

- 4 (a) With reference to the direction of transfer of energy, compare the oscillations of transverse and longitudinal progressive waves.

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- (b) A pipe is open at one end and closed at the other with a piston. The piston can slide freely and is at a distance of  $4.5 \times 10^{-2}$  m from the open end of the pipe.

A loudspeaker is positioned near the open end of the pipe and emits a sound wave of a single constant frequency. A stationary wave is formed in the pipe, as illustrated in Fig. 4.1.

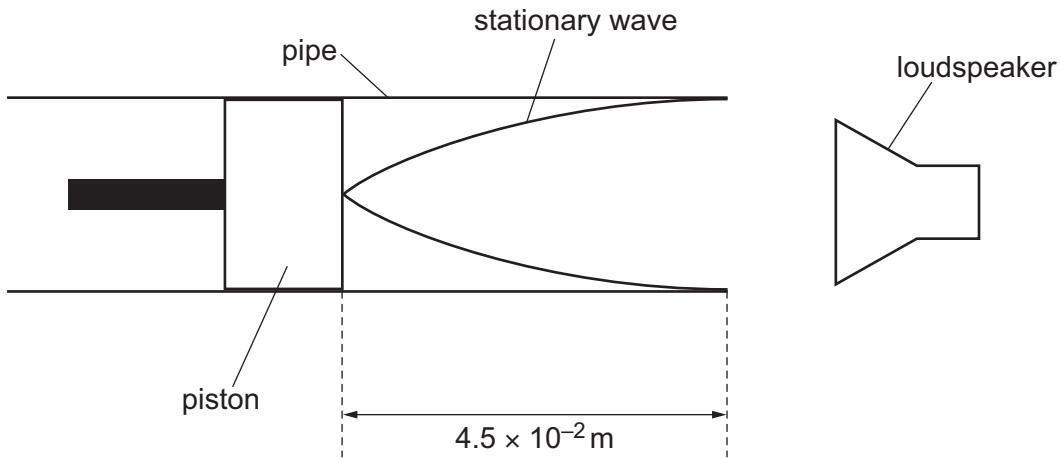


Fig. 4.1

- (i) On Fig. 4.1, draw a letter A at the position of an antinode. [1]  
(ii) The speed of sound in air is  $340 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .

Determine the frequency of the sound wave.

$$\text{frequency} = \dots \text{ Hz} [3]$$



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- (iii) The piston is moved to the left. The frequency of the sound wave emitted by the loudspeaker is then changed so that a stationary wave is formed with same number of antinodes as in Fig. 4.1.

State and explain the change that is made to the frequency of the sound wave.

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