

Name of the Student: _____

Max. Marks : 21 Marks

Time : 21 Minutes

Q1.

(a) Microwaves are one type of electromagnetic wave.

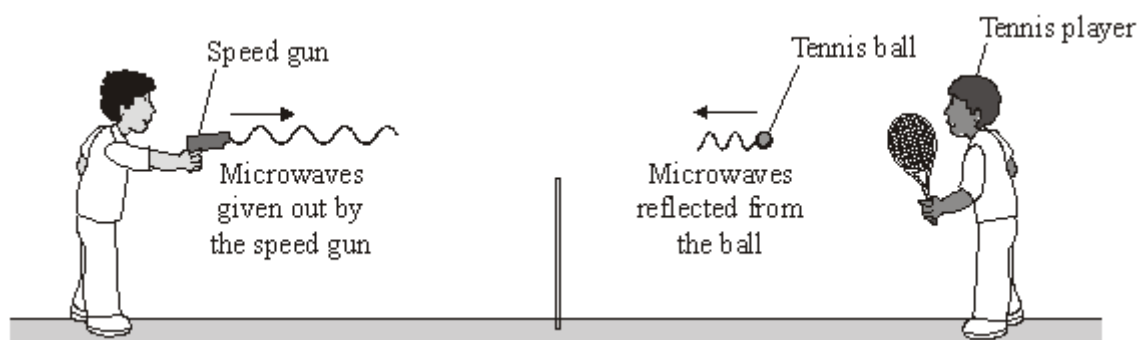
(i) Which type of electromagnetic wave has a lower frequency than microwaves?

(1)

(ii) What do all types of electromagnetic wave transfer from one place to another?

(1)

(b) The picture shows a tennis coach using a speed gun to measure how fast the player serves the ball.



(i) The microwaves transmitted by the speed gun have a frequency of 24 000 000 000 Hz and travel through the air at 300 000 000 m/s.

Calculate the wavelength of the microwaves emitted from the speed gun.

Show clearly how you work out your answer.

Wavelength = _____ m

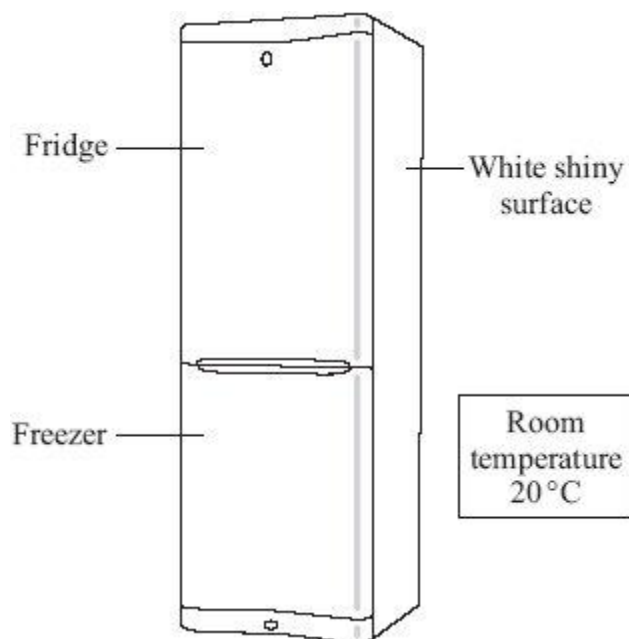
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(ii) Some of the microwaves transmitted by the speed gun are absorbed by the ball.

What effect will the absorbed microwaves have on the ball?

Q2.

The diagram shows a fridge-freezer.



- (a) By which method is heat transferred through the walls of the fridge-freezer?

(1)

- (b) The inside of the fridge is at 4 °C. The inside of the freezer is at –18 °C.
Into which part of the fridge-freezer will the rate of heat transfer be greater?
Draw a ring around your answer.

the fridge

the freezer

Give a reason for your answer.

(1)

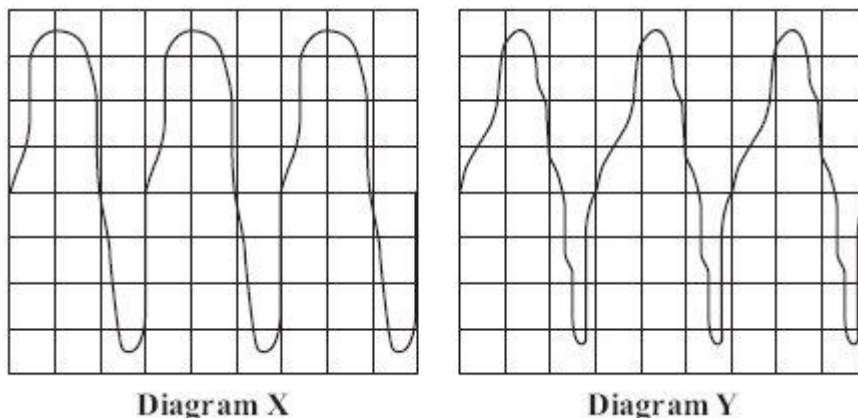
- (c) The outside surface of the fridge-freezer is white and shiny.
Give **two** reasons why this type of surface is suitable for a fridge-freezer.

1. _____

2. _____

Q3.

- (a) The diagrams show oscilloscope traces for the same musical note played on two different instruments. The oscilloscope settings are not changed.



- (i) How can you tell, from the diagrams, that it is the same musical note?

(1)

- (ii) How can you tell, from the diagrams, that the musical note has been played on different instruments?

(1)

- (b) This passage is from an electronics magazine.

Electronic systems can be used to produce ultrasound waves. These waves have a higher frequency than the upper limit for hearing in humans. Ultrasound waves are partially reflected when they meet a boundary between two different media.

- (i) Approximately what is the highest frequency that humans can hear?

State the number and the unit.

(1)

- (ii) What does the word *media* mean when it is used in this passage?

(1)

- (iii) What happens to the ultrasound which reaches the boundary between two different media and is **not** reflected?

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

Q4.

- (a) The wavelengths of four different types of electromagnetic wave, including visible light waves, are given in the table.

Type of wave	Wavelength
Visible light	0.0005 mm
A	1.1 km
B	100 mm
C	0.18 mm

Which of the waves, **A**, **B** or **C**, is an infra red wave?

(1)

- (b) A TV station broadcasts at 500 000 kHz. The waves travel through the air at 300 000 000 m/s.

Calculate the wavelength of the waves broadcast by this station.

Show clearly how you work out your answer.

Wavelength = _____ m

(2)

- (c) What happens when a metal aerial absorbs radio waves?

(2)

- (d) Stars emit all types of electromagnetic waves. Telescopes that monitor X-rays are mounted on satellites in space.

Why would an X-ray telescope based on Earth not be able to detect X-rays emitted from distant stars?

(1)

(Total 6 marks)