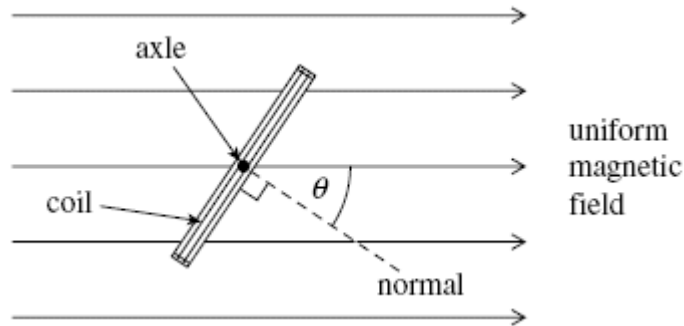


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The figure below shows an end view of a simple electrical generator. A rectangular coil is rotated in a uniform magnetic field with the axle at right angles to the field direction. When in the position shown in the figure below the angle between the direction of the magnetic field and the normal to the plane of the coil is θ .

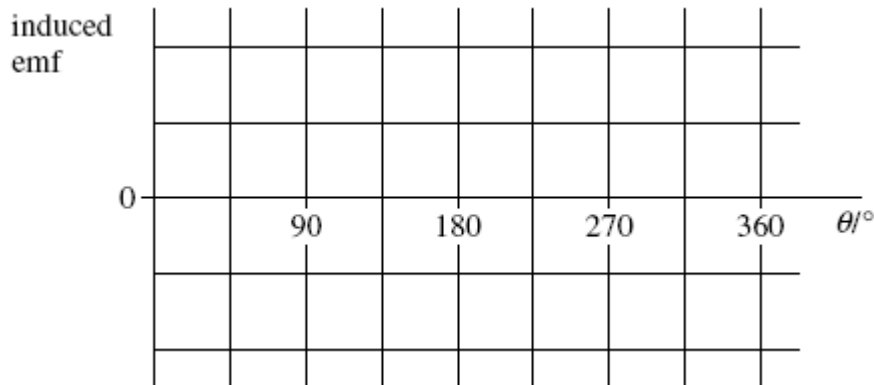


- (a) The coil has 50 turns and an area of $1.9 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$. The flux density of the magnetic field is $2.8 \times 10^{-2} \text{ T}$. Calculate the flux linkage for the coil when θ is 35° , expressing your answer to an appropriate number of significant figures.

answer = Wb turns

(3)

- (b) The coil is rotated at constant speed, causing an emf to be induced.
- (i) Sketch a graph on the outline axes to show how the induced emf varies with angle θ during one complete rotation of the coil, starting when $\theta = 0$. Values are not required on the emf axis of the graph.



(1)

- (ii) Give the value of the flux linkage for the coil at the positions where the emf has its greatest values.

answer = Wb turns

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- (iii) Explain why the magnitude of the emf is greatest at the values of θ shown in your answer to part (b)(i).

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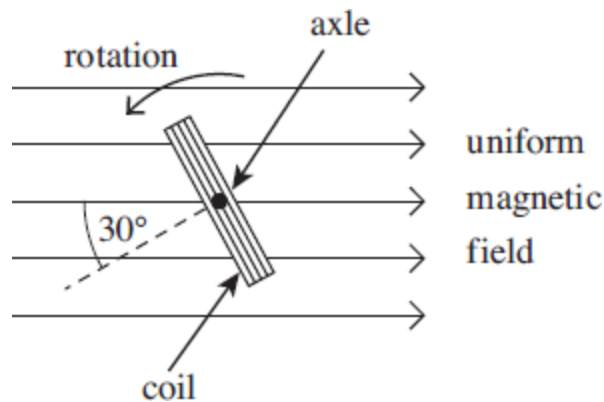
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A rectangular coil is rotating anticlockwise at constant angular speed with its axle at right angles to a uniform magnetic field. **Figure 1** shows an end-on view of the coil at a particular instant.

Figure 1



- (a) At the instant shown in **Figure 1**, the angle between the normal to the plane of the coil and the direction of the magnetic field is 30° .
- (i) State the minimum angle, in degrees, through which the coil must rotate from its position in **Figure 1** for the emf to reach its maximum value.

angle degrees

(1)

- (ii) Calculate the minimum angle, in radians, through which the coil must rotate from its position in **Figure 1** for the flux linkage to reach its maximum value.

angle radians

(2)

- (b) **Figure 2** shows how, starting in a different position, the flux linkage through the coil varies with time.

- (i) What physical quantity is represented by the gradient of the graph shown in **Figure 2**?

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- (ii) Calculate the number of revolutions per minute made by the coil.

revolutions per minute

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Figure 2

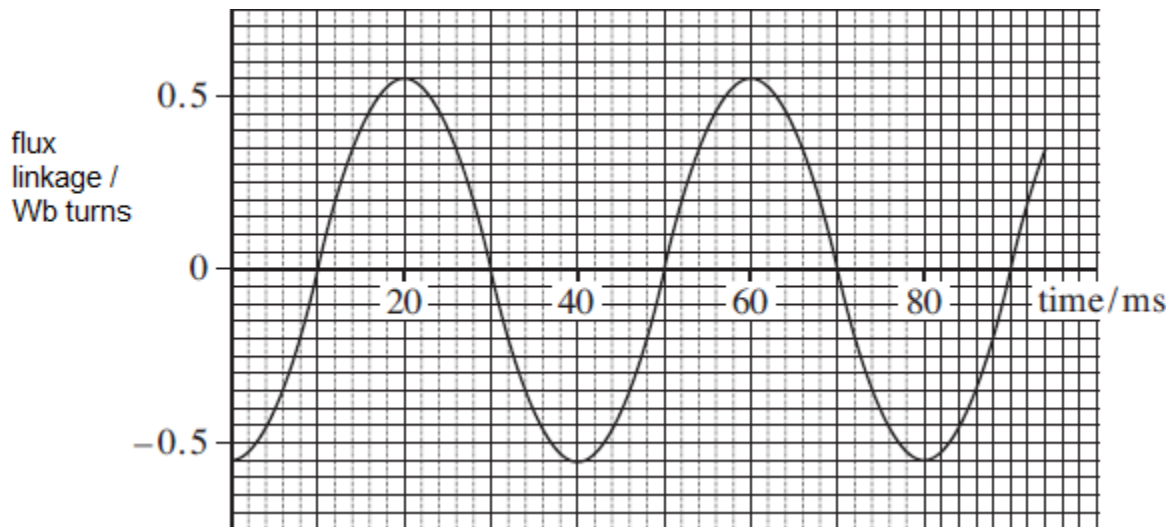
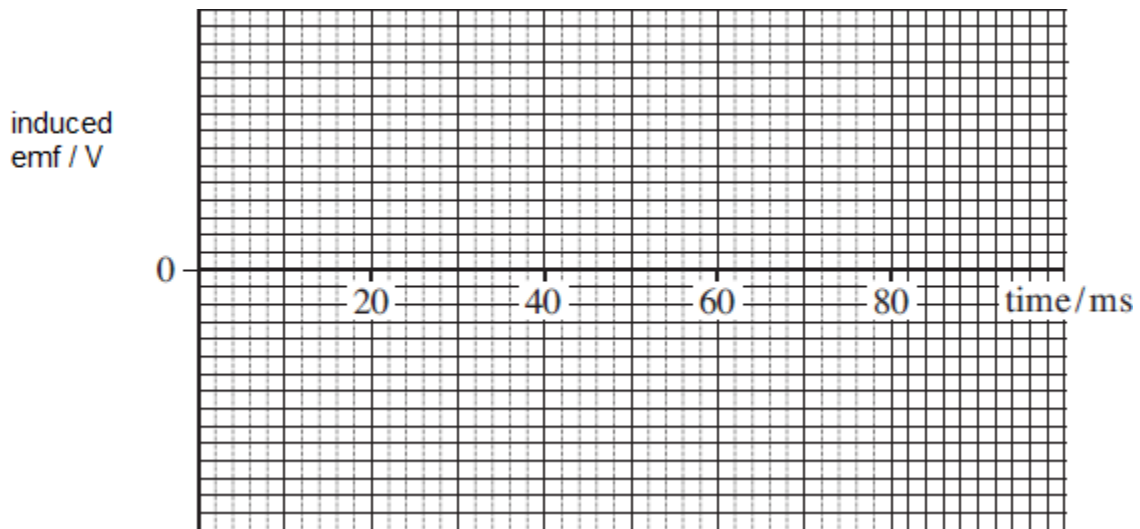


Figure 3



(iii) Calculate the peak value of the emf generated.

peak emf V

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(c) Sketch a graph on the axes shown in **Figure 3** above to show how the induced emf varies with time over the time interval shown in **Figure 2**.

(2)

- (d) The coil has 550 turns and a cross-sectional area of $4.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{m}^2$.

Calculate the flux density of the uniform magnetic field.

flux density T

(2)

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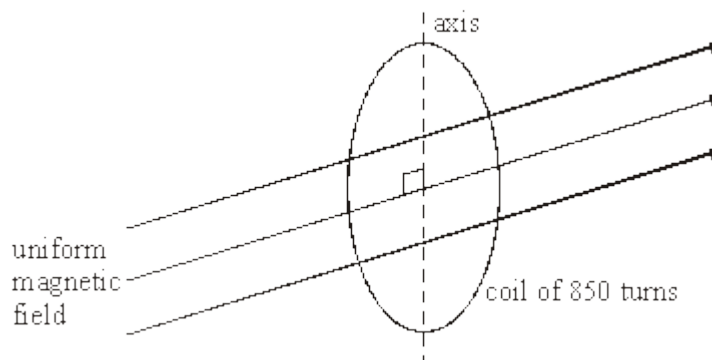


Figure 1

A circular coil of diameter 140 mm has 850 turns. It is placed so that its plane is perpendicular to a horizontal magnetic field of uniform flux density 45 mT, as shown in **Figure 1**.

- (a) Calculate the magnetic flux passing through the coil when in this position.

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- (b) The coil is rotated through 90° about a vertical axis in a time of 120 ms.

Calculate

- (i) the change of magnetic flux linkage produced by this rotation,

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(ii) the average emf induced in the coil when it is rotated.

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 (Total 6 marks)

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A metal aircraft with a wing span of 42 m flies horizontally with a speed of 1000 km h⁻¹ in a direction due east in a region where the vertical component of the flux density of the Earth's magnetic field is 4.5×10^{-5} T.

(a) Calculate the flux cut per second by the wings of the aircraft.

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(b) Determine the magnitude of the potential difference between the wing tips, stating the law which you are applying in this calculation.

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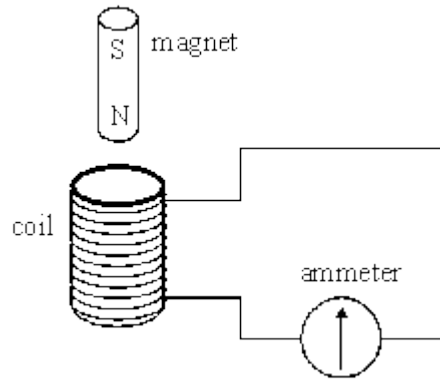
(c) What would be the change in the potential difference, if any, if the aircraft flew due west?

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(Total 6 marks)

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A coil is connected to a centre zero ammeter, as shown. A student drops a magnet so that it falls vertically and completely through the coil.



(a) Describe what the student would observe on the ammeter as the magnet falls through the coil.

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(b) If the coil were not present the magnet would accelerate downwards at the acceleration due to gravity. State and explain how its acceleration in the student's experiment would be affected, if at all,

(i) as it entered the coil,

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(ii) as it left the coil.

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- (c) Suppose the student forgot to connect the ammeter to the coil, therefore leaving the circuit incomplete, before carrying out the experiment. Describe and explain what difference this would make to your conclusions in part (b).

You may be awarded marks for the quality of written communication provided in your answer.

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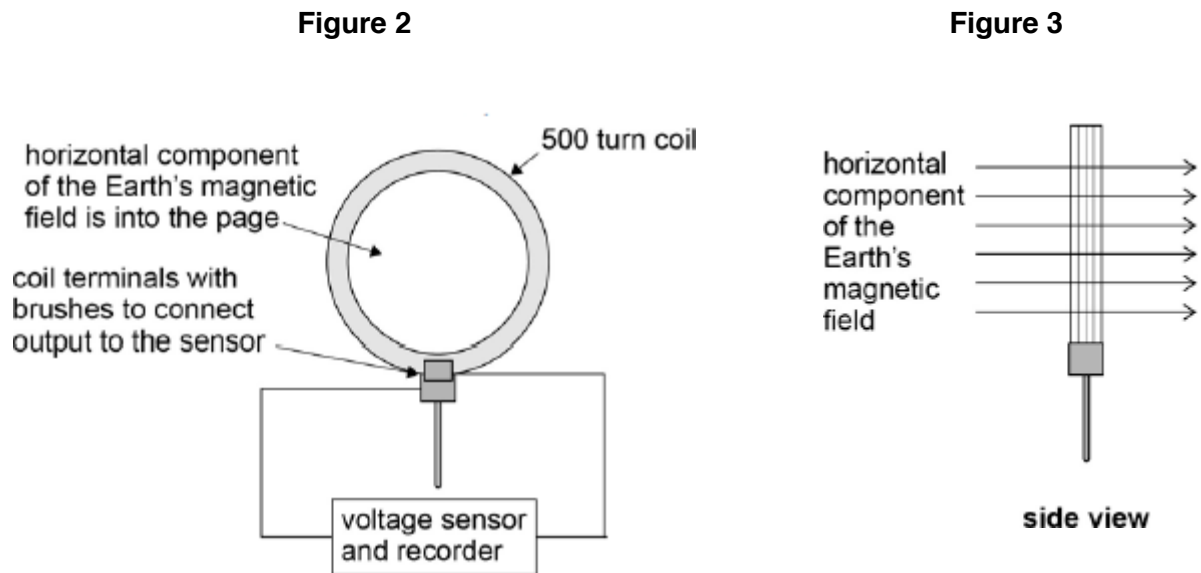
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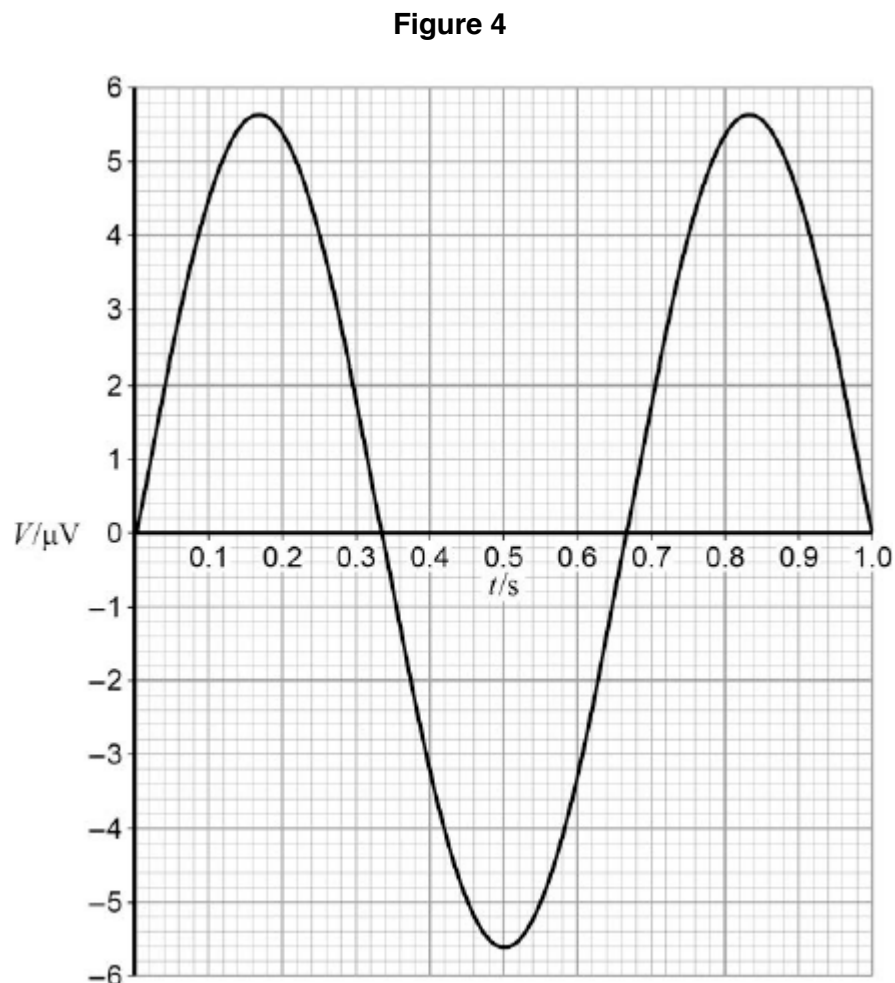
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An 'Earth inductor' consists of a 500 turn coil. **Figure 2** and **Figure 3** shows it set up to measure the horizontal component of the Earth's magnetic field. When the coil is rotated an induced emf is produced.



The mean diameter of the turns on the coil is 35 cm. **Figure 4** shows the output recorded for the variation of potential difference V with time t when the coil is rotated at 1.5 revolutions per second.



- (b) Determine the flux density, B_H , of the horizontal component of the Earth's magnetic field.

horizontal component of flux density = _____ T

(3)
(Total 7 marks)

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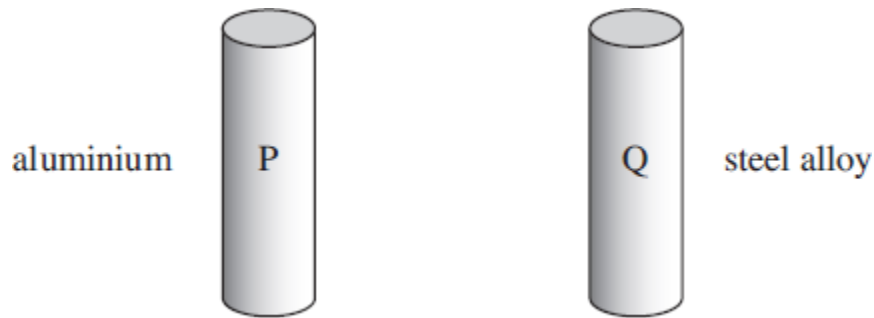
- (a) State Lenz's law.

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- (b) **Figure 1** shows two small, solid metal cylinders, **P** and **Q**. **P** is made from aluminium. **Q** is made from a steel alloy.

Figure 1



- (i) The dimensions of **P** and **Q** are identical but **Q** has a greater mass than **P**. Explain what material property is responsible for this difference.

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(1)

- (ii) When **P** and **Q** are released from rest and allowed to fall freely through a vertical distance of 1.0 m, they each take 0.45 s to do so. Justify this time value and explain why the times are the same.

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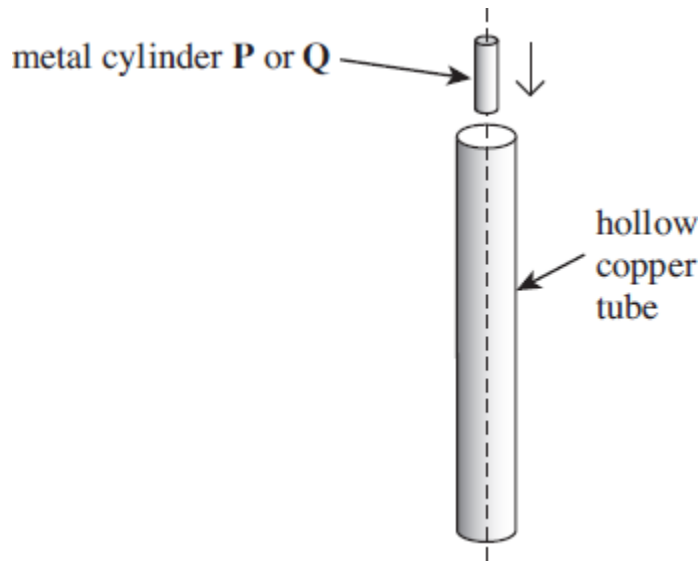
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- (c) The steel cylinder **Q** is a strong permanent magnet. **P** and **Q** are released separately from the top of a long, vertical copper tube so that they pass down the centre of the tube, as shown in **Figure 2**.

Figure 2



The time taken for **Q** to pass through the tube is much longer than that taken by **P**.

- (i) Explain why you would expect an emf to be induced in the tube as **Q** passes through it.

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- (ii) State the consequences of this induced emf, and hence explain why **Q** takes longer than **P** to pass through the tube.

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- (d) The copper tube is replaced by a tube of the same dimensions made from brass. The resistivity of brass is much greater than that of copper. Describe and explain how, if at all, the times taken by **P** and **Q** to pass through the tube would be affected.

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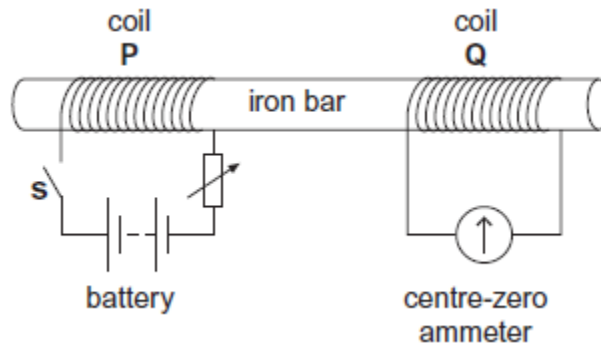
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(a) **Figure 1** shows two coils, **P** and **Q**, linked by an iron bar. Coil **P** is connected to a battery through a variable resistor and a switch **S**. Coil **Q** is connected to a centre-zero ammeter.

Figure 1



(i) Initially the variable resistor is set to its minimum resistance and **S** is open. Describe and explain what is observed on the ammeter when **S** is closed.

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(ii) With **S** still closed, the resistance of the variable resistor is suddenly increased. Compare what is now observed on the ammeter with what was observed in part (i). Explain why this differs from what was observed in part (i).

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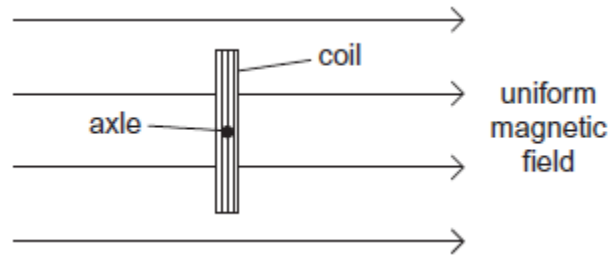
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- (b) **Figure 2** shows a 40-turn coil of cross-sectional area $3.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$ with its plane set at right angles to a uniform magnetic field of flux density 0.42 T.

Figure 2



- (i) Calculate the magnitude of the magnetic flux linkage for the coil. State an appropriate unit for your answer.

flux linkage unit

(2)

- (ii) The coil is rotated through 90° in a time of 0.50 s. Determine the mean emf in the coil.

mean emf V

(2)

(Total 9 marks)

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(a) A satellite moves in a circular orbit at constant speed. Explain why its speed does not change even though it is acted on by a force.

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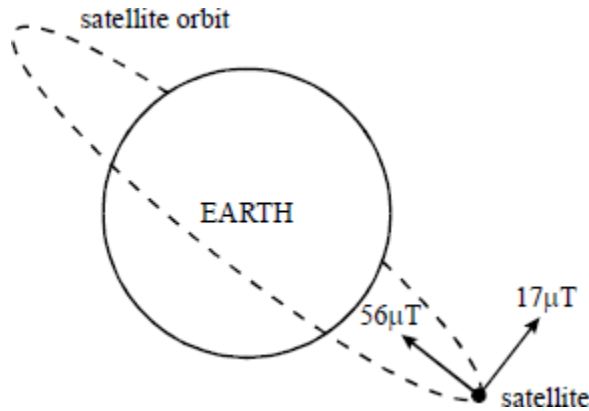
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(b) At a certain point along the orbit of a satellite in uniform circular motion, the Earth's magnetic flux density has a component of $56 \mu\text{T}$ towards the centre of the Earth and a component of $17 \mu\text{T}$ in a direction perpendicular to the plane of the orbit.



(i) Calculate the magnitude of the resultant magnetic flux density at this point.

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(ii) The satellite has an external metal rod pointing towards the centre of the Earth. Calculate the angle between the direction of the resultant magnetic field and the rod.

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(iii) Explain why an emf is induced in the rod in this position.

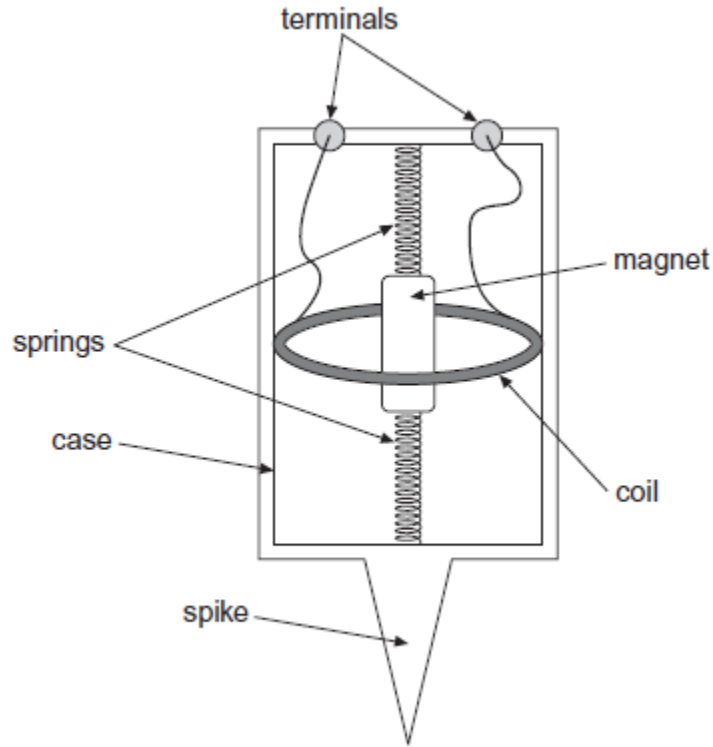
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The diagram below shows the main parts of a geophone.



The spike attaches the geophone firmly to the ground. At the instant an earthquake occurs, the case and coil move upwards due to the Earth's movement. The magnet remains stationary due to its inertia. In 3.5 ms, the coil moves from a position where the flux density is 9.0 mT to a position where the flux density is 23.0 mT.

- (a) The geophone coil has 250 turns and an area of 12 cm².

Calculate the average emf induced in the coil during the first 3.5 ms after the start of the earthquake.

emf V

(3)

- (b) Explain how the initial emf induced in the coil of the geophone would be affected:

if the stiffness of the springs were to be increased

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if the number of turns on the coil were to be increased.

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- (c) (i) The geophone's magnet has a mass of 8.0×10^{-3} kg and the spring stiffness of the system is 2.6 N m^{-1} .

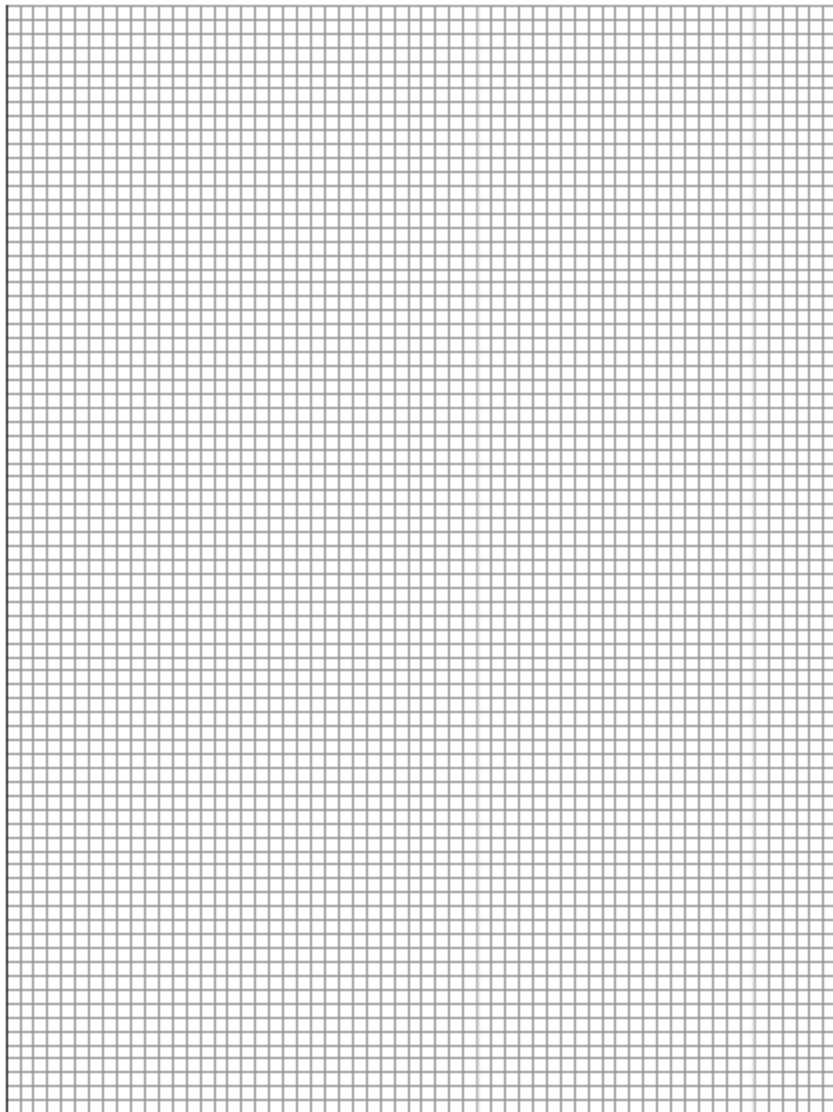
Show that the natural period of oscillation of the mass-spring system is approximately 0.35 s.

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- (ii) At the instant that the Earth stops moving after one earthquake, the emf in the coil is at its maximum value of +8 V. The magnet continues to oscillate.

On the grid below, sketch a graph showing the variation of emf with time as the magnet's oscillation decays.

Show at least **three** oscillations.



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(a) State, in words, the two laws of electromagnetic induction.

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Law 2

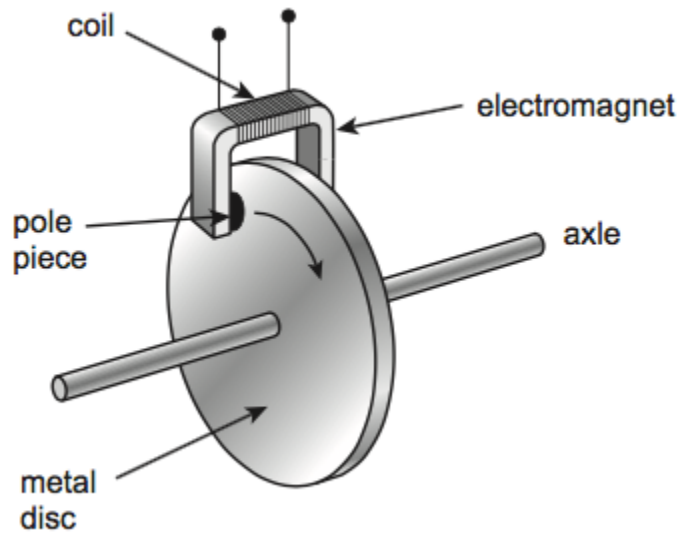
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- (b) The diagram below illustrates the main components of one type of electromagnetic braking system. A metal disc is attached to the rotating axle of a vehicle. An electromagnet is mounted with its pole pieces placed either side of the rotating disc, but not touching it. When the brakes are applied, a direct current is passed through the coil of the electromagnet and the disc slows down.



- (i) Explain, using the laws of electromagnetic induction, how the device in the diagram acts as an electromagnetic brake.

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- (ii) A conventional braking system has friction pads that are brought into contact with a moving metal surface when the vehicle is to be slowed down.
State **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of an electromagnetic brake compared to a conventional brake.

Advantage

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Disadvantage

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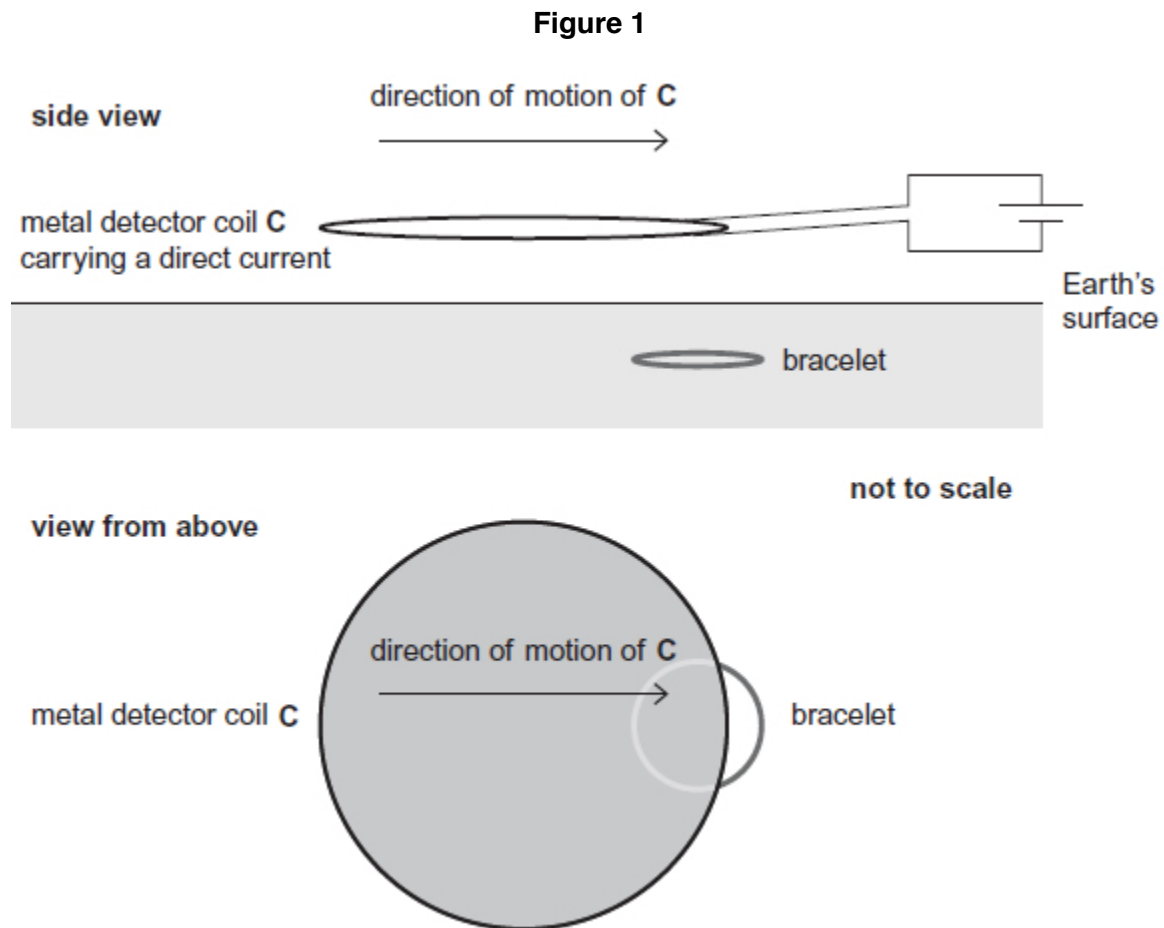
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A metal detector is moved horizontally at a constant speed just above the Earth's surface to search for buried metal objects

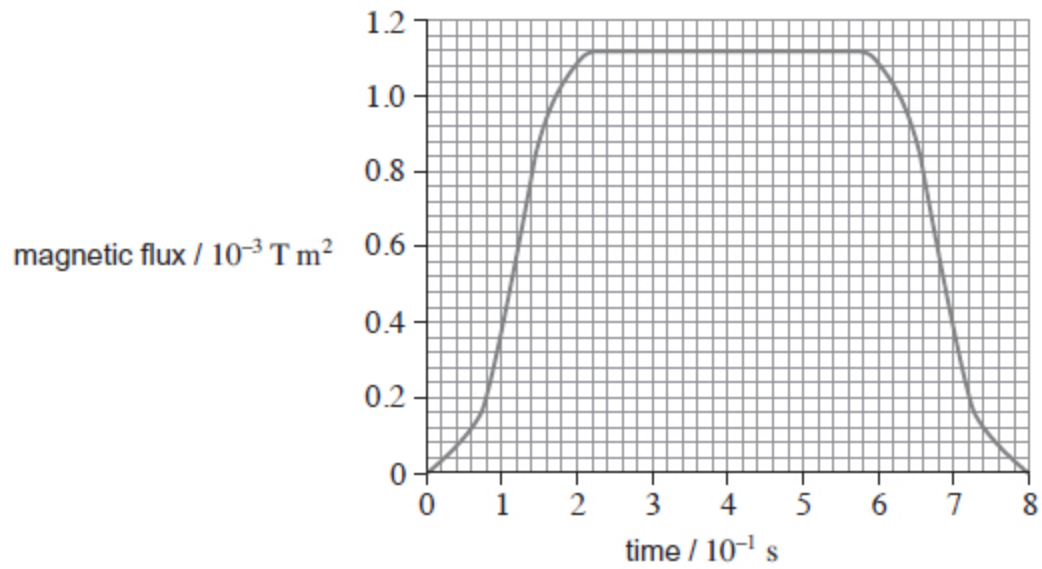
Figure 1 shows the coil **C** of a metal detector moving over a circular bracelet made from a single band of metal. The planes of the coil and the bracelet are both horizontal.



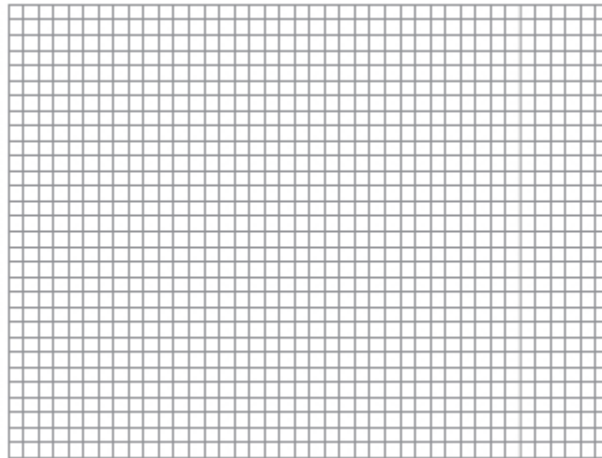
In this metal detector, **C** carries a direct current so that the magnetic flux produced by **C** does not vary. The bracelet is just below the surface, so the flux is perpendicular to the plane of the bracelet. The field is negligible outside the shaded region of **C**.

Figure 2 shows how the magnetic flux through the bracelet varies with time when **C** is moving at a constant velocity.

Figure 2



- (a) (i) Sketch a graph on the grid to show how the emf induced in the bracelet varies with time as **C** moves across the bracelet. Use the same scale on the time axis as in **Figure 2**.



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(ii) Use the laws of Faraday and Lenz to explain the shape of your graph.

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(b) The velocity at which **C** is moved is 0.28 m s^{-1} .

Show that the diameter of the bracelet is about 6 cm.

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- (c) Determine the magnetic flux density of the field produced by **C** at the position of the bracelet.

magnetic flux density T

(2)

- (d) Determine the maximum emf induced in the bracelet.

maximum emf V

(3)

(Total 13 marks)