

Q1.

Fully destructive interference between two identical sinusoidal waves occurs only if they:

- A) travel in the same direction and are  $180^\circ$  out of phase
- B) travel in opposite directions and are  $180^\circ$  out of phase
- C) travel in the same direction and are in phase
- D) travel in opposite directions and are in phase
- E) travel in the same direction and are  $90^\circ$  out of phase

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Q2.

A 4.00-m long string, clamped at both ends, vibrates at 200 Hz. If the string resonates in six loops, what is the speed of transverse waves on the string?

- A) 267 m/s
- B) 133 m/s
- C) 100 m/s
- D) 328 m/s
- E) 400 m/s

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Q3.

A string of linear mass density 64 g/m is stretched under tension of magnitude 40 N. A wave is traveling along the string with a frequency of 120 Hz and amplitude of  $8.0 \times 10^{-3}$  m. What is the average rate of energy that must be supplied by a generator to produce this wave in the string?

- A) 29 W
- B) 3.6 W
- C) 0.73 W
- D) 0.24 W
- E) 15 W

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Q4.

Which of the following answers is the correct equation of a wave traveling along negative x-axis with a speed of 220 m/s, frequency 70 Hz and amplitude 0.025 m? (x is in meters and t is in seconds).

- A)  $y = 0.025 \sin(2.0 x + 440 t)$
  - B)  $y = 0.025 \sin(2.0 x - 440 t)$
  - C)  $y = 0.025 \sin(3.1 x + 70 t)$
  - D)  $y = 0.025 \sin(3.1 x - 70 t)$
  - E)  $y = 0.025 \sin(2.5 x + 220 t)$
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Q5.

Sound waves travel at 343 m/s in air and at 1500 m/s in water. A 256-Hz sound wave is generated inside a pool of water, and you hear the sound standing beside the pool. In the air,

- A) the frequency of the sound is the same, but its wavelength is shorter.
- B) the frequency of the sound is higher, but its wavelength stays the same.
- C) the frequency of the sound is lower, and its wavelength is longer.
- D) the frequency of the sound is lower, and its wavelength is shorter.
- E) both the frequency and the wavelength of the sound stay the same.

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Q6.

A car moving at 40.0 m/s approaches a stationary whistle that emits a 200 Hz sound. The speed of sound in air is 343 m/s. What is the frequency of the sound heard by the driver of the car?

- A) 223 Hz
- B) 200 Hz
- C) 177 Hz
- D) 179 Hz
- E) 226 Hz

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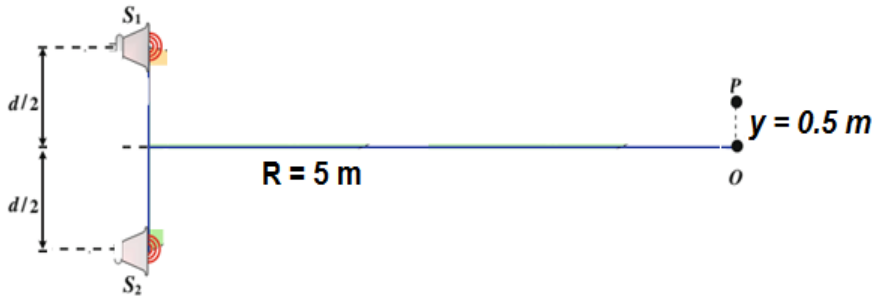
Consider an organ pipe A with both ends open and an organ pipe B with one end open. The third harmonic of B has the same frequency as the second harmonic of A. What is the ratio of their lengths,  $L_A/L_B$ ?

- A) 1.3
  - B) 0.75
  - C) 1.0
  - D) 2.0
  - E) 0.50
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Q8.

Two identical speakers,  $S_1$  and  $S_2$ , are placed 2 m apart, as shown in **Figure 1**, and emit sound waves driven by the same oscillator. A listener is originally located at point O, which is a distance  $R = 5$  m from the center of the line connecting the two speakers. The listener walks to point P, which is a distance  $y = 0.5$  m above O, and hears the first minimum in sound intensity. Find the wavelength of the sound wave.

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- A) 0.4 m
- B) 0.2 m
- C) 0.5 m
- D) 1 m
- E) 5 m

Q9.

Two metal rods of identical dimensions (length 20.0 cm and cross-sectional area  $14.0$  cm<sup>2</sup> each) are welded end to end, as shown in **Figure 2**.  $T_1 = 0$  °C and  $T_2 = 100$  °C. The thermal conductivities of the rods are  $k_1 = 109$  W/m.K and  $k_2 = 401$  W/m.K. Find the conduction rate through the rods when steady state is reached:

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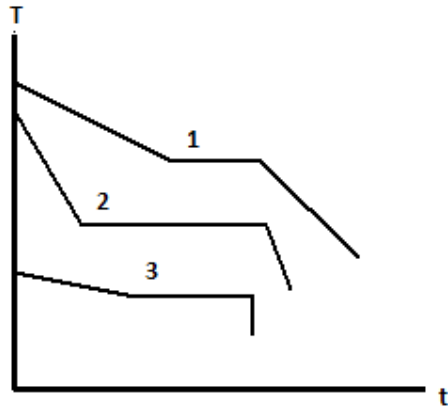


- A) 60.0 W
- B) 25.5 W
- C) 120 W
- D) 30.0 W
- E) 42.9 W

Q10.

Three different materials of identical mass are placed one at a time in a special freezer that can extract energy from the material at a certain constant rate. During the cooling process, each material begins in the liquid state and ends in the solid state; **Figure 3** shows the temperature  $T$  versus time  $t$ . Rank the materials according to their specific heat in the liquid state, greatest first.

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- A) 3, 1, 2
- B) 3, 2, 1
- C) 1, 2, 3
- D) 1, 3, 2
- E) 2, 3, 1

Q11.

What is the minimum amount of energy required to completely melt 150 g of silver initially at 298 K? (For Silver: Specific heat = 236 J/kg.K, Melting point = 1235 K, Heat of fusion = 105 kJ/kg)

- A) 48.9 kJ
- B) 58.6 kJ
- C) 33.2 kJ
- D) 15.8 kJ
- E) 42.8 kJ

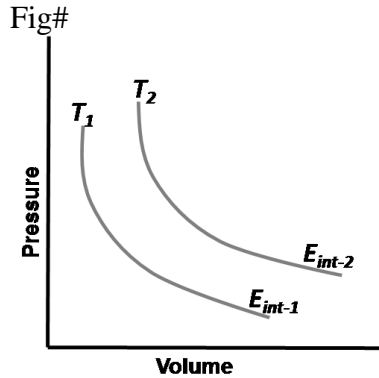
Q12.

A thermodynamic system undergoes a process in which its internal energy decreases by 600 J. At the same time, 250 J of work is done on the system. The heat energy to the system is

- A) -850 J
- B) +350 J
- C) +850 J
- D) -350 J
- E) 0 J

Q13.

Variation of Pressure with Volume of an ideal gas at constant temperatures  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  is represented by two isotherms shown in **Figure 4**. Internal energy of the gas is denoted by  $E_{int}$ . Which of the following is true?



- A)  $E_{int-1} < E_{int-2}$
- B)  $T_1 > T_2$
- C)  $T_1 = T_2$
- D)  $E_{int-1} > E_{int-2}$
- E)  $E_{int-1} = E_{int-2}$

Q14.

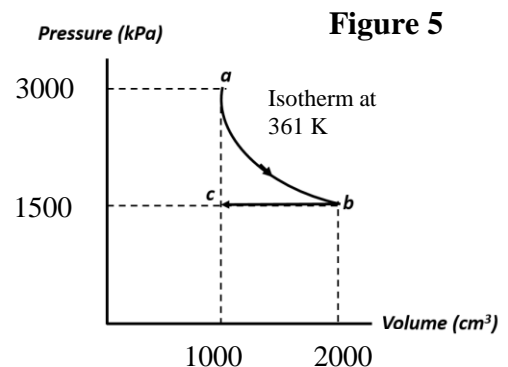
An ideal gas is enclosed in a cylinder. If the temperature of the gas is increased from  $100^\circ\text{C}$  to  $200^\circ\text{C}$  at constant volume, the pressure of the gas will change from  $P$  to

- A)  $1.27 P$
- B)  $2.00 P$
- C)  $3.00 P$
- D)  $0.500 P$
- E)  $1.50 P$

Q15.

One mole of ideal gas goes from initial state 'a' to final state 'c' as shown in **Figure 5**, where  $ab$  is isotherm at  $361.0\text{ K}$  and  $bc$  is isobaric at  $1500\text{ kPa}$ . Find the total work done by the gas along the path  $abc$ .

- A)  $579.4\text{ J}$
- B)  $2079\text{ J}$
- C)  $3579\text{ J}$
- D)  $1500\text{ J}$
- E)  $9000\text{ J}$



Q16.

When 20.9 J was added as heat to an ideal gas, its volume changed from 50.0 cm<sup>3</sup> to 100 cm<sup>3</sup> while its pressure remained at 1.00 atm. The  $C_p$  of the gas is

- A) 34.4 J/mol.K
- B) 17.2 J/mol.K
- C) 20.9 J/mol.K
- D) 50.0 J/mol.K
- E) 25.0 J/mol.K

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Q17.

You wish to increase the coefficient of performance of an ideal refrigerator that works between temperatures  $T_L$  and  $T_H$ . Which of the following (assume that the slight increase or decrease in  $T_L$  or  $T_H$  is the same in all answers) would give the greatest increase?

- A) Running the cold reservoir at slightly higher temperature.
- B) Running the cold reservoir at slightly lower temperature.
- C) Moving the refrigerator to a slightly warmer room.
- D) Moving the refrigerator to a slightly cooler room.
- E) Restarting the refrigerator.

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Q18.

The efficiency of a car engine is 20 % when the engine does 6.0 kJ of work per cycle. Assume the process is reversible. After a tune-up, the efficiency increased to 30 %. By how much the energy lost is reduced for the same amount of work?

- A) 10 kJ
- B) 12 kJ
- C) 20 kJ
- D) 16 kJ
- E) 18 kJ

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Q19.

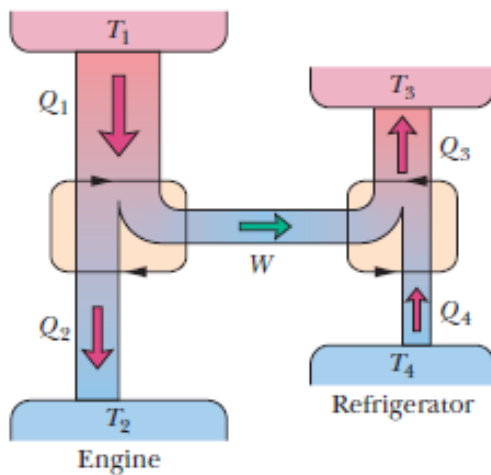
A 20-g ice cube at  $-10^{\circ}\text{C}$  is dropped in a lake whose temperature is  $15^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Calculate the change in entropy of the lake as the ice cube comes to thermal equilibrium with the lake. Specific heat of ice = 2220 J/kg.K, and the effect of ice cube on the lake's temperature is negligible.

- A)  $-29\text{ J/K}$
- B)  $+29\text{ J/K}$
- C)  $+31\text{ J/K}$
- D)  $-31\text{ J/K}$
- E) 0

Q20.

**Figure 6** represents a Carnot engine that works between temperatures  $T_1 = 500$  K and  $T_2 = 250$  K, and drives a Carnot refrigerator that works between temperatures  $T_3 = 350$  K and  $T_4 = 250$  K. What is the ratio  $Q_3/Q_1$ ?

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- A) 1.75
- B) 1.25
- C) 1.67
- D) 1.43
- E) 3.50