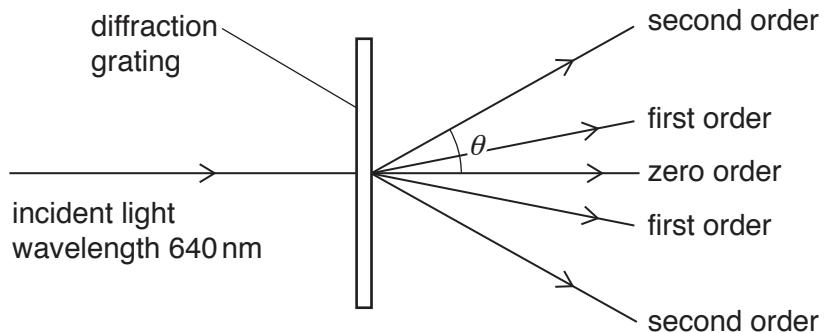


- 5 Red light of wavelength 640 nm is incident normally on a diffraction grating having a line spacing of  $1.7 \times 10^{-6}$  m, as shown in Fig. 5.1.



**Fig. 5.1** (not to scale)

The second order diffraction maximum of the light is at an angle  $\theta$  to the direction of the incident light.

- (a) Show that angle  $\theta$  is  $49^\circ$ .

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- (b) Determine a different wavelength of **visible** light that will also produce a diffraction maximum at an angle of  $49^\circ$ .

wavelength = ..... m [2]

[Total: 5]