

4 (a) (i) Define the terms

1. tensile stress,

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 .....[1]

2. tensile strain,

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 .....[1]

3. the Young modulus.

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 .....[1]

(ii) Suggest why the Young modulus is not used to describe the deformation of a liquid or a gas.

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 .....[1]

(b) The change  $\Delta V$  in the volume  $V$  of some water when the pressure on the water increases by  $\Delta p$  is given by the expression

$$\Delta p = 2.2 \times 10^9 \frac{\Delta V}{V},$$

where  $\Delta p$  is measured in pascal.

In many applications, water is assumed to be incompressible.

By reference to the expression, justify this assumption.

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 .....[2]

- (c) Normal atmospheric pressure is  $1.01 \times 10^5$  Pa.

Divers in water of density  $1.08 \times 10^3 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$  frequently use an approximation that every 10 m increase in depth of water is equivalent to one atmosphere increase in pressure. Determine the percentage error in this approximation.

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error = ..... % [3]

- 3 (a) Explain what is meant by the *internal energy* of a substance.

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- (b) State and explain, in molecular terms, whether the internal energy of the following increases, decreases or does not change.

- (i) a lump of iron as it is cooled

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- (ii) some water as it evaporates at constant temperature

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Answer **all** the questions in the spaces provided.

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**1** Make estimates of the following quantities.

**(a)** the speed of sound in air

speed = ..... [1]

**(b)** the density of air at room temperature and pressure

density = ..... [1]

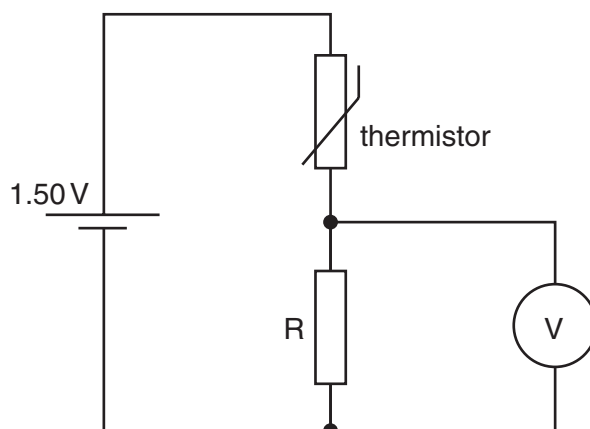
**(c)** the mass of a protractor

mass = ..... [1]

**(d)** the volume, in  $\text{cm}^3$ , of the head of an adult person

volume = .....  $\text{cm}^3$  [1]

- 8 A thermistor has resistance  $3900\ \Omega$  at  $0\ ^\circ\text{C}$  and resistance  $1250\ \Omega$  at  $30\ ^\circ\text{C}$ . The thermistor is connected into the circuit of Fig. 8.1 in order to monitor temperature changes.



**Fig. 8.1**

The battery of e.m.f.  $1.50\ \text{V}$  has negligible internal resistance and the voltmeter has infinite resistance.

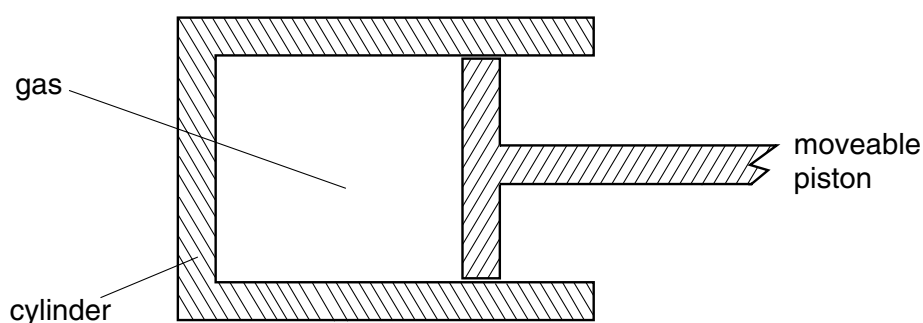
- (a) The voltmeter is to read  $1.00\ \text{V}$  at  $0\ ^\circ\text{C}$ . Show that the resistance of resistor  $R$  is  $7800\ \Omega$ .

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- (b) The temperature of the thermistor is increased to  $30\ ^\circ\text{C}$ . Determine the reading on the voltmeter.

reading = ..... V [2]

- 5 Some gas is contained in a cylinder by means of a moveable piston, as illustrated in Fig. 5.1.



**Fig. 5.1**

State how, for this mass of gas, the following changes may be achieved.

- (a) increase its gravitational potential energy

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- (b) decrease its internal energy

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- (c) increase its elastic potential energy

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 .....[1]