

- 5 Fig. 5.1 shows an ideal transformer, where the primary coil is connected to an alternating voltage supply of 20 V. The secondary coil is connected to an ideal ammeter and a fixed resistor R of resistance 50 Ω . The number of turns in the primary coil N_p is 25.

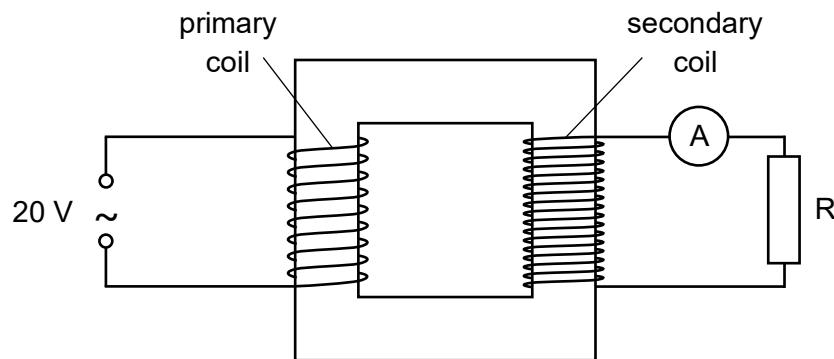


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Fig. 5.2 shows the variation with time t of the current I recorded from the ammeter.

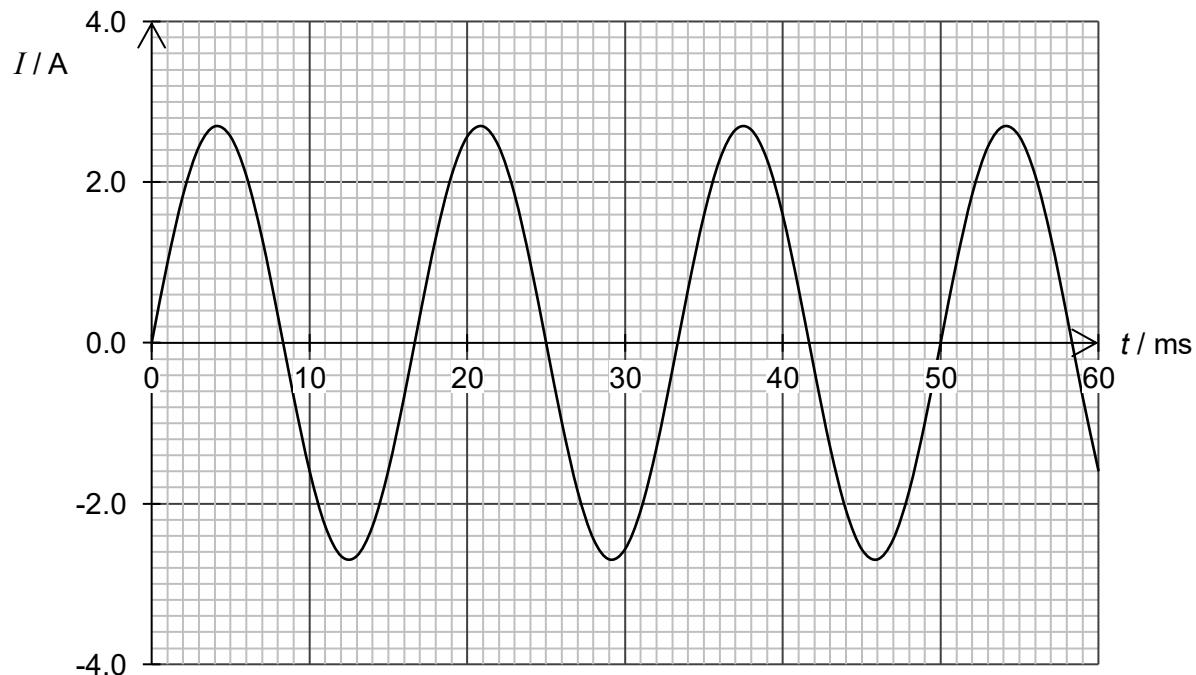


Fig. 5.2

(a) Determine the mean power dissipated across the resistor R.

$$\text{mean power} = \dots \text{W} \quad [2]$$

(b) Determine the number of turns in the secondary coil N_s .

$$N_s = \dots \quad [2]$$

(c) Determine the frequency of the alternating voltage supply. Explain your working.

$$\text{frequency} = \dots \text{ Hz} \quad [2]$$

(d) Explain how your answer in (a) will be affected if the frequency of the alternating voltage supply is doubled, while the peak voltage of the supply remains the same.

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