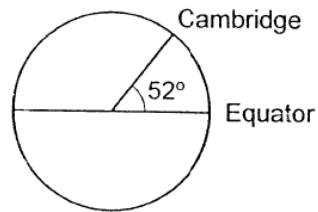


- 7 Singapore is on the Equator. Cambridge is at a latitude of  $52^\circ$  N, as shown in the diagram.



A student at Singapore has a centripetal acceleration  $a_s$  because of the Earth's rotation about its axis. The centripetal acceleration of another student at Cambridge is  $a_c$ .

What are the magnitudes of the centripetal accelerations? (radius of Earth =  $6.4 \times 10^6$  m; angular velocity of Earth about axis =  $7.3 \times 10^{-5}$  rad s $^{-1}$ )

	$a_s / \text{m s}^{-2}$	$a_c / \text{m s}^{-2}$
<b>A</b>	$3.4 \times 10^{-2}$	$2.1 \times 10^{-2}$
<b>B</b>	$3.4 \times 10^{-2}$	$2.7 \times 10^{-2}$
<b>C</b>	$3.4 \times 10^{-2}$	$3.4 \times 10^{-2}$
<b>D</b>	$4.7 \times 10^2$	$4.7 \times 10^2$