

Question 13 (8 marks)

Many products are designed to have a limited 'lifespan' – that is, they are designed to be replaced rather than repaired.

- (a) Give reasons why designers develop new products with a limited 'lifespan'.

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So the ~~consumer~~ ^{consumers} have to
buy it ~~again~~ when the "lifespan"
runs out.
Also this way the designer can
always be up with the latest ~~tech~~
trends

- (b) Explain the effects on society and the environment of designing products with a limited lifespan.

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The effects of designing a product
with a life span to society is
that it will always have to
buy a new one when the
life span runs out or has to
keep up with the latest trend.
to the environment ~~product~~ making
a product with a limited lifespan
would not be good. Because to
make the ~~product~~ product you
would have to keep using the
same resources.