

- 1 (a) Underline **all** the base quantities in the following list.

ampere    charge    current    mass    second    temperature    weight [2]

- (b) The potential energy  $E_p$  stored in a stretched wire is given by

$$E_p = \frac{1}{2}C\sigma^2V$$

where  $C$  is a constant,  
 $\sigma$  is the strain,  
 $V$  is the volume of the wire.

Determine the SI base units of  $C$ .

base units .....[3]

- 2 (a) Explain what is meant by a *scalar* quantity and by a *vector* quantity.

scalar: .....

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vector: .....

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[2]

- (b) A ball leaves point P at the top of a cliff with a horizontal velocity of  $15 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ , as shown in Fig. 2.1.

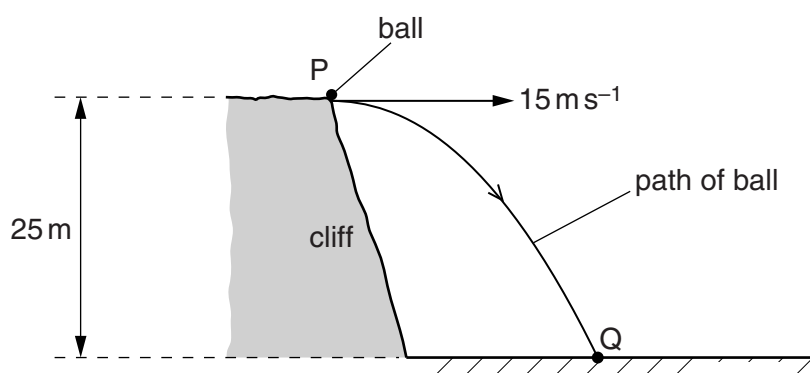


Fig. 2.1

The height of the cliff is 25 m. The ball hits the ground at point Q.  
Air resistance is negligible.

- (i) Calculate the vertical velocity of the ball just before it makes impact with the ground at Q.

vertical velocity = .....  $\text{m s}^{-1}$  [2]

- (ii) Show that the time taken for the ball to fall to the ground is 2.3 s.

[1]

- (iii) Calculate the magnitude of the displacement of the ball at point Q from point P.

displacement = ..... m [4]

- (iv) Explain why the distance travelled by the ball is different from the magnitude of the displacement of the ball.

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- 3 (a) Explain what is meant by *work done*.

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- (b) A boy on a board B slides down a slope, as shown in Fig. 3.1.

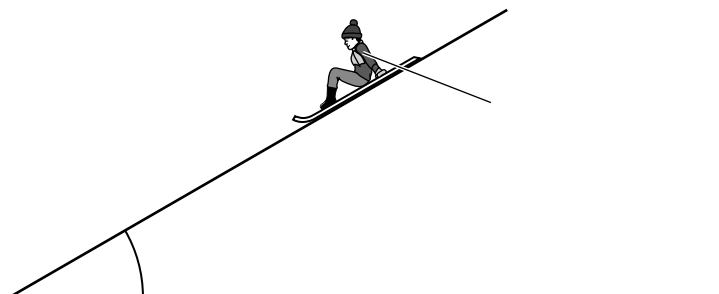


Fig. 3.1

The angle of the slope to the horizontal is  $30^\circ$ . The total resistive force  $F$  acting on B is constant.

- (i) State a word equation that links the work done by the force  $F$  on B to the changes in potential and kinetic energy.

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- (ii) The boy on the board B moves with velocity  $v$  down the slope. The variation with time  $t$  of  $v$  is shown in Fig. 3.2.

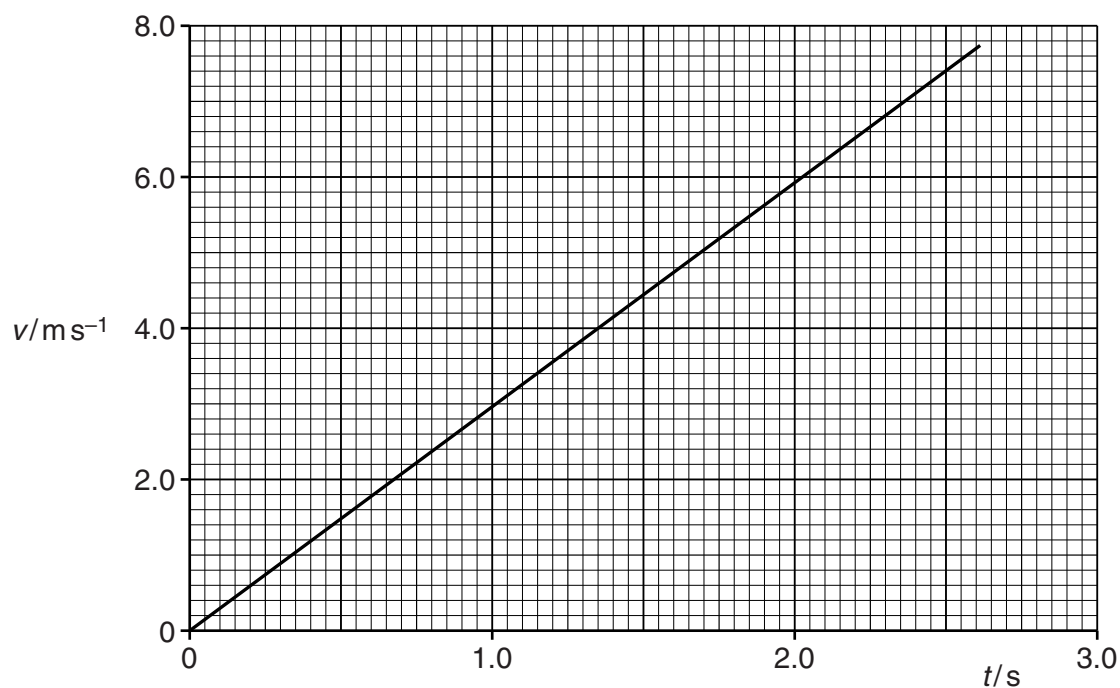


Fig. 3.2

The total mass of B is 75 kg.

B, from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 2.5$  s,

1. show that the distance moved down the slope is 9.3 m,

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2. calculate the gain in kinetic energy,

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

3. calculate the loss in potential energy,

loss in potential energy = ..... J [3]

4. calculate the resistive force  $F$ .

$F =$  ..... N [3]

- 4 A spring hangs vertically from a point P, as shown in Fig. 4.1.

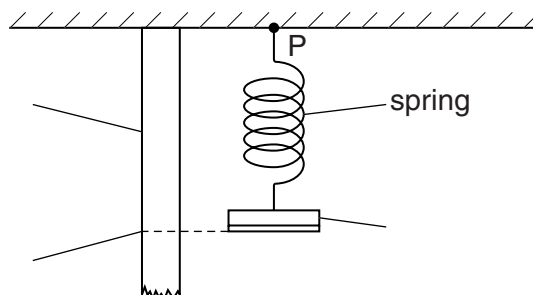


Fig. 4.1

A mass  $M$  is attached to the lower end of the spring. The reading  $x$  from the metre rule is taken, as shown in Fig. 4.1. Fig. 4.2 shows the relationship between  $x$  and  $M$ .

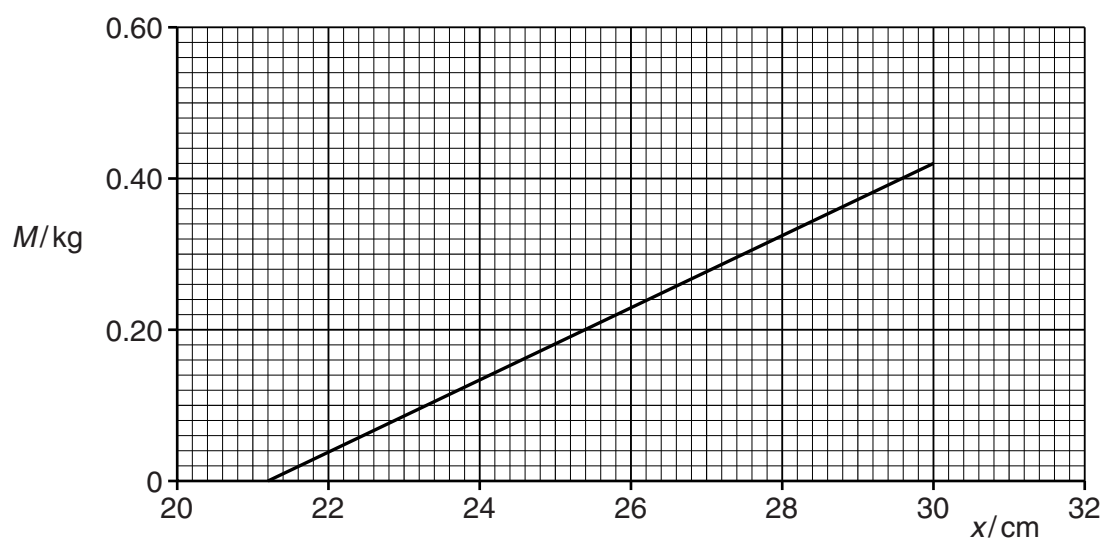


Fig. 4.2

- (a) Explain how the apparatus in Fig. 4.1 may be used to determine the load on the spring at the elastic limit.

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- (b) State and explain whether Fig. 4.2 suggests that the spring obeys Hooke's law.

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.....[2]

(c) Fig. 4.2 to determine the spring constant, in  $\text{N m}^{-1}$ , of the spring.

spring constant = .....  $\text{N m}^{-1}$  [3]

- 5 (a) Explain why the terminal potential difference (p.d.) of a cell with internal resistance may be less than the electromotive force (e.m.f.) of the cell.

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 .....[2]

- (b) A battery of e.m.f. 4.5V and internal resistance  $r$  is connected in series with a resistor of resistance  $6.0\Omega$ , as shown in Fig. 5.1.

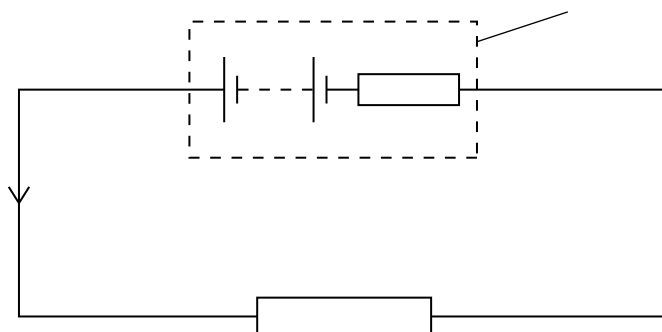


Fig. 5.1

The current  $I$  in the circuit is 0.65 A.

Determine

- (i) the internal resistance  $r$  of the battery,

$r = \dots\dots\dots \Omega$  [2]

- (ii) the terminal p.d. of the battery,

p.d. =  $\dots\dots\dots$  V [2]



(iii) the power dissipated in the resistor,

power = ..... W [2]

(iv) the efficiency of the battery.

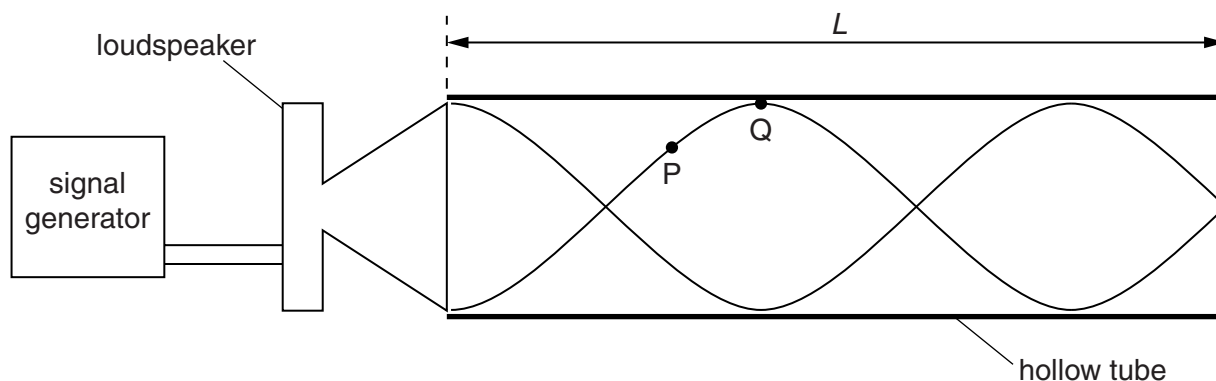
efficiency = ..... [2]

(c) A second resistor of resistance  $20\ \Omega$  is connected in parallel with the  $6.0\ \Omega$  resistor in Fig. 5.1.

Describe and explain qualitatively the change in the heating effect within the battery.

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- 6 A hollow tube is used to investigate stationary waves. The tube is closed at one end and open at the other end. A loudspeaker connected to a signal generator is placed near the open end of the tube, as shown in Fig. 6.1.



**Fig. 6.1**

The tube has length  $L$ . The frequency of the signal generator is adjusted so that the loudspeaker produces a progressive wave of frequency 440 Hz. A stationary wave is formed in the tube. A representation of this stationary wave is shown in Fig. 6.1. Two points P and Q on the stationary wave are labelled.

- (a) (i) Describe, in terms of energy transfer, the difference between a progressive wave and a stationary wave.

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 .....[1]

- (ii) Explain how the stationary wave is formed in the tube.

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 .....[3]

- (iii) State the direction of the oscillations of an air particle at point P.

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 .....[1]

- (b) On Fig. 6.1 label, with the letter N, the nodes of the stationary wave. [1]

- (c) State the phase difference between points P and Q on the stationary wave.

phase difference = ..... [1]

(d) The speed of sound in the tube is  $330 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .

Calculate

(i) the wavelength of the sound wave,

wavelength = ..... m [2]

(ii) the length  $L$  of the tube.

length = ..... m [2]