6 A cell of electromotive force (e.m.f.) 0.48 V is connected to a metal wire X, as shown in Fig. 6.1.

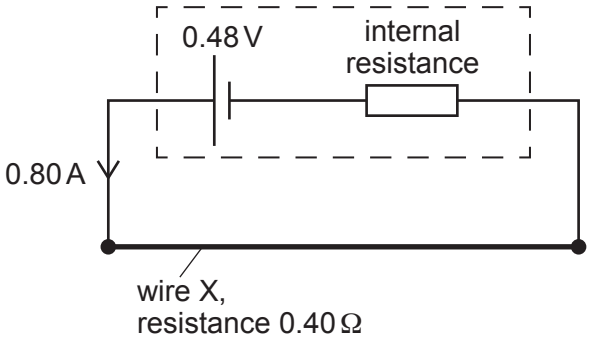

Fig. 6.1

The cell has internal resistance. The current in the cell is 0.80 A.

Wire X has length 3.0 m, cross-sectional area 1.3×10^{-7} m^2 and resistance 0.40 Ω.

(a) Calculate the charge passing through the cell in a time of 7.5 minutes.

charge = ... C [2]

(b) Calculate the percentage efficiency with which the cell supplies power to wire X.

efficiency = ... % [3]

(c) There are 3.2×10^{22} free (conduction) electrons contained in the volume of wire X.

wire X, calculate:

(i) the number density n of the free electrons

n = ... m^{-3} [1]

(ii) the average drift speed of the free electrons.

average drift speed = ... $m\,s^{-1}$ [2]

(d) A wire Y has the same cross-sectional area as wire X and is made of the same metal. Wire Y is longer than wire X.

Wire X in the circuit is now replaced by wire Y. Assume that wire Y has the same temperature as wire X.

State and explain whether the average drift speed of the free electrons in wire Y is greater than, the same as, or less than that in wire X.

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