

Moments 2 - Answers

1.

(a)	the point (in a body) ✓ where the weight (or gravity) of the object appears to act [or resultant torque zero] ✓	2
(b) (i)	$P \times 0.90 = 160 \times 0.50$ ✓ $P = 89\text{N}$ ✓ (88.9N)	3
(ii)	$Q = (160 - 89) = 71\text{N}$ ✓ (allow C.E. for value of $P$ from (i))	
(c)	(minimum) force $\times 0.10 = 160 \times 0.40$ ✓ force = 640N ✓	2
(d)	force is less ✓ because distance to pivot is larger ✓ smaller force gives large enough moment ✓	3

2.

(a) (i)	force $\times$ perpendicular distance ✓ between line of action of force and the point ✓	2
(a) (ii)	rear ✓ at rear + idea that centre of mass is closer to the rear wheel (than to the front wheel) ✓	2
(a) (iii)	$14000 \times 1.4 = F \times 2.5$ ✓ $F = 7840\text{ (N)}$ ✓ divides their final answer by 2 ✓ $= 3900\text{ (N)}$ ✓ (3922)	4
(b)	$(F = k\Delta l) \frac{F}{k}$ or $(\Delta l =) \frac{a^{(iii)}}{100000}$ ✓ $= 0.039\text{ (m)}$ ✓ ecf	2
(c)	$F = (100000 \times 0.065 =) 6500\text{ (N)}$ ✓ $F = (2 \times 6500) = 13000\text{ (N)}$ ✓	2

3.

(a)	(sum of) clockwise moments (about a point) =(sum of) anticlockwise moments ✓ (for a system) in equilibrium ✓ accept <i>balanced</i> not <i>stationary</i>	2
(b)	$(780 \times 0.35 =) 270 \text{ (Nm)} \checkmark (273)$ <b>Nm</b> ✓ or newton metre(s) accept Newton metre(s) (not J, nm or nM, Nms, etc)	2
(c)	1 (b) + $(1100 \times 0.60) \checkmark$ $(=) F_A \times 1.3 \checkmark (F_A = 660 + 273/1.3 \text{ gets both marks})$ $(= 933/1.3) = 720 \text{ (N)} \checkmark (717.7 \text{ or } 715 \text{ for use of } 930)$ ecf 1 (b) <b>2 sf only</b> ✓ independent mark	4
(d)	$(780 + 1100 - (1(c)) = 1200 \checkmark (1162 \text{ N}))$ ecf 1 (c)	1
(e)	$(F = \frac{P}{v}) = \frac{7.5 (\times 10^3)}{26} \checkmark$ must be arranged in this form $= 290 \text{ (N)} \checkmark (288.46)$	2

4.

(a)(i)	moment: force x perpendicular distance to the pivot / axis / point	B1
(ii)	for equilibrium / balanced the sum of the clockwise moments about a pivot is equal to the sum of anticlockwise moments (about the same pivot/axis/point) (clockwise moments equal the anticlockwise moments scores one only)	B2
(b)(i)	total mass = $(1000 + 250) / 9.81$ = $(127.42)$ or $(127.55 \text{ if } 9.8 \text{ used})$ (allow one mark for the individual masses being calculated)	C1
	volume = $2 \times 3.5 \times 10^{-2}$ = $(7.0 \times 10^{-2})$	C1
	density = mass / volume = $127.42 / (7.0 \times 10^{-2})$ hence density = $1820 \text{ (kgm}^{-3}\text{)} (1822 \text{ using } 9.8)$	M1 A0
(c)(i)	moments about P (or other named and suitable point)	B1
	$1000 \times 0.2 = 200$ or equivalent moment equals $250 \times 0.8 = 200$ or equivalent moment hence P is $0.4 + 0.8 = 1.2 \text{ m}$ from B	C1 C1 A0
(ii)	P is the centre of gravity / mass (of the whole pillar) (Allow the point where the total weight acts)	B1

5.

- (a)(i) point where the weight (allow mass) (appears to) acts B1
- (ii) force x perpendicular distance from (line of action to) point/pivot  
any missing points in the definitions –1 B2
- (b)(i) force up at A at pivot point  
force due to the weight of man down near centre of body  
support from scale up within pad B3  
ignore labels for reaction forces at A and B (arrows only needed),  
weight of man needs a label to distinguish from W weight of plank
- (ii) anticlockwise moments = clockwise moments seen or implied C1
- $$5g \times 1 + 75g \times d = 44g \times 2 \quad C1$$
- $$d = (88g - 5g) / 75g \quad C1$$
- $$= 1.1 \text{ (m)} \quad A1$$
- (if weight of plank ignored then max score of 2)
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6.

- (a) 1. sum of the moments (about any point) is zero / no resultant torque B1
2. sum of all the forces acting is zero / no resultant force B1
- (b)(i)  $F_B \times 1.7 = (80 \times 0.85) + (650 \times 1.3)$  B2  
One moment correct allow 1  
Analysis leading to 537 N i.e.  $F_B = 913 / 1.7$  B1
- $$F = 540 \quad (537) \text{ (N)} \quad A0$$
- (ii)  $F_A = 650 + 80 - 540$  or  $F \times 1.7 = 650 \times 0.4 + 80 \times 0.85$  C1
- $$= 190 \text{ (N)} \quad (193 \text{ N}) \quad A1$$
- (iii)  $F_A$  goes up B1  
 $F_B$  goes down B1  
To obtain the same moment a smaller force is required if the  
distance from the pivot increases /  $(F_A + F_B)$  is a constant /  
weight (of painter) transfers from support B to support A B1

7.

(a)(i)	pressure = force / area	B1
(ii)	moment = force multiplied by the <u>perpendicular</u> distance (from the line of action of the force) to the <u>pivot</u>	B1
(b)(i)	force drawn vertically upwards at plunger	B1
	force drawn vertically at H	B1
(ii)	20 x 500 / force on Plunger x 120 (one correct moment stated)	B1
	Plunger force x 120 = (20 x 500)	B1
	Plunger force = 83(.3) (N)	A0
(c)(i)	pressure = force / area	
	= 83 / 4 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>	C1
	= 20800 (Pa)	A1
(ii)	decrease area of plunger / decrease distance H to plunger / increase F / increase length of arm	B2 MAX 2

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