

- 4 (a) A telescope consisting of a satellite dish of diameter 250 m is used to scan the sky for sources that emit electromagnetic waves.

Two distant sources that are  $1.8 \times 10^{12}$  m apart are emitting radio waves of wavelength 1.2 m. If the telescope is just able to resolve the two sources, calculate the distance of the sources from the telescope.

distance = ..... m [3]

- (b) In order to measure the depth of a well, an engineer uses a sonar with variable frequency at the opening of the well. Successive maximum signals are detected at 30.0 Hz and 42.0 Hz.

- (i) The depth of the well,  $d$ , can be expressed as  $d = \frac{n\lambda}{4}$ , where  $\lambda$  is the wavelength of the soundwave formed in the well when a maximum signal is heard and  $n$  is an integer.

State and explain the values that  $n$  can take.

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- (ii) The speed of sonar sound is  $330 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ .

Calculate the depth of the well.

depth of well = ..... m [3]

(iii) Sketch the wave formed in the well at 30.0 Hz.

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