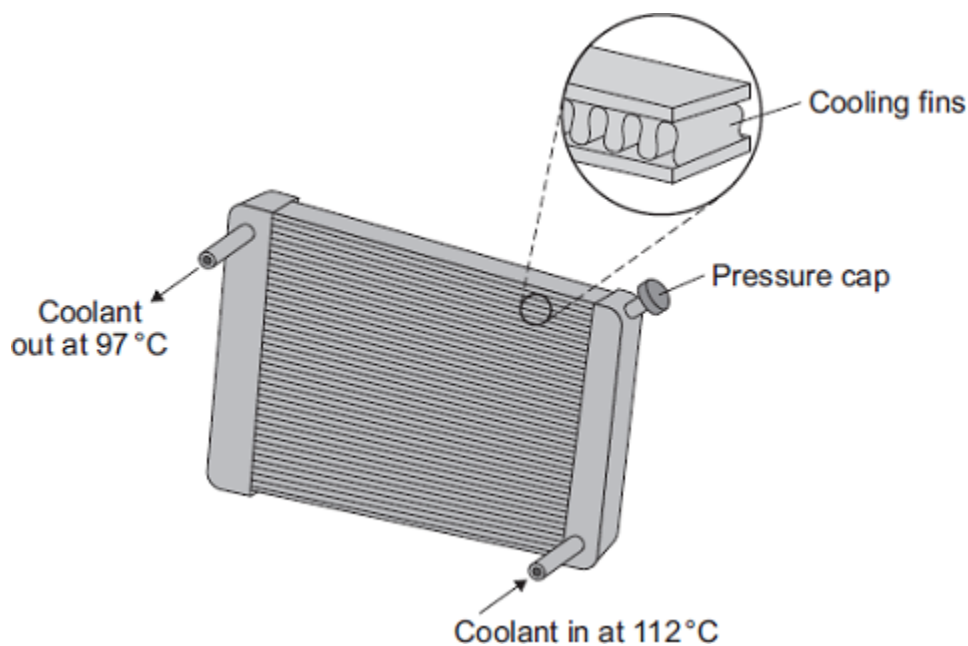
Density = \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

(3)

(Total 7 marks)

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The diagram shows a car radiator. The radiator is part of the engine cooling system.



Liquid coolant, heated by the car engine, enters the radiator. As the coolant passes through the radiator, the radiator transfers energy to the surroundings and the temperature of the coolant falls.

(a) Why is the radiator painted black?

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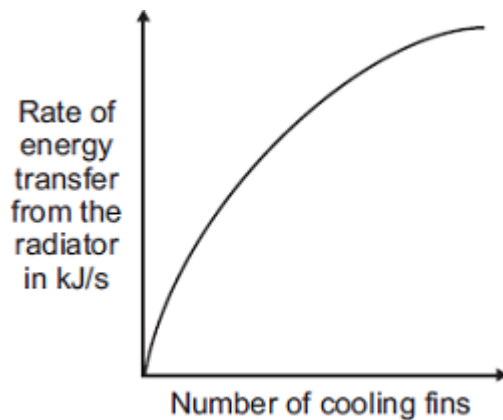


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(b) Different radiators have different numbers of cooling fins along the length of the radiator.

The sketch graph shows how the number of cooling fins affects the rate of energy transfer from the radiator.



The number of cooling fins affects the rate of energy transfer from the radiator.

Explain how.

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(2)

- (c) When the car engine is working normally, 2 kg of coolant passes through the radiator each second. The temperature of the coolant falls from 112 °C to 97 °C.

Calculate the energy transferred each second from the coolant.

Specific heat capacity of the coolant = 3800 J/kg °C.

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Energy transferred each second = \_\_\_\_\_ J

(3)

- (d) On cold days, some of the energy transferred from a hot car engine is used to warm the air inside the car. This is a useful energy transfer.

What effect, if any, does this energy transfer have on the overall efficiency of the car engine?

Draw a ring around the correct answer.

**decreases the efficiency**

**does not change the efficiency**

**increases the efficiency**

Give a reason for your answer.

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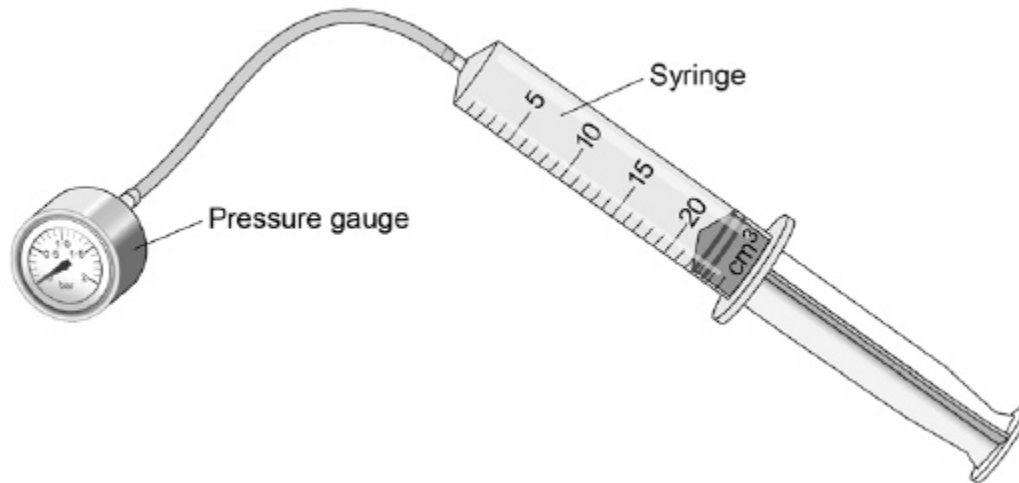
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Figure 1



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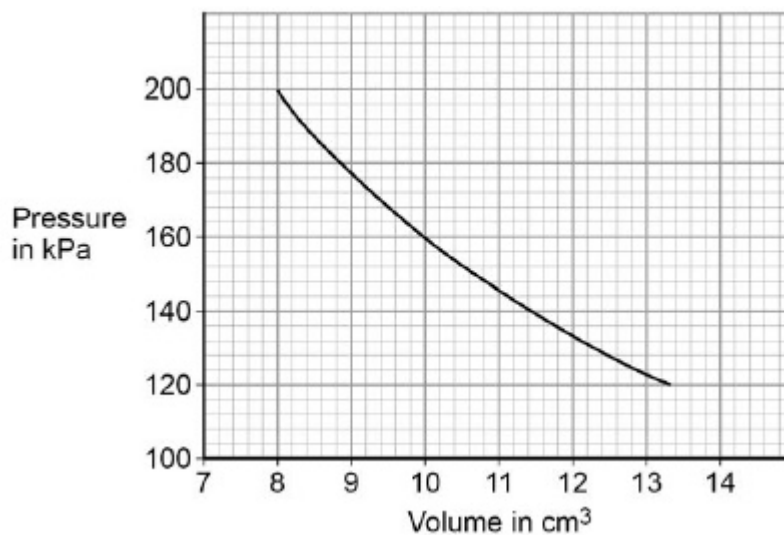
\_\_\_\_\_ cm<sup>3</sup>

(1)

The student compressed the gas in the syringe and read the pressure from the pressure gauge.

Figure 2 shows the student's results.

Figure 2





- (a) (i) Name the process by which heat is transferred **through** the glass.

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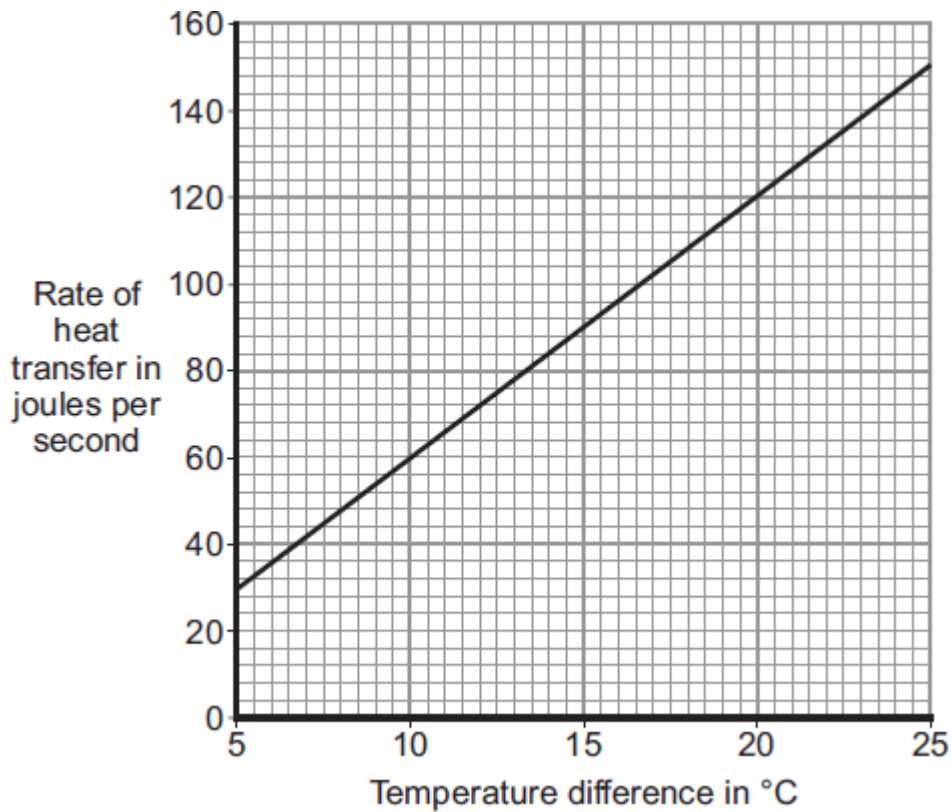
- (ii) Explain how heat is transferred **through** the glass.

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(2)

- (b) The rate of heat transfer through a window depends on the difference between the inside and outside temperatures.

The graph shows the rate of heat transfer through a 1 m<sup>2</sup> single-glazed window for a range of temperature differences.



- (i) What is the range of temperature differences shown in the graph?

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(ii) A student looks at the graph and concludes:

'Doubling the temperature difference doubles the rate of heat transfer.'

Use data from the graph to justify the student's conclusion.

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(2)

(iii) A house has single-glazed windows. The total area of the windows in the house is  $15 \text{ m}^2$ .

On one particular day, the difference between the inside and outside temperatures is  $20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .

Use the graph to calculate the total rate of heat transfer through all of the windows on this particular day.

Show clearly how you work out your answer.

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Rate of heat transfer = \_\_\_\_\_ J/s

(2)

- (c) A homeowner plans to replace the single-glazed windows in his home with double-glazed windows. He knows that double-glazed windows will reduce his annual energy bills.

The table gives information about the double glazing to be installed by the homeowner.

<b>Cost to buy and install</b>	<b>Estimated yearly savings on energy bills</b>	<b>Estimated lifetime of the double-glazed windows</b>
£5280	£160	30 years

Explain, in terms of energy savings, why replacing the single-glazed windows with these double-glazed windows is not cost effective.

To gain full marks you must complete a calculation.

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(2)

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