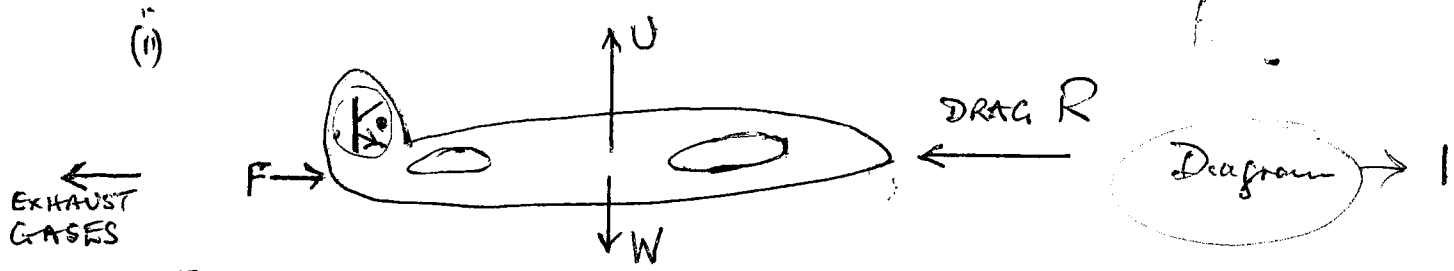
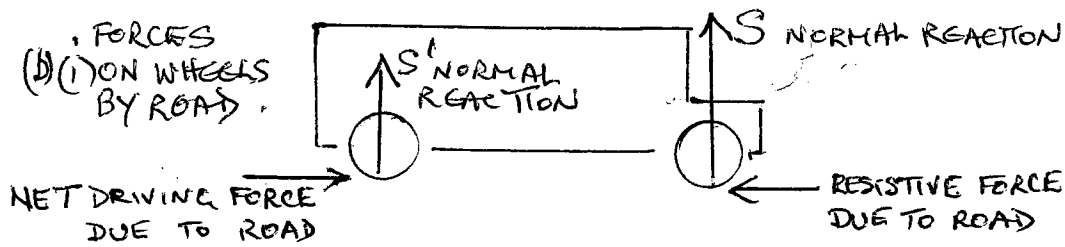


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SOLUTIONS

- (a) (i) $Z \rightarrow Z-2$ $A \rightarrow A-4$ $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$
- (ii) $Z \rightarrow Z+1$ $A \rightarrow A$ $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$
- (iii) $Z \rightarrow Z+1$ $A \rightarrow A+2$ $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$
- [3]



FORCES

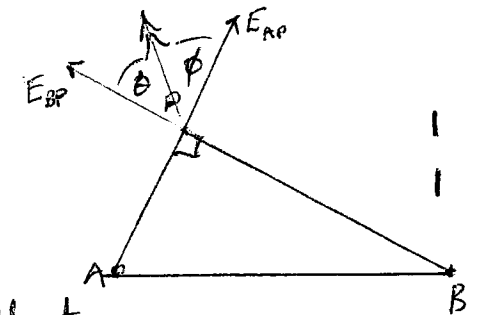
- (i) Weight W vertically downwards $\frac{1}{2}$
- (ii) Upthrust due to flow of air over wings (Bernoulli effect), U , vertically upwards $\frac{1}{2}$
- (iii) Driving force F , reaction resulting from rate of change of momentum of exhaust gases $\frac{1}{2}$
- (iv) Drag, resistance, R due to air resistance $\frac{1}{2}$

$W = U$ and $F = R$ for constant velocity $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$

[5]

(c) $E_{AP} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{100 \times 10^{-9}}{(50 \times 10^{-3})^2} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} (4 \times 10^{-5}) \text{ NC}^{-1}$

$E_{BP} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{576 \times 10^{-9}}{(120 \times 10^{-3})^2} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} (4 \times 10^{-5}) \text{ NC}^{-1}$



As these components are at right angle the resultant

$E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} 4\sqrt{2} \times 10^{-5} \text{ NC}^{-1}$

$= (8.897 \times 10^9) (4\sqrt{2}) 10^{-5} \text{ NC}^{-1}$

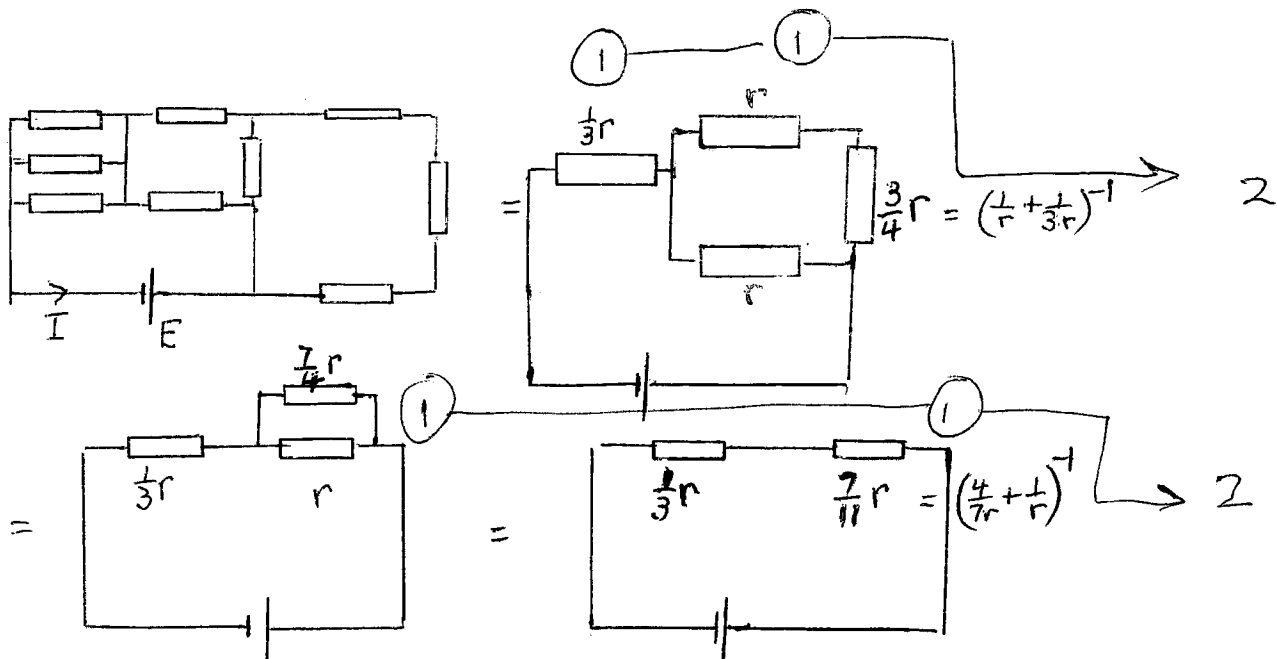
$E = 5.03 \times 10^5 \text{ NC}^{-1}$

$\theta = \phi = \tan^{-1} 1 = 45^\circ$

(1)

[5]

(d)



$$I = \frac{E}{\left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{7}{11}\right)r} = \frac{33}{32} \frac{E}{r}$$

1
[5]

(e)

$$E = h\nu: \quad \nu = \frac{50 \times 10^3 \times 1.602 \times 10^{-19}}{6.626 \times 10^{-34}} \\ = \underline{1.29 \times 10^{19} \text{ Hz}}$$

1
1

$$\text{Heat generated} = (50 \times 10^3)(20 \times 10^{-3})(0.99) \text{ J s}^{-1} \\ = \underline{990 \text{ W}}$$

1
[3]

(f)

Let \$m\$ be mass of bullet and \$v\$ speed of bullet

$$\frac{4}{5} \left(\frac{1}{2} m v^2\right) = (600 - 320)(0.12 \times 10^3) \text{ m} + 21 \times 10^3 \text{ m} \\ v^2 = \frac{5}{2} [280(0.12 \times 10^3) + 21 \times 10^3] \\ = \frac{5}{2} (10^3) [33.60 + 21.00] = \frac{5}{2} (10^3) (54.60) \\ = 13.65 \times 10^4 \\ \underline{v = 0.37 \text{ km s}^{-1}}$$

3

1
[4]

(g) Originally 10 uranium atom, presently only 9
Exponential decay for rock of age \$t\$: \$\lambda t\$

$$9 = 10e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\lambda t = -\ln(0.9) \quad \text{where}$$

$$\lambda = -\ln 2 / 4.5 \times 10^9 = + \frac{0.6931}{4.5 \times 10^9}$$

Substituting for \$\lambda\$,

$$\underline{t = 6.84 \times 10^8 \text{ years}}$$

(2)

1
1
2
1
[5]

(k) Area of cork, radius 1cm, $= \pi (1 \times 10^{-2})^2 \text{ m}^2$

Force on cork, $F = p \times \text{Area} = p \pi (1 \times 10^{-2})^2 \text{ N}$ ($p = \text{pressure}$)

Energy gained by cork in 2cm $= F(2 \times 10^{-2}) = p \pi (1 \times 10^{-2})^2 (2 \times 10^{-2})$

$= p (6.2) 10^{-6} \text{ J}$

$= mgh$ $m = \text{mass} = 10 \text{ gms}, h = 6 \text{ m}$

$= 10 \times 10^{-3} (9.81) 6$

Thus

$p = \frac{5.9 \times 10^{-1}}{6.2 \times 10^{-6}} \approx 10^5 \text{ Pa}$

Accept answers in range $10^4 \rightarrow 10^6 \text{ Pa}$.

Alternative solutions acceptable - can use approx $g = 10$.

(ii) Let w be the width of the tyre and t thickness left on road, Radius of tyre

Removed volume $= (5 \times 10^{-3}) 2\pi R w = 50000 \times 10^3 \times t \times w$

Taking $R = 20 \text{ cm}$, $t = 2\pi (20 \times 10^{-2}) \times 10^{-10}$

Giving

$t = 10^{-10} \text{ m}$

Accept $10^{-9} \rightarrow 10^{-11} \text{ m}$

Alternative solutions acceptable

(j) Using $\frac{1}{2} m v^2 = mgh$ (conservation of energy)

$v^2 = 2g (20 \times 10^{-2})$ ($h = 20 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$)

$v = 1.98 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (or $\sqrt{0.4g}$)

(ii) Time to fall 0.80 m, t , is given by

$0.80 = \frac{1}{2} g t^2$

$t = \sqrt{\frac{1.6}{g}}$

Horizontal distance $s = vt = \sqrt{0.4g} \sqrt{\frac{1.6}{g}} = 0.80 \text{ m}$ (K)

(iii) For a hole at height h above the floor, conservation of energy requires $\frac{1}{2} m v^2 = mg(1-h)$

Time t to fall distance h given by

$h = \frac{1}{2} g t^2$ i.e. $t = \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$

Horizontal distance s , given by

$s = v t = \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}} \sqrt{2g(1-h)}$

From (A)

$= 0.80 \text{ m}$

This gives an equation for h ,

$h^2 - h + \frac{16}{100} = 0$

Thus

$h = 0.80 \text{ m}$ or 0.20 m

We see...

$h = 0.20 \text{ m}$ (i.e. $h = 0.80 \text{ m}$ corresponds to the first hole)

(j)

[10]

(k) We require

$$\frac{G M_{\text{Moon}} M_{\text{Earth}}}{R_{ME}^2} = \frac{Q^2}{(4\pi\epsilon_0) R_{ME}^2}$$

$$Q^2 = (4\pi\epsilon_0) G (0.0123) M_E^2$$

$$= 4\pi (8.854 \times 10^{-12}) (6.672 \times 10^{-11}) (0.0123) M_E^2$$

$$Q = 9.555 \times 10^{-12} M_E$$

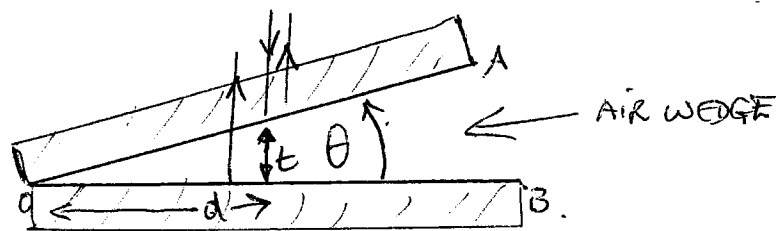
Mass of electrons

$$M_Q = 9.555 \times 10^{-12} \frac{9.109 \times 10^{-31}}{1.602 \times 10^{-19}} M_E$$

$$M_Q = 5.43 \times 10^{-23} M_E$$

[4]

(l)



(i) Light reflected from two faces, OA and OB, upper and lower surfaces of air wedge. Extra phase change of π at OB due to reflection at interface with lower to higher refractive index.

If thickness of wedge t at reflected region, distance d from O, constructive interference require $2t = (n + \frac{1}{2})\lambda$ (A) (n integer)

Destructive interference $2t = n\lambda$

Pattern due to interference fringe system

(ii) Now $t = d \tan \theta \approx d\theta$

Substituting into (A), $2d\theta = (n + \frac{1}{2})\lambda$ for constructive fringes

Separation Δd between constructive fringes given by

$$2\Delta d\theta = \lambda \quad \text{at } [n + \frac{3}{2} - (n + \frac{1}{2})]$$

$$\Delta d = \frac{\lambda}{2\theta}$$

Δd depends inversely on θ ; some marks for a qualitative answer

(iii) For water refractive index $\mu > 1$, path difference becomes $2\mu d\theta$

Giving $\Delta d = \frac{\lambda}{2\mu\theta}$

fringe separation

Δd becomes smaller than in air. Some marks for a qualitatively correct answer.

(14)

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(m) Decrease in p.e. $= + (0.20)g(0.16) = +0.3139 \text{ J}$

(ii) Energy $E = \frac{1}{2} k x^2 = \frac{1}{2} k (0.16)^2$

At equilibrium $0.20g = k(0.16)$ or $k = \frac{5}{4}g$

Thus $E = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{0.20g}{0.16} \right) (0.16)^2 = 0.157 \text{ J} = \frac{1}{2}(+V)$

(iii) Heat generated $V - E = \frac{1}{2}V = 0.157 \text{ J}$

(iv) Loss in p.e. $= \frac{1}{2}k[(0.24)^2 - (0.16)^2] - (0.20)g(0.08)$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{5}{4}g \right) [(0.40)(0.08)] - 0.016g$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{5}{4}g \right) (0.032) - 0.016g$
 $= 0.016g \left(\frac{5}{4} - 1 \right) = 0.016g \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) = 0.004g$
 $= 39.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ J}$

Gain in KE $= 3.92 \times 10^{-2} \text{ J}$

(v) $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{1/5}{(5/4)g}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{4}{25g}} = \frac{4\pi}{5\sqrt{g}}$
 $= 0.802 \text{ s}$

(vi) Spring is 'compressed' into zero tension state and spring plus mass falls under gravity

$\frac{1}{2}$
 $\frac{1}{2}$
[10]

(n) let n be the number of strokes; working volume of pump V_1 .
 If each stroke produces a volume V_2 with required pressure p_2 , then
 For i th stroke, $p_1 V_1 = p_2 V_{2i}$ ($V_2 = V_{2i}$)

Then n strokes will produce

$n p_1 V_1 = p_2 \sum V_{2i} = p_2 V_2$ where V_2 total vol. of tyre

Given $n(9.0 \times 10^{-5})(1.0 \times 10^5) = (3.0 \times 10^5)(1.2 \times 10^{-3})$

thus $n = 40$

In practice the expansion is not slow, so temperature does not remain constant. It is an adiabatic expansion in which heat generated and does not escape; barrel becomes hot

$$21 \quad (i) \quad S_A + S_B = (M+m)g \quad (i)$$

Moments about A:

$$mgl + Mg(2l-x) = 2l S_B$$

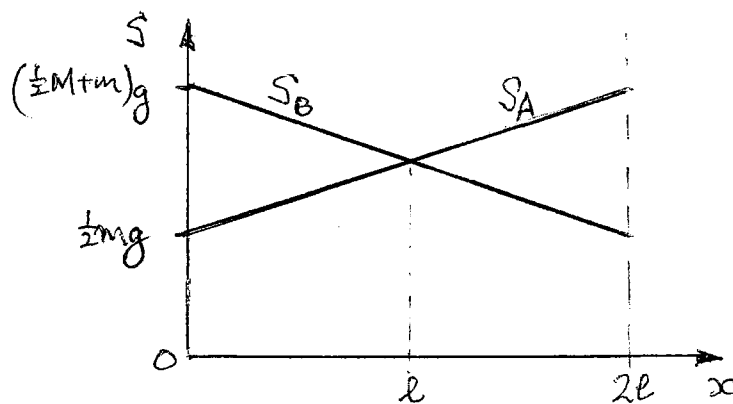
$$S_B = \left[\frac{1}{2}mi + \left(1 - \frac{x}{2l}\right)M \right]g \quad (ii)$$

From (i)

$$S_A = (M+m)g - S_B$$

From (ii)

$$S_A = \left[\frac{1}{2}mi + \left(\frac{x}{2l}\right)M \right]g$$



S_B graph
 S_A graph

[6]

(E)

2 (a)

SOLUTION TO Q2

(i)

$i_1 = i_8$	$[\frac{1}{2}]$
$i_2 = i_9$	$[\frac{1}{2}]$
$i_3 = i_{11}$	$[\frac{1}{2}]$
$i_4 = i_{12}$	$[\frac{1}{2}]$
$i_5 = i_{10}$	$[\frac{1}{2}]$

(ii) (x) all current directions are reversed [1]
 (xi) the network is the same as in (i) with A and B reversed
 Consequently

$i_1 = i_4$	$[1]$
$i_2 = i_3$	$[1]$

[Using results in (i)]

$i_8 = i_{11} = i_1 = i_4$	
$i_9 = i_2 = i_{10} = i_3$]

(iii) No change [1]

(iv) In Figure 2.2. Total resistance of upper five resistors is

$$2R + \left(\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{2R}\right)^{-1} = 2R + \frac{2}{3}R = \frac{8}{3}R \quad [1]$$

Lower 5 resistors also $\frac{8}{3}R$. [1]

Adding $2R$ in parallel with $\frac{8}{3}R$ which is in parallel with $\frac{8}{3}R$

Total Resistance $R_{AB} = \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{2}\right)^{-1} R = \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^{-1} R \quad [1]$

$R_{AB} = \frac{4}{5} R$ [1]

[11.7]

(b) Reversing the p.d. across A.C. requires, by symmetry,

$$i_1 = -i_{10}$$

$$i_6 = -i_9$$

$$i_3 = -i_7$$

$$i_5 = -i_{12}$$

$$i_2 = -i_{11}$$

If students have correct magnitudes and appreciate the direction of the current give full marks

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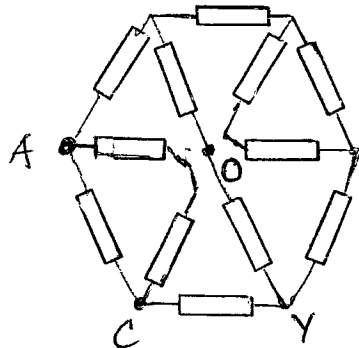
[1/2]

Disconnect i_3 and i_7 at junction O

i_6 and i_9 at junction O

This does not alter currents in the arms of network

We now have



Total resistance to right of XY = $2R + \left(\frac{1}{2R} + \frac{1}{R}\right)^{-1} = \frac{8}{3}R$

[2]

This is in parallel with resistance $2R$ along XY

Giving total resistance $\left(\frac{1}{2R} + \frac{3}{8R}\right)^{-1} = \frac{8}{7}R$

[1]

Now to right of XY:

$\frac{8}{7}R$ in series with $2R$

Total resistance $\frac{22}{7}R$

[1]

$\frac{22}{7}R$ is in parallel with $2R$ and R (across AC)

[1/2]

Giving total resistance

$$R_{AC} = \left(\frac{7}{22} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{1}\right)^{-1} R$$

[1]

$$\underline{R_{AC} = \frac{11}{20} R}$$

[1]

[10]

18 (a)

SOLUTIONS TO Q3

(i) Velocity of waves relative to observer $c_o = c_s + v$ [1]
 Wavelength of sound $\lambda = \frac{c_s}{f_o}$ [1]
 Frequency detected by observer $f = \frac{c_o}{\lambda} = \frac{c_s + v}{c_s / f_o}$ [1]

$$\underline{f = \frac{c_s + v}{c_s} f_o} \quad \text{(A)}$$

(ii) Source moving towards stationary observer, separation between successive crests, apparent wavelength,

$$\lambda = \frac{c_s}{f_o} - \frac{u}{f_o} = \frac{c_s - u}{f_o} \quad [2]$$

Thus

$$f = c_s / \left(\frac{c_s - u}{f_o} \right)$$

$$\underline{f = \left(\frac{c_s}{c_s - u} \right) f_o} \quad \text{(B)} \quad [1]$$

(iii) Source and observer moving

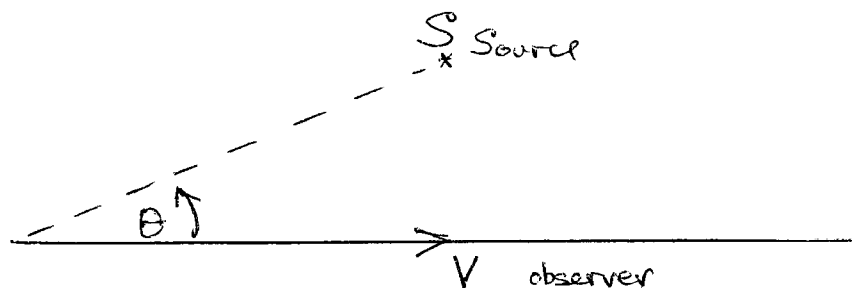
Velocity of sound relative to observer $c_o = c_s + v$ [1/2]
 Wavelength reaching observer $\lambda = \frac{c_s - u}{f_o}$ [1/2]

Thus

$$f = \frac{c_o}{\lambda} = \frac{c_s + v}{(c_s - u) / f_o} = \left(\frac{c_s + v}{c_s - u} \right) f_o \quad \text{(C)} \quad [1]$$

[187]

(b) (i)



Velocity component in direction of source is $v \cos \theta$. This replaces 'v' in (A). As θ increases the factor ' $v \cos \theta$ ' decreases, reducing the value of f in (A). Once the observer has passed the closest

(a)

Q.3

point to source, S, the sign of 'v' changes in (A), as he is moving away from the source, so f continues to decrease.

Correct explanation for approaching and receding from source.

CORRECT EXPLANATION [3]

(i) For small times approaching source $f = 210.4 = \left(\frac{c+v}{c_s}\right) f_0$ from (A) (D) [1]

For large times receding from source $f = 181.6 = \left(\frac{c_s-v}{c_s}\right) f_0$ from (A) [1]

Thus $\frac{210.4}{181.6} = \frac{c_s+v}{c_s-v}$ [1]

or $\frac{v}{c_s} = \frac{210.4 - 181.6}{210.4 + 181.6}$

$v = 330 \left(\frac{28.8}{392}\right) = 24.24 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ [1]

Substituting v into (D)

$f = 210.4 = \frac{330 + 24.24}{330} f_0$

$f_0 = \frac{(210.4)(330)}{354.24} = 196.0 \text{ Hz}$ [1]

(iii) At the point of closest approach to source, time t_0 , $v \cos \theta = 0$ i.e. $\cos \theta = 0$ $\theta = 90^\circ$ [1]

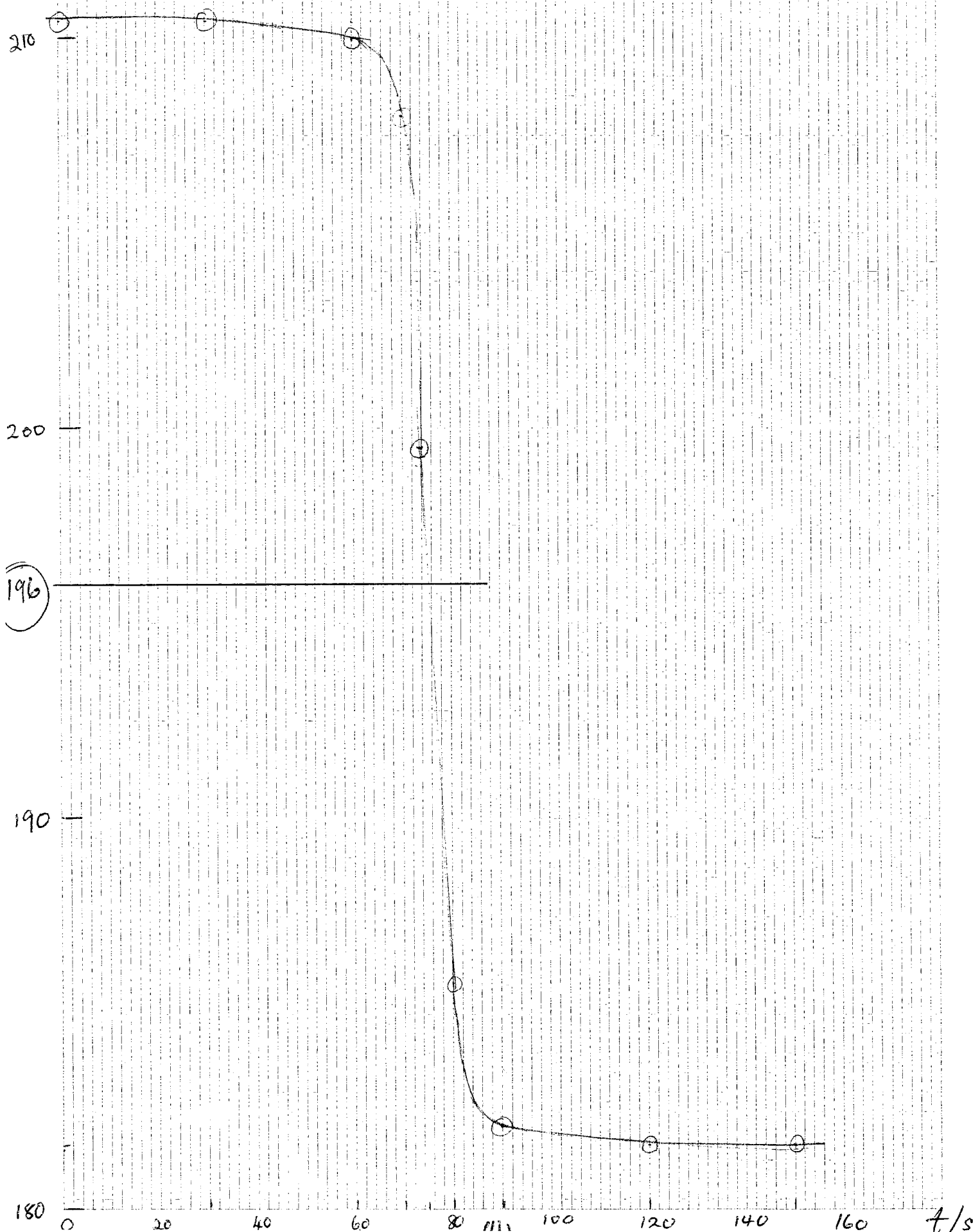
Giving $f = f_0 = 196.0 \text{ Hz}$ [1]

From the graph at $f = 196.0$ $t_0 = 75.5 \pm 1.0 \text{ s}$ [1+1]

[12]

1/Hz Q3

$f \quad v \quad t$



SOLUTION Q4

h_2 / mm	d / mm	d^3 / mm^3
290	1.22	1.816
162	1.01	1.030
41	0.64	0.262
1.3		

Theory correct for small h_2 :

$$3mg h_2 = \rho d^3$$

$$h_2 = \frac{\rho}{3mg} d^3$$

Graph passes through the origin

Table of values h_2 against d^3

[1]

Graph correctly plotted on a reasonable scale

[1]

making full use of graph paper

Straight line through the origin

[1]

Minor deviation from straight line for $h_2 = 290$

[1]

(ii) Gradient $\frac{d^3}{h_2} = \left(\frac{44360}{2080} \right)^{-1} \text{mm}^{-2} = \frac{3mg}{\rho}$

$$= (6.32 \pm 0.2) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{mm}^{-2}$$

[1+1=2]

$$= (6.32 \pm 0.2) \cdot 10^{-9} \text{m}^{-2} \checkmark$$

$$\frac{\rho}{3mg} = (1.58 \pm 0.05) \cdot 10^{+8} \text{m}^2$$

$$\rho = (1.85 \pm 0.05) \cdot 10^7 \text{Nm}^{-2}$$

$$\frac{\rho}{3mg} = \frac{h_2}{d^3}$$

[1] + [1]
result accuracy

(iii) ANALYSIS

$$\frac{1}{2} m v^2 = mgh$$

[1/2]

$$v^2 = 2gh$$

Giving

$$v_R = \sqrt{2g} (h_2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

[1/2]

$$v_I = \sqrt{2g} (h_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

[1/2]

and

$$\alpha = \left(\frac{h_2}{h_1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

[1/2]

R_2 / mm

D_{14}

$R_2 \propto d^3$

400

300

200

100

0

0

1

2

d^3 / mm^3

SOLUTION

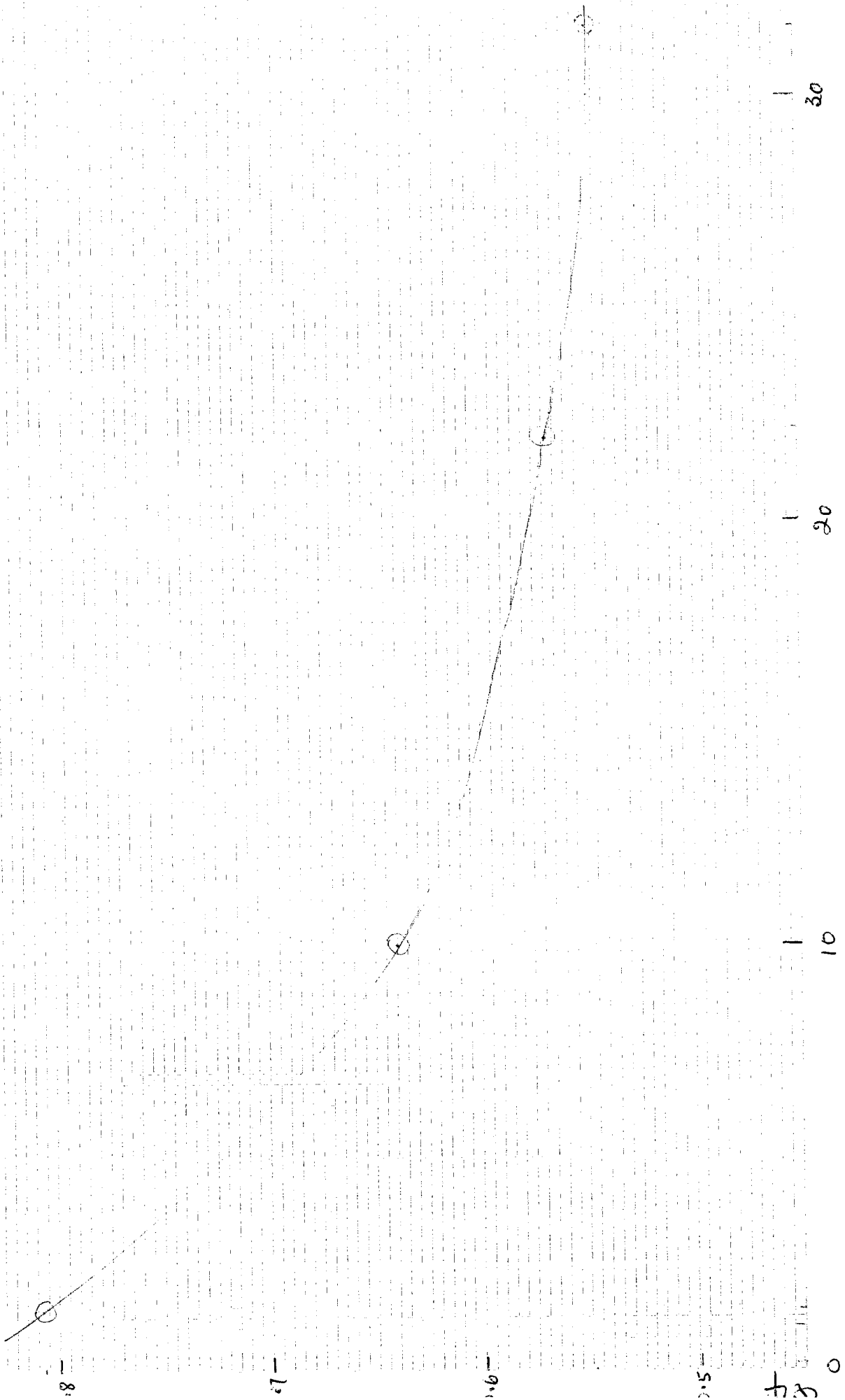
Q4

(iii)

h_2 / mm	h_1 / mm	$(h_2/h_1)^{1/2} / \text{mm}^{1/2}$	$(h_1)^{1/2} / \text{mm}^{1/2}$
290	1000	0.538	31.6
162	500	0.569	22.4
41	100	0.640	10.0
1.3	2.0	0.806	1.41

$$\frac{\left(\frac{h_2}{r_1}\right)^2 \vee \left(h_1\right)^2}{9}$$

$$\frac{h_2}{r_1} \sqrt{2}$$



(15)

$\frac{1}{2}$
 $(h_1)^2 \text{ mm}^2$

Q4

Correct table of values [1]

Plot $(h_2/h_1)^{1/2}$ against $(h_1)^{1/2}$ [1]

Correct graph using major portion of graph paper. [1]

Smooth curve through points [1]

(iv) Time to fall 900 mm, t_0 , given by

$$\frac{900}{1000} = \frac{1}{2} g t_0^2 \quad \text{ie} \quad t_0 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \sqrt{\frac{900}{1000}} \quad [1/2]$$

Time t_1 to rise to maximum height after first bounce given by

$$h_2 = \frac{1}{2} g t_1^2 \quad \text{ie} \quad t_1 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \sqrt{h_2}$$

$$2t_1 = 2\sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \sqrt{h_2} \quad \textcircled{A}$$

From $\alpha - (h_1)^{1/2}$ graph

$$\left(\frac{h_2}{h_1}\right)^{1/2} = 0.541 \quad [1]$$

Giving

$$h_2^{1/2} = 0.541 (h_1)^{1/2} = 0.541 \sqrt{\frac{900}{1000}}$$

From \textcircled{A}

$$2t_1 = 2\sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} (0.541) \sqrt{\frac{900}{1000}} \quad [1]$$

So require time

$$t_0 + 2t_1 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \sqrt{\frac{900}{1000}} [1 + 2(0.541)]$$

$$= 0.89 \pm 0.01 \text{ s} \quad [1]$$

(v) Heat, sound, vibration, deformation of awil
(half mark for each mechanism up to max. 2) [2]

25 (a) SOLUTION TO Q5

(i) $Q_1 = Q_2$ [1]

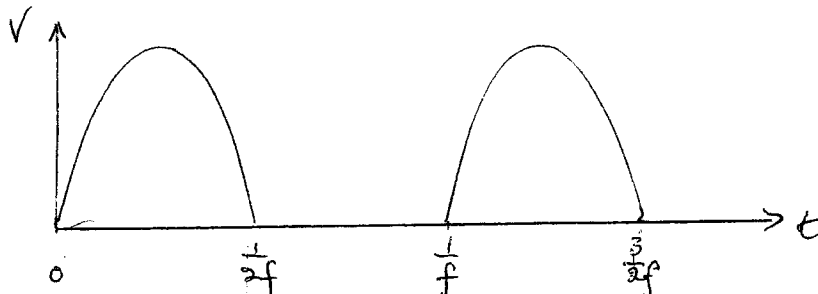
(ii) $V_1 = \frac{Q_1}{C_1}$ $V_2 = \frac{Q_2}{C_2}$ [2]

(iii) $E = V_1 + V_2 = Q_1 \left(\frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} \right)$
 $= \frac{Q_1^2}{C}$ [1]

∴ $\frac{1}{C} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2}$ [1]

(iv) Energy $E = \frac{1}{2} C E^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} \right)^{-1} E^2$ [1]
 $= \frac{1}{2} C \left(\frac{Q_1}{C} \right)^2$ [1]
 $= \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q_1^2}{C}$ [1]

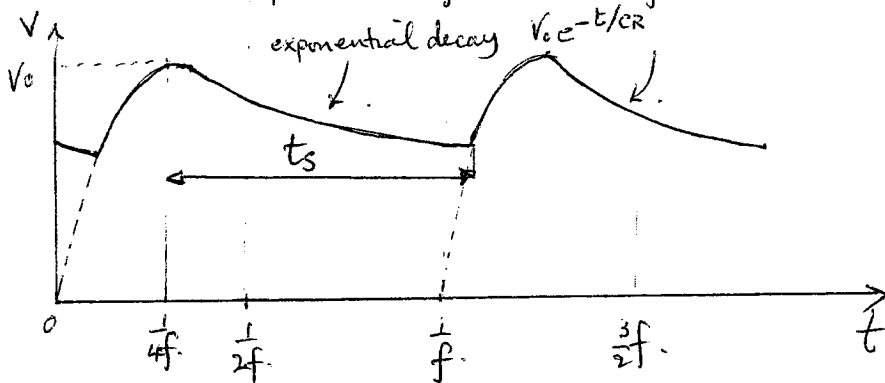
(b) (i)



[1]

PERIOD = $\frac{1}{f}$ [1]

(ii)



Graph → [2]

Explanation → [1]

Exponential decay of voltage across capacitor when diode terminates current

(iii) $7.99049 = 10.00000 e^{-t_s/CR}$ [1]
 $t_s = -CR \ln(0.799049) = -(400 \times 10^{-6})(100) \ln(0.799049)$
 $= -4 \times 10^{-2} \ln(0.799049)$
 $t_s = 0.00897332 \text{ s}$ [1]

25(b) (iv) Input voltage $V_I = 10 \sin 2\pi(100) \left[t_s - \frac{3}{4} \frac{1}{f} \right]$ see diagram in (ii) [1]
 $= 10 \sin (200\pi) [0.00897332 - 0.0075]$ [1]
 $= 10 \sin (200\pi) [0.00147332]$
 $= \underline{7.990.}$ to 4 sig-figs [1]

(v) ESTIMATES

$$V_d \approx \frac{1}{2} (10 + 7.990) = 8.995. \quad [1]$$

$$V_a \approx \frac{1}{2} (10 - 7.990) = 1.005. \quad [1]$$

$$f_a \approx f = 100 \text{ Hz.} \quad [1]$$

[13]

SOLUTION TO Q6

(a) E is the induced emf in volts due to a conductor cutting the magnetic flux field. It is equal to the rate of change of the flux linkage, Φ , in units of webers per sec.

The minus sign indicates that the induced current produce by the conductor cutting the magnetic field creates a magnetic flux in the opposite direction to the external magnetic flux; the current flows in such a direction as to oppose the change that is taking place. [3]

(b) (i) $E = \frac{(6 \times 10^5)(80)(720)10^3}{60 \times 60}$ [1]

$E = 0.96 \text{ V}$ [1]

(ii) ZERO — no flux cut [1]

(iii) $E = \frac{(3 \times 10^{-5})(8)(720)10^3}{60 \times 60}$ [1]

$E = 48 \text{ mV}$ [1]

(iv) Horiz. wing. comp. $E_w = \frac{(\sin 66^\circ)(80)(720) \times 10^3 (5 \times 10^{-5})}{60 \times 60}$ [1]

$E_w = 0.72 \text{ V}$ [1]

Vertical component $E_v = \frac{(\cos 66^\circ)(8)(720) \times 10^3 (5 \times 10^{-5}) (\cos 45^\circ)}{60 \times 60}$ [1]

$E_v = 23 \text{ mV}$ [1]

[14]

Q6

(c)

(i)

$$V = \frac{1}{2} Bw \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{8} BwL^2$$

[2]

(ii)

ZERO

[1]

(iii)

$$\frac{1}{2} Bw (L-x)^2 - \frac{1}{2} x^2 Bw$$

[1+1]

$$= \frac{1}{2} BwL(L-2x)$$

[1]

[67]

Q7 (a)

SOLUTION TO Q7

(i)

$$T = k R^\alpha$$

$$\ln T = \alpha \ln R + \ln k$$

[1]

Plot $\ln T$ against $\ln R$
gradient α , intercept $\ln k$

PLANET	$R/10^8 \text{ km}$	$\ln R$	T/days	$\ln T$
EARTH	1.49	0.3920	365	5.900
MARS	2.28	0.8242	687	6.532
JUPITER	7.78	2.0516	4333	8.37
URANUS	28.7	3.357	30690	10.33

TABLE OF VALUES [2]

CORRECT GRAPH

[2]

GRADIENT $\alpha = \frac{7.60}{5.00} = 1.52$

[1]

ACCURACY

± 0.07

approx $\textcircled{1.5}$

[1]

(ii) When $\ln R = 0$, $\ln T = \ln k$. $\therefore k = (T)_{R=0}$

From graph

$\ln k = 5.4 \pm 0.1$

$k = 221 \pm 25 \text{ days} / (10^8 \text{ km})^{3/2}$

[1]

In SI units

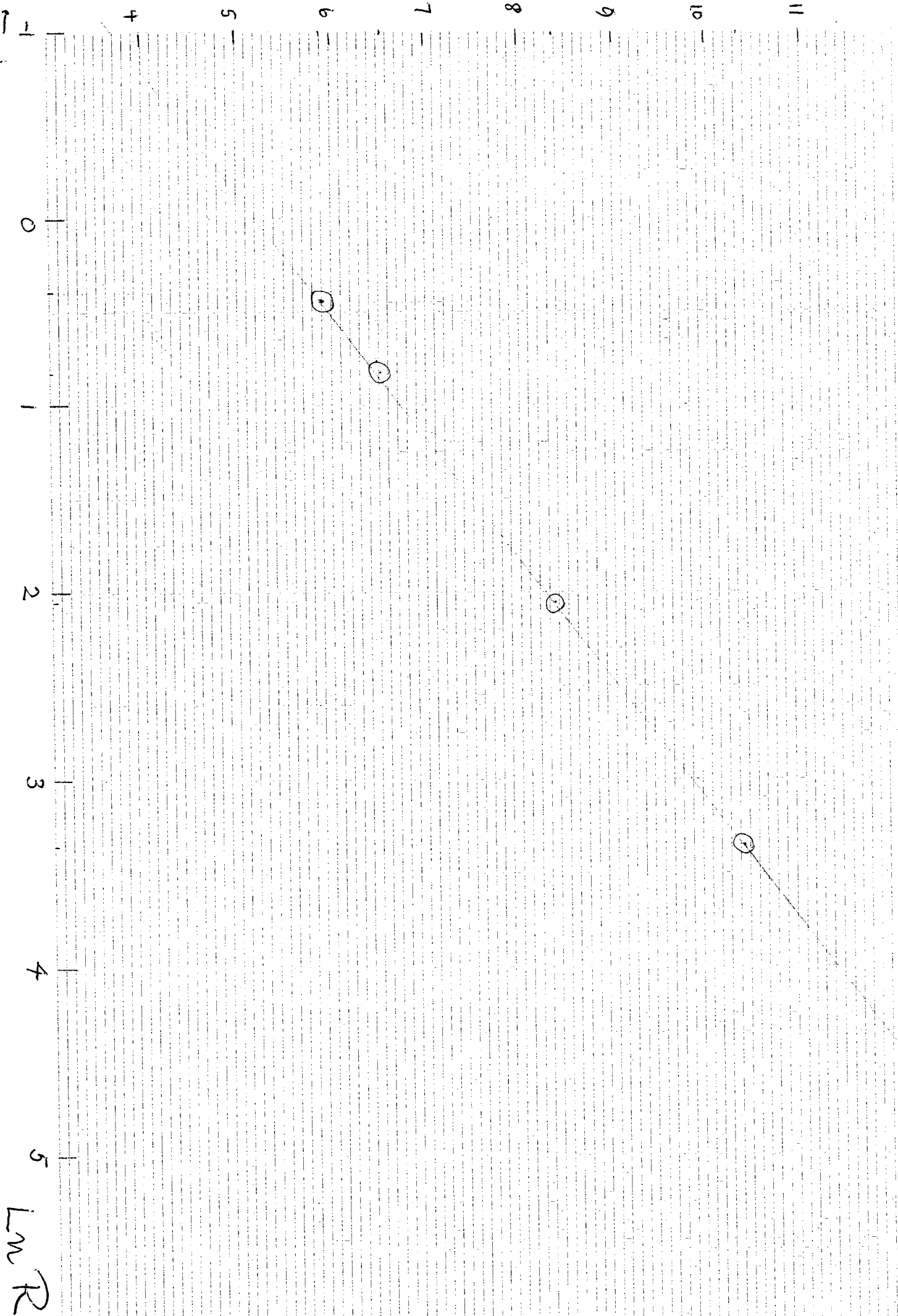
$k = (221 \pm 25)_{24 \times 60 \times 60} / (10^{11})^{3/2} \text{ s m}^{-3/2}$
 $= (1.90 \pm 0.2) \sqrt{10} 10^{-10} \text{ s m}^{-3/2}$

$k = (6.0 \pm 0.6) 10^{-10} \text{ s m}^{-3/2}$
 Magnitude [1]
 Dimensions [1]

[10]

LmT

Q7



Q7 (b)

(i) Equation for circular motion for planet of mass m ang. vel. ω

$$mR\omega^2 = \frac{GM_s m}{R^2} \quad [1]$$

$$R^3 = GM_s \left(\frac{T}{2\pi}\right)^2$$

$$T^2 = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{GM_s} R^3$$

$$T = 2\pi/\omega \quad [1]$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{GM_s}} R^{3/2} \quad [1]$$

(ii) Determination of M_s

As points all lie on a straight line to within accuracy of the graph, one can use any set of data to determine M_s .

MARS DATA GIVES USING

$$T^2 = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{GM_s} R^3$$

$$M_s = \frac{(2\pi)^2 R^3}{G T^2} \quad [1]$$

$$= \frac{(2\pi)^2 (2.28 \times 10^{11})^3}{6.67 \times 10^{-11} (6.87 \times 24 \times 60 \times 60)^2} \quad [1]$$

$$M_s = (1.98 \pm 0.08) 10^{30} \text{ kg} \quad [1]$$

All the other planets' data give same result

ALTERNATIVELY USING $k = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{GM_s}} = 6.0 \times 10^{-10}$ from part (a) } [3]

GIVES SAME RESULT BUT LESS ACCURATE

(iii) Now

$$T_{\text{Moon}}^2 = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{GM_E} R_{\text{Moon}}^3$$

$$T_E^2 = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{GM_s} R_E^3$$

and

Thus

$$\frac{M_s}{M_E} = \left(\frac{R_E}{R_{\text{Moon}}}\right)^3 \left(\frac{T_{\text{Moon}}}{T_E}\right)^2 \quad [1]$$

(23)

$$\frac{M_S}{M_E} = \left(\frac{1.49 \times 10^8}{3.8 \times 10^5} \right)^3 \left(\frac{27.3}{365} \right)^2 \quad [1]$$

$$= 3.4 \times 10^5 \pm 0.2 \times 10^5. \quad [2]$$
