



**Western Australian Certificate of Education  
ATAR course examination, 2020**

**Question/Answer Booklet**

**12 PHYSICS**

Name

**SOLUTIONS**

**Test 4 - Induced EMF**

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Mark: 36

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**Time allowed for this paper**

Reading time before commencing work: five minutes

Working time for paper: fifty minutes

**Materials required/recommended for this paper**

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Special items: non-programmable calculators satisfying the conditions set by the School Curriculum and Standards Authority for this course

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## Structure of this paper

Section	Number of questions available	Number of questions to be answered	Suggested working time (minutes)	Marks available	Percentage of exam
Section One: Short Answers					
Section Two: Problem-solving	6	6	50	36	100
Section Three: Comprehension	-	-	-	-	-
Total					100

## Instructions to candidates

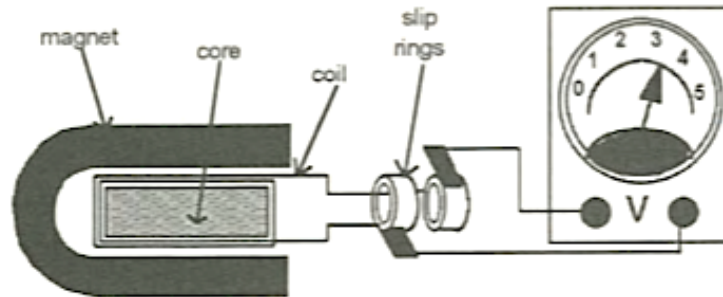
1. The rules for the conduct of examinations at Holy Cross College are detailed in the College Examination Policy. Sitting this examination implies that you agree to abide by these rules.
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8. Note that when an answer is a vector quantity, it must be given with magnitude and direction.
9. In all calculations, units must be consistent throughout your working.

### Section A: Short Answer

Marks Allocated: 21 marks out of 40 total marks.

This section has 7 questions. Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

#### Question 1



When the coil of the simple generator shown is turned, an EMF is induced. (No explanations are required for the following questions.)

- (a) What type of EMF is generated? (1 mark)

AC (1)

- (b) How will increasing the rate of rotation of the coil affect the magnitude of the output EMF? (1 mark)

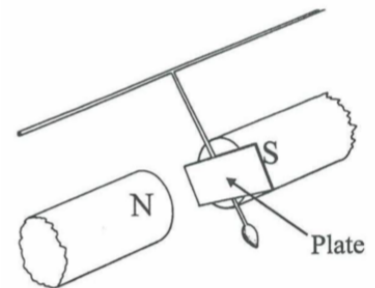
Increases EMF (1)

- (c) What is the source of the electrical energy induced in the coil? (1 mark)

Mechanical energy turning the coil. (1)

#### Question 2

An oscillating pendulum can be brought to rest more rapidly (i.e. damped) by having an aluminium plate attached to it that passes between the poles of a magnet.



- (a) Describe the principle being employed here. (3 marks)

- Plate starts cutting flux lines as it swings. (1)
- This induces an eddy current in the plate. (1)
- The magnetic field of the eddy current interacts with the external magnetic field to cause a force opposing the motion of the plate. (1)

- (b) State **two ways** in which the damping may be **increased**. (2 marks)

- Stronger magnet. (1)
- Larger plate. (1)

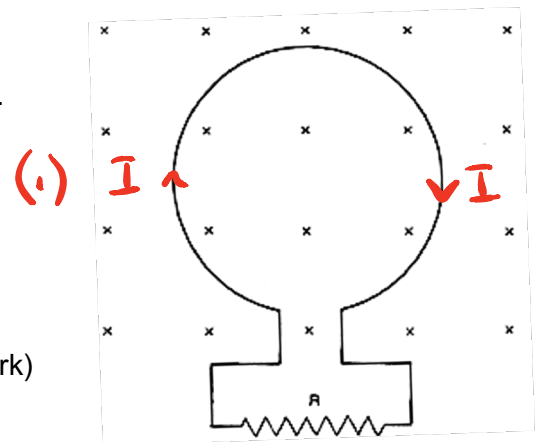
### Question 3

In a satellite experiment during the 1990s, there was an attempt to stretch a wire between a space shuttle and a satellite at higher orbit to generate electricity. The wire was 20.7 km long and the voltage to be generated was 5.00 kV when the shuttle had a velocity of 7.92 kms<sup>-1</sup>. Find the magnitude of the component of the Earth's magnetic field perpendicular to the motion of the wire. (4 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}
 EMF &= Blv \\
 \Rightarrow B &= \frac{EMF}{lv} \quad (1) && \text{Conversions (1)} \\
 &= \frac{(5.00 \times 10^3)}{(20.7 \times 10^3)(7.92 \times 10^3)} \quad (1) \\
 &= \underline{3.05 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T}} \quad (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

### Question 4

The diagram shows a conducting loop connected to a resistor R. The plane of the loop is at right-angles to the direction of the magnetic field directed into the paper.



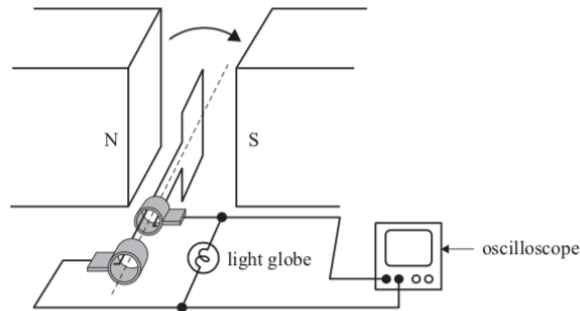
- (a) On the diagram, draw the direction of the induced current through R while the magnetic field density is **increasing**? (1 mark)

- (b) Given that the area of the loop is  $1.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^2$  and the magnetic field density increases from 0.200 T to 0.500 T in 2.00 s, find the magnitude of the average induced EMF. (3 marks)

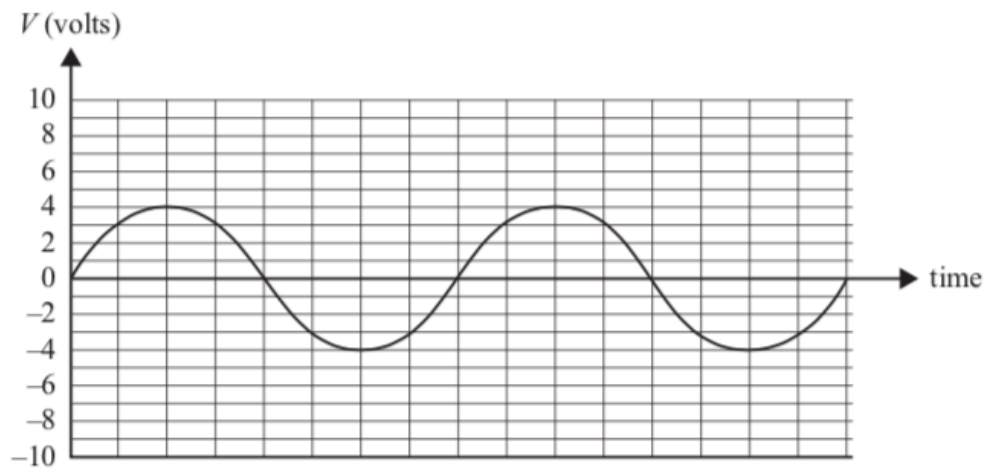
$$\begin{aligned}
 EMF &= \frac{-N\Delta\phi}{\Delta t} = \frac{-N\Delta BA}{\Delta t} \quad (1) \\
 &= \frac{-(1)(0.200 - 0.500)(1.00 \times 10^{-2})}{(2.00)} \quad (1) \\
 &= \underline{1.50 \times 10^{-3} \text{ V}} \quad (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

### Question 5

The diagram shows a simple AC alternator with the output connected to an oscilloscope and a light globe. The oscilloscope can be considered as having a very large resistance, so it does not impede the current flow. The coil (containing 10 loops) is 15.0 cm x 10.0 cm with the long side arranged into the page, and is rotated as shown. The magnetic field intensity of the magnets is 0.210 T.



The maximum EMF of the coil as shown on the oscilloscope is represented below.



- (a) At what frequency must the coil be rotated to achieve the output shown on the graph above? (4 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{EMF}_{\text{max}} &= 2\pi N B A f && \text{Correct formula (1)} \\
 \Rightarrow f &= \frac{\text{EMF}_{\text{max}}}{2\pi N B A} && (1) \\
 &= \frac{(4.00)}{2\pi (10)(0.210)(0.150)(0.100)} && (1) \\
 &= \underline{20.2 \text{ Hz}} && (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

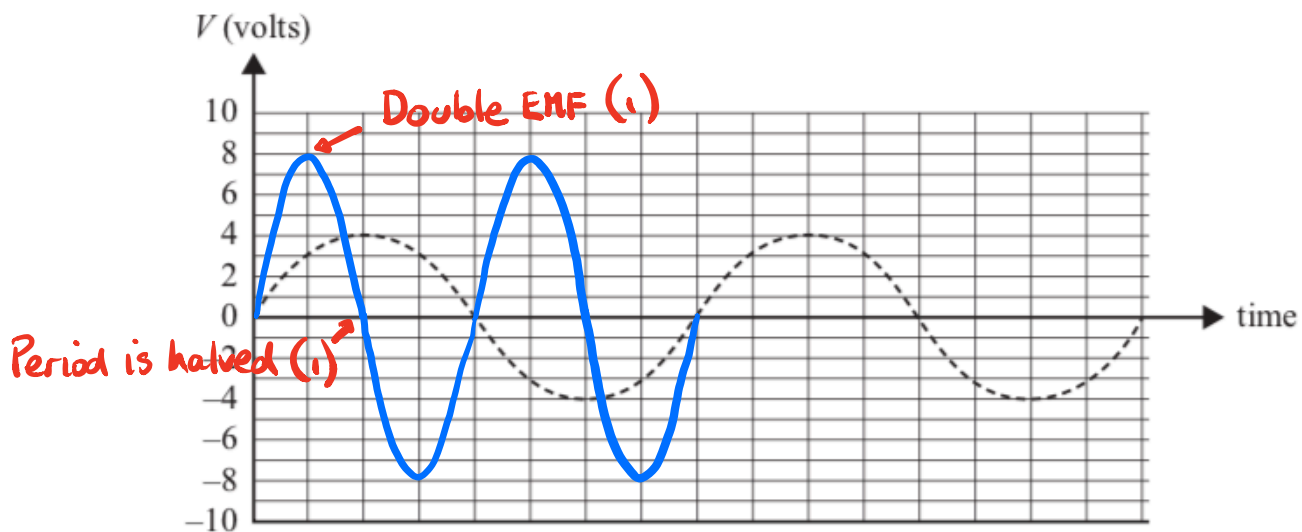
(b) Determine the  $\text{EMF}_{\text{rms}}$  for the generator.

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}\text{EMF}_{\text{rms}} &= \frac{\text{EMF}_{\text{max}}}{\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{4.00}{\sqrt{2}} \quad (1) \\ &= \underline{2.83 \text{ V}} \quad (1)\end{aligned}$$

(c) The rate of rotation of the loop is **doubled**. On the graph below, sketch the output that will now be seen on the oscilloscope. The original waveform is shown as a dashed line.

(2 marks)



$$\text{EMF}_{\text{max}} = 2\pi N B A f = \frac{2\pi N B A}{T}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{EMF} \propto \frac{1}{T}$$

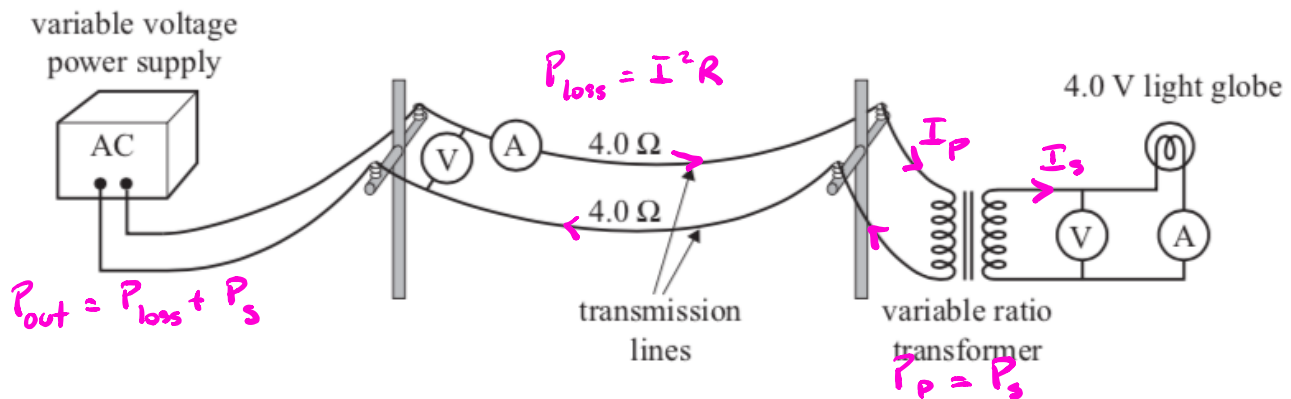
$\Rightarrow$  Halving  $T$  will double EMF

## Question 6

A Physics class is investigating power loss in transmission lines.

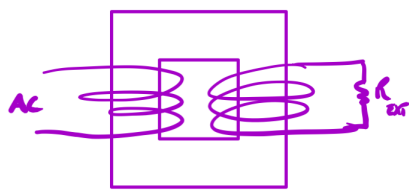
The students construct a model of a transmission system. They first set up the model as shown in Figure 7. The model consists of a variable voltage AC power supply, two transmission lines, each of  $4.00\ \Omega$ , a variable-ratio transformer (assume 100% efficient), a light globe and meters as needed. The purpose of the model is to operate the  $4.00\ \text{V}$  light globe.

A variable ratio transformer is one in which the ratio of turns in primary windings to turns in secondary windings can be varied. The resistance of the connecting wires can be ignored.



In their first experiment, the transformer is set on a ratio of 4:1 (primary:secondary) and the current in the transmission lines is measured to be  $3.00\ \text{A}$ . The light globe is operating correctly, with  $4.00\ \text{V}$  across it.

- (a) Calculate the power dissipated in the light globe. Show your working. (4 marks)



$$\begin{array}{ll} N_P = 4 & N_S = 1 \\ I_P = 3.00\ \text{A} & I_S = ? \\ V_P = ? & V_S = 4.00\ \text{V} \\ P_P = ? & P_S = ? \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{N_P}{N_S} &= \frac{I_S}{I_P} \\ \Rightarrow I_S &= \frac{(4)(3.00)}{(1)} \quad (1) \\ &= 12.0\ \text{A} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_S &= V_S I_S \\ &= (4.00)(12.0) \quad (1) \\ &= \underline{48.0\ \text{W}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Determine the power loss in the transmission lines. (3 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{loss}} &= I_P^2 R \\ &= (3.00)^2 (8.00) \quad (1) \\ &= \underline{72.0\ \text{W}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$2 \times 4.00\ \Omega \quad (1)$

(c) Calculate the voltage output of the power supply.

(3 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{out}} &= P_{\text{loss}} + P_P \\ &= 72.0 + 48.0 \quad (1) \\ &= 1.20 \times 10^2 \text{ W} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{out}} &= V_{\text{out}} I_s \\ \Rightarrow V_{\text{out}} &= \frac{1.20 \times 10^2}{3.00} \\ &= \underline{40.0 \text{ V}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{N_P}{N_S} &= \frac{V_P}{V_S} \\ \Rightarrow V_P &= \frac{(4)(4.00)}{(1)} \\ &= \underline{16.0 \text{ V}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{\text{drop (wires)}} &= I_P R \\ &= (3.00)(8.00) \\ &= \underline{24.0 \text{ V}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{\text{out}} &= V_{\text{drop}} + V_P \\ &= 16.0 + 24.0 \\ &= \underline{40.0 \text{ V}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

Either method is acceptable.

(d) Suggest a reason high voltage are often used for the transmission of electric power over long distances. Explain your answer. (2 marks)

- Minimise the transmission current. (1)
- This decreases the power loss according to  $P_{\text{loss}} = I^2 R$  (1)