

- 1 (a)** The kilogram, metre and second are SI base units.

State two other base units.

1. ....

2. ....

[2]

- (b)** Determine the SI base units of

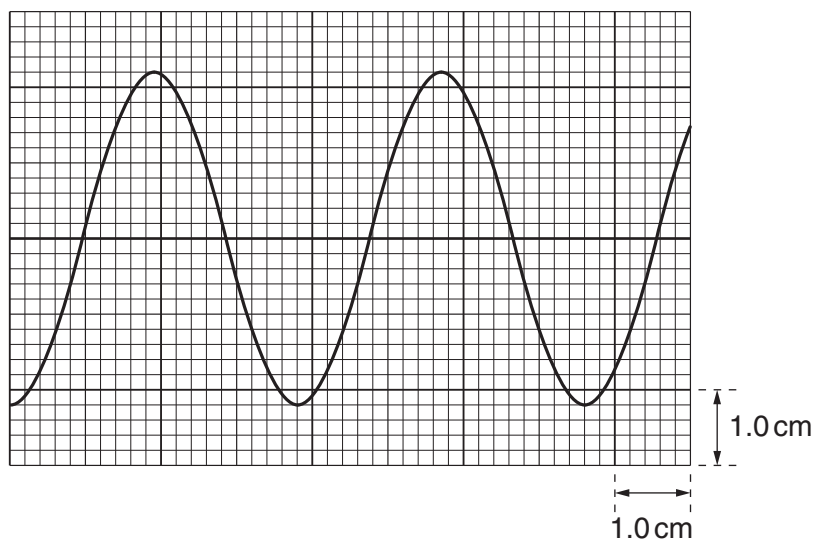
**(i)** stress,

SI base units .....[2]

**(ii)** the Young modulus.

SI base units .....[1]

- 2 A microphone detects a musical note of frequency  $f$ . The microphone is connected to a cathode-ray oscilloscope (c.r.o.). The signal from the microphone is observed on the c.r.o. as illustrated in Fig. 2.1.



**Fig. 2.1**

The time-base setting of the c.r.o. is  $0.50 \text{ ms cm}^{-1}$ . The Y-plate setting is  $2.5 \text{ mV cm}^{-1}$ .

- (a) Fig. 2.1 to determine

- (i) the amplitude of the signal,

amplitude = ..... mV [2]

- (ii) the frequency  $f$ ,

$f = \dots\dots\dots \text{ Hz}$  [3]

- (iii) the actual uncertainty in  $f$  caused by reading the scale on the c.r.o.

actual uncertainty = ..... Hz [2]

- (b) State  $f$  with its actual uncertainty.

$f = \dots\dots\dots \pm \dots\dots\dots \text{ Hz}$  [1]

3 (a) Force is a vector quantity. State three other vector quantities.

1. ....

2. ....

3. ....

[2]

(b) Three coplanar forces  $X$ ,  $Y$  and  $Z$  act on an object, as shown in Fig. 3.1.

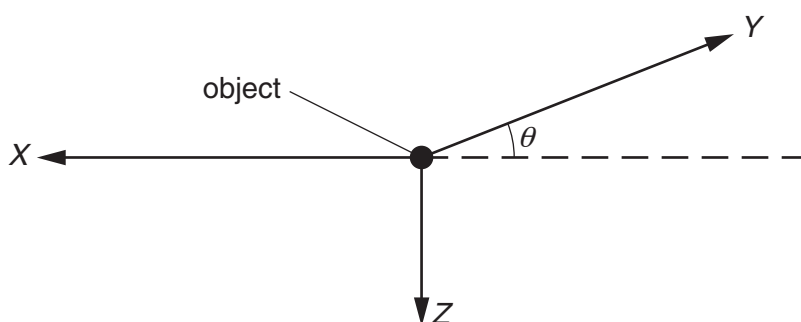


Fig. 3.1

The force  $Z$  is vertical and  $X$  is horizontal. The force  $Y$  is at an angle  $\theta$  to the horizontal. The force  $Z$  is kept constant at 70 N.

In an experiment, the magnitude of force  $X$  is varied. The magnitude and direction of force  $Y$  are adjusted so that the object remains in equilibrium.

Fig. 3.2 shows the variation of the magnitude of force  $Y$  with the magnitude of force  $X$ .

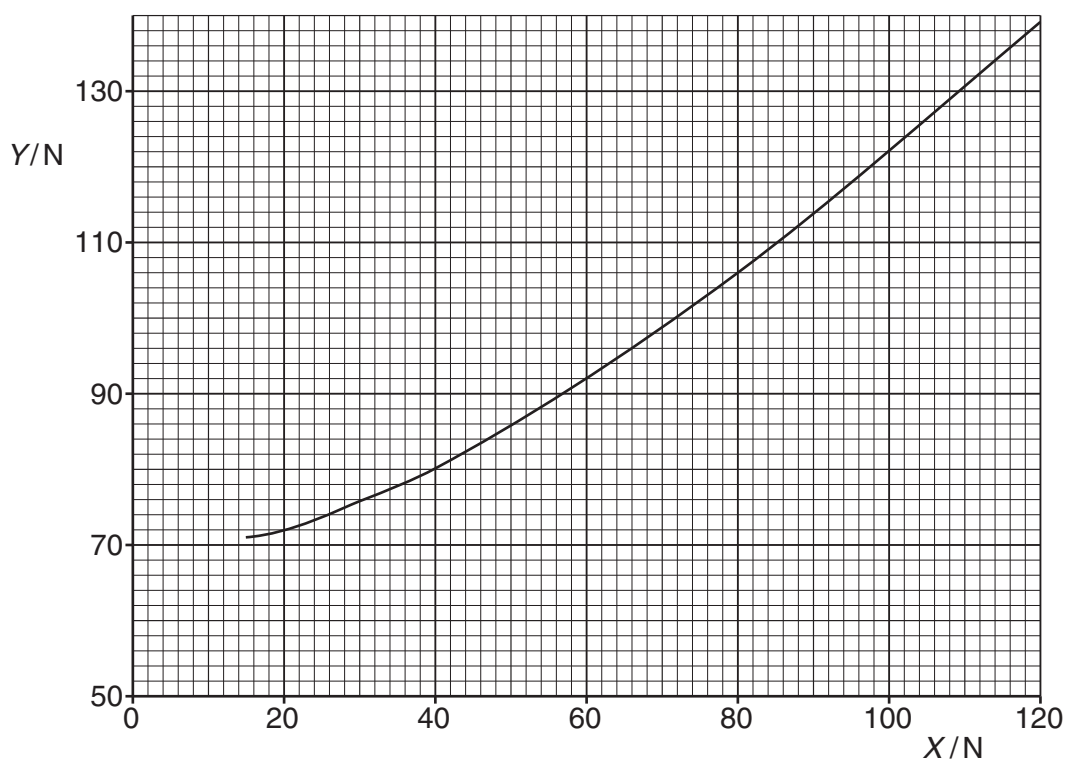


Fig. 3.2

- (i) Fig. 3.2 to estimate the magnitude of  $Y$  for  $X = 0$ .

$Y =$  ..... N [1]

- (ii) State and explain the value of  $\theta$  for  $X = 0$ .

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.....[2]

- (iii) The magnitude of  $X$  is increased to 160 N. resolution of forces to calculate the value of

1. angle  $\theta$ ,

$\theta =$  ..... ° [2]

2. the magnitude of force  $Y$ .

$Y =$  ..... N [2]

- (c) The angle  $\theta$  decreases as  $X$  increases. Explain why the object cannot be in equilibrium for  $\theta = 0$ .

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.....[1]

- 4 (a) State the principle of conservation of momentum.

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 .....[2]

- (b) A ball X and a ball Y are travelling along the same straight line in the same direction, as shown in Fig. 4.1.



Fig. 4.1

Ball X has mass 400 g and horizontal velocity  $0.65 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .  
 Ball Y has mass 600 g and horizontal velocity  $0.45 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .

Ball X catches up and collides with ball Y. After the collision, X has horizontal velocity  $0.41 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  and Y has horizontal velocity  $v$ , as shown in Fig. 4.2.

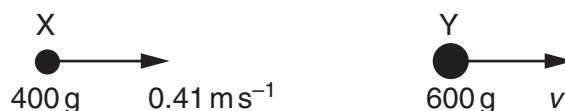


Fig. 4.2

Calculate

- (i) the total initial momentum of the two balls,

momentum = .....  $\text{Ns}$  [3]

- (ii) the velocity  $v$ ,

$v = \dots \text{ms}^{-1}$  [2]

(iii) the total initial kinetic energy of the two balls.

kinetic energy = ..... J [3]

(c) Explain how you would check whether the collision is elastic.

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.....[1]

(d) Newton's third law to explain why, during the collision, the change in momentum of X is equal and opposite to the change in momentum of Y.

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.....[2]

5 Distinguish between *evaporation* and *boiling*.

evaporation: .....

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boiling: .....

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[4]

- 6 (a) A wire has length 100cm and diameter 0.38mm. The metal of the wire has resistivity  $4.5 \times 10^{-7} \Omega \text{m}$ .

Show that the resistance of the wire is  $4.0 \Omega$ .

[3]

- (b) The ends B and D of the wire in (a) are connected to a cell X, as shown in Fig. 6.1.

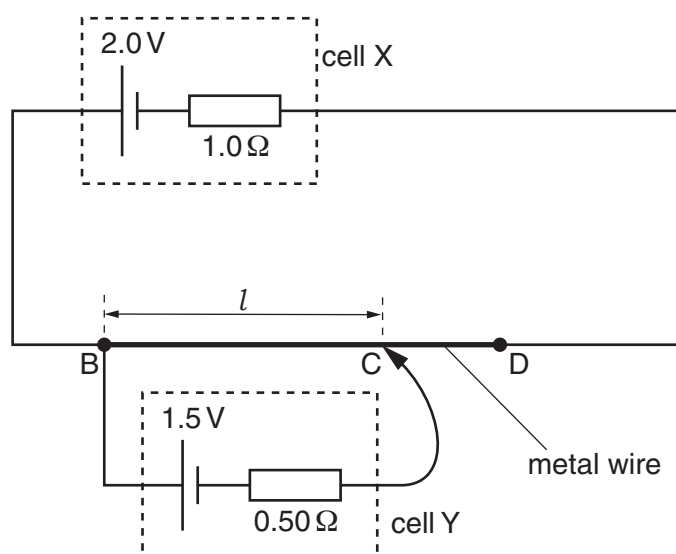


Fig. 6.1

The cell X has electromotive force (e.m.f.) 2.0V and internal resistance  $1.0 \Omega$ .

A cell Y of e.m.f. 1.5V and internal resistance  $0.50 \Omega$  is connected to the wire at points B and C, as shown in Fig. 6.1.

The point C is distance  $l$  from point B. The current in cell Y is zero.

Calculate

- (i) the current in cell X,

current = ..... A [2]



(ii) the potential difference (p.d.) across the wire BD,

p.d. = ..... V [1]

(iii) the distance  $l$ .

$l$  = ..... cm [2]

(c) The connection at C is moved so that  $l$  is increased. Explain why the e.m.f. of cell Y is less than its terminal p.d.

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.....[2]

- 7 (a) (i) Explain what is meant by a *progressive transverse wave*.

progressive: .....

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transverse: .....

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[2]

- (ii) Define frequency.

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- (b) The variation with distance  $x$  of displacement  $y$  for a transverse wave is shown in Fig. 7.1.

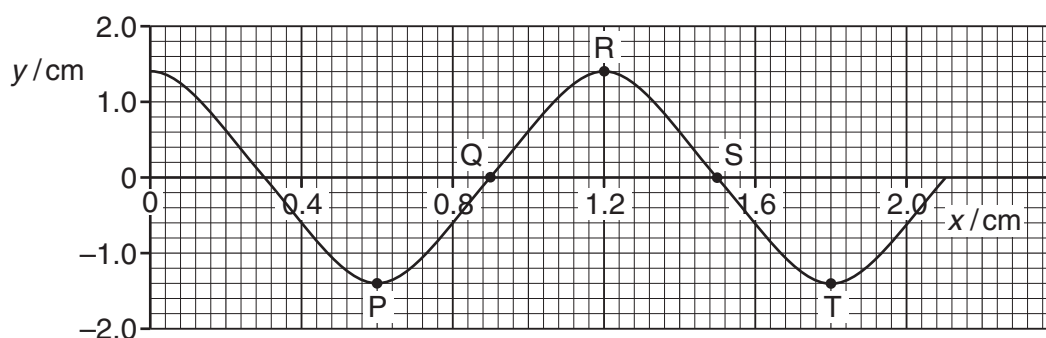


Fig. 7.1

On Fig. 7.1, five points are labelled.

Fig. 7.1 to state any two points having a phase difference of

- (i) zero,

.....[1]

- (ii)  $270^\circ$ .

.....[1]

- (c) The frequency of the wave in (b) is 15 Hz.

Calculate the speed of the wave in (b).

speed = .....  $\text{ms}^{-1}$  [3]

- (d) Two waves of the same frequency have amplitudes 1.4 cm and 2.1 cm.

Calculate the ratio

$$\frac{\text{intensity of wave of amplitude 1.4 cm}}{\text{intensity of wave of amplitude 2.1 cm}}$$

ratio = ..... [2]