

Revision
QUESTIONS
ELECTRICITY
+
MAGNETISM

9 Electromagnetic induction can be demonstrated using a solenoid, a magnet, a sensitive ammeter and connecting wire.

(a) In the space below, draw a labelled diagram of the apparatus set up to demonstrate electromagnetic induction. [2]

(b) State one way of using the apparatus to produce an induced current.

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(c) Explain why your method produces an induced current.

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(d) Without changing the apparatus, state what must be done to produce

(i) an induced current in the opposite direction to the original current,

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(ii) a larger induced current.

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- 9 (a) An engine on a model railway needs a 6 V a.c. supply. A mains supply of 240 V a.c. is available.
- (i) In the space below, draw a labelled diagram of a transformer suitable for producing the required supply voltage.

- (ii) Suggest suitable numbers of turns for the coils.

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- (b) The power needed for this model engine is 12 W. Calculate the current taken from the mains when just this engine is in use, assuming that the transformer is 100% efficient.

current =[2]

- (c) Explain why transformers will only work when connected to an a.c. supply.

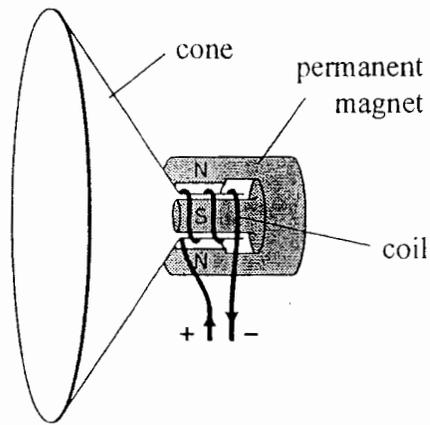
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1. The diagram shows the inside of a loudspeaker. It contains a cone attached to a coil of insulated wire.

The coil is in the gap between the cylindrical poles of a permanent magnet. When there is a current in the coil, both the coil and the cone are forced to move.



- (a) Why is the coil made of insulated wire?

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 (1)

- (b) (i) In which direction will the coil move?

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 (1)

- (ii) State two changes you could make to increase the force acting on the coil.

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- (c) When the current in the coil changes direction the cone vibrates.

- (i) When the cone vibrates at a frequency of 3.6 kHz, what is the frequency in kHz of the sound which is produced?

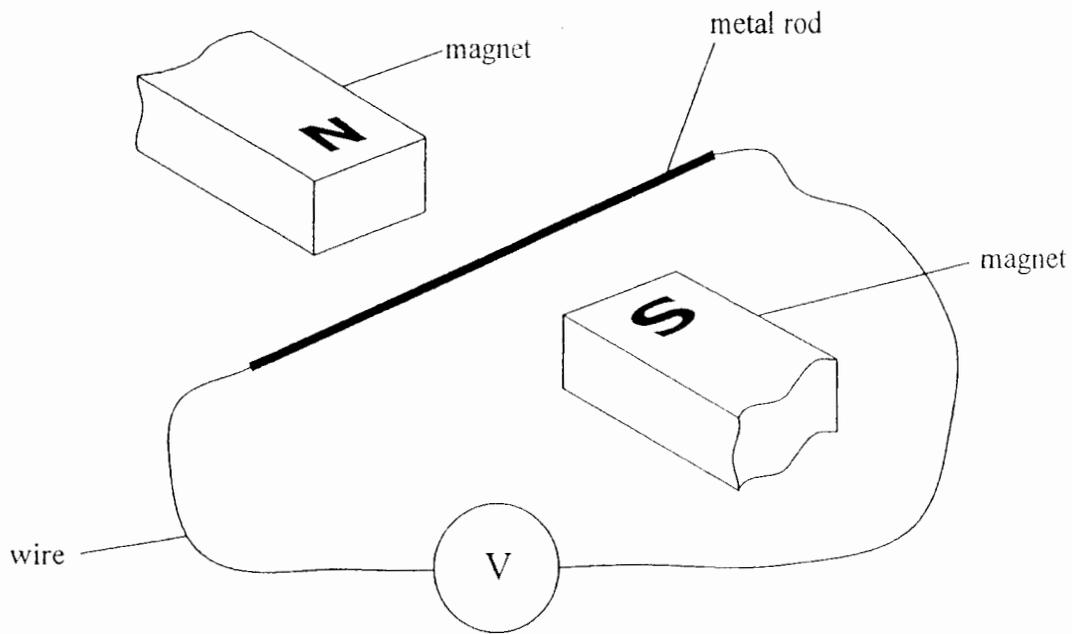
Frequency = kHz
 (1)

- (ii) Name the unit represented by the symbol kHz.

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 (1)

(Total 6 marks)

2. A physics teacher uses the apparatus shown in a demonstration to her class.



She moves the metal rod upwards and the voltmeter briefly shows a small reading.

(a) Why does the voltmeter show a reading?

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(b) A boy standing at the back of the class complains that he cannot read the voltmeter. Suggest two ways in which the teacher could use the same apparatus to produce a bigger reading on the voltmeter.

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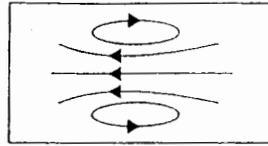
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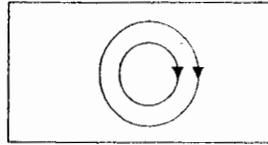
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3. (a) An electric current produces a magnetic field.
 Draw a line from each box to its correct magnetic field pattern.

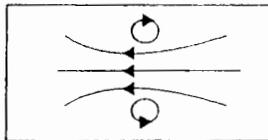
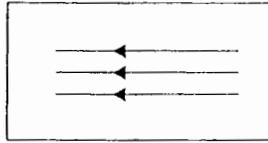
current in a straight wire



current in a flat circular coil

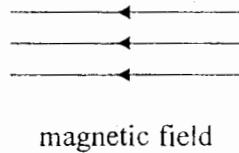
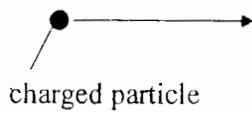


current in a solenoid



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- (b) A charged particle travels towards and enters a magnetic field.



- (i) Describe the magnetic force acting on the charged particle when it is moving in the magnetic field.

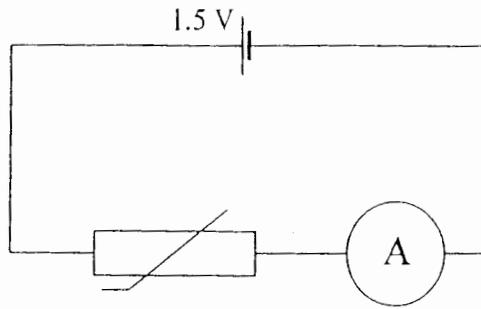
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- (ii) Explain your answer.

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4. The circuit below contains a 1.5 V dry cell, an ammeter and a thermistor at room temperature.



- (a) At room temperature, the resistance of the thermistor is 1000Ω . Calculate the current, in amps.

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 Current = A
 (3)

- (b) What happens to the resistance of the thermistor as its temperature increases?

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 (1)

- (c) What happens to the current as the temperature of the thermistor increases?

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 (1)

(Total 5 marks)

5. (a) A family has a diesel generator. The output from the generator is 120 V a.c. They also have a transformer which will reduce the voltage from the generator to 6 V a.c.

(i) What do the letters a.c. stand for?

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(ii) Describe a.c.

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(b) (i) Calculate the value of the output current, in amps, when the input current to the transformer is 1.5 A.

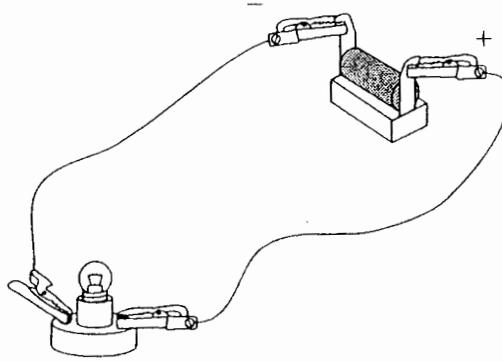
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..... Current = A
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(ii) What assumption have you made?

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(Total 5 marks)

6. (a) The drawing shows an electrical circuit containing a cell, a lamp and some insulated copper wire with clips.



- (i) A direct current passes through the circuit.

Name the particles that flow.

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Why do the particles flow from the negative terminal to the positive terminal?

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(2)

- (ii) The circuit has a 1.5 V cell.

Complete the sentence by adding the names of the two missing units.

A volt is a per

(1)

- (b) A student has a reading lantern. It contains a 1.5 V rechargeable battery. The lantern uses solar cells to charge its battery during the day. The student switches on the lantern at night to read.

Use the relationship $E = I \times V \times t$ to calculate the average current from the battery when it delivers 216 J in 2.0 hours.

Show how you get your answer and include the unit.

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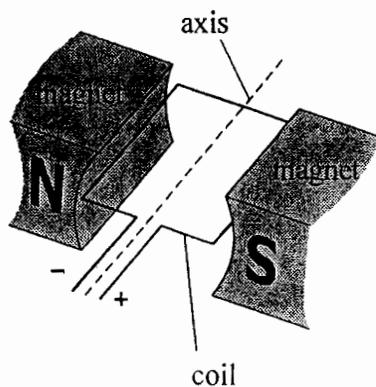
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..... Average current =

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(Total 6 marks)

7. The diagram shows part of a simple electric motor.



The motor is connected to a d.c. power supply.

(a) A student predicts that, when the motor is switched on, the coil will turn in a clockwise direction.

(i) Name the rule which the student could use to make this prediction.

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(ii) Explain how the rule shows that the coil will turn in a clockwise direction. You may add to the diagram or draw another diagram to help you explain.

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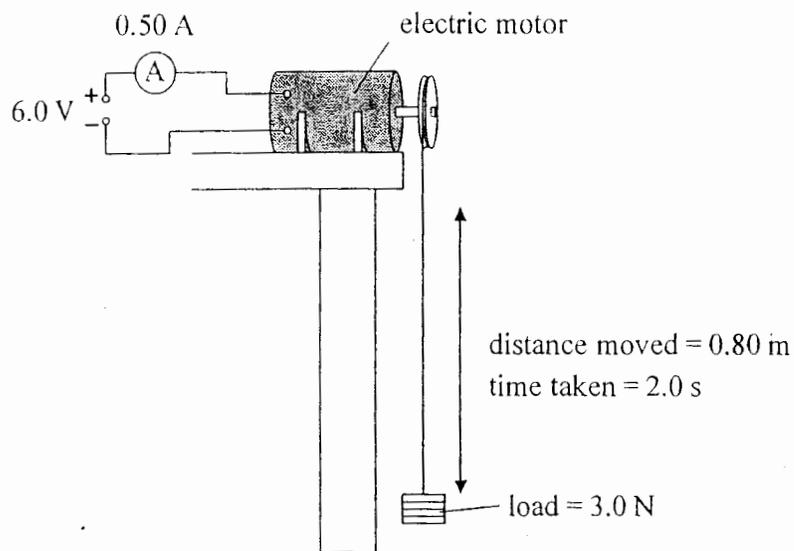
(iii) Suggest one change which would make the coil turn faster.

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(iv) Suggest one change which would make the coil turn in the opposite direction.

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(b) The diagram shows an electric motor lifting a load.



Use information from the diagram to answer the following questions.

(i) Calculate the useful work done in lifting the load 0.80 m, and include the unit.

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 Work done = (3)

(ii) How much useful energy was transferred to lift the load?

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(iii) The total energy transferred by the electric motor was 6.0 J. Suggest two reasons for the difference between this value and your answer to (ii).

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 2 (2)

(Total 11 marks)

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