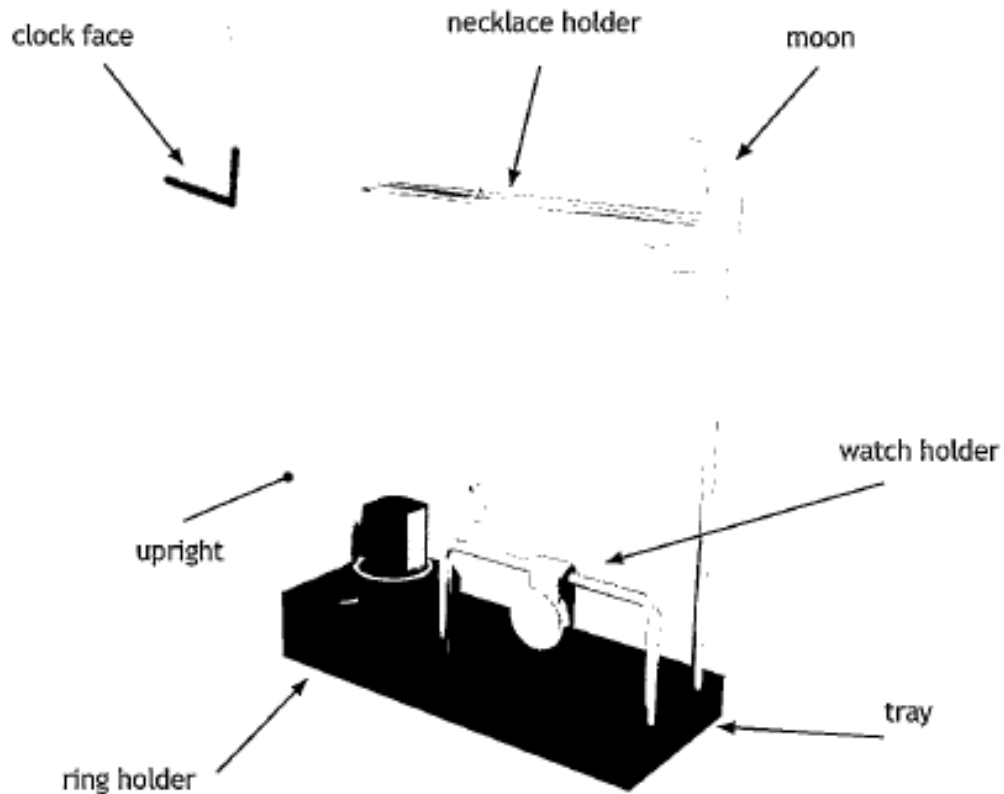


## Candidate 1 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

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pine

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A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

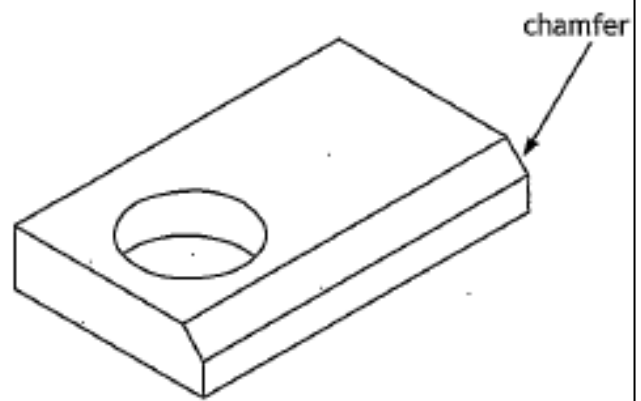
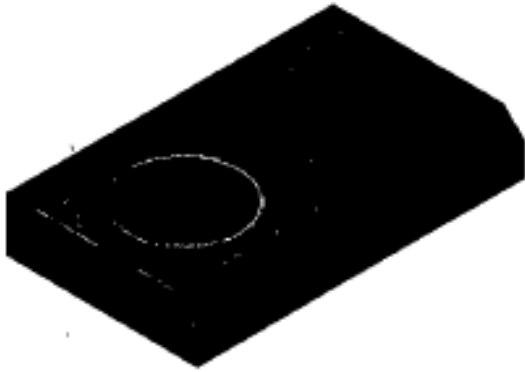
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pillar drill

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## 1. (continued)

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.



(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

rebate plane

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## 1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

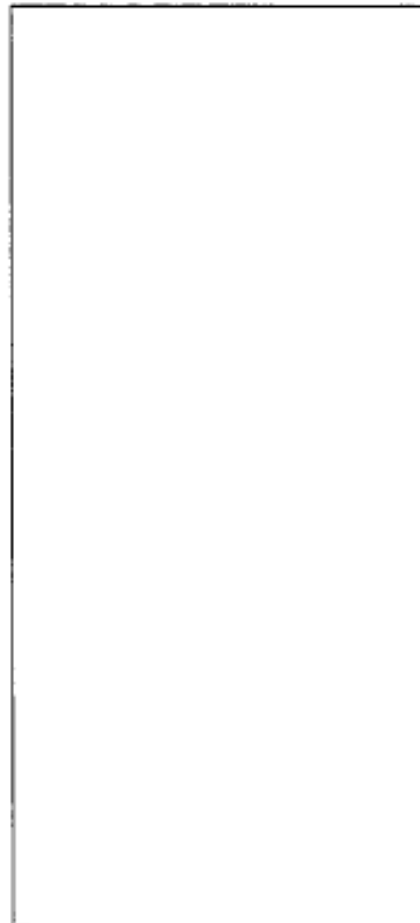


(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- You would use a steel rule to measure the wood.
- then use a marking gauge to mark the saw line. Mark the waste wood
- You would use a scrap piece as a guide line
- Then using a sash cramp to keep it in place.
- Then use a hand router to clean the joint out



## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray.

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lap joint

The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square.

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You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

• Use a enigeer

square put it up

against the wood

and check if it

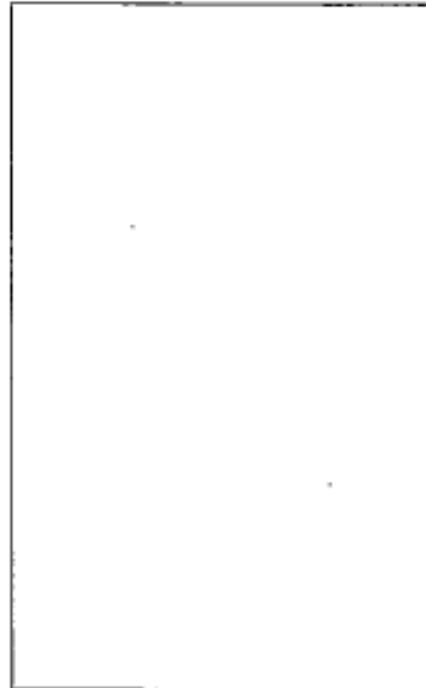
is a 90° angle

• Put it against

a different piece of

wood that is

the right size.



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray.

1

Glue

[Turn over

## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

- You would sand the wood first to make it nice and smooth.
- Put white spirit on an old rag and rub it against the wood.
- Let it dry before put the stained finish on.

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



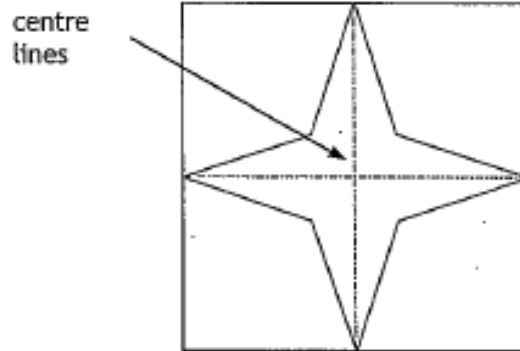
- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

2

- Because it is long lasting and durable.
- Brass doesn't rust so not a lot of maintenance.
- Brass is a non ferrous metal.

## 1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.



- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- You would use a steel rule to measure the line down and across of the star.
- Then once you find the centre you would use a centre punch to make an indent in the metal to know where to saw. and a mallet would hit the centre punch.



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

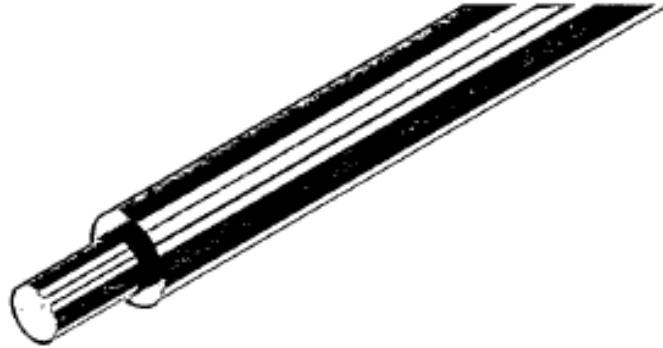
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hollow saw

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**1. (continued)**

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



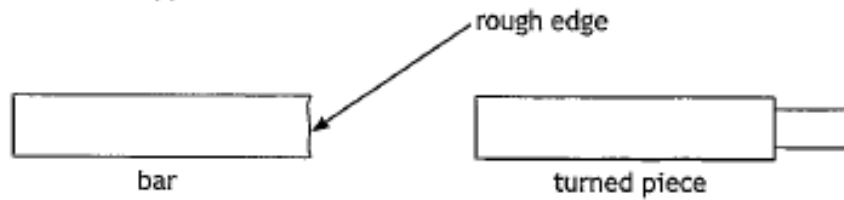
- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

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- ° Check if the protective visor is down
- ° Check if the material fits the lathe tight so it doesn't fall off during the process.

## 1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.

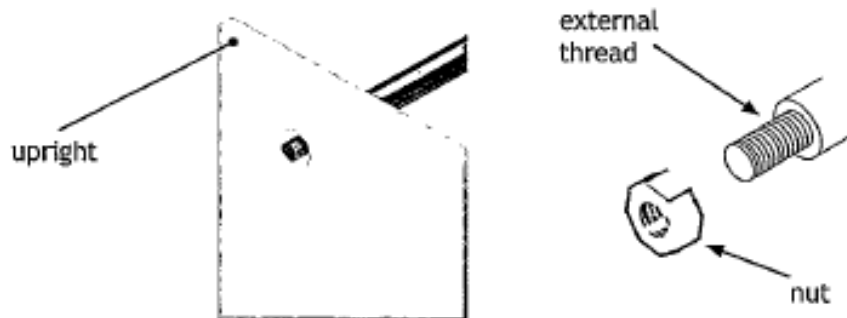


(ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

2

- Knurling
- Taper turning
- Chamfering

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



(iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

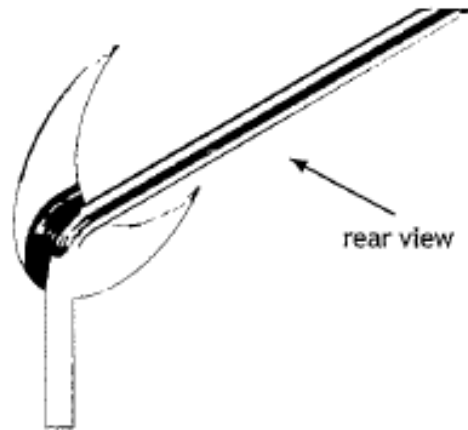
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- Make sure the tap has grease on it so it is easier and a better thread.
- Make sure you turn the tap back and forward and not 360° turn or the thread will not be good.

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## 1. (d) (continued)

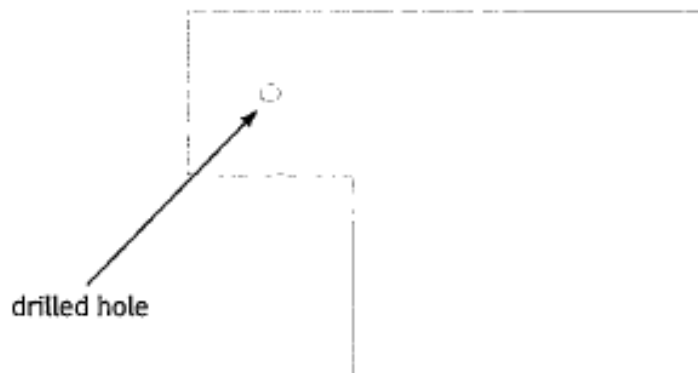
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

glue

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.



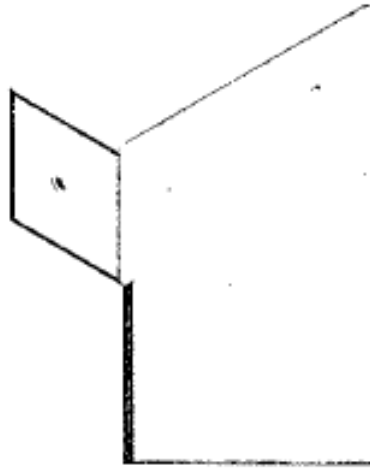
- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

◦ Make sure the drill fits the hole

◦ Don't take off protective plastic.

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.

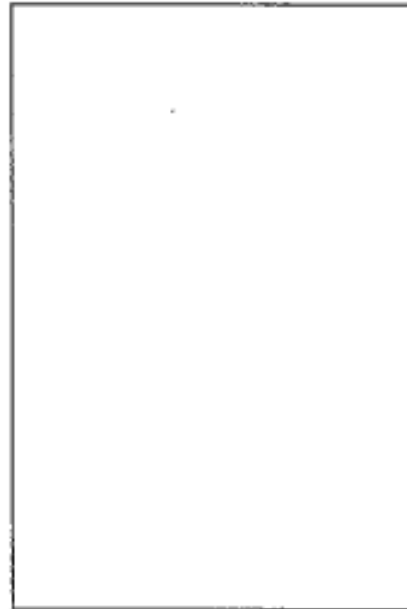


- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

◦ You would mark the line where you want heated with steel rule and pencil and heat this line with a strip heater then once the plastic is floppy you would rap it around a former and hold it there until it cools down and sets.



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

◦ so the acrylic didn't crack.  
 ◦ It would be more accurate.

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

- Different option from other people.
- You will get different answers for every question
- Doesn't take a while to do

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

- To check if your design can do everything that is in your specification

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

◦ Getting ideas.

◦ What the product will look like

◦ What will it do

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

mood board

[Turn over

4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

- To get an idea of what it looks like.
- It is quick to do.
- And easily to do.

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

- To see what it will look like.
- To see all the different function of the product.

**4. (continued)**

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

**3**

- You can see if it fits your hands
- with a sketch you can't hold it
- You can see how big the product is.
- You can see where different add-ons like buttons will be placed on the controller.

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5. A kettle is shown below.

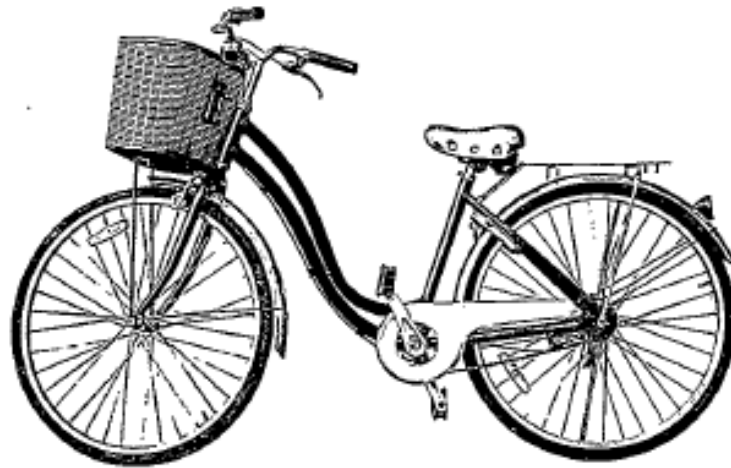


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

- What The handle will fit the width of a human hand.
- The button is easy to access while holding this kettle.
- Is it easy to lift or is it too heavy
- Is there enough space between the metal and the handle without burning yourself.

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

- Is the handle to a height where you are able to be comfortable on the bike.
- Does the bike have safety lights when cycling in the dark.
- Are the brakes easy to use so you don't fall off.

(b) function.

3

- Does the bike tyres run smoothly along different surfaces.
- Are the <sup>pedals</sup> ~~people~~ easy to reach and not too stiff.
- Can the basket hold a quantity of items without falling and breaking.

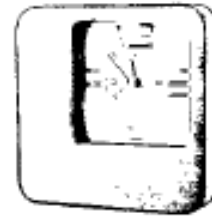
7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

*You should compare three different aesthetic aspects.*

- Clock A and C have bright colours which makes them eye catching too the buyer.
- Clock A has a bigger face which makes it easier to read.
- Clock B has alot more simply colours and old finished which means not very many young people will buy this.

## 7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

2

- So the person/buyer knows what brand they are buying.
- So it is more eye-catching for the buyer. So there is a better chance of them buying it.

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8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

Metal Tap



Plastic Tap



Metals

- Mild steel
- Copper
- Iron

Plastics

- Acrylic
- Urea formaldehyde
- ABS

*A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.*

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

Copper

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

due to it being non-ferrous and it will not rust

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

Acrylic

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

Because you can reheat it and bend it. And comes in wide range of colours.

**8. (continued)**

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded.

2

- There would be marks left where the process had started.
- And it would be a light weight material
- And there would be cutting lines where it has been cut.

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps.

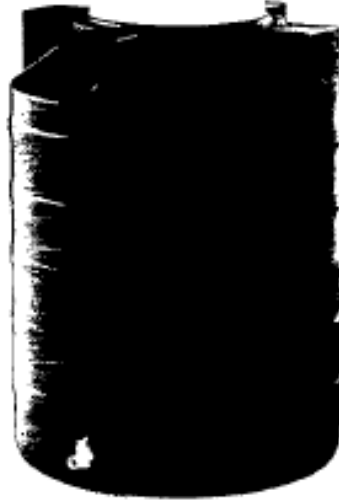
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- Because they are all the same shape and size.
- Because it is quick and easy.

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## 8. (continued)

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



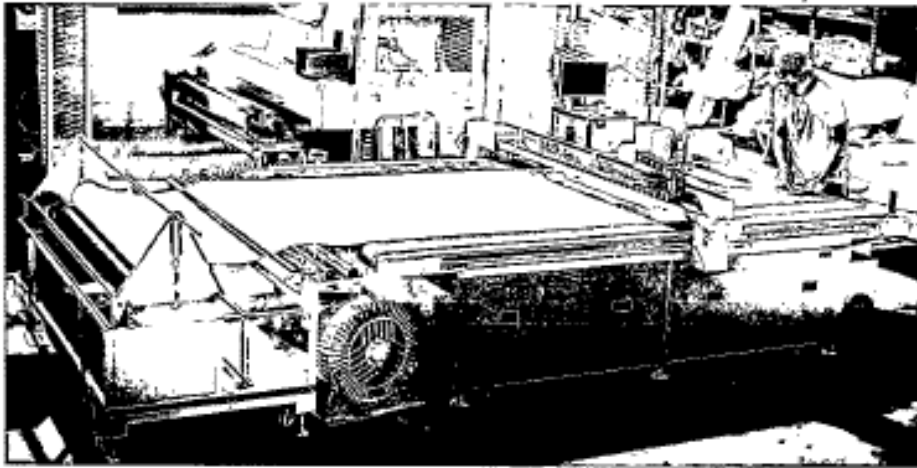
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process Mass Manufacturing

Suitable because they are all the same shape and size. And they all have the same colour on the water tanks.

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

- It is quicker and more efficient.
- There is no mistake of human error.
- Less people have to get paid because it is robots and people will look for other jobs elsewhere.

Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

Because they may have a product that has certain little indent or logo on it.

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

- Standard components are easier to use instead of making them from scratch.
- Standard components means the full product can be manufactured quicker.
- Standard components are more long lasting and sustainable.

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

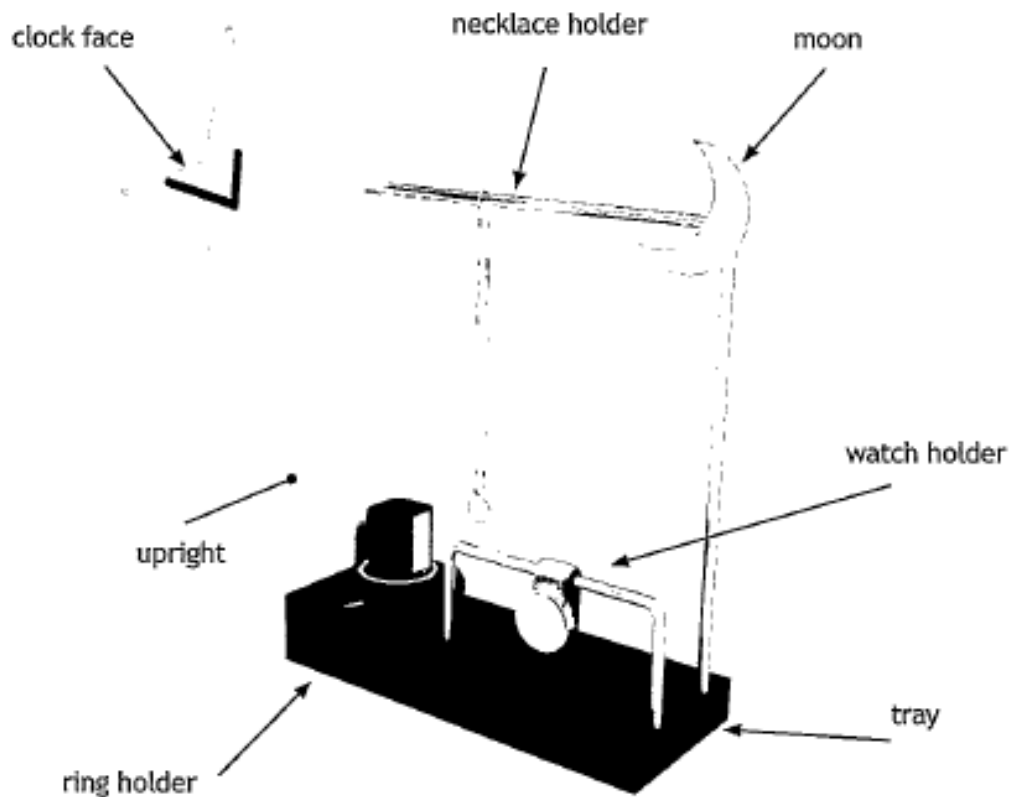
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- Use a finish on a product that will make it more long lasting and sustainable
- Use strong materials like ones that are non-ferrous because they don't rust like ferrous metals.
- They could use materials that are good for the environment

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## Candidate 2 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

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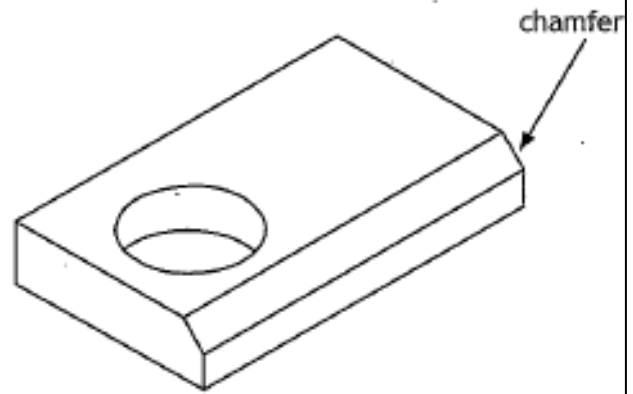
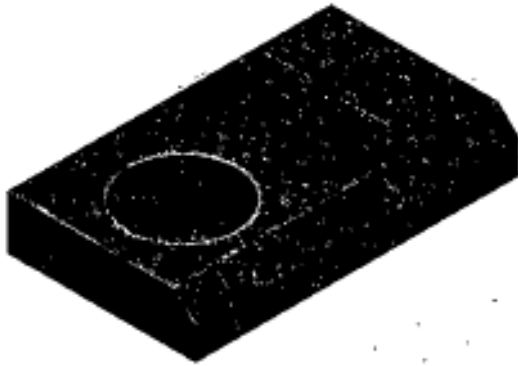
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## 1. (continued)

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.



(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

Smoothing plane

## 1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

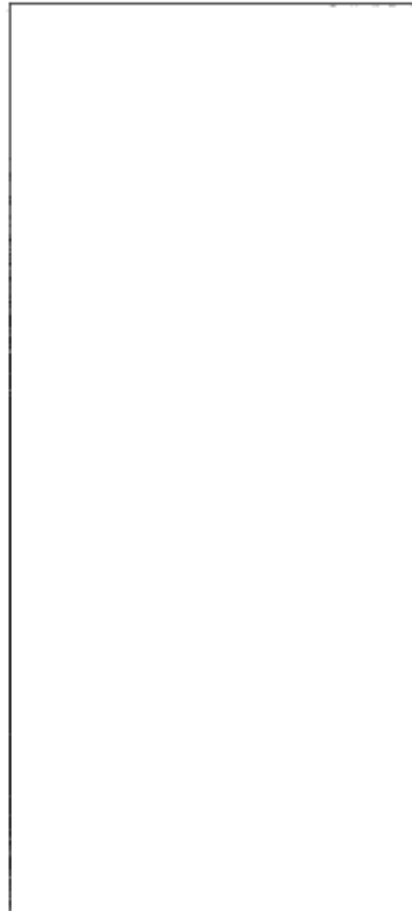


(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

use a steel rule to  
mark out where the  
material should join.  
use a tenon saw to  
cut the line.  
use a chisel to help  
lift the material.  
finally use a "granny's  
tooth" to get rid of  
any remaining material  
and to make the cut  
out a smooth surface  
to make the joint strong.



## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

through housing

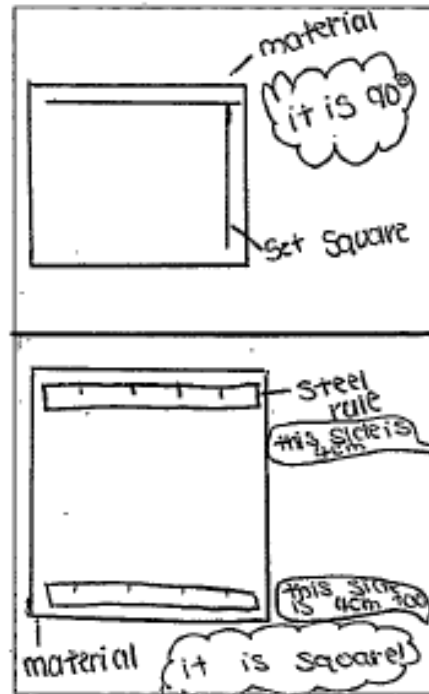
The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square. 2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

you could check by  
using a set square  
to be sure the  
corners are at 90°  
angles.

You could also use  
a steel rule to make  
sure opposite sides are  
the same size as  
that would mean it's 90°



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

wood glue

[Turn over

## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

· sand the material down.

· prime the material using spray paint.

· use wet and dry ~~paper~~ paper on the product.

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

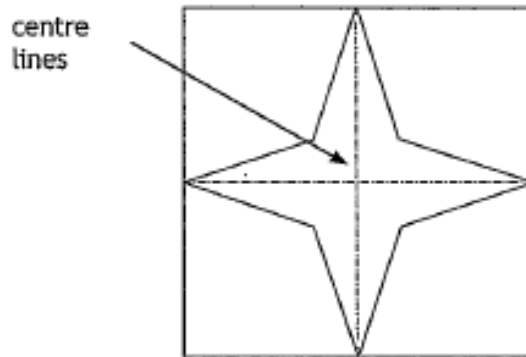
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· it is easy to clean

· it is durable

1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.

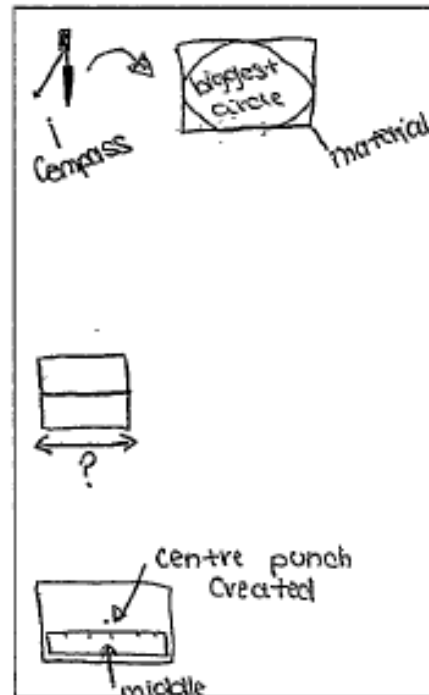


- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

use a COMPASS to  
draw the biggest  
possible circle  
possible.  
measure with a  
steel rule to find  
the correct length from  
side to side.  
use a centre punch  
to mark where the  
middle of the square is



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

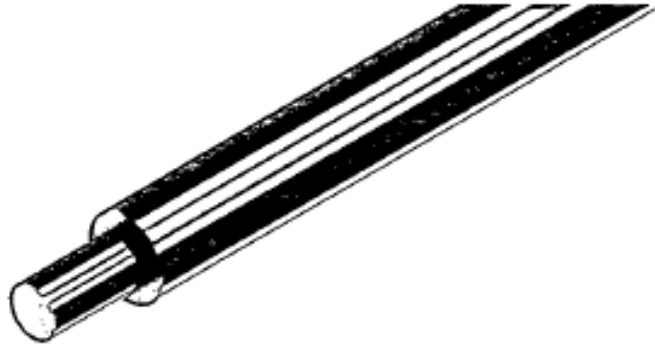
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Tenon Saw

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**1. (continued)**

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

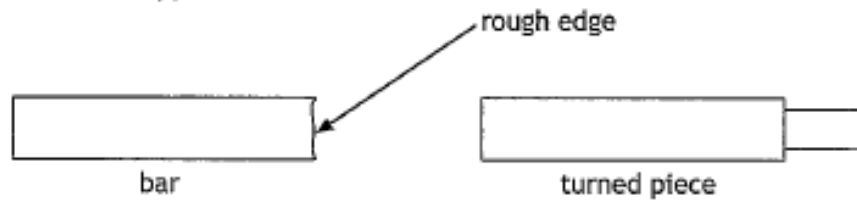
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ensure the material is secured in place, so that when you turn the lathe on, the material doesn't fly out.

make sure the lathe guard has been placed on so that people are protected.

## 1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.



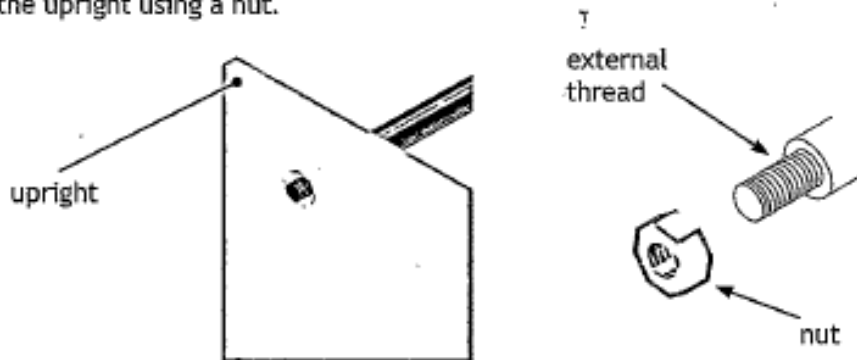
- (ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

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Step turning

em welding

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



- (iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

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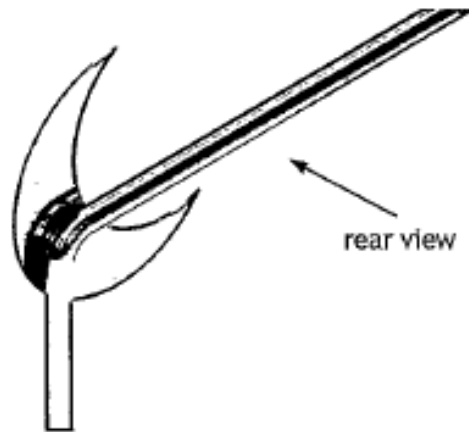
only twist 180° at a time. - taking your time  
can make the thread accurate.

make sure when your twisting you put the thread  
on a flat surface or in an engineers vice  
to prevent making mistakes.

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## 1. (d) (continued)

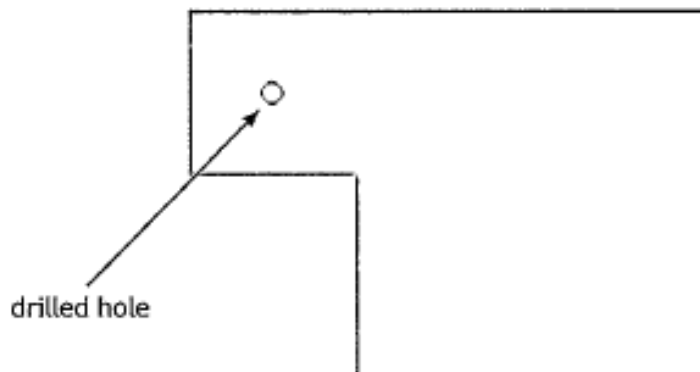
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

Super glue

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

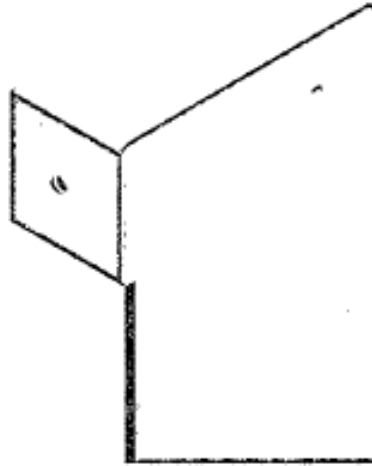


- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

Cover the whole material in masking tape.

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.

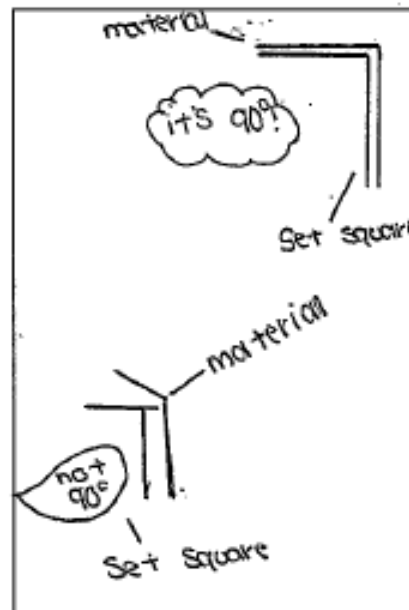


- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

use a strip heater  
to warm the material  
up ready for moulding.  
- then find a 90°  
which could be a table  
and hold it there.  
You can check it is  
accurate by using  
a set square.



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

the other side of the material would get in  
the way.

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

• you can get other peoples opinions.  
• you gain constructive feedback which can help make better changes to your product  
• if loads of people find the same problem with the product then you should probably change/fix it so the problem goes away and people don't have any negative comments to say about the design.

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

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it can be used as a checklist to make sure the product has all the things it should.

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

write a topic or specification so that you  
create some boundaries and create something  
that is in the brief / on topic.  
scribble down every idea even if you think it's  
a rubbish idea because you can make it better later.  
Organise your thoughts by possibly making a  
mind map so it's not too overwhelming.

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

messy sketching.

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4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

• it helps you to be able to communicate and talk with people so you can get feedback on your work.

• Sketching helps you be able to understand your own drawings and seeing if it will actually be possible.

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

• to be able to know what sizes of material you're going to need.

• to know what material you're going to use.

## 4. (continued)

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

models can be used to test your design, to see if your products function actually works.

models help you ~~make~~ decide what the best option for your design is.

models can help you communicate your design and help you find flaws or problems which you can fix.

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5. A kettle is shown below.

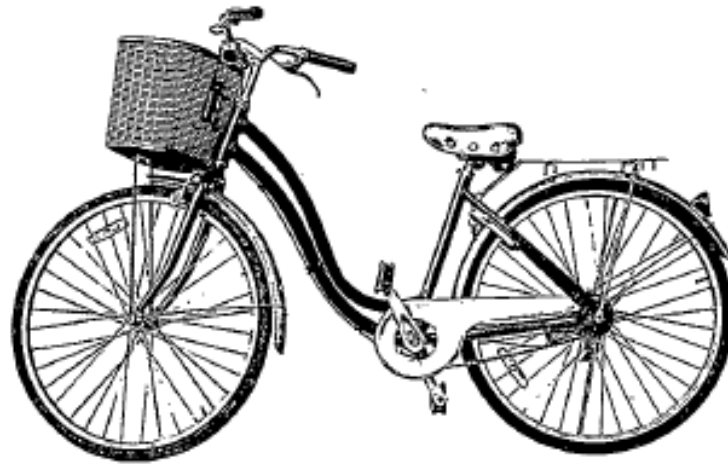


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

- a persons hand size to be able to grip and lift the handle of the kettle.
- a persons finger size to push down the button to actually make the kettle work.
- the maximum water capacity is at 1.7 litres to make sure people can be able to lift the kettle to make a drink but also so the kettle doesn't overflow.
- the lid at the top must be able to open easily to make sure people don't struggle filling the kettle.

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

the handles of the bike shouldn't be too far away from the seat.

the bike bell mustn't be too close to where a person would grip.

the lights on the bike should go 360° around the bike.

(b) function.

3

the pedals of the bike must be a certain height of the ground.

the seat should be adjustable so that people only have to buy one bike

the wheels must be a certain length apart.

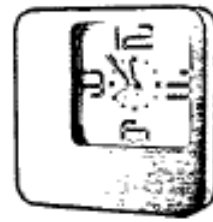
7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

You should compare three different aesthetic aspects.

Clock A has 12 numbers which would help young children, clock B has 12 roman numerals which is only good if you understand them and clock C only has 4 numbers which would be difficult to read for children.

Clock A is <sup>a teal colour</sup> ~~wall mounted~~ which is welcoming so should go in a school, B is brown and should go on a fire place, C is pink and bright which should go in childrens bedrooms.

A is wall mounted, B is free standing, C is also free standing but doesn't look as safe.

## 7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

2

Certain brands can become more popular or trendy  
and other people will buy it to join the trend.  
people want to fit in.

[Turn over

8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

Metal Tap



- Metals
- Mild steel
  - Copper
  - Iron

Plastic Tap



- Plastics
- Acrylic
  - Urea formaldehyde
  - ABS

*A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.*

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

Copper

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

it's strong / durable

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

Acrylic

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

comes in loads of different colours.

**8. (continued)**

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded. 2

· ejection marks

· mold split lines

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps. 2

· it is quick

· it makes everything identical.

[Turn over

**8. (continued)**

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



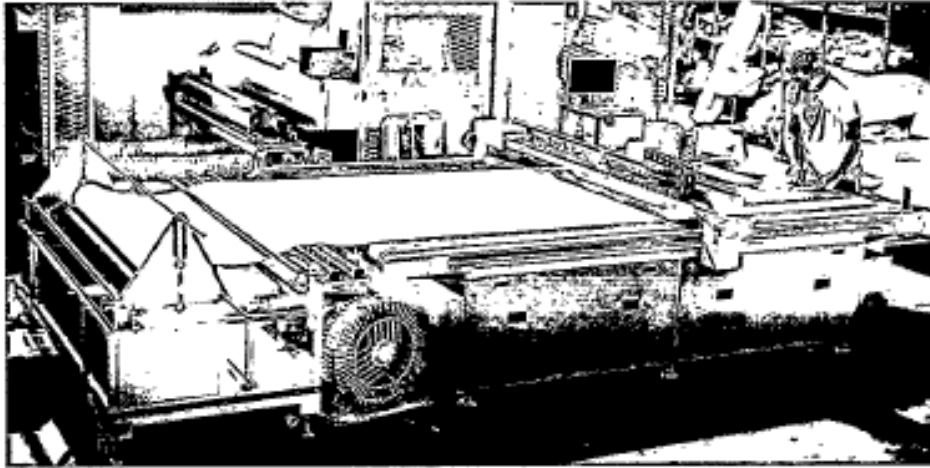
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process rotational moulding

Suitable because the water tank is hollow. the water tank is big and rotational moulding is able to create big products.

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

It is suitable for mass production because it's  
so quick.

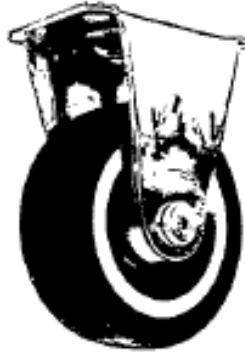
Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

Some products can be a one-off product to  
be limited edition.

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

normally standard components are easy to buy as suppliers are stocked up on things that are most in demand at that moment.

Standard components are basic so are relatively cheap to purchase.

Standard components are easy to make and people are then able to buy in bulk.

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

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• test the product before it gets sold.

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• use high quality materials and parts so it's likely to last longer.

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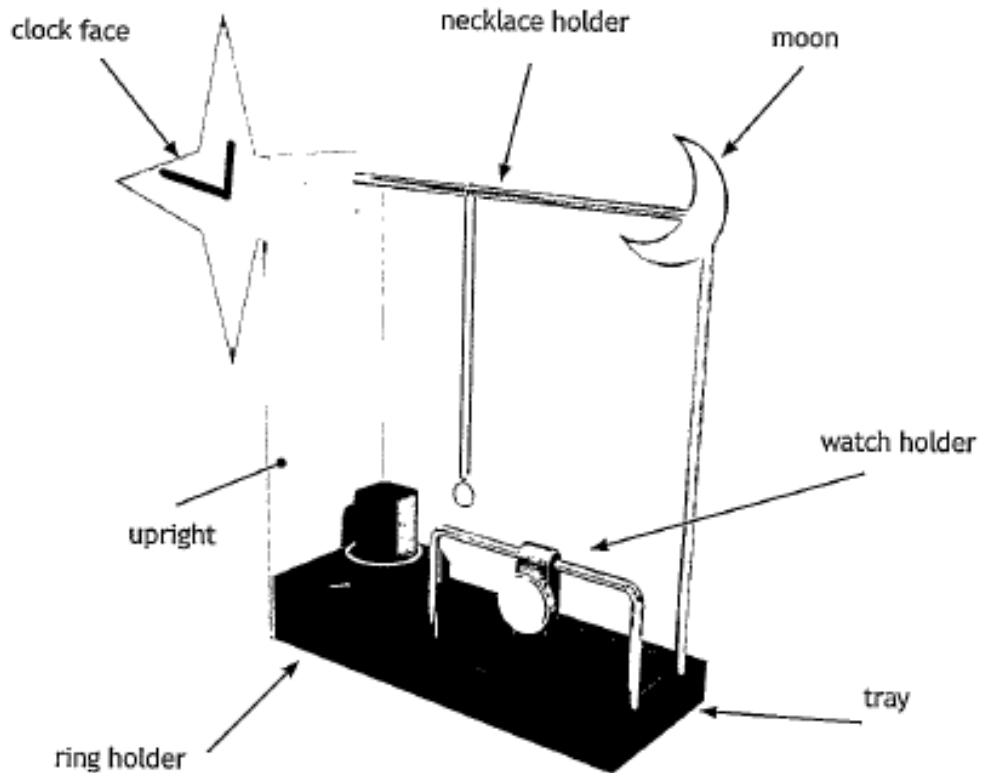
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## Candidate 3 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

1

Red pine

A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

1

flatter bit



1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.



(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

~~Use~~ set square  
 marking gauge  
 to 12mm the  
 score the top  
 of the wood.  
 normally use set  
 the marking  
 gauge to half  
 the thickness  
 of the wood  
 and mark  
 the wood's side  
 up to 12mm  
 up. The use a



tenor or flush cut saw  
 to cut a line half way  
 into the wood,  
 and finally use  
 chisel to remove the page 04  
 remaining waste material

## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

clawed joint

The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square. 2

*You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.*

use a try-square  
to check the  
corners and  
use a template



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

PVA

[Turn over

## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

sand the wood with  
low and high grit sand  
paper. remove any dust  
and wet the wood.

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



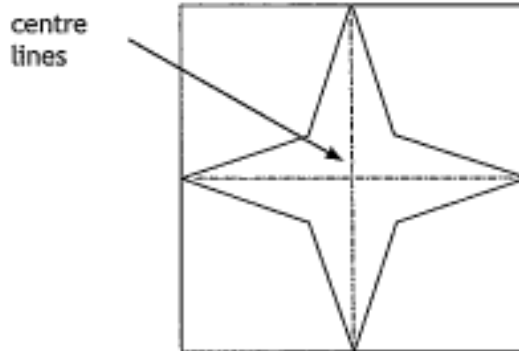
- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

2

brass is easy to source  
and easy to work  
with

## 1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.



- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Use a steel  
rule to find  
the center  
then use  
a scriber  
to scribe  
the lines.



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

1

hacksaw

[Turn over

**1. (continued)**

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



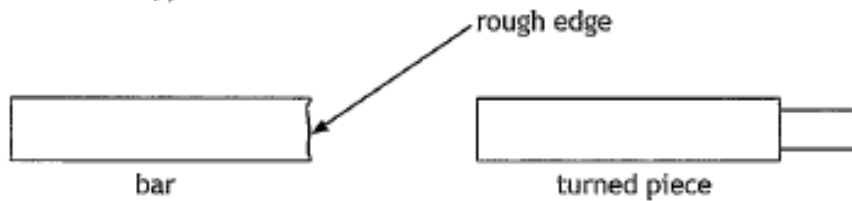
- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

2

make sure the tail stock  
is secure in place and  
make sure the material  
is secure in the lathe

1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.



- (ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

2

*Parallel turning and 2*

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An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



- (iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

2

*make sure the tools used are sharp*

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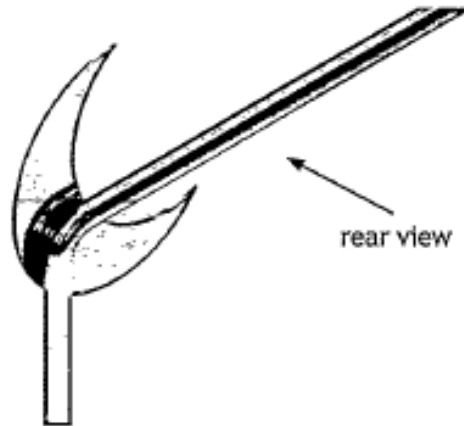


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## 1. (d) (continued)

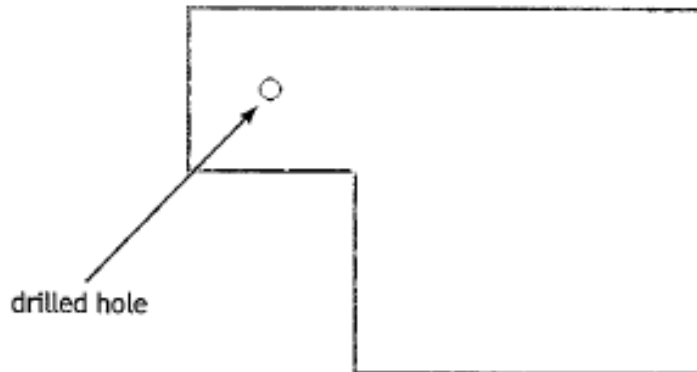
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. **1**

super glue

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

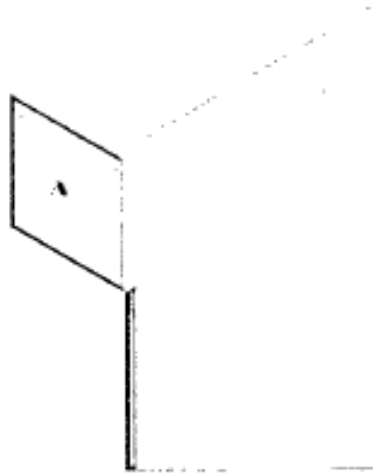


- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. **1**

make sure the hole is drilled slowly and the acrylic is secure,

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.

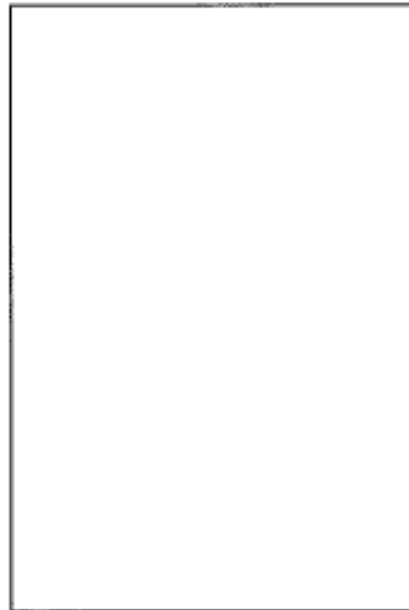


- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Use a strip  
header to  
heat up a  
strip of the  
plastic. Then  
bend the ~~strip~~  
a plastic and  
hold in vice  
till it sets



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

so the load a load  
chance of the acrylic  
cracking

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

you can gather information from a wide range of people. the question form be written to suite a target audience. the results are easy to present

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

it can be use as a check list ~~against the product~~ on what the model should be and do

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

its a group activity were  
there are no silly ideas  
and ideas should bounce  
off each other

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

setting the pencil for  
a walk

[Turn over

4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

it's quick and give a rough idea of what the model will look like

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

~~it's quick~~ to let the manufacturer see how ~~it~~ the parts fit together and allow ideas to be refined

**4. (continued)**

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

it gives a better understanding of the model, it makes it easier to generate ideas and refine ideas.

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5. A kettle is shown below.

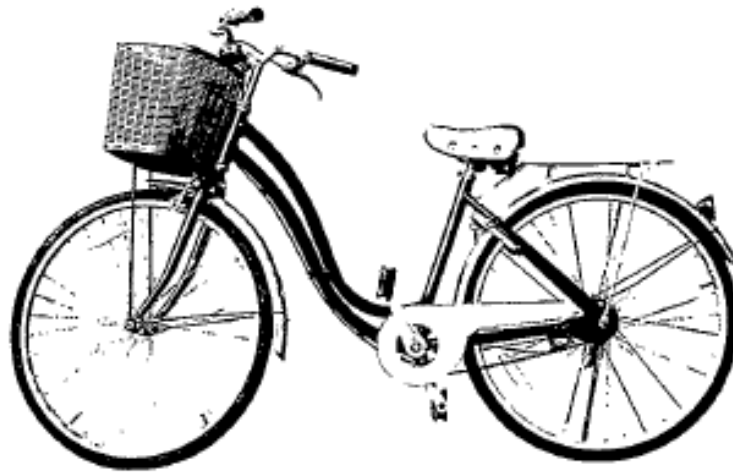


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

The size of the kettle, how heavy it is, the size of the handle and buttons are not hard to press

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

brakes ~~are~~ were added,  
the brake lever had  
to press ~~and~~ and there  
is nothing sharp sticking  
out

(b) function.

3

a basket was added  
for storage. the frame is  
low so you can get on  
and off it easily. the  
~~are~~ material is better and  
scraps ~~is~~ resistant

7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

*You should compare three different aesthetic aspects.*

clock a is more modern  
than clock b. clock b is  
the only one made of  
wood and clock c is  
the only square one

7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

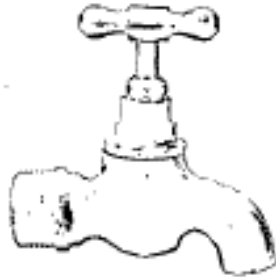
2

premium prices and customer loyalty

[Turn over

8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

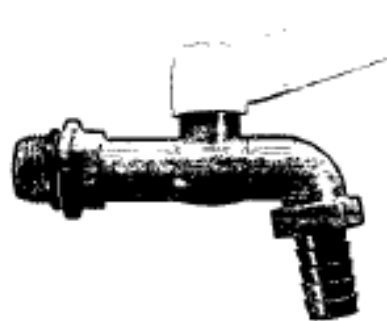
Metal Tap



Metals

- Mild steel
- Copper
- Iron

Plastic Tap



Plastics

- Acrylic
- Urea formaldehyde
- ABS

A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

~~copper~~ mild steel

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

it doesn't rust

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

ABS

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

its ~~strong~~ strong and durable

**8. (continued)**

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded. 2

injection marks and split  
lines

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps. 2

it's easy when making  
more than one and  
~~cost~~ accurate

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## 8. (continued)

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



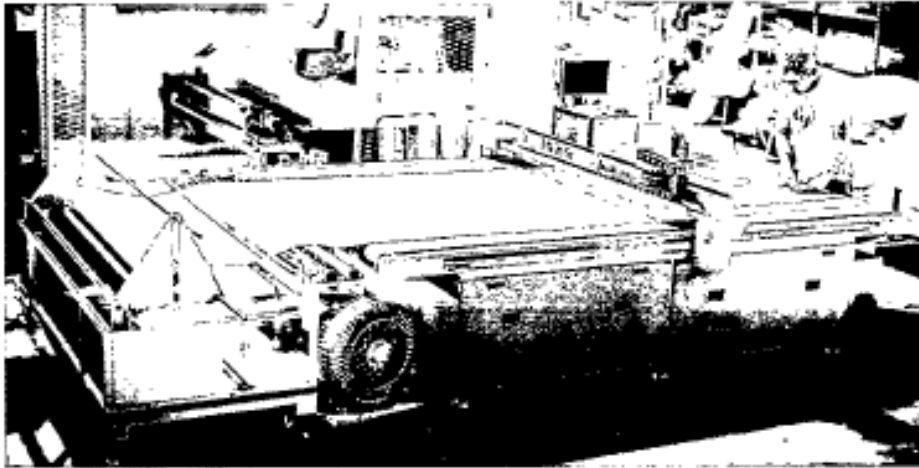
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process <sup>vacuum</sup> ~~extrusion~~ ~~die~~ moulding

Suitable because can be done easily  
and ~~very~~ efficiently

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

can produce mass  
amounts, ~~to~~ less labor  
intensive and is accurate

Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

It requires a skilled  
craftsmen to make it

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

can be repaired easily.  
can fit a wide range  
of things and is cheaper.

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11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

use recycled material, use  
sustainable power and  
reduce ~~packin~~ package sizes

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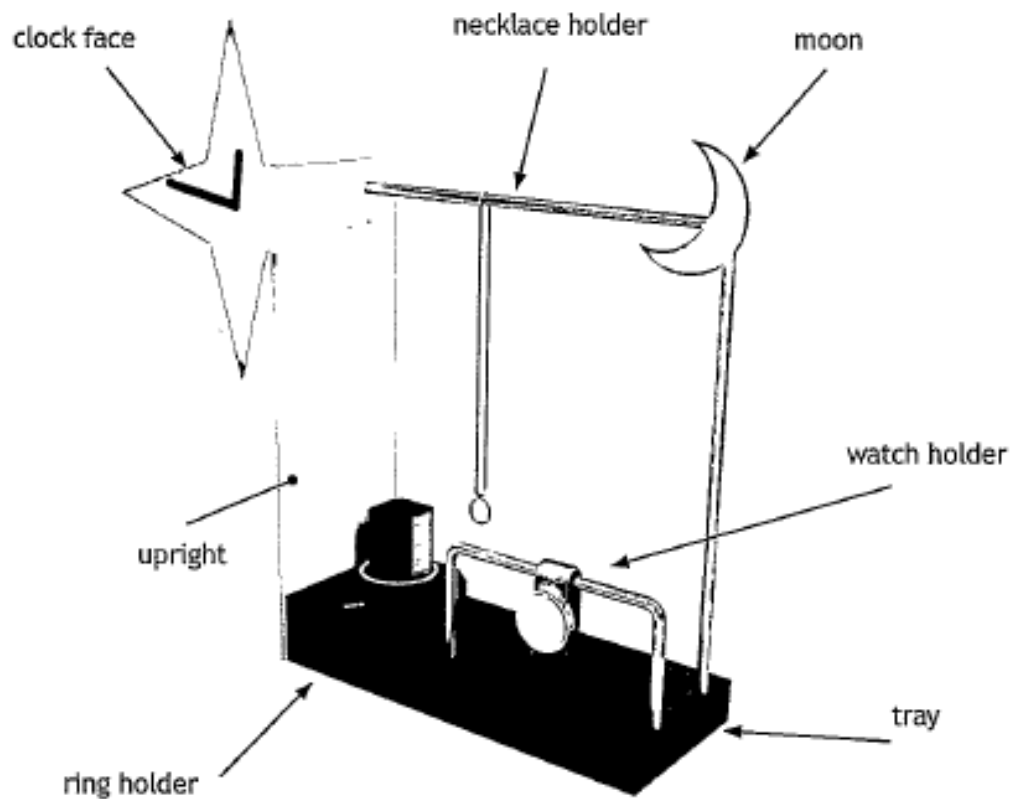
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## Candidate 4 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

1

Spruce

A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

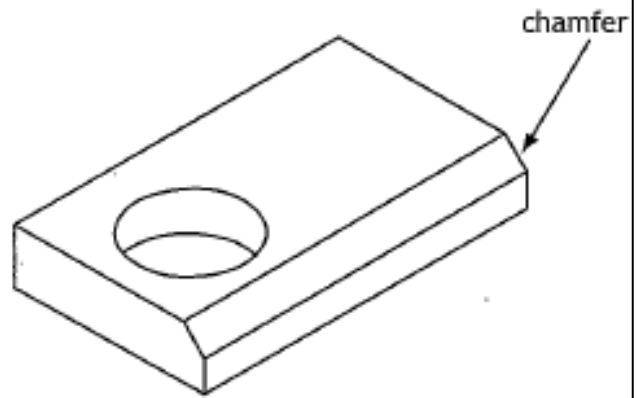
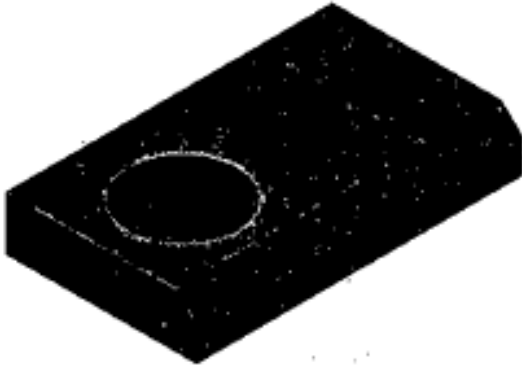
(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

1

forstner bit

## 1. (continued)

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.



(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

Jack plane

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## 1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

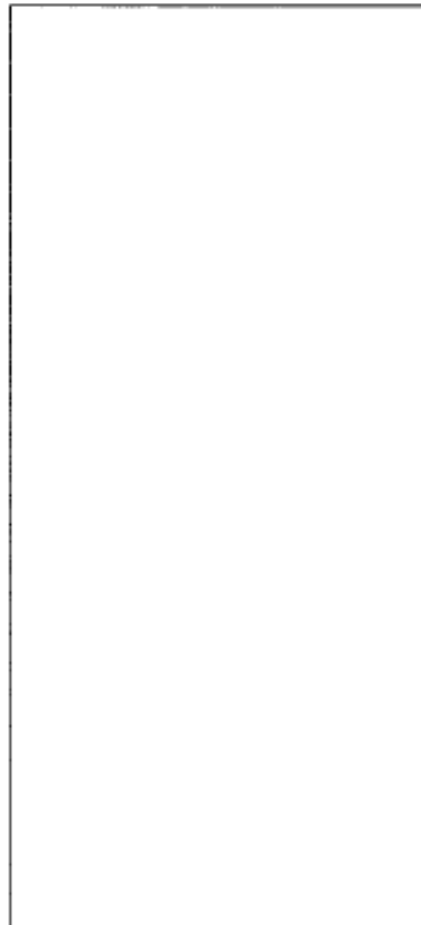


(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- use steel rule and pencil to mark dimensions of joint
- use mortising gauge to mark half the width of the wood
- use a try square to draw lines at 90° angles to edge
- use tenon saw to cut down the lines.



## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

Finger joint

The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

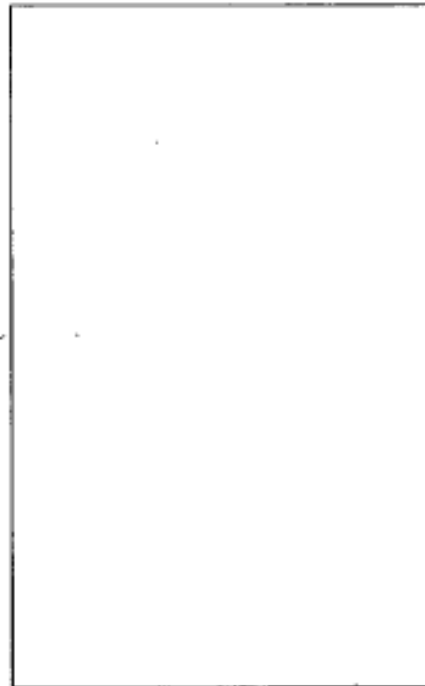
- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square. 2

*You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.*

- Checking each  
corner is at  
90° with a protractor

or

- Using a try  
square



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

PVA

[Turn over

## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

- sand pencil marks and blemishes  
off of wood with sandpaper

- file edges to smooth surface  
of wood

~~brass~~

- remove any glue runs

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

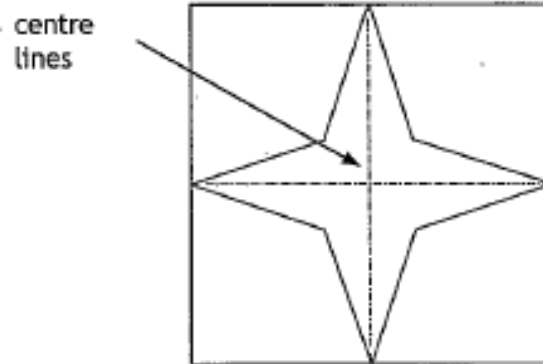
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- its corrosion resistant

- its durable

## 1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.

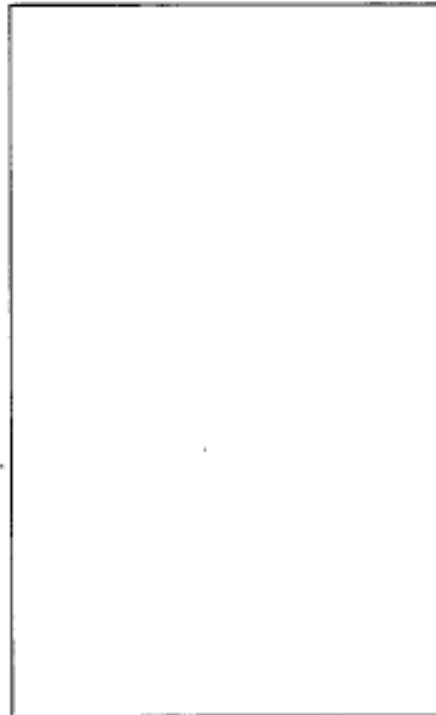


- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- use scribe and  
 steel rule to  
 mark ~~the~~  
 the middle  
 point. Use  
 - use engineers  
 square to mark  
 lines on the  
 brass



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

1

hacksaw

**1. (continued)**

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

2

- The tool rest is secure

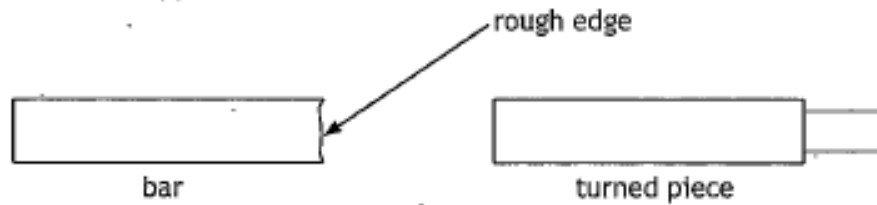
~~the tool rest is secure~~

~~the tool rest is secure~~

- Safety goggles are worn

1. (d) (continued)

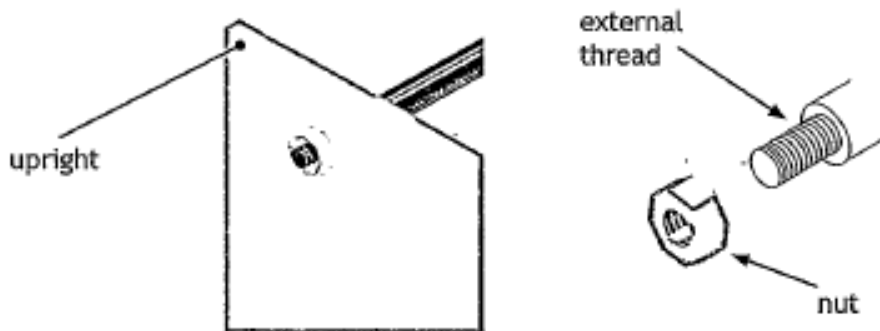
The bar was supplied as shown below.



(ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece. 2

- parallel turning  
 - facing off

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.

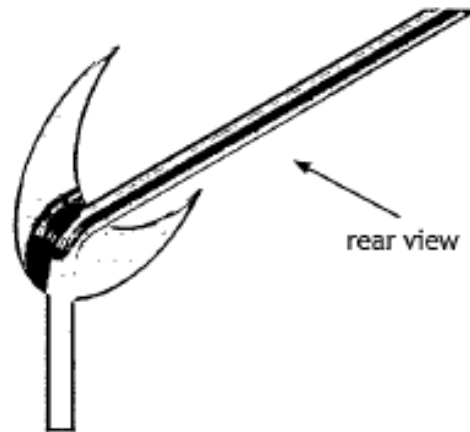


(iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut. 2

~~increasing speed of machine~~  
 - increasing speed of machine  
 - keeping the bar steady

## 1. (d) (continued)

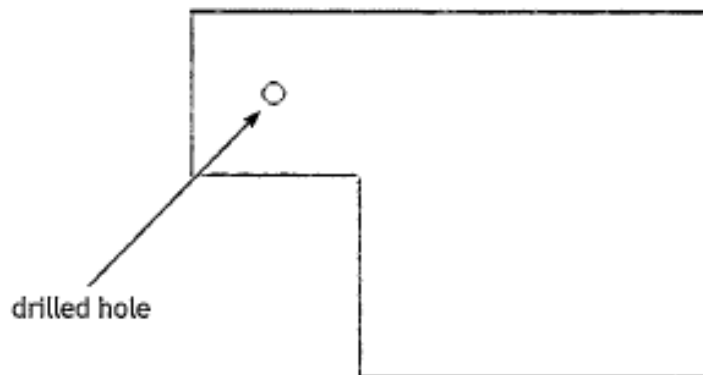
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

- spot welding

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

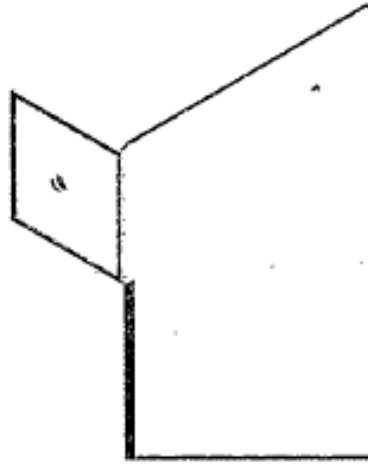


- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

- using a stepped drill bit

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.



- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- use a pen and  
steel rule to  
mark fold lines  
- use ~~stripper~~ <sup>strip heater</sup>  
to heat plastic  
then bend to  
a 90° angle  
~~Dangerous~~



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

- to prevent plastic cracking

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

- allows the public to tell ~~managers~~ designers what is needed on a product
- allows open ended questions to be asked
- allows designers to gather more information

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

- to show ~~what~~ a designer what a product must do

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

- topic is written on the middle  
of piece of paper and placed in  
middle of group.

+ ideas are shouted out and written  
on the paper

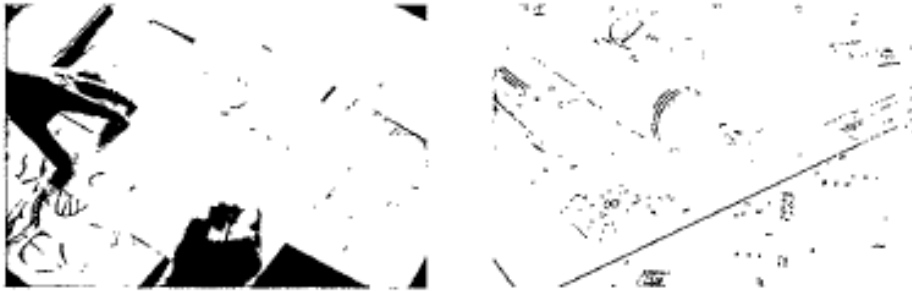
- this continues to all ideas have  
been written down

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

- morphological analysis

4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

~~it is a quick and easy way to generate ideas~~

~~it allows designers to show customers what a product could look like~~

- it generates lots of ideas quickly

- it allows designers to show customers what a product could look like

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

- to show manufacturers what a product will look like

- to show manufacturers the dimensions of a product.

## 4. (continued)

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

- to test dimensions of a product
- to test the function of a product
- ~~to show what a product is~~
- to show what a product could look like during

[Turn over

5. A kettle is shown below.

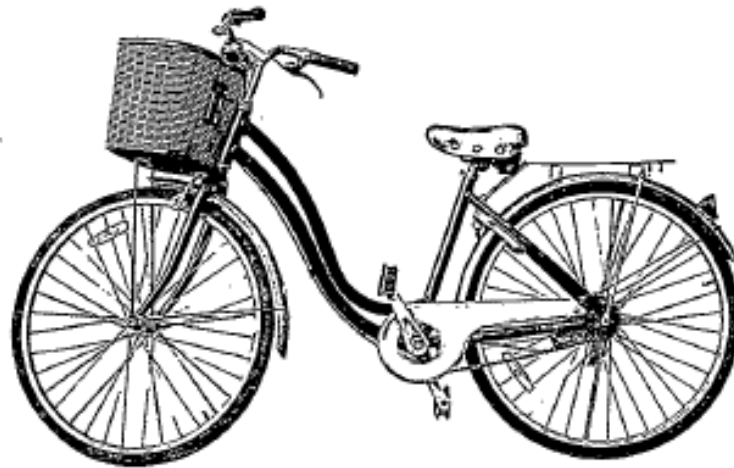


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

- the switch clicks when the water has finished boiling
- the handle is big enough to fit 95<sup>th</sup> percentile hands
- the kettle is light enough so that it can be lifted easily  
~~50th percentile can lift it~~
- the <sup>switch</sup> ~~button~~ is easy to push down

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

- the bike has breaks
- the bike has lights
- the bike has handlebars to hold onto
- the bike has lights

(b) function.

3

- the bike can be stepped
- the bike is easy to move
- the bike can be sat on
- the bike has a basket to hold things

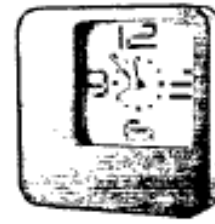
7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

You should compare *three* different aesthetic aspects.

- Clock A has a organic shape whereas clock C has a geometric shape  
 clock B has a ~~dark~~ dark colour whereas clock A is  
 clock B is vintage whereas clock A is more modern  
 - Clock B appears more vintage whereas clock A appears modern  
 - Clock C appears ~~more simple~~ to have a smooth texture whereas clock A appears more rough.

## 7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

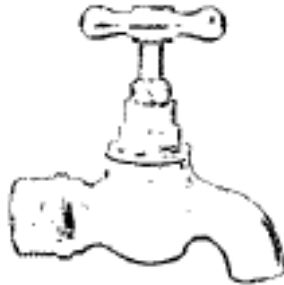
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- People are more likely to buy a product from a brand they recognise
- people are more likely to buy products from a brand they have ~~known~~ bought products from before

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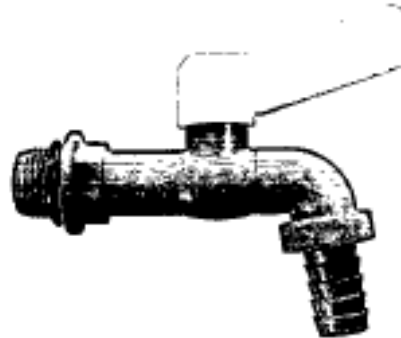
8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

Metal Tap



- Metals
- Mild steel
  - Copper
  - Iron

Plastic Tap



- Plastics
- Acrylic
  - Urea formaldehyde
  - ABS

*A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.*

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

- Copper

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

- is corrosion resistant

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

- ABS

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

Can come in a variety of colors

**8. (continued)**

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded. 2

- injection points

- part mould split lines

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps. 2

- creates a smooth finish

- tap has a simple design

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## 8. (continued)

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

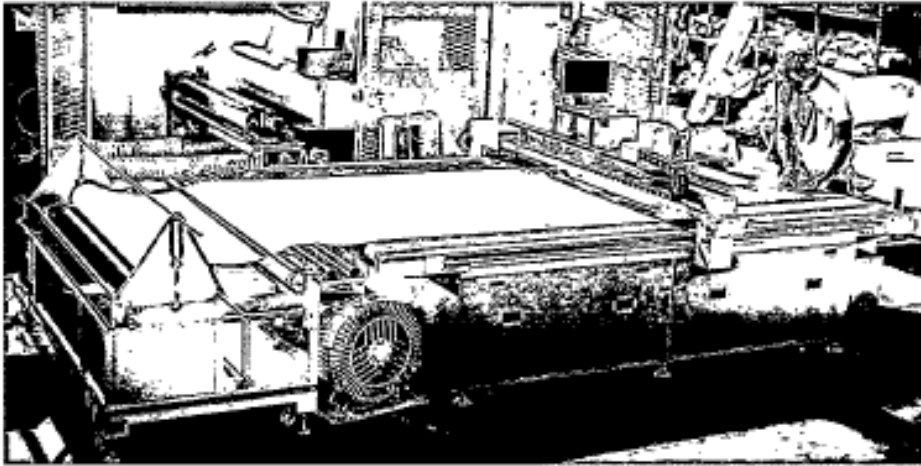
2

Process

~~blow moulding~~ injection moulding

Suitable because the water tank is hollow on  
the inside.

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

- reduces waste of materials as there is no human error
- no need to pay wages as machines do all the work so companies save money
- machines can run 24/7

Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

products that need.

- some products are made as one off products

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

- can be mass manufactured
- come in set sizes
- can be used in ~~manufacture~~ design of products

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

- using durable materials

~~reusing~~

~~creating repair~~

~~stations~~

- making products easy to repair

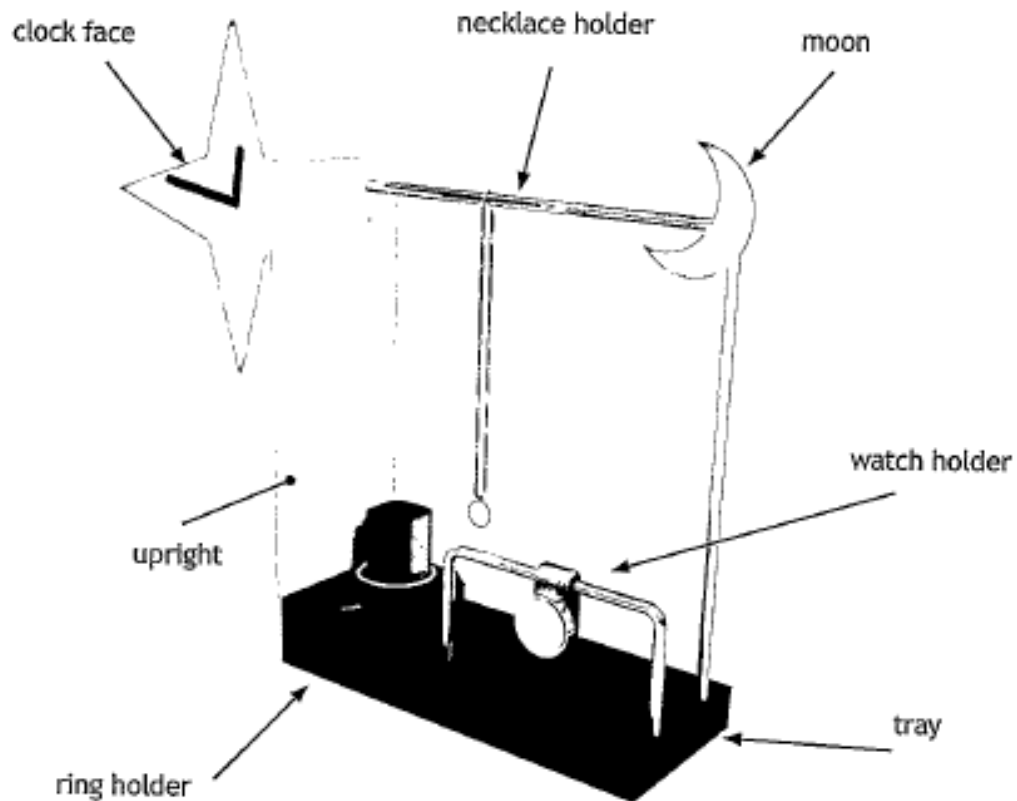
~~by setting spaces~~

~~make products easy to access~~

- making replacement parts available to customers.

## Candidate 5 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

1

Scotts Pine

A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

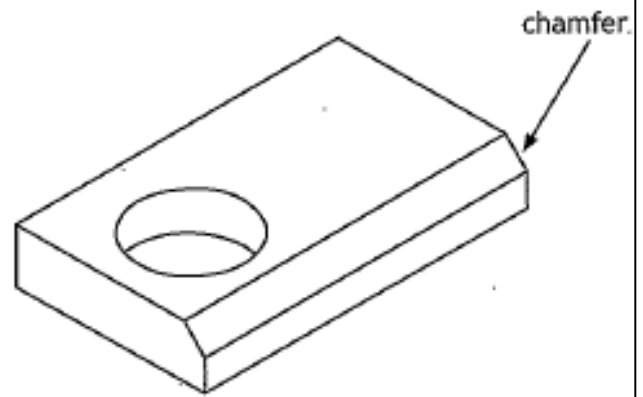
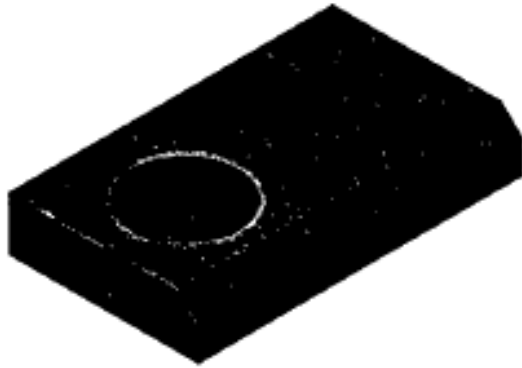
(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

1

Foistner Bit

**1. (continued)**

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.



(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

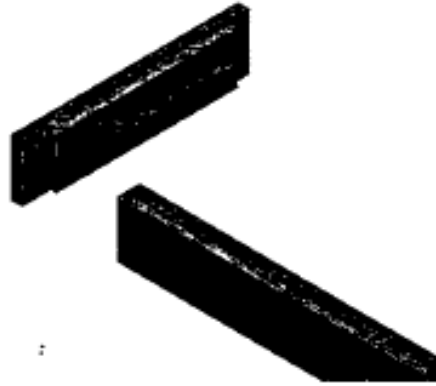
Jack Plane

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## 1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

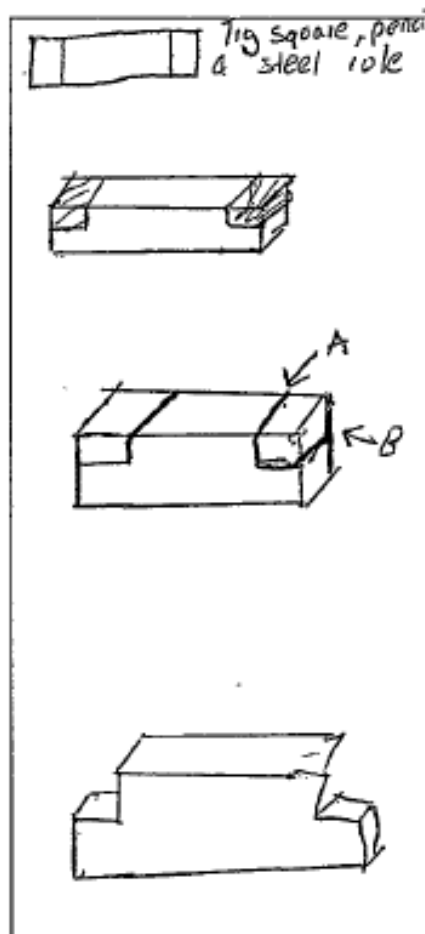


- (i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- 1) start off by measuring in the length of the wood.
- 2) Mark half the thickness of the wood using a try square.
- 3) saw down on the inside of the A lines using a tenon saw.
- 4) Then place the wood sideways in a vice and cut along the B lines in the centre.
- 5) Remove waste with chisel & finish off with hand router



## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

Finger Joint

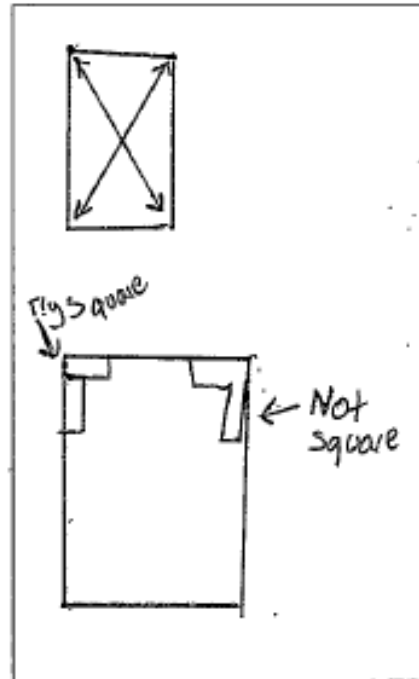
The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

- (iii) Outline **two** methods of checking the frame is square. 2

*You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.*

1) Measure corner to  
corner and if the  
lengths are the same  
it is square.

2) Place a try square  
in the corner of  
the joints and if  
there is a gap it  
is not square



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

PVA glue

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## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

1) Sand down coarse grit first to remove pencil marks. Then work your way down to a fine grit to smoothen it out. Apply stain evenly. Allow it to properly soak into the wood.

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

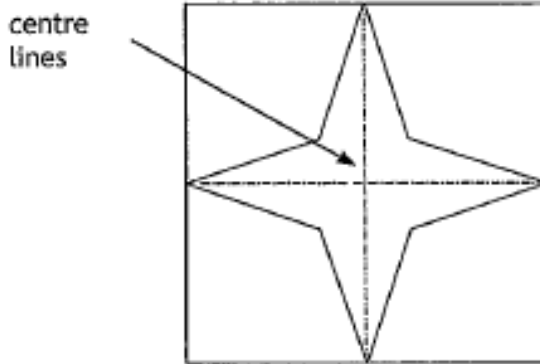
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• Reasonable strength

• Easy to work with

1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.

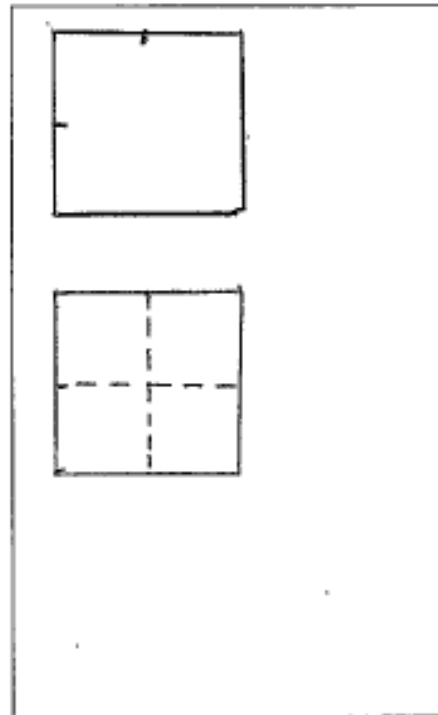


- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Measure into the  
~~middle~~ middle of  
 the square with  
 a steel rule & scribe  
 Extend the line down with  
 an engineers square




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A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

1

Coping Saw Junior Hack Saw

## 1. (continued)

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

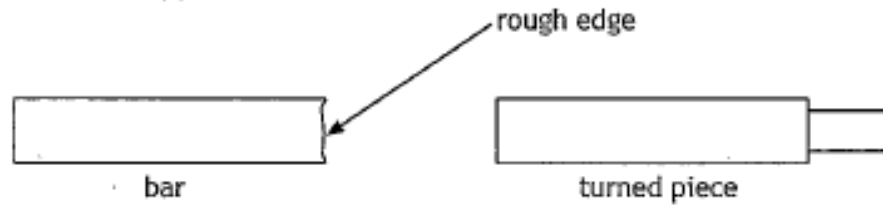
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• Ensure the piece is secure in the 3 jaw chuck.

• The safety guard is down

## 1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.



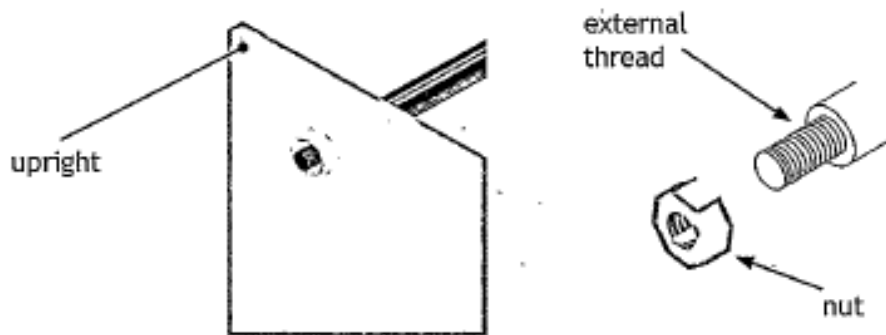
- (ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

2

• Facing off

• Parallel turning

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



- (iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

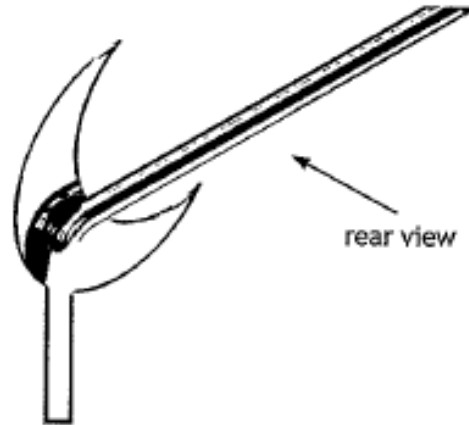
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• Apply a small amount of tapping paste to the bar and die.

• Turn the die a tenth half way round then quarter turn back to free up any metal shavings.

## 1. (d) (continued)

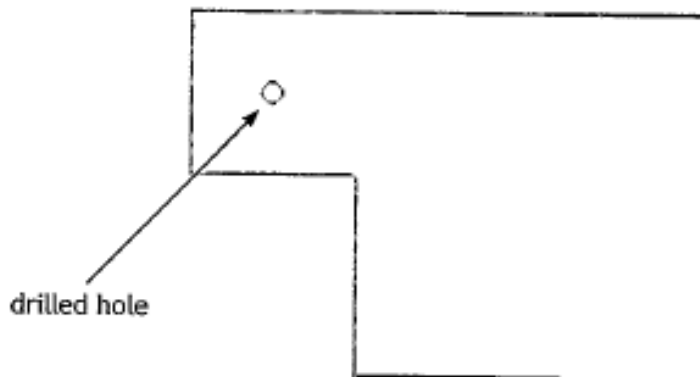
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

no epoxy resin soldering

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

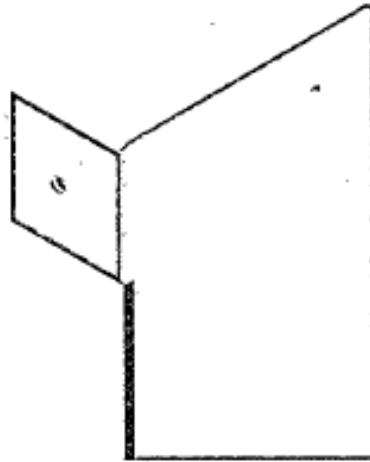


- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

Drill a smaller pilot hole in place of the hole then drill through it.

## 1. (e). (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.



- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

- Heat up the area which is being formed.
- Put the acrylic in the former and wait for it to cool down and take shape.



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

The plastic may be more fragile after being formed

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

- A questionnaire allows the manufacturer to know what features people are looking out for.
- What the product will need and what people desire
- To find out the target market of the product

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

To show the functions, materials and aesthetics of the product.

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

- Brainstorming can be done individually or in a group.
- Gather up all of the factors involved in making it.
- Expanding all the factors e.g. chair: 4 legs, 3 legs or one leg.

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

Morphological analysis

4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

- It can show possible ideas of what the model can look like.
- Is easy to adapt the designs and how it looks.

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

- so the manufacturers can ~~adjust~~ adjust the sizes and dimensions if needed.
- to refer to them when its being manufactured.

## 4. (continued)

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

- To understand how the product should look.
- To be able to see where mistakes are and how to improve on them.

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5. A kettle is shown below.

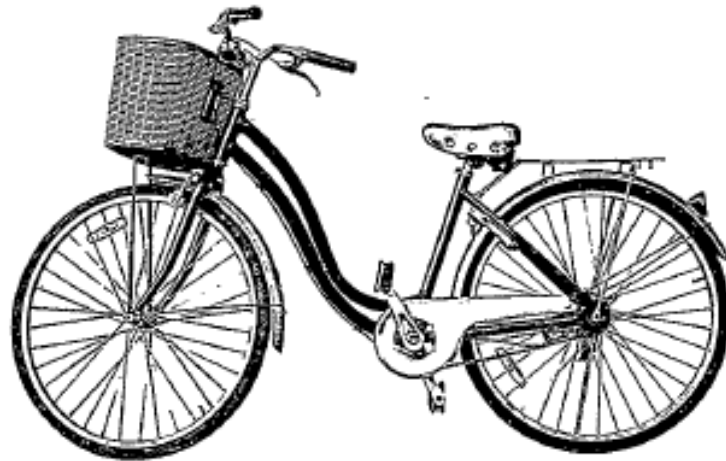


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

- The shape of the handle
- How long and thick the handle is
- The handle needs to be a shape which fits most users hands.
- The button to open the top needs to be easy to access while holding the kettle.
- The kettle needs to be a comfortable weight and height for all users.
- The handle needs to have grip so it is easy to carry.

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

- The bikes breaks must be easy to reach incase of an emergency stops.
- Mud guard must not be touching the wheel to prevent it from getting caught.
- Reflectors and lights so the bike is visible in the dark.

(b) function.

3

- The basket on the front to allow for storage.
- Railings on the back to allow for extra storage
- The peddles must work to allow the bike to move.

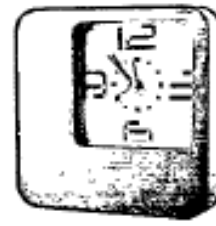
7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

*You should compare three different aesthetic aspects.*

Clock A - is black bold text which is easy to read. Turquoise colour helps it stand out.

Clock B - is wooden and a more classical / vintage design with roman numerals.

Clock C - is bright pink big numbers which stand out although a smaller face!

## 7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

2

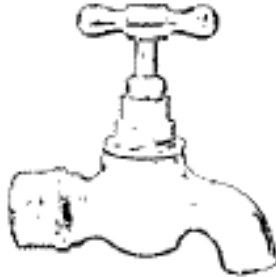
• It makes the product more desirable and sought after.

• If the product is high quality people will continue to buy from it.

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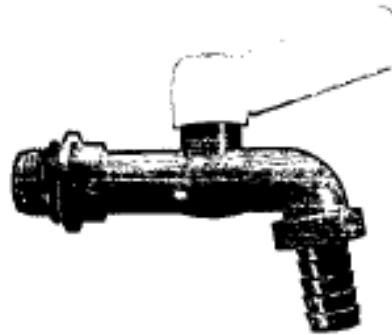
8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

Metal Tap



Metals  
 • Mild steel  
 • Copper  
 • Iron

Plastic Tap



Plastics  
 • Acrylic  
 • Urea formaldehyde  
 • ABS

A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

Mild steel

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

will not rust if it is outside

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

Acrylic Urea formaldehyde

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

can be injection moulded into the shape

## 8. (continued)

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

(c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded.

2

1) Split lines show that it has been in a two part mould.

2) Ejection points show where the plastic has been injected into with the needle

(d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps.

2

• The moulds can be re-used over and over

• It gives a ~~no~~ similar product each time instead of different quality.

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## 8. (continued)

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



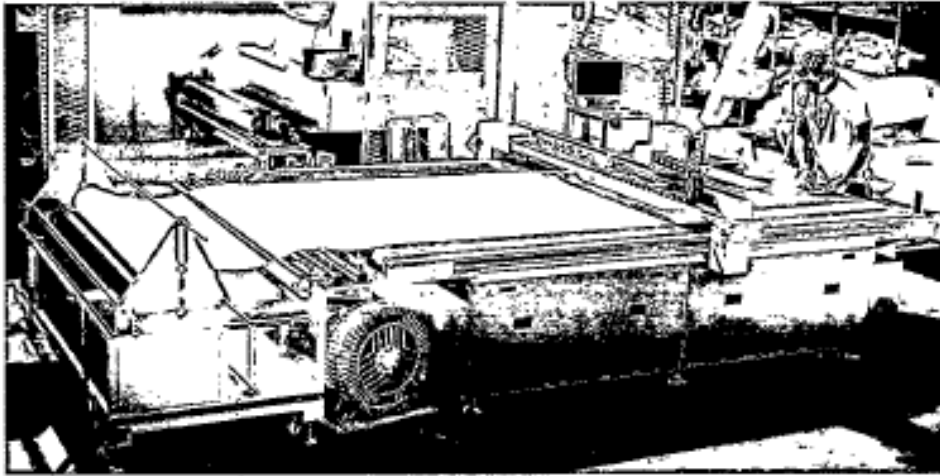
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process Injection moulding

Suitable because it can be mass manufactured easily, can do more detailed pieces

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

- It can run 24/7 without very much human assistance.
- No human error as it is all done by computers.
- Not as much stressful manual labour.

Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

More intricate designs take more precision and have to be taken slowly.

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

- Cheap to buy in large numbers
- comes in a range of different sizes.
- Are easy to ~~use~~<sup>apply</sup> in the product

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



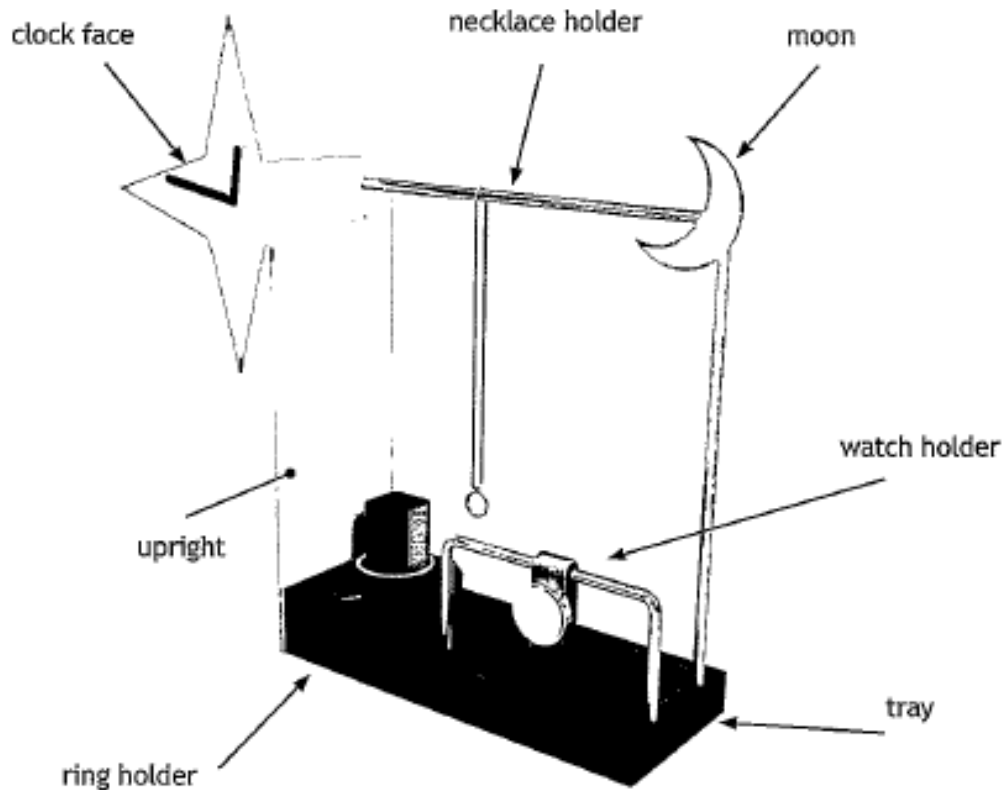
Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

- Make the products out of more durable materials,
- Easy to repair if they are broken instead of binning them,
- Use finishes which protect them from damages.

## Candidate 6 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

1

Cedar.

A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

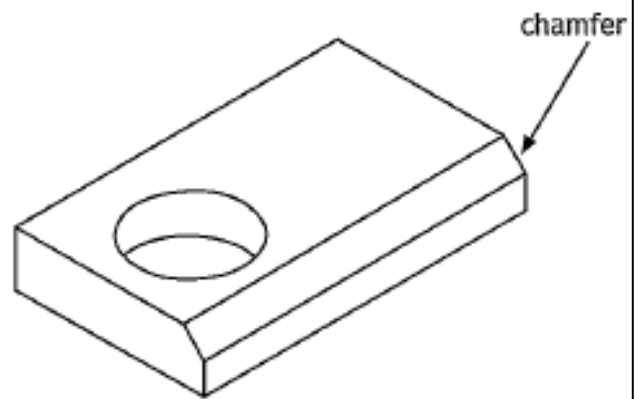
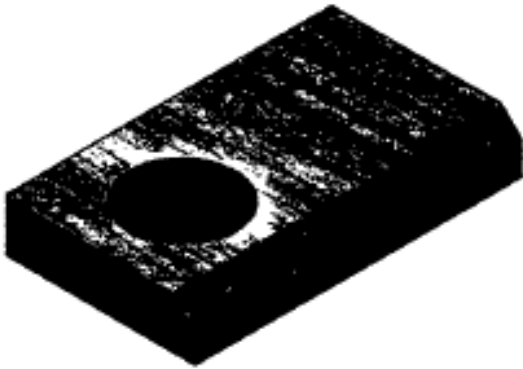
(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

1

Fostner bit.

## 1. (continued)

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.

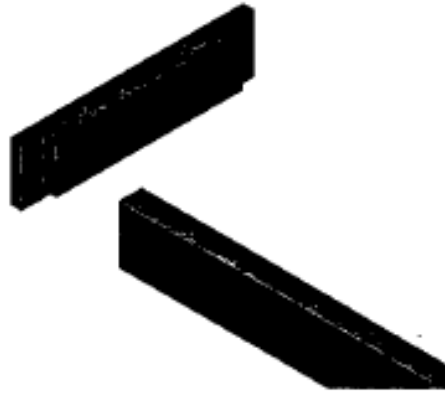


(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

Coping Saw.

## 1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

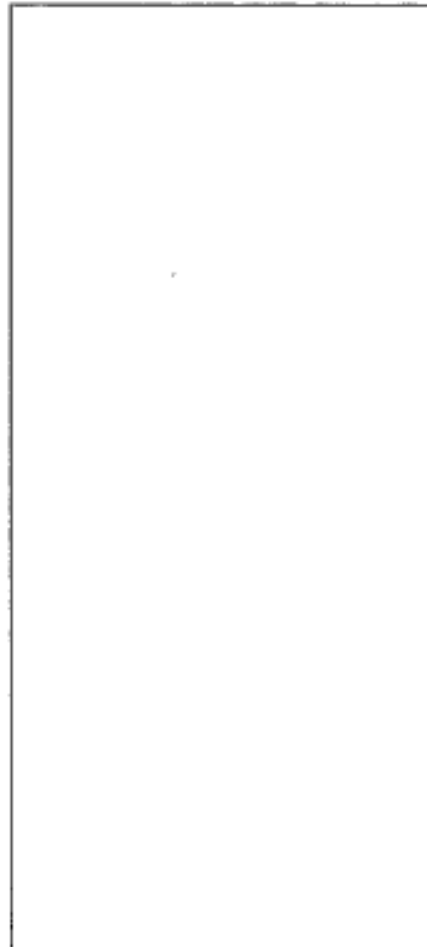


(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Use a steel rule  
to measure the correct  
size of the bit of wood  
getting connected to it.  
Use a Try square to  
help draw a 90° angle  
onto the wood using a pencil.  
Use a tenon saw to  
cut down to the line  
down out and use a  
chisel to remove the  
material. Use sandpaper  
to sand it down to  
accurate depth.



## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

Finger joint.

The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

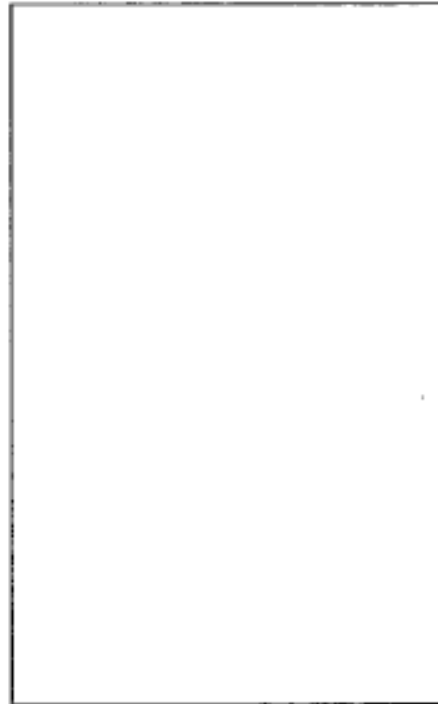
- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square. 2

*You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.*

- put a level on it  
to see if it is square  
and straight.

- check if the box is  
at a 90° angle.

- measure the ~~box~~  
frame.



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

PVA glue.

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## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

- Make sure the wood is sanded down so there is no sharp edges or bumps.
- Make sure the wood is completely done, and there is nothing else you need to do before applying stain.
- Apply a varnish first to the wood to make it easier to apply stain.

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



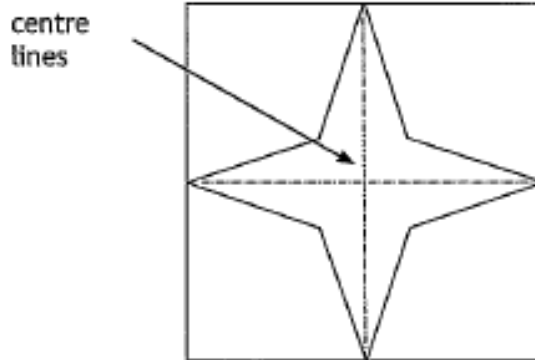
- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

2

- Brass is very strong
- Brass is durable.
- Brass is easy to work with.

## 1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.

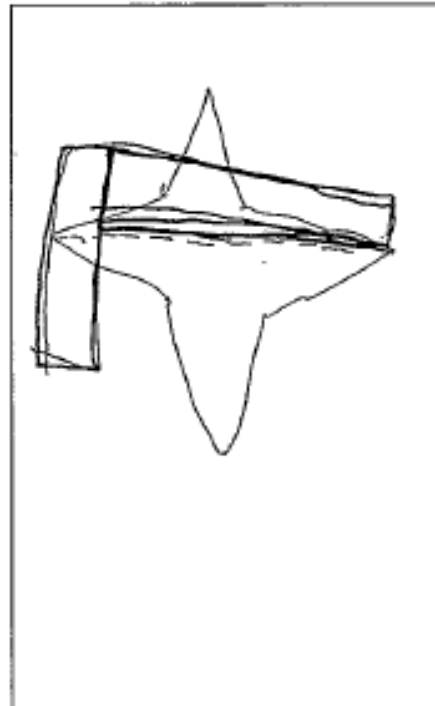


- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Uses a try square  
to mark parallel  
lines. Measure with  
a try square to ensure  
it is exactly in the  
middle. Use a pencil  
to draw the lines  
onto the wood



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

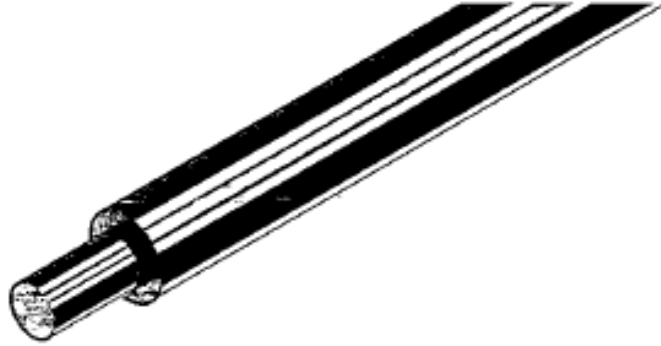
- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

1

Tenon saw

**1. (continued)**

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



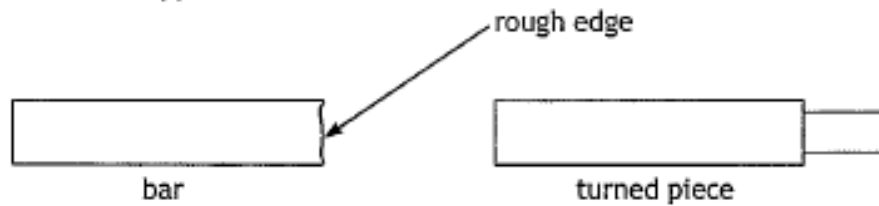
- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

2

- Make sure that the guard is down before using centre lathe.
  - Make sure that the chuck key has been removed before starting.
- 
-

## 1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.



(ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

2

- parallel turning.
- chamfering.

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



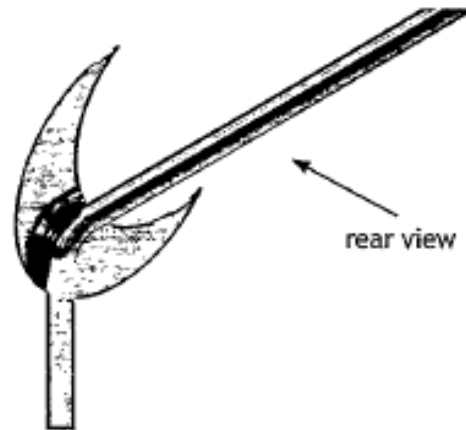
(iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

2

- Make sure that the external thread is the same width as the nut. This makes it good quality.
- Make sure it is not too long or too short for it to be attached to the upright.

## 1. (d) (continued)

The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.

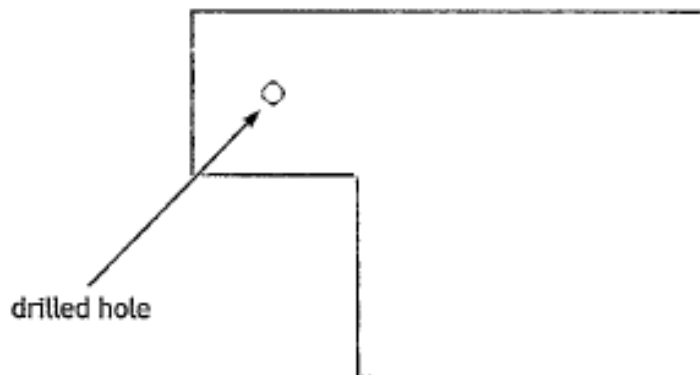


- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

- Epoxy Resin -

- PVA Glue -

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

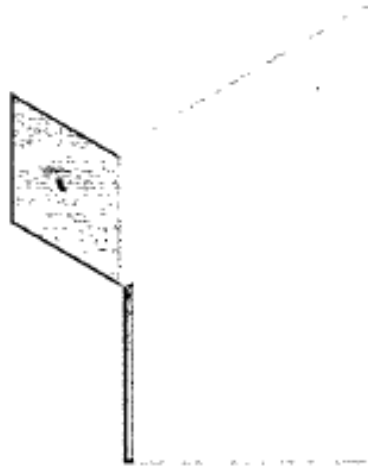


- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

Drill slowly to stop the plastic from cracking because of the pressure.

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.



- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Use a former to help make it correct angle. Attach plastic into bench vice to keep in place and use a hammer/mallet to hit it until it forms the shape of former.



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

It is easier to drill a hole into a flat piece of plastic rather than one bent at a right angle.

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

- You can reach a large audience with a questionnaire, meaning that you'll get more responses.
- You can give questionnaires to specific target markets this means you're not wasting time with people who aren't interested.
- It is easy and cheap to set up a questionnaire and easy to give them out too.

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

- You are able to see what products people would like to see and you can make them. This means that you are pleasing the public and more people will buy the product then.

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

- A group of people come up with different ideas.
- Someone keeps a record of all ideas people say.
- No idea is silly or bad.
- Everybody can spark ideas off each other which creates more ideas.

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

Morphological analysis.

4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

- You can easily fix mistakes you make
- Easy to make a rough, quick sketch.

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

- To show to the public so that they can see what it will look like.
- ~~To make it easier to be~~ So that you can see the sizes and how it will look/work.

**4. (continued)**

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

- Using physical models allows you to see how it will look.
- It also lets you see if products will fit and work in the model.
- Using physical models lets you see if there is any changes that need to be made.
- You can make them to scale, which means you can decide if you need to adjust the sizes on it.

[Turn over

5. A kettle is shown below.

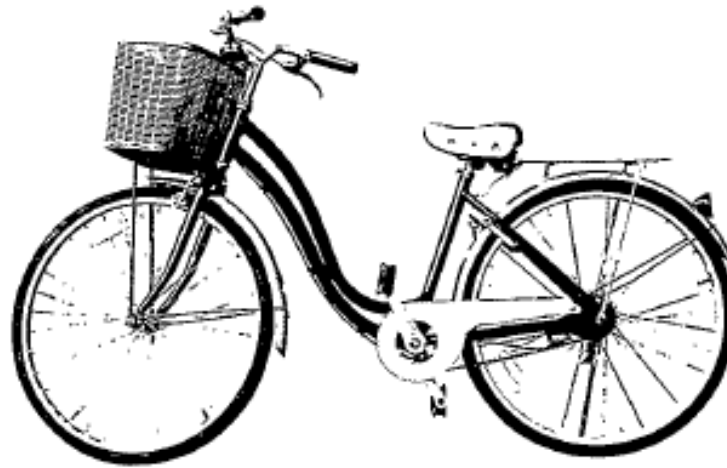


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

- The handle is big enough to fit any size of hand, allowing anyone to use it.
- It doesn't require too much strength stopping people being hurt/injured.
- It is very straight forward to use and is not confusing to people.
- The button on the handle is close by, meaning that you can press it while holding it.
- If the button is not too hard to press down on.

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

- They There is handles in front of you which allows you to hold onto so that you don't fall.
- There is breaks on handles which will stop you from bumping into things and lets you slow down to stop from injuring yourself or others.
- Your feet are not near the wheel which means <sup>you</sup> ~~it~~ can't get your feet stuck in wires. -3

(b) function.

- The basket on the front allows you to take things with you while riding the bike.
- The pedals on the bike is what helps the bike to move at whatever speed you want.
- The wheels are round which helps the bike to move without getting stuck on things.

7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

You should compare three different aesthetic aspects.

- Clock A and C both have numbers on the clock whereas clock B has roman numerals.
- Clock B is a very old looking clock whereas the others ones are more modern.
- Clock C is square whereas clock A is round.
- Clock A and C have brighter colours whereas clock B has a brown colour.

## 7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

2

- Having a strong brand image means that people are <sup>more</sup> likely to buy ~~any~~ new products you release
- Having strong brand image also allows you to place the price higher on products as people will still buy.

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8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

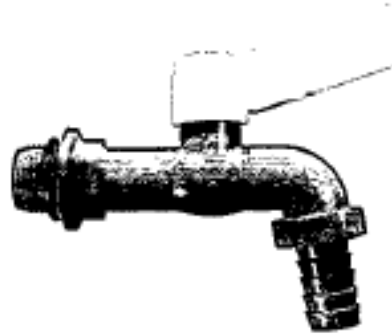
Metal Tap



Metals

- Mild steel
- Copper
- Iron

Plastic Tap



Plastics

- Acrylic
- Urea formaldehyde
- ABS

A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

Mild ~~steel~~ steel

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

because it is strong and durable.

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

Urea formaldehyde

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

because it doesn't soften when heated up.

## 8. (continued)

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded. 2

- It is perfectly round shape
- It is correct size
- Hollow

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps. 2

- It allows you to have a nice texture on all of the taps
- It is easy and cheap to do
- Die casting is quick and has a good finish.
- It is very accurate.

[Turn over

## 8. (continued)

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



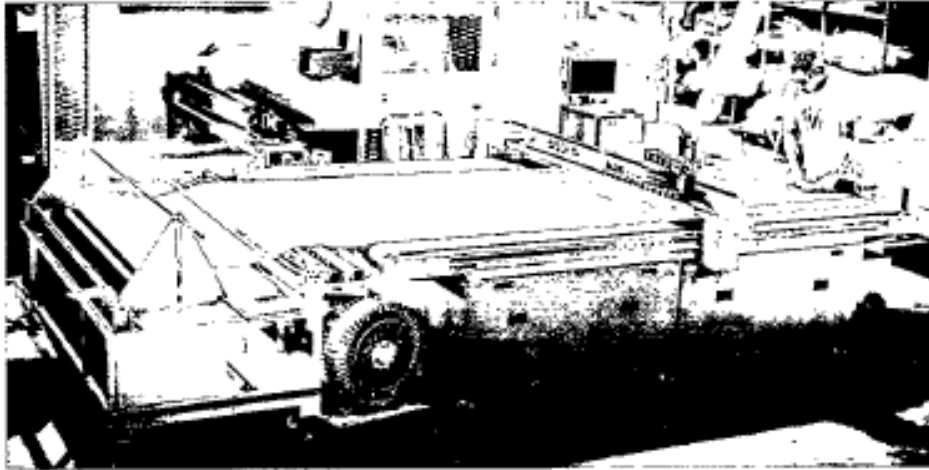
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process Vacuum forming

Suitable because it creates a good shape. It works well to create the water tank.

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

- It is highly accurate in creating good products.
- Less room for human error because it is a computer creating it.
- All products will turn out exactly the same as a machine makes everything identically.
- Very quick and takes less time than humans do.

Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

Some products don't need to be made many times therefore it would not be necessary to create so many products if you only need a few.

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

- You can use them on different products.
- You get to skip a stage in the production process.
- ~~Make~~ You can create products faster.
- You can make more products.
- ~~Creates a strong brand image~~

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



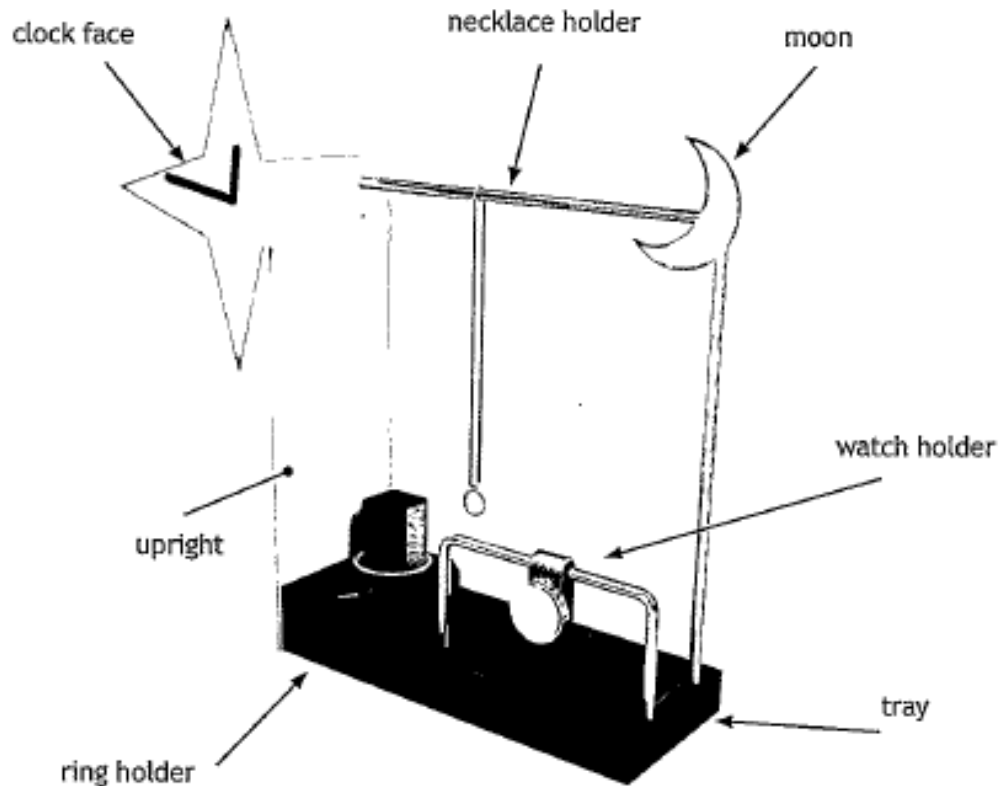
Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

- You could recycle materials instead of throwing them away.
- Reduce the amount of harmful materials being used in the products.
- Try to fix products once they are broken.
- Use the product lifecycle.

## Candidate 7 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

1

White Pine

A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

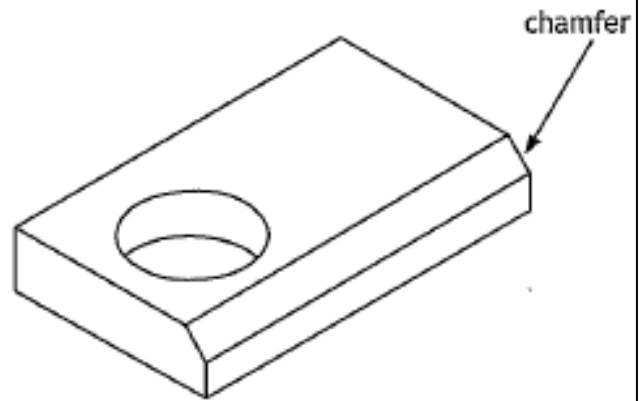
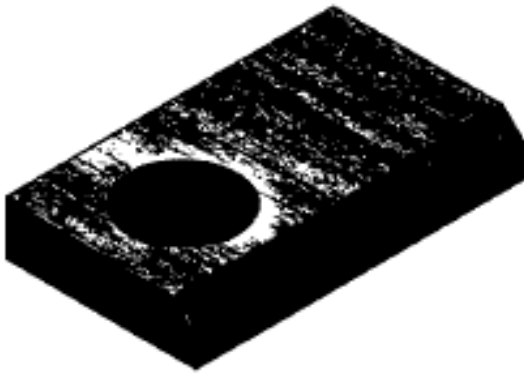
(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

1

12mm drill piece

## 1. (continued)

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.



(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

Grannys tooth

## 1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

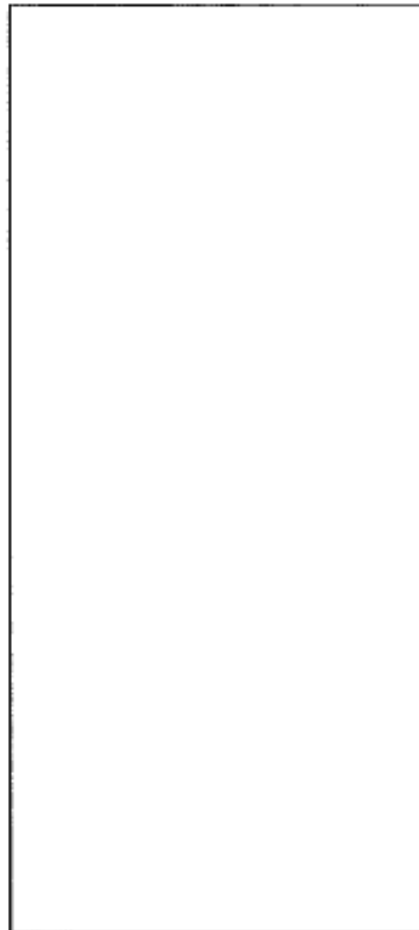


(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

It could be  
marked out  
using a steel  
rule and pencil,  
you should then  
use a tenon  
saw to cut down  
to the marked  
out line, any  
excess wood  
should then  
be chisled by  
using a halfway  
chisel.



## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

Finger Joints

The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square. 2

*You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.*

one method  
you could use  
is using a  
try square and  
checking all  
corners as the  
frames are at a  
90° angle. You  
could also check  
by lining the corner  
up with the side as  
a flat desk.



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

PVA Glue

[Turn over

## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

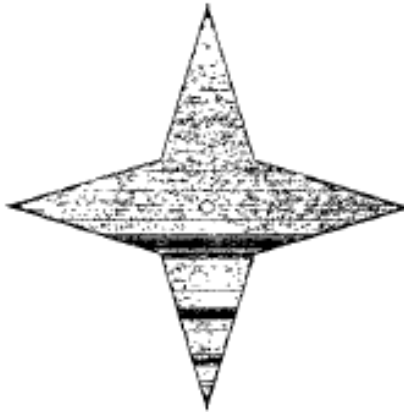
3

Making sure any chips in the wood were removed.

Making sure the wood is flat and does not have bumps indented.

Make sure all gaps are filled.

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



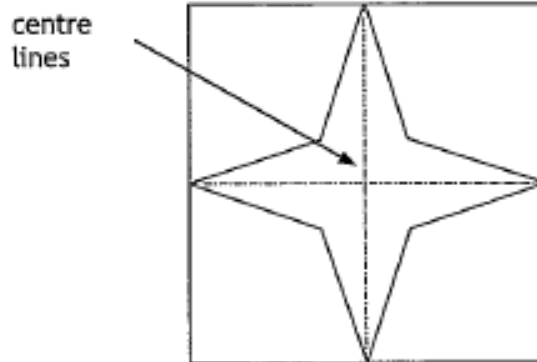
- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

2

~~It is a light metal~~ It has holes for the clock legs to go and can also sit the numbers on.

## 1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.

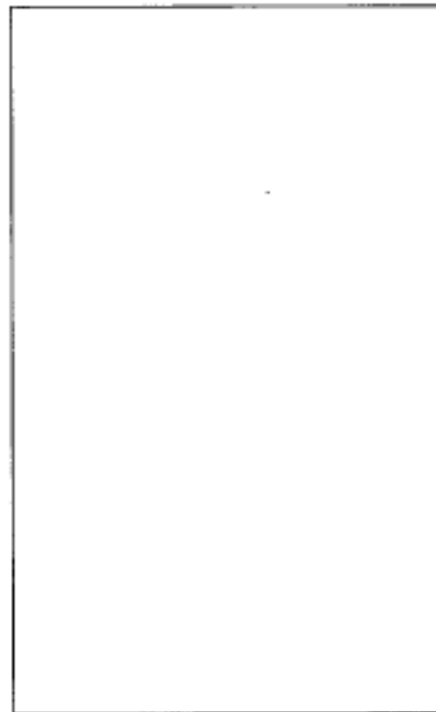


- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

You could use  
a compass  
to show  
exactly where  
the middle is.  
you could also  
use a steel  
file and try  
square to make a  
cross.



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

1

Hack saw

## 1. (continued)

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



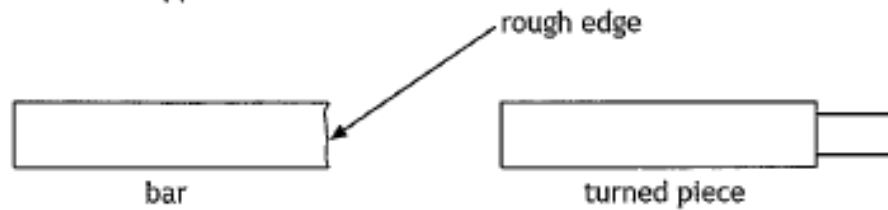
- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

2

That the handles can be easily reached in emergencies and you also use safety goggles to prevent any metal that could get ~~lose~~<sup>loose</sup> from the machine getting into your eyes.

## 1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.

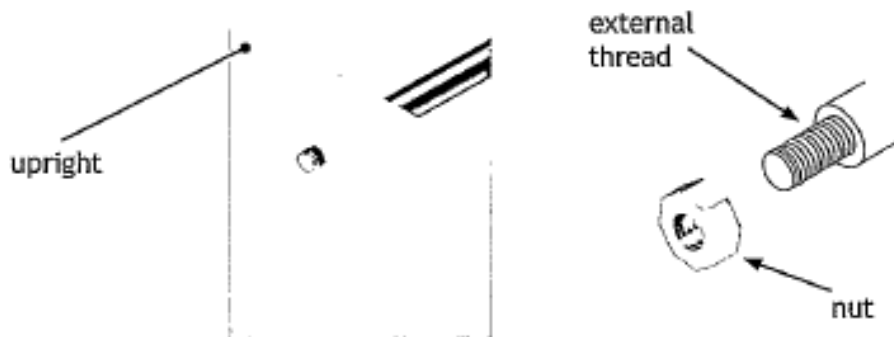


- (ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

2

lathe rounding and latheing.

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



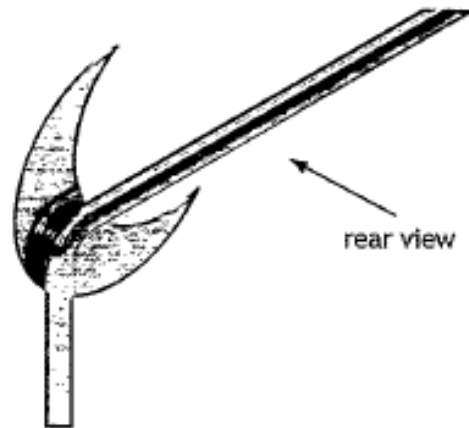
- (iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

2

That nut sits the external thread and does not come ~~lose~~ loose, causing the product to fall apart.

## 1. (d) (continued)

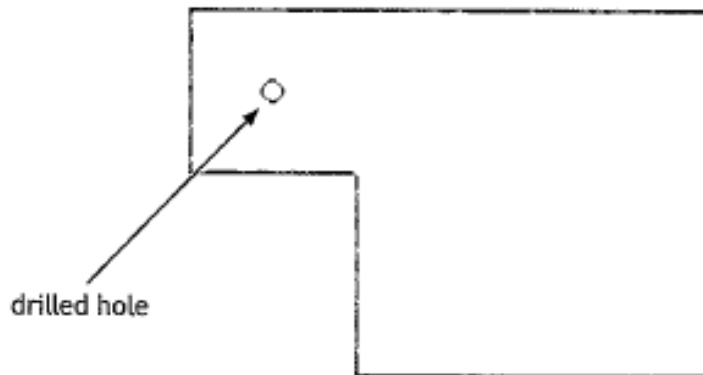
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

Have a hook that can be hooked onto the bar.

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

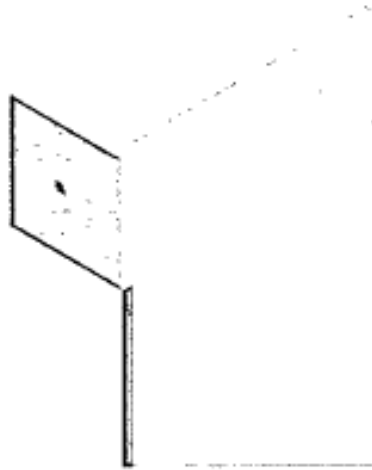


- (i) Outline one method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

have it sat on a flat stable surface.

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.

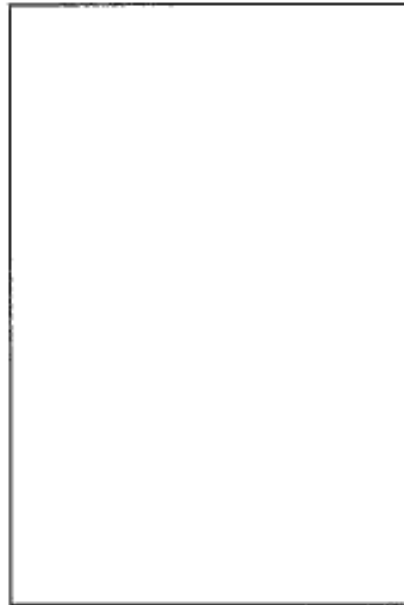


- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

It could be formed using a thermomating machine to heat plastic up, you should then bend the plastic over something that has a right angled edge, like a table.



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

It would have been much harder to drill and could lead to the plastic cracking.

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

You can gather information  
of clients to allow the product  
to be improved, you can also  
ask questions in the questionnaire  
about bits of the product you  
are not sure about to see if  
it needs improvement and you  
can also see what clients think about  
the quality.

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

It can be used to give you  
an imaginable base of key things  
the product has to do to be  
functional.

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

You are in a group where all ideas are considered, you then have a discussion on the pros and cons of each product, it also allows the manufacture to hear different opinions on how the product should function.

(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

Lateral thinking

4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

It is a suitable graphic as it provides you with an image of what the product will look like, it also allows you to compare different ideas.

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

It allows the designer to have a visual imagination of how the product will work when it has been manufactured.

## 4. (continued)

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

They all allow the designer to see what the final manufactured model/product will look like, they all also give the manufacturer a image of how the product will work when complete and it can also help with the comparison of different products.

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5. A kettle is shown below.

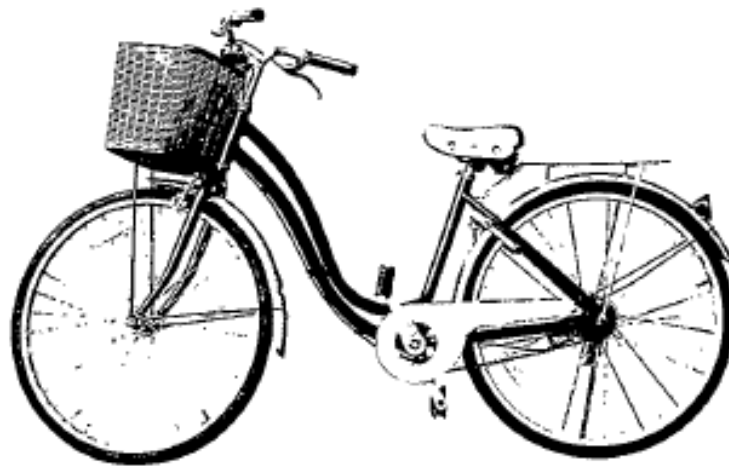


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

Ergonomics would have influenced this product because the products handle will provide a easy way for the kettle to be moved, the lid would also have to sit perfectly to prevent the spillage of hot water which could cause serious burns.

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

The breaks would NEED to be working at all times to allow the customer to slow down whenever they needed to.

(b) function.

3

That the wheels are able to work with the use of the chain and that the customer does not have any insuse wear they are not working.

7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

You should compare *three* different aesthetic aspects.

3

Clock a is just your standard easy to use clock, Clock B numbers are in Roman Numerals which could attract different customers, clock C provides bright colours which catch the eye of a younger generation. All 3 clocks are manufactured for different types of people it just depends what they like.

**7. (continued)**

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

2

It will provide the product a better chance of getting bought and it also helps because these previous products were good it could persuade customers to buy the product again.

[Turn over

8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

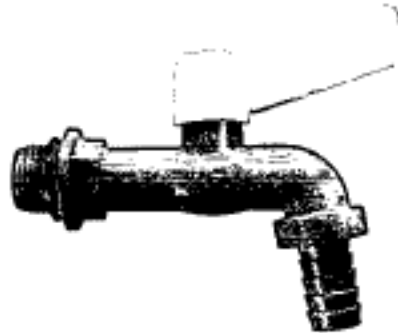
Metal Tap



Metals

- Mild steel
- Copper
- Iron

Plastic Tap



Plastics

- Acrylic
- Urea formaldehyde
- ABS

A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided. 1

Iron

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

Thickness means it won't break

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided. 1

Urea formaldehyde

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap. 1

Provides a stronger foundation

## 8. (continued)

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

You must give different responses in (c) and (d).

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded.

2

You would not be able to bend the handle to that shape with the dents involved in it, the bend form the handle to the body as the tap could also not be shaped.

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps.

2

Makes it easier for the metal to bend and also provides a thickness of material.

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8. (continued)

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



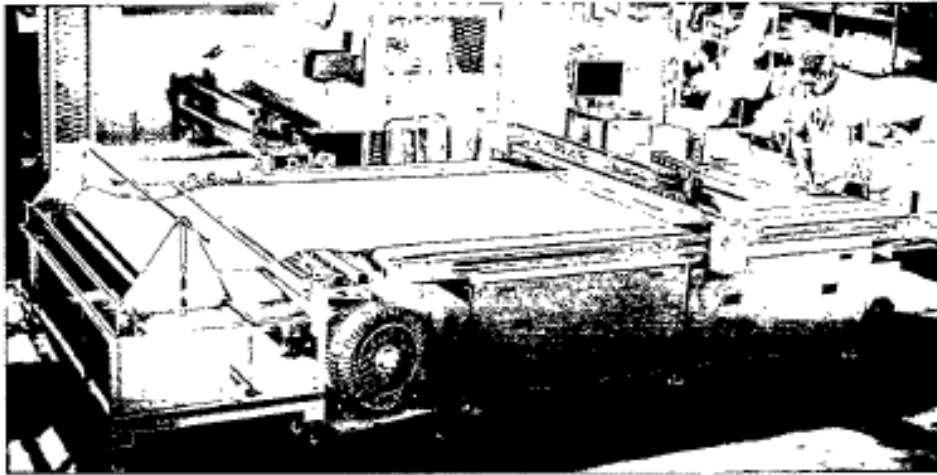
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process Welding

Suitable because It provide a suitable  
Soundation.

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

It would take less time to manufacture than it would be hand made and it also provides a way the manufacturer is using less material which allows them to save more money.

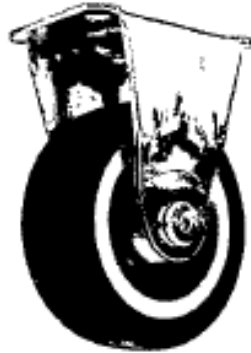
Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

is there is small details in the product they could some times be manufactured wrong.

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

It takes up less material, it is also easy to manufacture and could take the price of the product down. It would also limit the chances of the product breaking.

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



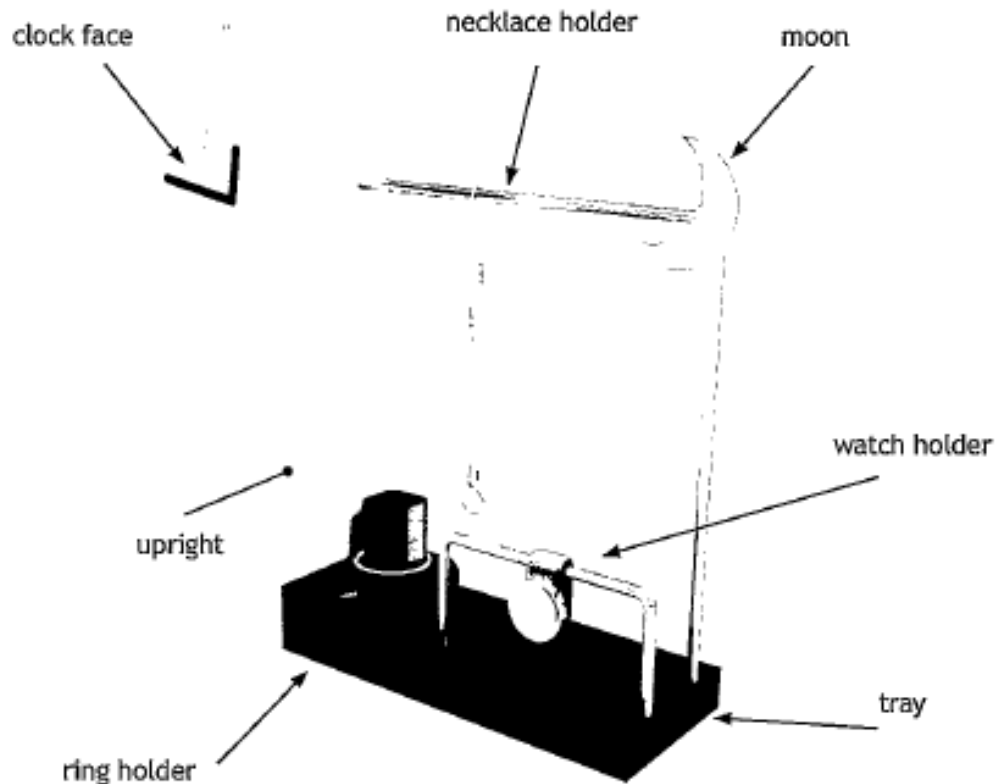
Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

They could make the quality of material a lot better helping prevent the product from breaking, they <sup>could</sup> also make more things power through solar power instead of the use of batteries and electricity, and they could also put a warranty on all products bought, which would allow the manufacturers to fix the product.

## Candidate 8 evidence

1. A design proposal for a jewellery organiser is shown below.



(a) The ring holder and tray were manufactured from a stained softwood.

(i) Name a suitable softwood for the ring holder and tray.

1

~~Red Pine~~ Red Pine

A flat-bottomed hole was drilled into the ring holder to store rings.

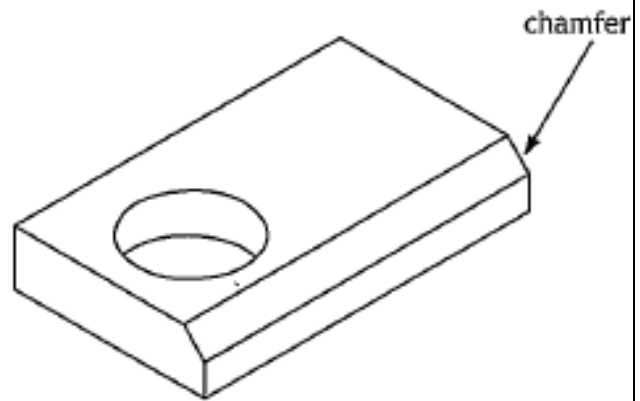
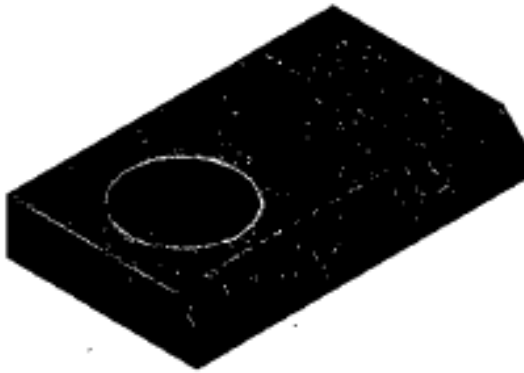
(ii) Name the suitable drill bit that could be used to drill a flat-bottomed hole.

1

fastener bit

## 1. (continued)

The edge of the ring holder was chamfered.



(iii) Name the suitable hand tool that could be used to create the chamfer. 1

~~wooden plane~~  
wooden plane

1. (continued)

(b) The tray was manufactured using a corner rebate joint.

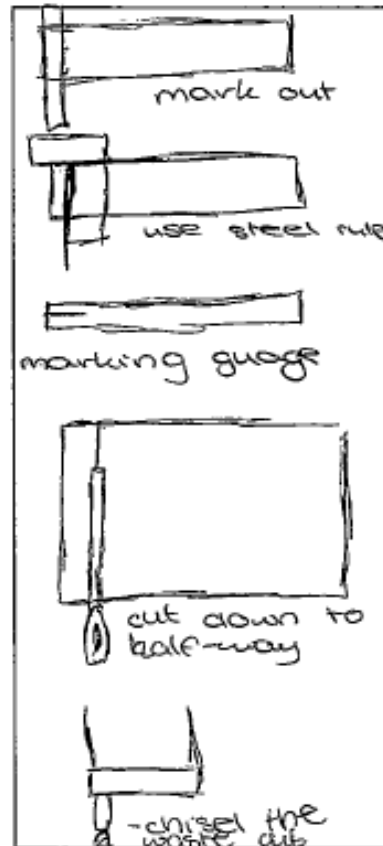


(i) Describe how the corner rebate joint could be marked and cut out accurately. You must refer to workshop tools in your answer.

4

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

you would use a steel rule and pen to mark out sizes. Then you would use a try-square to bring the markings into a straight line. You then use a marking guage and set it to half the depth of the wood and go over it with a pen.



You then use a tenon saw and saw down to the middle of the wood. and ~~the~~ chisel the joint out.

## 1. (b) (continued)

- (ii) Name another suitable joint that could be used for the corners of the tray. 1

finger joint

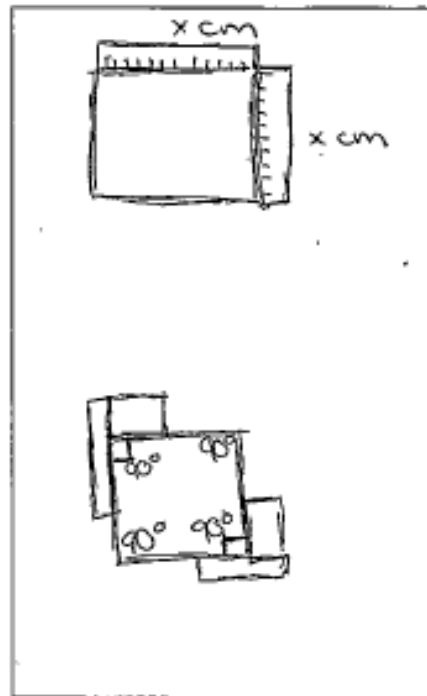
The tray was checked for squareness during assembly.

- (iii) Outline two methods of checking the frame is square. 2

*You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.*

use a steel  
rule to check  
if all sides are  
the same length

use a tri-square  
to check if all  
corners are at  
90° angles.



The softwood tray was assembled using an adhesive.

- (iv) Name the appropriate adhesive for assembling the softwood tray. 1

wood glue

## 1. (b) (continued)

All wooden components were prepared for a stained finish.

- (v) Describe three stages in the preparation of the wooden components before applying stain.

3

- sand down surfaces to get rid of any pen/pencil marks
- wipe down surfaces to remove dust
- raise the grain ~~with sandpaper~~

- (c) The clock face was made from brass.



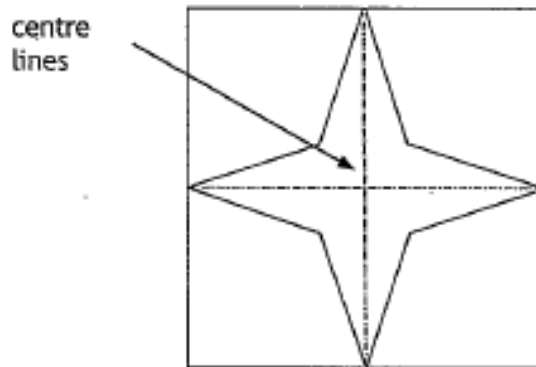
- (i) State two reasons why brass is a suitable material for the clock face.

2

- comes in large sheets
- it contrasts the wood with the difference in material

## 1. (c) (continued)

The brass clock face was marked out as shown below.

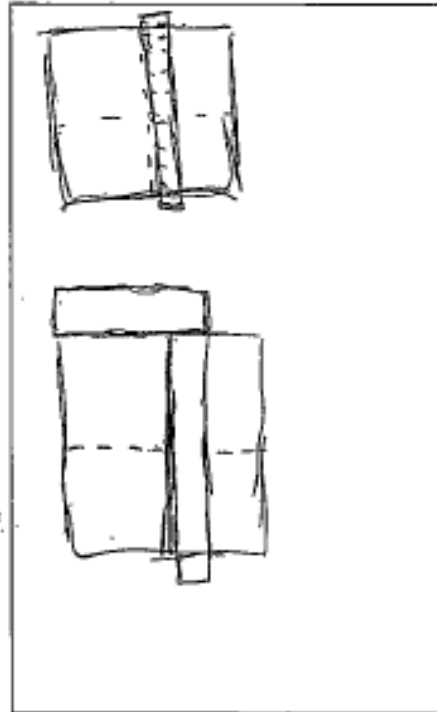


- (ii) Describe how to mark out the centre lines of the clock face, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

Use a steel rule to mark out where the lines would go, then use an engineers square to draw on the lines and ensure they are straight.



A hand tool was used to cut out the star shape.

- (iii) Name an appropriate hand tool that could be used to cut out the star.

1

coping saw

**1. (continued)**

- (d) The ends of the necklace hanger were turned on a centre lathe as shown below.



- (i) Outline two safety checks that must be carried out on the centre lathe before turning.

2

the correct speed is set  
the correct tool is being used  
the metal is in securely.

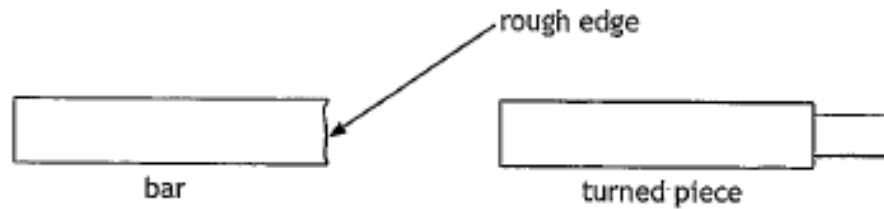
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## 1. (d) (continued)

The bar was supplied as shown below.

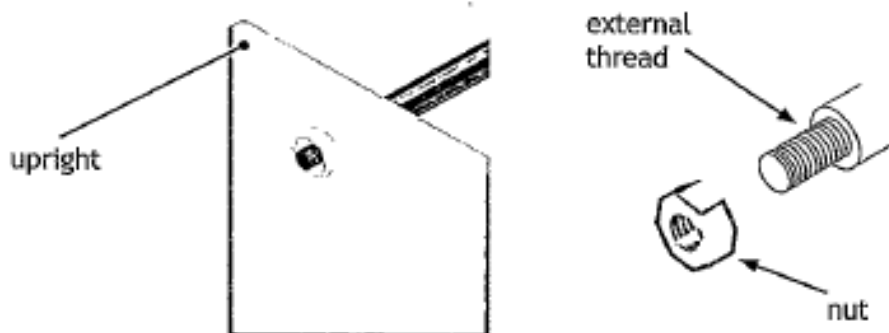


- (ii) Name two processes that would be carried out on the centre lathe to create the turned piece.

2

parallel turning  
facing off

An external thread was cut on the end of the bar to allow it to be attached to the upright using a nut.



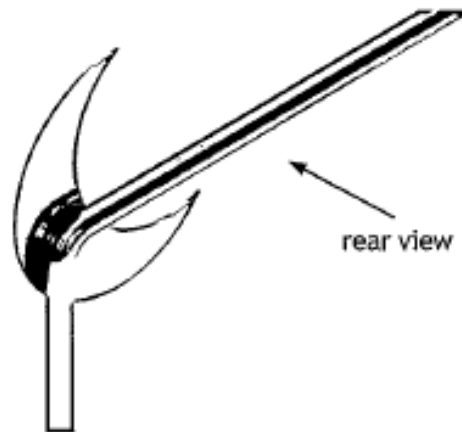
- (iii) Describe two ways of ensuring a good quality thread is cut.

2

- make sure the die is secure  
in the die stock.  
- that the die has sharp edges  
to cut.  
- the metal bar was clean.

## 1. (d) (continued)

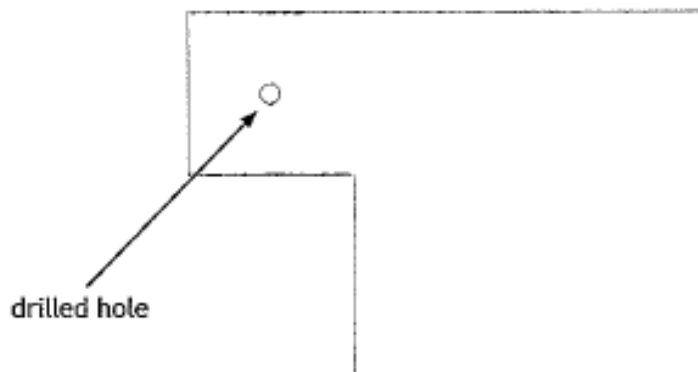
The brass moon was permanently joined to the brass bar.



- (iv) Name a suitable adhesive for permanently joining the moon to the bar. 1

epoxy resin

- (e) A hole was drilled in the acrylic upright to allow the clock mechanism to be held.

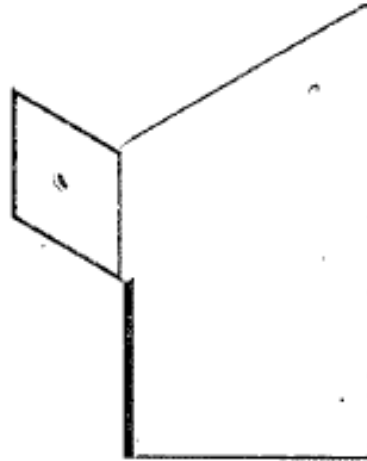


- (i) Outline **one** method of preventing the acrylic cracking during drilling. 1

- use the drill very slowly  
- clamp the plastic down ~~before drilling.~~  
~~before drilling.~~

## 1. (e) (continued)

The upright was bent to a right angle as shown below.

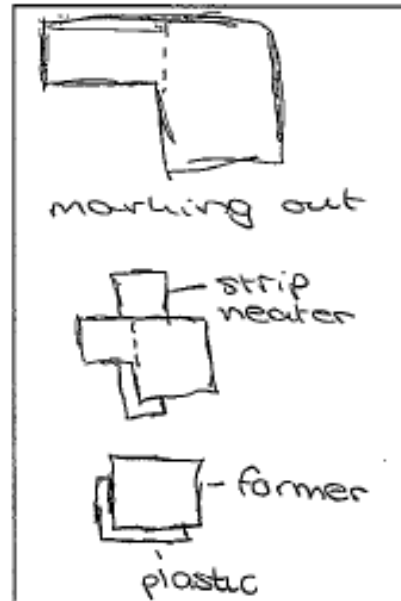


- (ii) Describe how the right-angled bend could be formed accurately, with reference to workshop tools.

2

You may use sketches to illustrate your answer in the box below.

mark out where  
the bend will  
go.  
then use a  
strip heater to  
heat up area.  
then put the  
plastic around  
a former and  
leave until set.



- (iii) Explain why the hole was drilled in the upright before the bend was formed.

1

it was easier to do it earlier  
as it was easier to clamp  
down to the drill.

2. When carrying out research, a variety of methods can be used to gather information.

(a) Explain the benefits of using a questionnaire to gather information.

3

- can ask specific questions
- anyone can fill them out
- results are easily gathered and put into charts.

After completing the research, a product specification can be produced.

(b) Describe how a specification can be used during the design process.

1

it can be used as an ongoing evaluation tool.

3. Brainstorming can be used as an idea generation technique.

(a) Describe the key stages of brainstorming.

3

a group of people write any  
idea that comes into their head.  
then you check for any duplicates  
between the group and remove them -  
results are presented and you  
can narrow down your choices.

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(b) Name another idea generation technique.

1

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4. Designers use graphic techniques at different stages of the design process.



(a) Outline two reasons why sketching is a suitable graphic technique to use when generating ideas.

2

- it can give a rough idea of the design they were envisioning.
- it is a quick process to do

(b) Outline two reasons why a designer will produce working drawings during the planning for manufacture stage.

2

- the drawings can show how the parts are going to join up.
- the drawings show the sizes of ~~the~~ ~~parts~~ each part.

## 4. (continued)

During the design process designers can use computer generated and physical models.

- (c) Explain the benefits of using physical models such as sketch, scale or block models during the design process.

3

By using physical models <sup>such as sketch</sup> you can see what your model looks like ~~dismantled~~ dismantled and as one product.

By using scale models you can compare sizes and check proportions of different parts.

By using block models you can look at your design from different angles and in 3D.

5. A kettle is shown below.

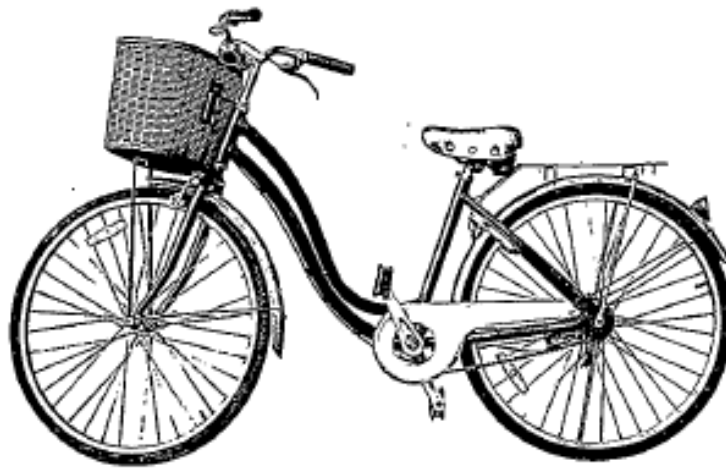


Describe how ergonomics may have influenced the design of the kettle.

4

- the red button is easy to push down.
- the handle width is suited to the average adults
- the handle length is suited to fit the average adults hand and have excess room.
- the kettle is lightweight so it can be easily lifted by an adult.
- the black button to open the kettle can be easily pressed and easily accessed.

6. A bicycle is shown below.



You must give different examples for (a) and (b).

Describe how the following design factors may have influenced the design of the bicycle:

(a) safety.

3

- the basket is below eye-level so you can still see were your pedalling.
- the chain is guarded so you don't hit it while pedalling.
- there are ~~lights~~ reflective lights on it so you can ride safely in the dark.

(b) function.

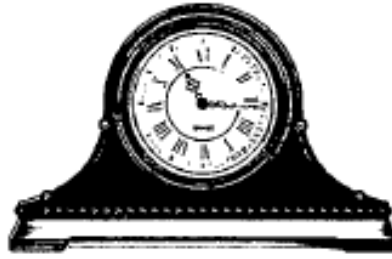
3

- the pedals are easy to reach from where your sitting to pedal.
- ~~you~~ you don't need a lot of strength to start pedalling and get the bike moving.
- the handle bars are within arms reach.

7. Three clocks are shown below.



Clock A



Clock B



Clock C

(a) Describe how the clocks compare aesthetically.

3

*You should compare three different aesthetic aspects.*

- All three clocks have a different way of representing the numbers.
- All three clocks have an overall different frame.
- All three clocks are different sizes.
- All three clocks <sup>would</sup> appeal to different target markets.

## 7. (continued)

Brand image is important to many companies.



(b) Describe two benefits of a strong brand image.

2

- strong brands have loyal customers.
- if one product was good then
- the other ones are likely to be good too.
- good reputation.

8. Two mass manufactured taps are shown below.

Metal Tap



Metals

- Mild steel
- Copper
- Iron

Plastic Tap



Plastics

- Acrylic
- Urea formaldehyde
- ABS

A different reason must be given for the suitability of each material.

(a) A metal tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable metal from the list provided.

1

copper

(ii) State why the metal you have selected would be suitable for the tap.

1

its corrosion resistant therefore won't rust.

(b) A plastic tap is shown above.

(i) Name the most suitable plastic from the list provided.

1

Urea formaldehyde

(ii) State why the plastic you have selected would be suitable for the tap.

1

its thermo-set so no temperature/heat will affect it's performance.

**8. (continued)**

Mass manufacturing processes were used to produce the taps.

*You must give different responses in (c) and (d).*

- (c) State two identifying features that would show the plastic tap was injection moulded.

2

split lines

injection marks

intricate detail.

- (d) Outline two reasons why die casting is a suitable process for mass manufacturing the metal taps.

2

all products would be identical

machines can work 24/7

**8. (continued)**

A thermoplastic water tank is shown below.



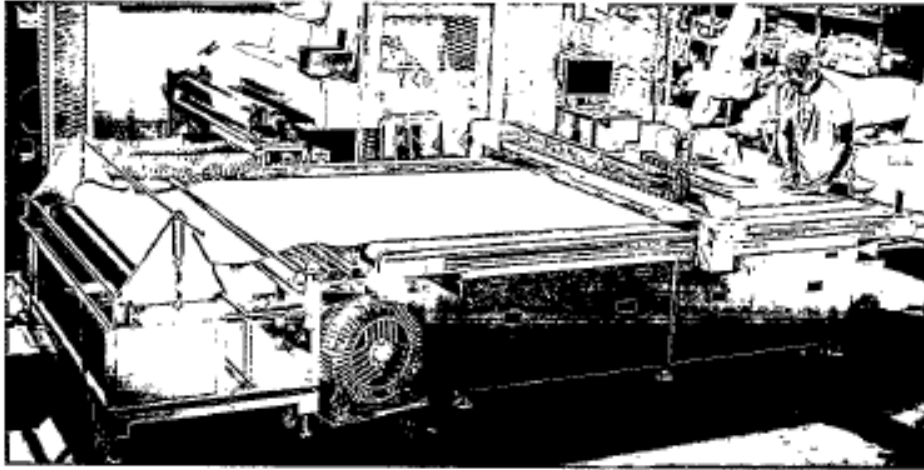
- (e) Name an appropriate process to manufacture the thermoplastic water tank and state why it is suitable.

2

Process rotational moulding

Suitable because it creates a hollow product

9. Computer Aided Manufacture (CAM) is often used in the mass-manufacture of products.



- (a) Explain the benefits of CAM to the manufacturer.

3

no skill required to work it  
machine can work 24/7 with  
no breaks  
guarantee that all products will  
be the same.

Not all products can be mass-manufactured.

- (b) Explain why some products are not suitable for mass-manufacture.

1

some sets are personalised  
and are one-offs which  
require more attention and skill

10. Manufacturers often use standard components such as the part shown below.



Outline the benefits of using standard components to the manufacturer.

3

- can buy them in bulk
- all of them are the same
- saves time rather than making them all.
- they are cheaper to buy rather than make.

11. Manufacturers have a responsibility to reduce landfill waste by extending product life expectancy.



Outline three steps that manufacturers could take to extend the life expectancy of a product.

3

- make recyclable parts.
- make products designed to dismantle. so that one part can be changed rather than the whole thing.
- use sustainable materials.
- ~~use sustainable materials.~~
- consider packaging so products come in one piece