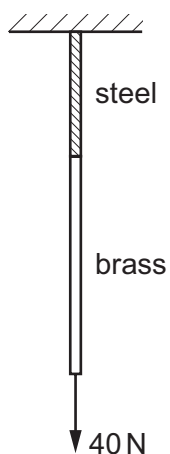


- 21** A 0.80 m length of steel wire and a 1.4 m length of brass wire are joined together. The combined wires are suspended from a fixed support and a force of 40 N is applied, as shown.



The Young modulus of steel is 2.0×10^{11} Pa.

The Young modulus of brass is 1.0×10^{11} Pa.

Each wire has a cross-sectional area of $2.4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2$.

The wires obey Hooke's law.

What is the total extension? Ignore the weights of the wires.

- A** $1.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ **B** $3.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ **C** $3.9 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ **D** $9.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$