

Physics Standard Grade

Unit 4

Electronics

General & Credit Past Paper

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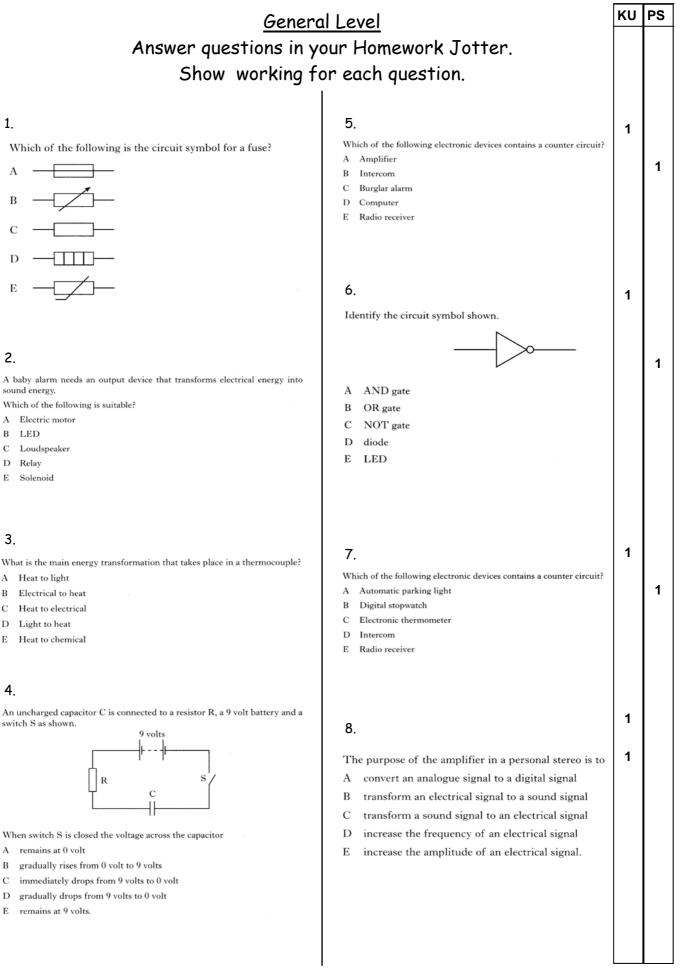
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RED - I don't understand the question I NEED HELP!

- AMBER I understand most of the question
- I NEED TO REVISE A LITTLE MORE! GREEN - I got the correct answer first time!
 - I UNDERSTAND THIS TOPIC



1.

А

В

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2.

sound energy

B LED

D Relay E Solenoid

С

3

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С

D

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4.

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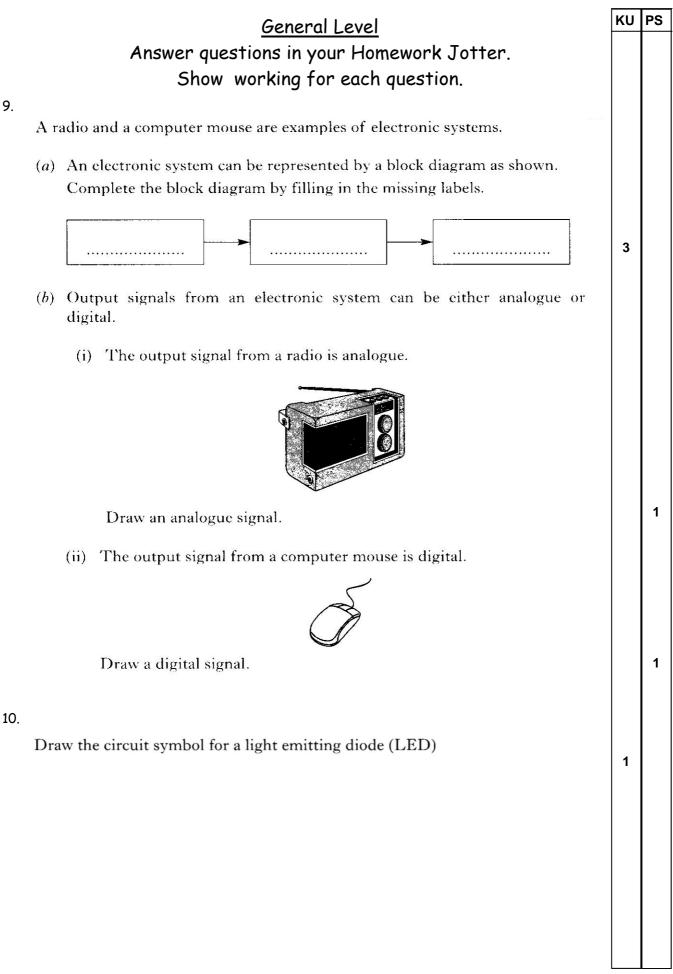
A Heat to light

Light to heat

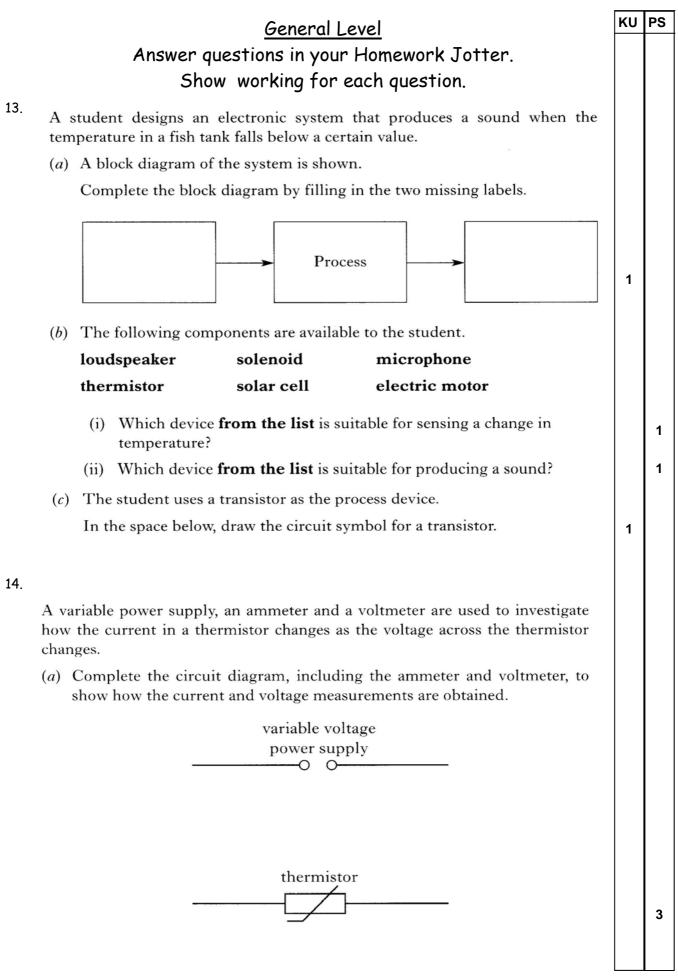
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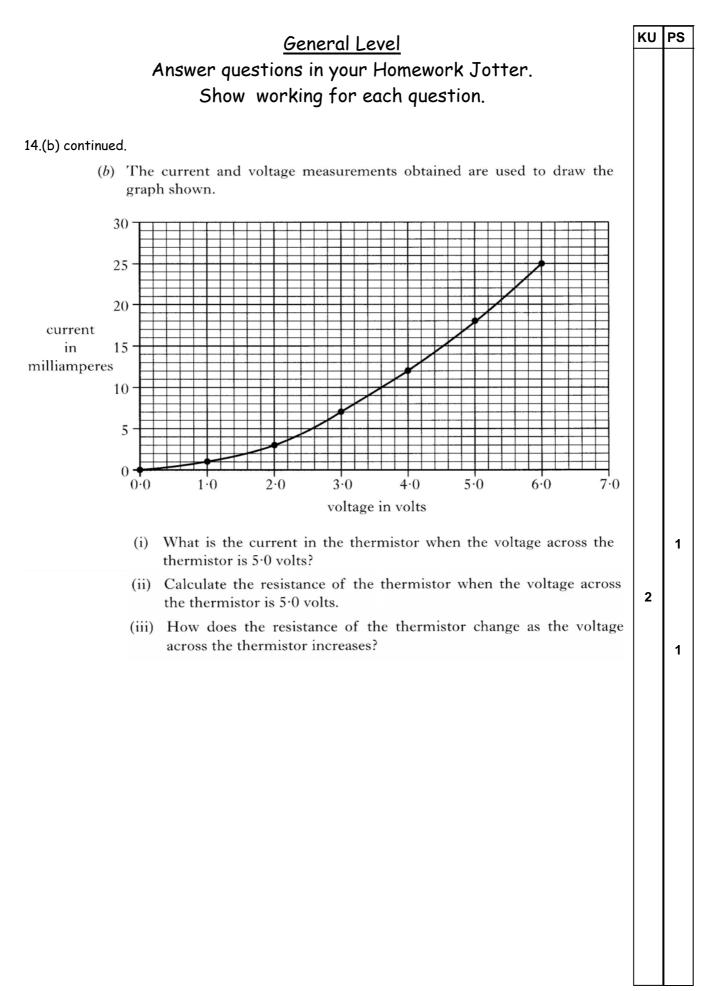
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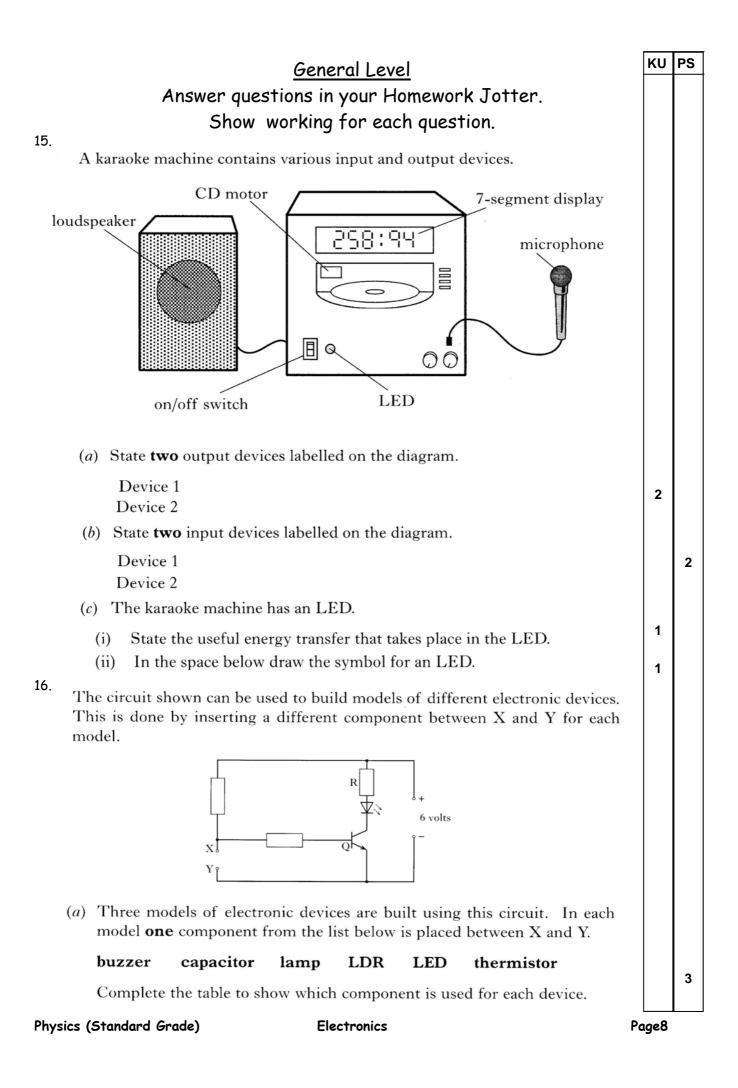
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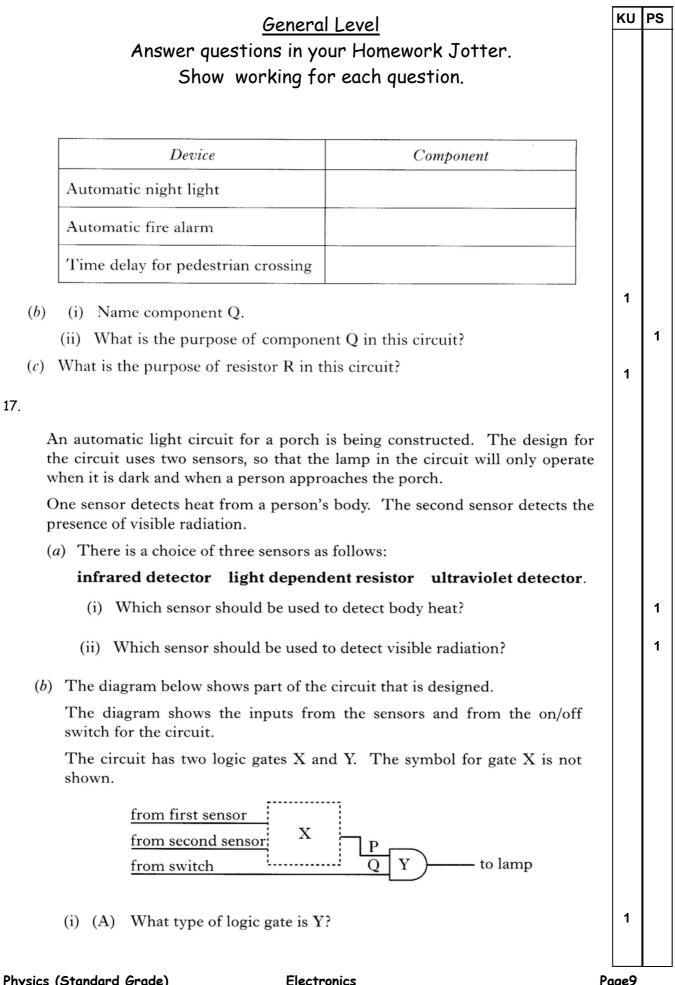


			Answer o	<u>General Level</u> questions in your Homework Jotter.	KU	PS
			Sho	ow working for each question.		
11.	Th	e list	below contain	ns input and output devices.		
		lan mic	acitor p crophone enoid	LDR (light dependent resistor)switchLED (light emitting diode)loudspeaker7 segment displayrelayelectric motorthermistor		
	(<i>a</i>)	Fro	m the list, se	lect an input device for each of the applications below.		
		(i)	A camera lig	ght level indicator.	1	
		(ii)	An ice sense	or for a car.	1	
		(iii)	A public ann	ouncement system at a railway station.	1	
	(<i>b</i>)		Select two o energy to ligh Device 1	output devices from the list that transform electrical nt.		
		Т	Device 2			2
				rent passes through a conductor, there is a magnetic		
				round the conductor.		
				utput devices from the list that make use of this effect.		
			Device 1			
			Device 2			2
12.	ho	w mi	uch light pass	inglasses. The company uses a light meter to measure ses through different types of glass. The light meter an LDR and a 6 volt battery as shown.		
				6 volts		
				(A)		
			L			
	(a) F	for or	ne type of glass	s, the current in the circuit is 0.005 ampere.		
		(i) (Calculate the r	resistance of the LDR.	2	
		(ii)	The intensity	of the light shining on the LDR is increased.		
		1	(A) State wha	t happens to the resistance of the LDR.	1	
		((B) State what	t happens to the current in the circuit.		1
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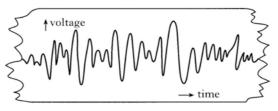
Answer questions in your Homework Jotter. Show working for each question.

17. (B) continued

(B) Complete the truth table for the logic gate that you have named in (b)(i)(A).

Input P	Input Q	Output
0	0	
0	1	
1	0	
1	1	

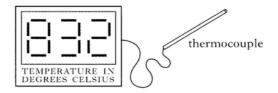
- (ii) What type of logic gate is X?
- 18. A thermocouple is used as a temperature sensor in a furnace. The thermocouple is attached to a chart recorder that records the voltage generated by the thermocouple over a period of time.



- (a) State the energy transfer that takes place in the thermocouple.
- (b) Circle the correct word in the sentence below.

The output of the chart recorder is digital

(c) The thermocouple is now connected to a circuit that has a digital display.

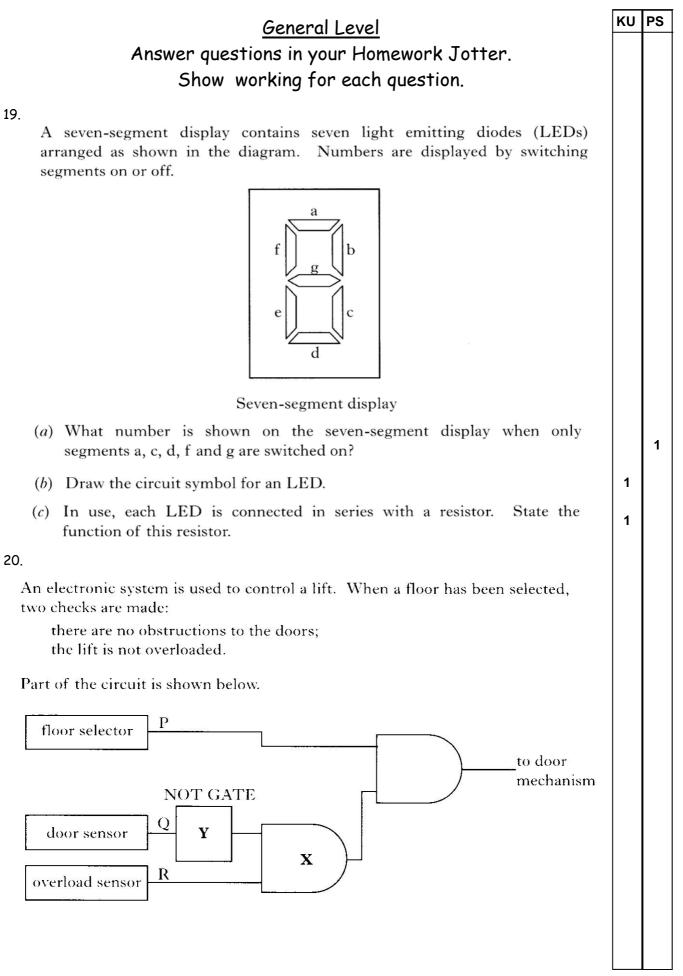


- (i) The resistance of the circuit is 500 ohms. At a particular temperature, the thermocouple generates a voltage of 0.8 volt.Calculate the current in the thermocouple circuit.
- (ii) Name a suitable output device that could be used for the digital display.

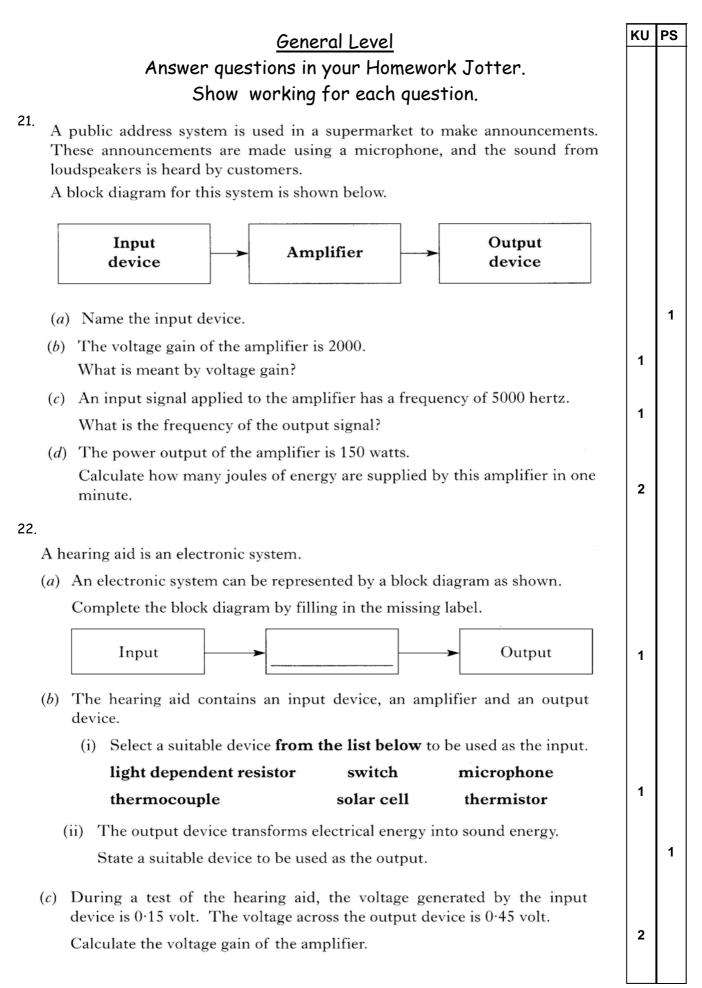
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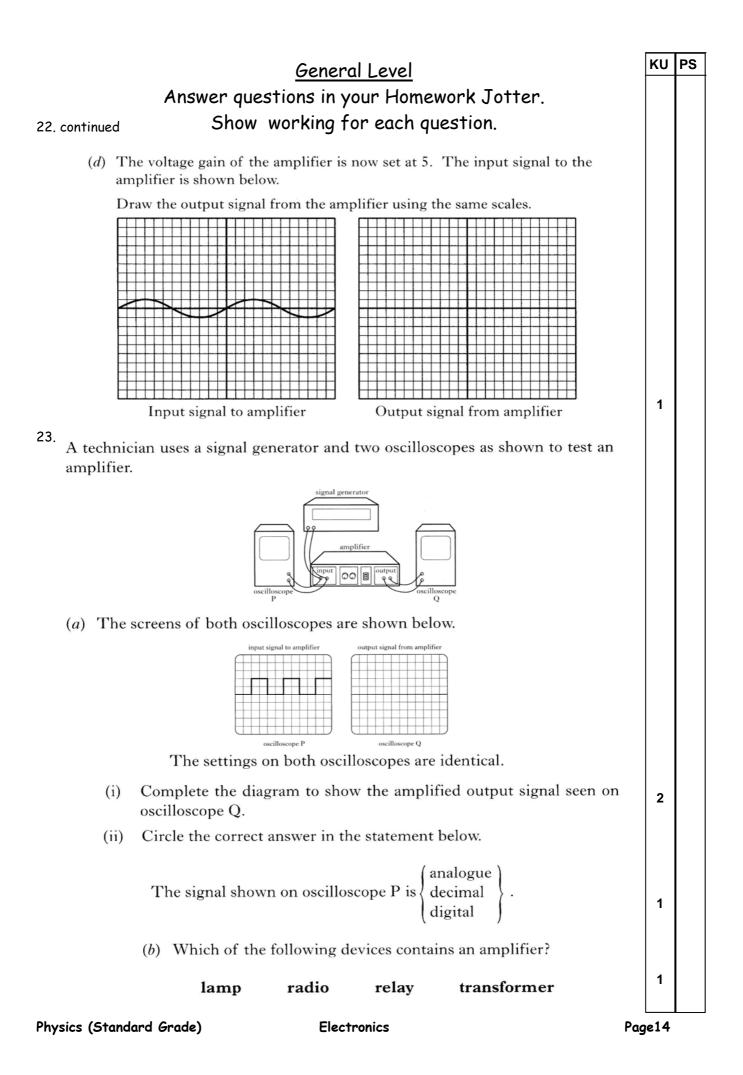
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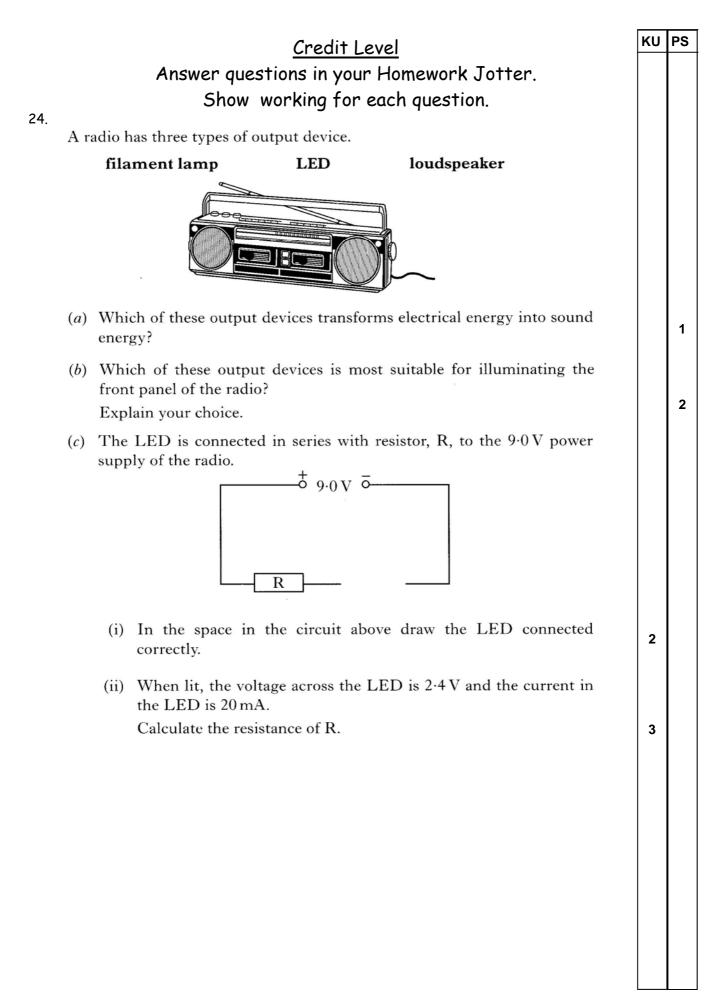
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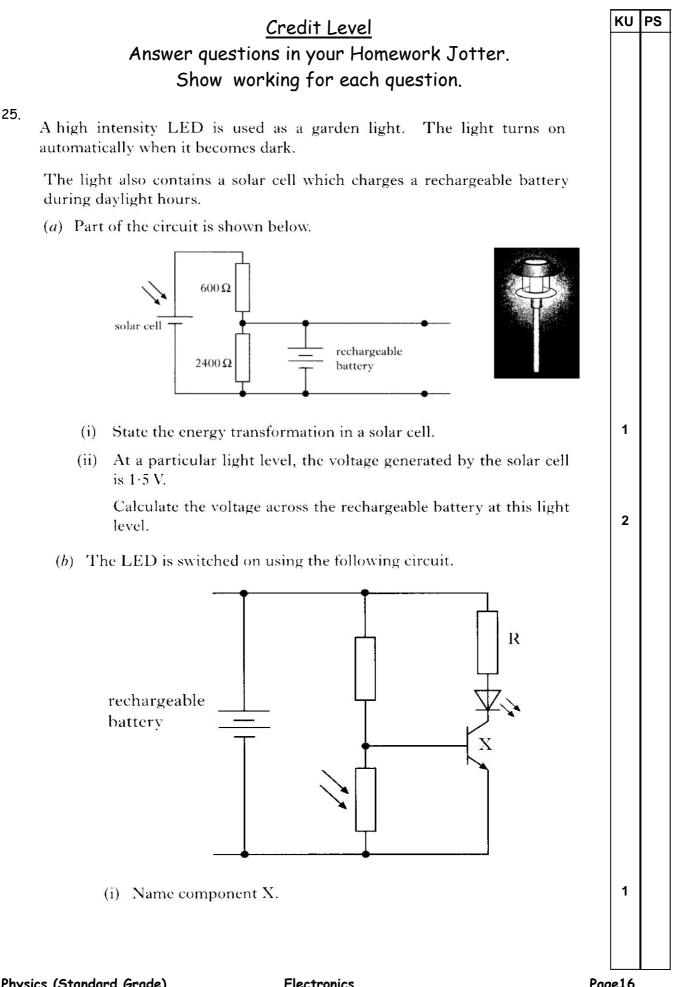


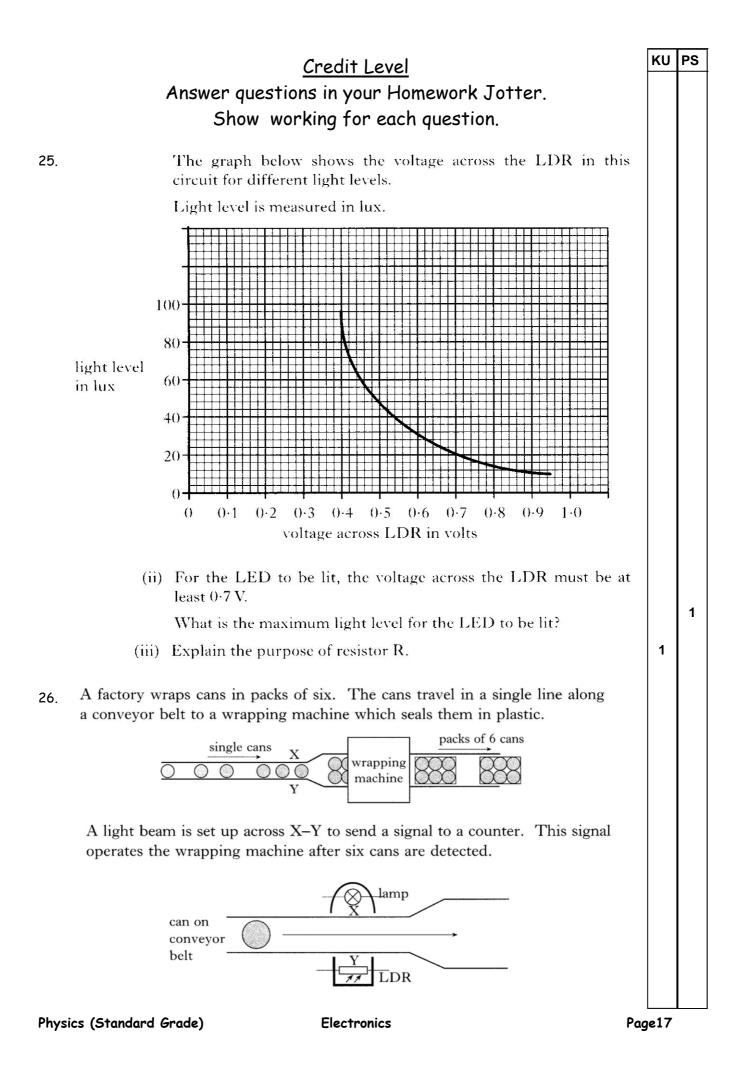
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Answer questions in your Homework Jotter. Show working for each question.						
	Snow wo	rking for	each question	1.		
20. continued						
The log mechan	gic states are as shown ism.	for the floo	or selector, the ser	nsors and the door		
			1	ogic level		
		not pres		$\frac{0}{0}$		
	floor selector	pressed	sea	1		
		no obstr	uction	0		
	door sensor	obstruct		1		
		overload		0		
	overload sensor	not over		1		
		doors of	State of the state	0		
	door mechanism doors closed 1					
(a) Na (b) (i) (ii	Draw the symbol for	a NOT gat		7	1	
	In	iput	Output			
		0				
		1		~	1	
(c) (i)	Logic level at P Logic level at Q			the lift doors.		3
Logic level at R						1

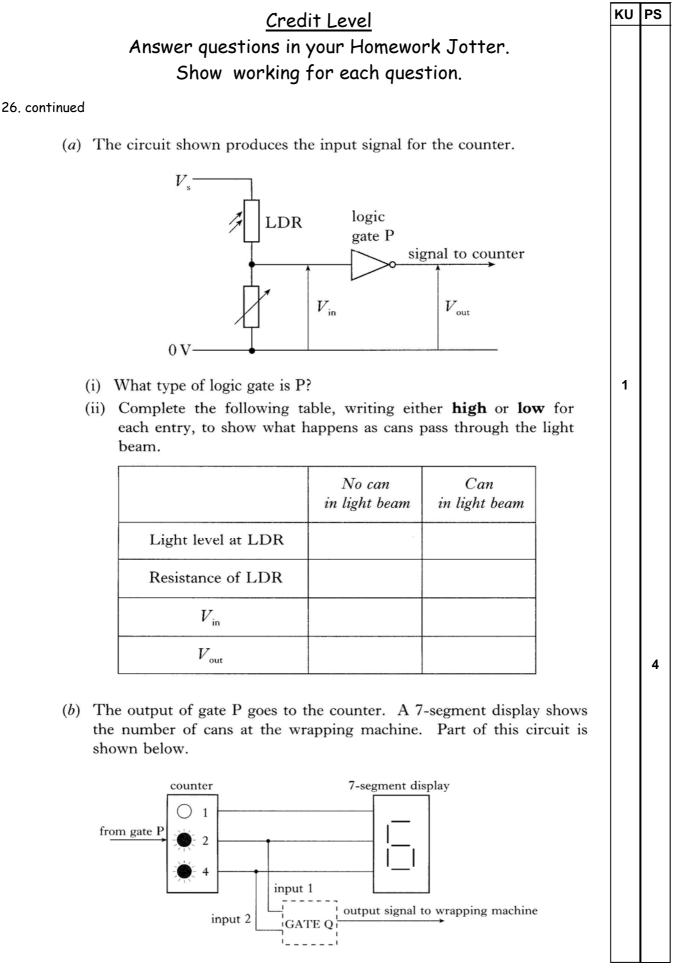




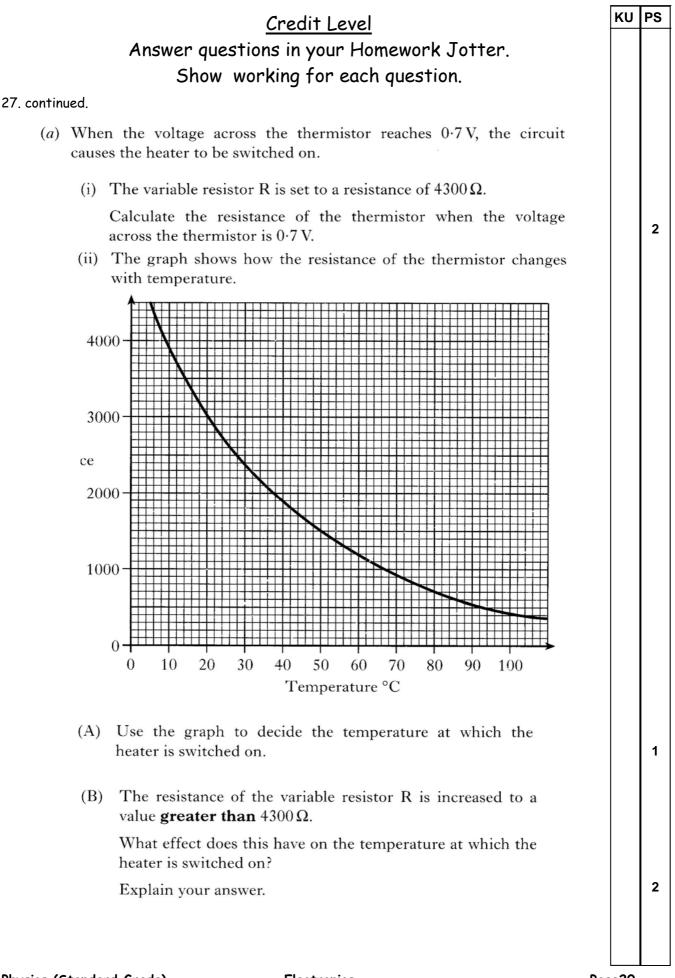








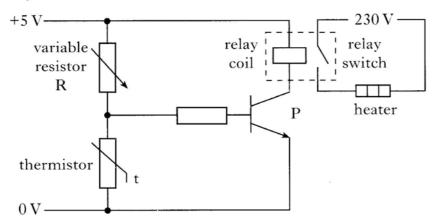
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Answ	ver questic	ons in your	Homewor	k Jotter.		
	Show wo	rking for e	each quest	tion.		
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(i) Complete eac following list.		below by c	hoosing a v	vord from the		
anal	logue l	oinary	decima	1		
The output of	the counter	circuit is				
The output of	the 7-segme	nt display is			2	
(ii) Gate Q send have been de		o the wrappi	ng machine	when six cans		
(A) What type	e of logic gate	e is Q?				1
(B) Complete	the truth tab	le for gate Q				
	Input 1	Input 2	Output			
	0	0		-		
	0	1		-		
	1	0		-		
	1	1		-	2	
	short delay fore they are		cans to en	ter the wrapping		
Name a sui	table input c	levice that co	uld provide	this delay.		1
shown below. T tank. When the	`he circuit is temperature	used to sen of the water	se the temp in the tank	oltage divider circuit erature of water in a falls below a certain switching circuit to		
	+5 V — varia resis R thermis 0 V —	tor	output	t		



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(b) The voltage divider circuit is connected to the switching circuit, as shown, to operate the heater. When there is a current in the relay coil, the relay switch closes.



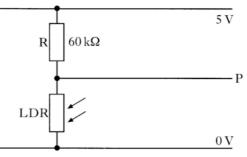
- (i) Name component P.
- (ii) Explain why the heater switches on as the temperature falls below a selected value.

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The exit of an underground car park has an automatic barrier. The barrier rises when a car interrupts a light beam across the exit and money has been put into the pay machine. The barrier can also be operated by using a manual switch.



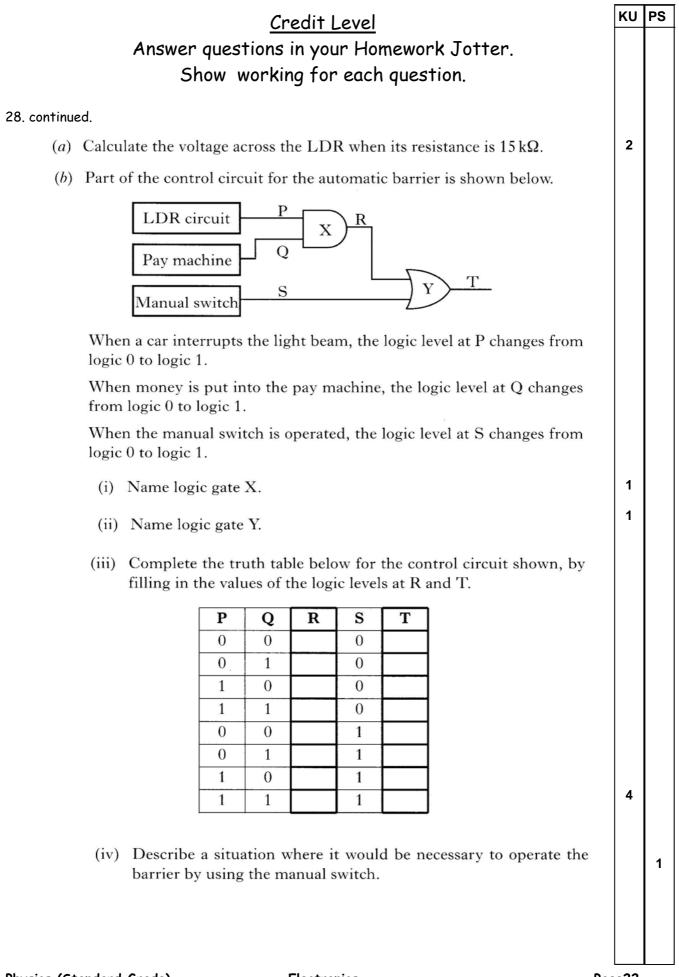
The light beam is directed at an LDR that is connected as shown in the circuit below.

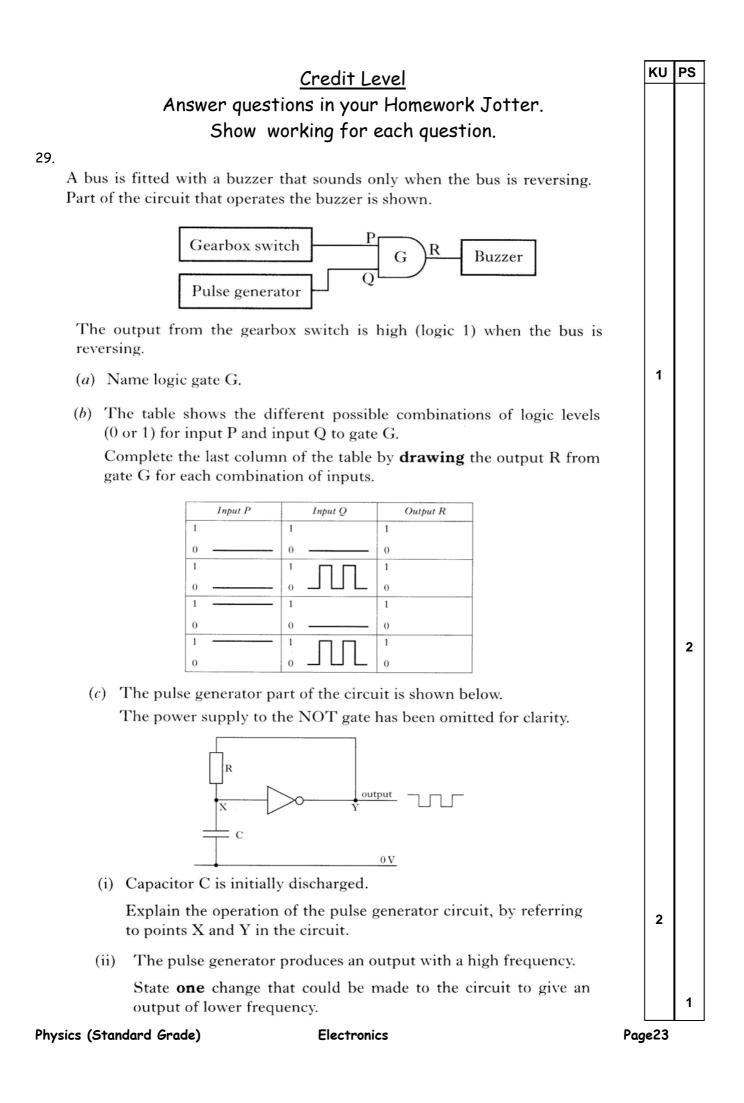


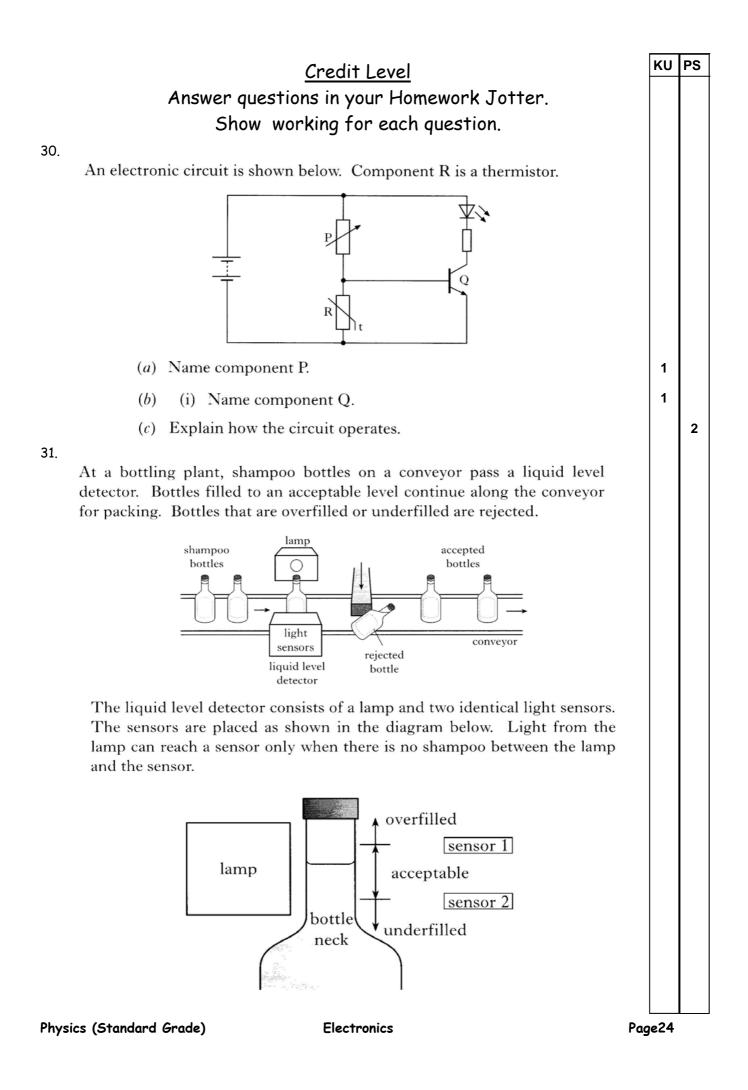
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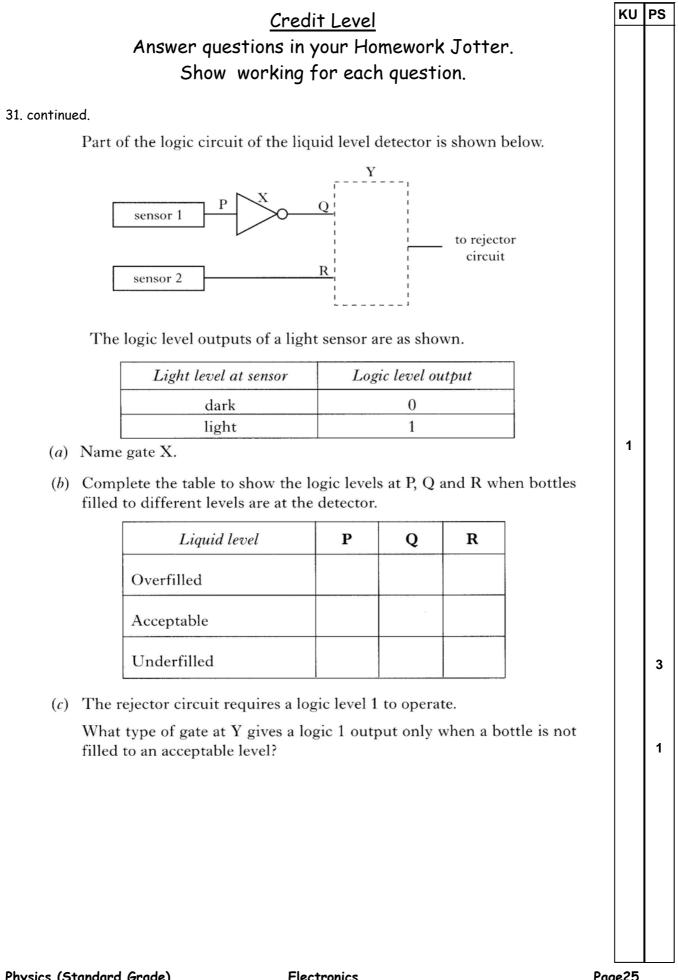
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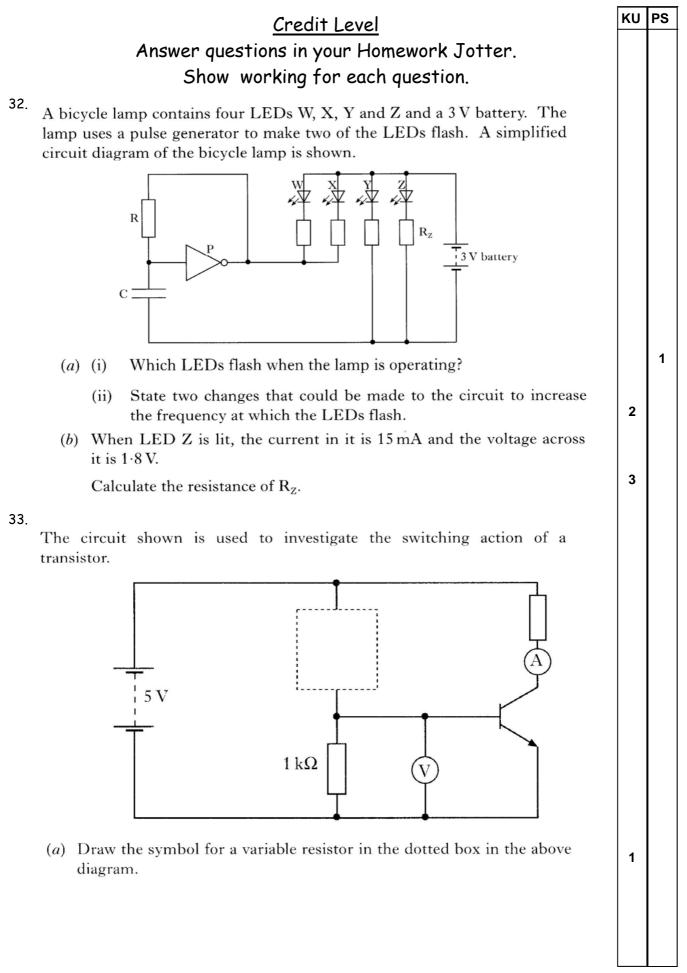
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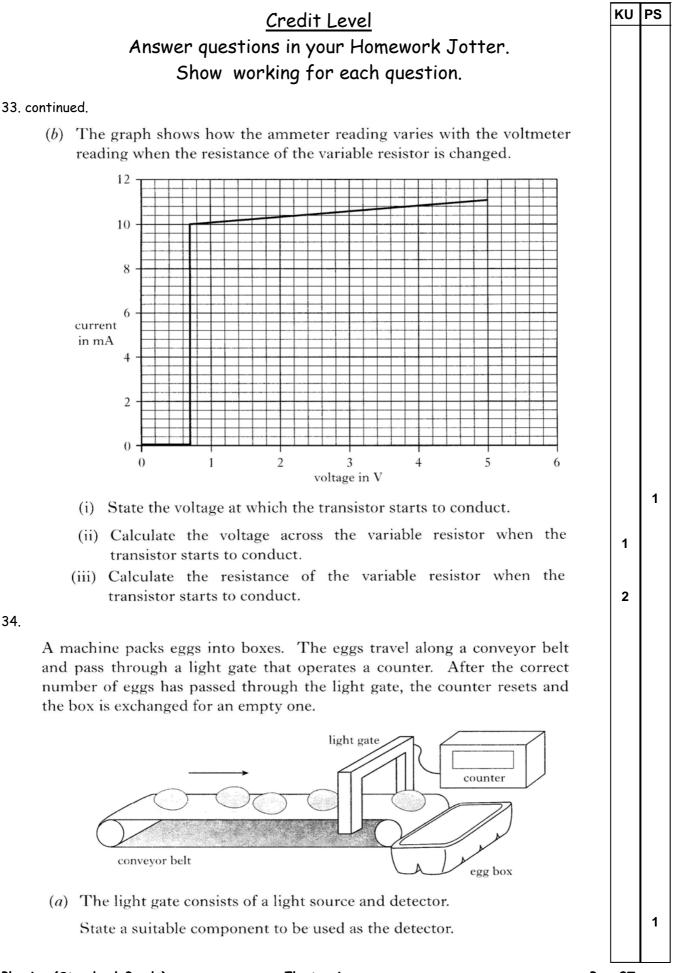








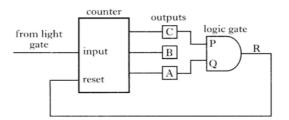




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(b) Part of the counter circuit is shown.



The input to the counter goes to logic 1 every time an egg passes through the light gate. When the reset to the counter goes to logic 1, the outputs go to zero.

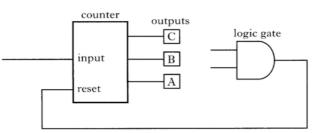
The table below shows the logic states of the three outputs A, B and C of the counter as eggs pass the detector.

Number of eggs	А	В	С
0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1
2	0	1	0
3	0	1	1
4	1	0	0
5	1	0	1
6	1	1	0
7	1	1	1

(i) Complete the truth table for the logic gate shown.

Р	Q	R
0	0	
0	1	
1	0	
1	1	

- (ii) How many eggs are being packed into each box when the logic gate is connected to the counter outputs as shown?
- (iii) Complete the diagram below to show how the logic gate should be connected to the counter outputs so that six eggs can be packed in a box.



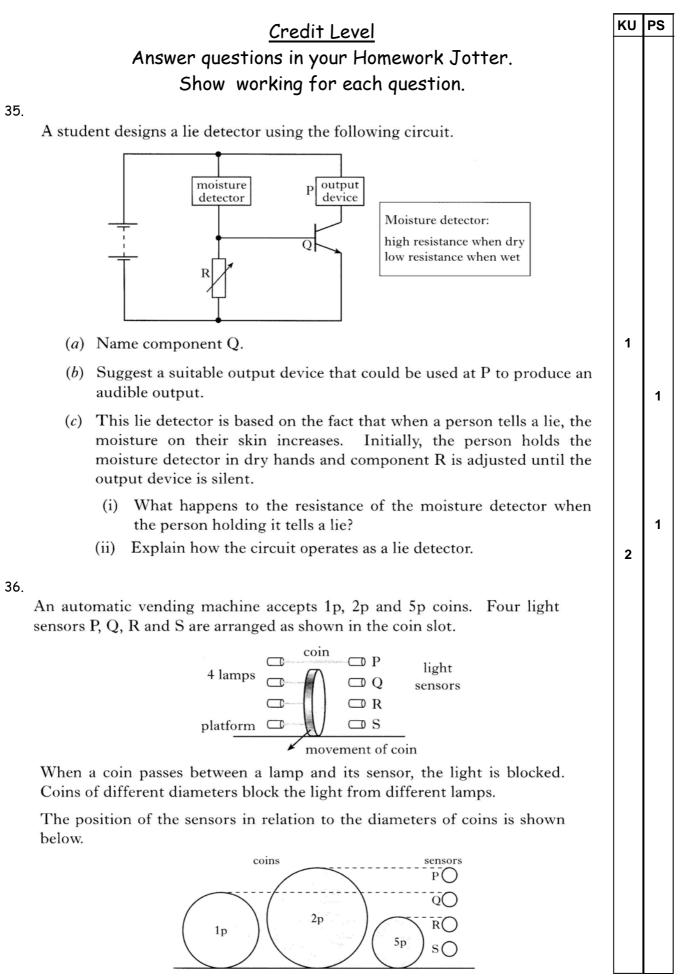
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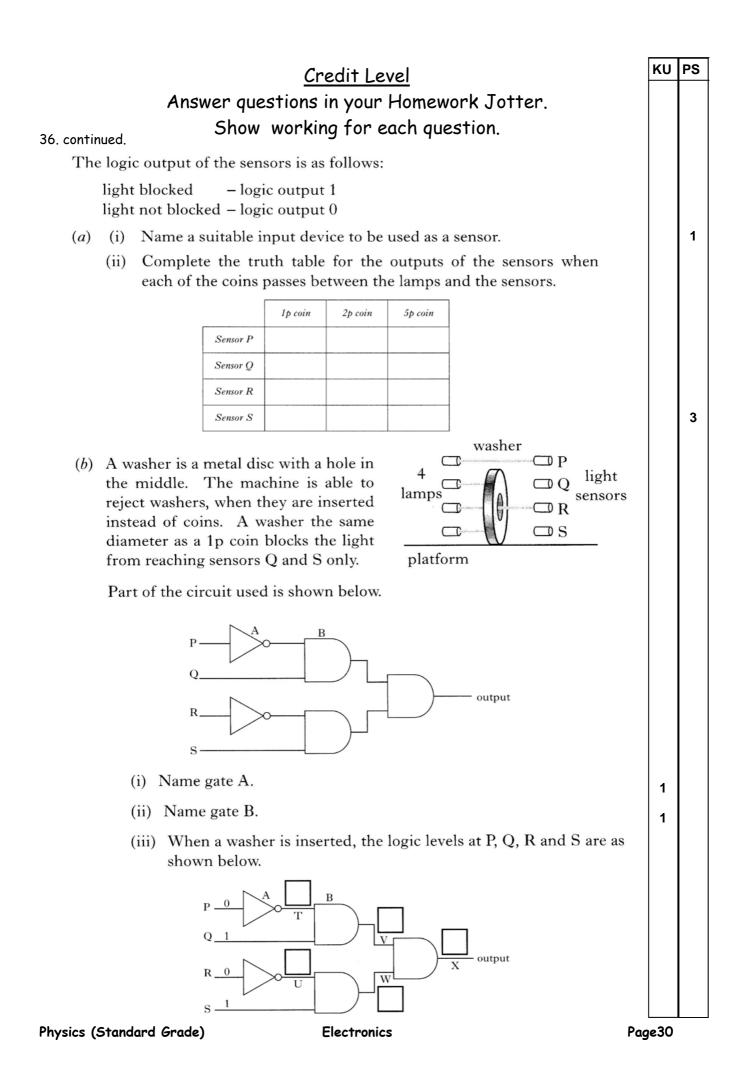
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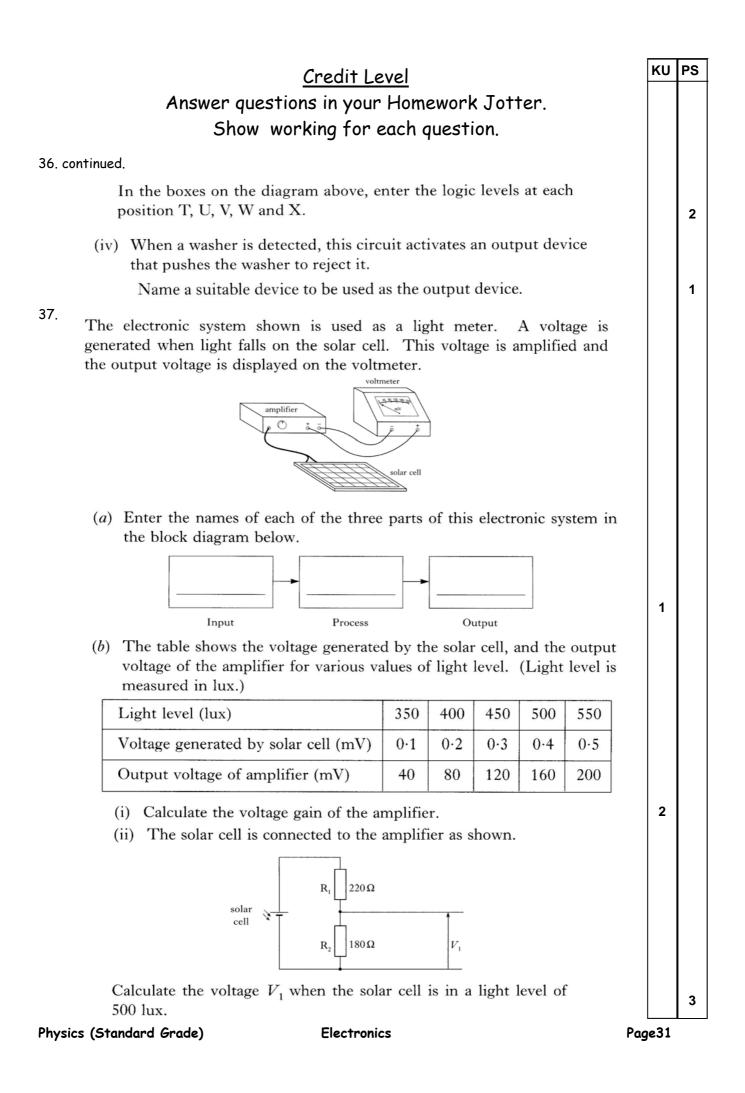
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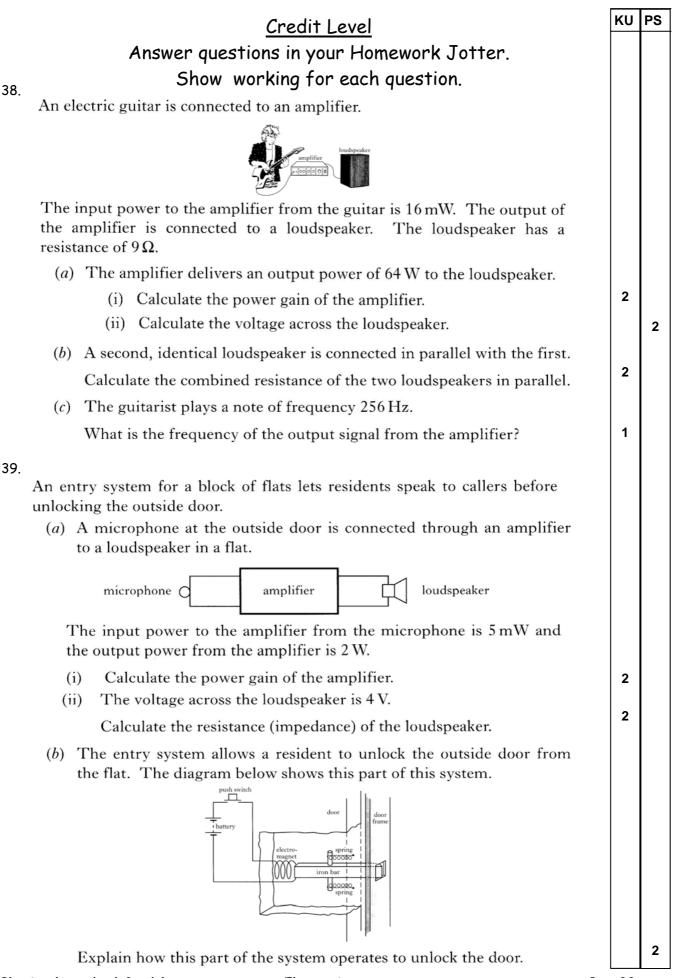
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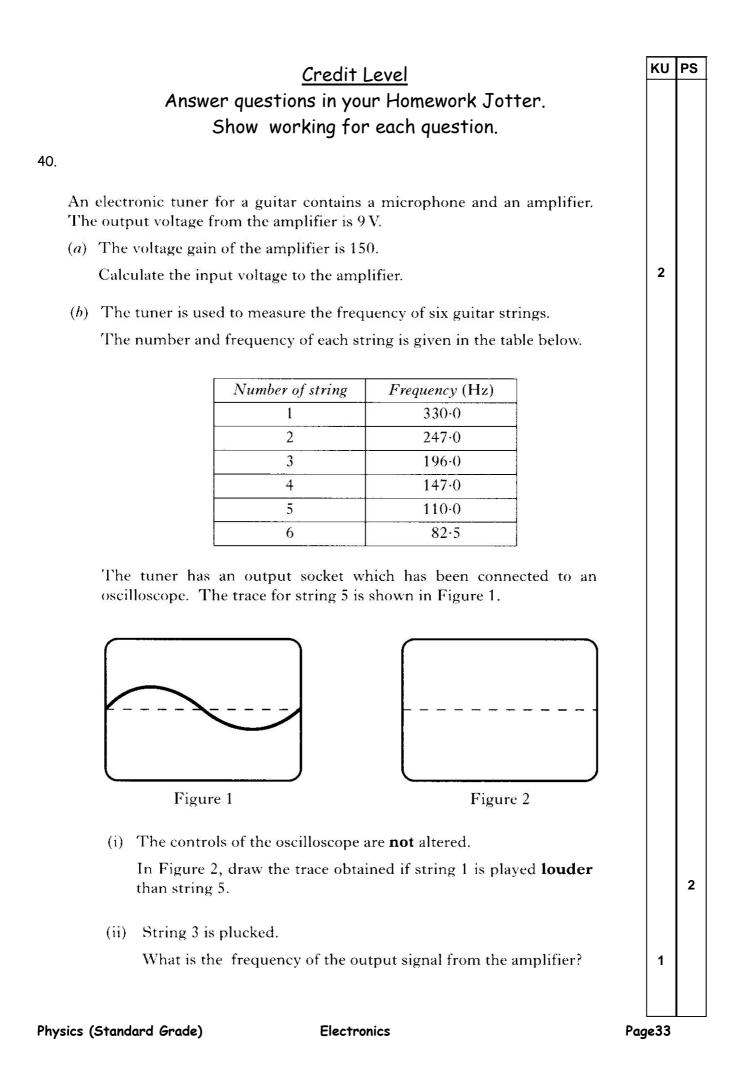






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