

Question 12 (4 marks)

a. kinetic energy = $(\gamma - 1)mc^2$
= $(7.1 - 1) \times 105.7$ 1 mark
= 644.8 MeV 1 mark

b. chamber length relative to the muons = rest length $\times \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)}$
= $1000 \times \sqrt{(1 - 0.99^2)}$ 1 mark
= 1000×0.1411
= 141.1 m 1 mark