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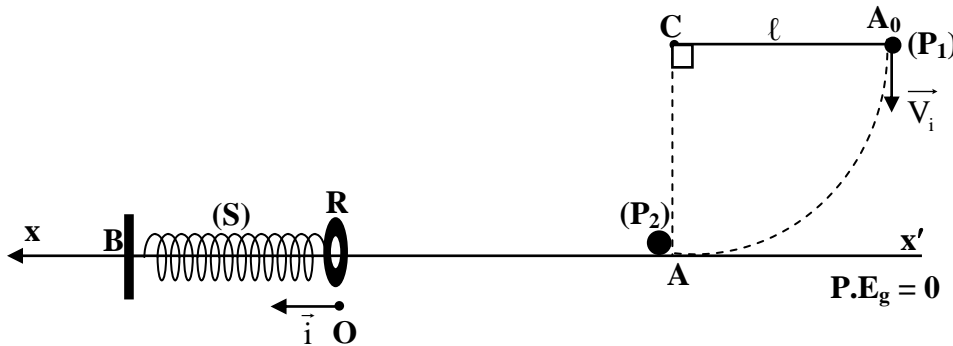
This exam is formed of three obligatory exercises in 3 pages numbered from 1 to 3
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First exercise: (7 points)

Collisions and mechanical oscillator

A – Collision

A pendulum is formed of a massless and inextensible string of length $\ell = 1.8$ m, having one of its ends C fixed to a support while the other end carries a particle (P_1) of mass $m_1 = 200$ g .
The pendulum is stretched horizontally. The particle (P_1) at A_0 is then launched vertically downward with a velocity \vec{V}_i of magnitude $V_i = 8$ m/s.
At the lowest position A, (P_1) enters in a head-on perfectly elastic collision with another particle (P_2) of mass $m_2 = 300$ g initially at rest. Neglect all frictional forces.



Take:

- the horizontal plane passing through A as a gravitational potential energy reference;
 - $g = 10$ m/s².
- 1) a) Calculate the mechanical energy of the system [pendulum, Earth] at the instant of launching (P_1) at A_0 .
b) Determine the magnitude V_1 of the velocity \vec{V}_1 of (P_1) just before colliding with (P_2).
 - 2) a) Name the physical quantities that are conserved during this collision.
b) Show that the magnitude V_2' of the velocity \vec{V}_2' of (P_2), just after collision, is 8 m/s.

B – Mechanical oscillator

A horizontal spring (S), of negligible mass and of stiffness $K = 120$ N/m, is connected at one of its ends B to a fixed support while the other end is attached to a ring R.
(P_2) moves on the horizontal path AB until it hits the ring R at point O; (P_2) sticks to R forming a solid (P) , considered as a particle, of mass $m = 1.2$ kg. Thus (P) and the spring (S) form a horizontal mechanical oscillator of center of inertia G; G moves without friction on a horizontal axis $x'Ox$ along AB. Just after collision and at the initial instant $t_0 = 0$, G coincides with O, the equilibrium position of (P), and has a velocity $\vec{V}_0 = V_0 \vec{i}$ with $V_0 = 2$ m/s.

At an instant t, the abscissa of G is x and the algebraic value of its velocity is $v = \frac{dx}{dt}$.

- 1) Write down the expression of the mechanical energy of the system (oscillator, Earth) at an instant t, in terms of K, m, x and v.
- 2) Derive the differential equation in x that describes the motion of G and deduce the nature of its motion.
- 3) Knowing that the solution of this differential equation is $x = X_m \cos(\sqrt{\frac{K}{m}} t + \varphi)$, determine the values of the constants X_m and φ .

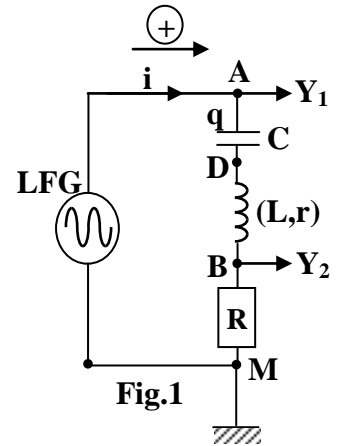
Second exercise: (7 points)

Determination of the characteristics of a coil and a capacitor

The aim of this exercise is to determine the characteristics of a capacitor and a coil.

In order to determine these characteristics, we connect in series a capacitor of capacitance C , a coil of inductance L and of resistance r , a resistor of resistance $R = 20 \Omega$ and a low frequency generator (LFG) delivering an alternating sinusoidal voltage u of constant maximum value U_m and of adjustable frequency f .

The circuit thus formed, carries an alternating sinusoidal current i (Fig. 1).



An oscilloscope is connected to display the voltage $u = u_{AM}$ across the terminals of the (LFG) on channel (Y_1) and the voltage u_{BM} across the terminals of the resistor (R) on channel (Y_2).

The settings of the oscilloscope are:

horizontal sensitivity: $S_h = 2 \text{ ms/div}$;

vertical sensitivity: - On (Y_1) : $S_{V1} = 2 \text{ V/div}$;

- On (Y_2) : $S_{V2} = 0.25 \text{ V/div}$.

A – For a given value f_0 of the frequency f we observe on the screen of the oscilloscope the waveforms represented by figure 2.

- 1) Determine f_0 and the proper angular frequency ω_0 .
- 2) Determine the maximum value U_m of u and the maximum current I_m of i .
- 3) a) The waveforms show that a physical phenomenon takes place in the circuit. Name this phenomenon. Justify.
b) Deduce the relation between L and C .
- 4) The circuit between A and M is equivalent to a resistor of resistance $R_t = R + r$. Determine R_t and deduce r .

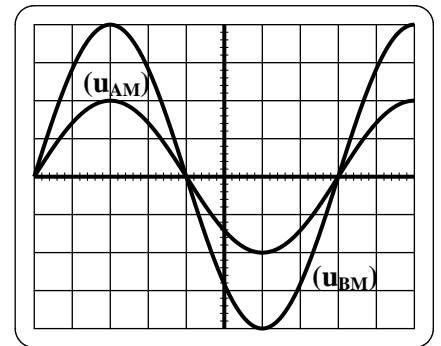


Fig.2

B – The coil in the circuit of figure 1 is replaced by a resistor r_1 of resistance $r_1 = 60 \Omega$ (figure 3).

The voltage across the terminals of the generator is $u = u_{AM} = U_m \cos \omega_0 t$. On the screen of the oscilloscope, we observe the waveforms represented by figure 4. The settings of the oscilloscope are not changed.

- 1) Using the waveforms of figure 4:
 - a) tell why the voltage u_{AM} lags behind u_{BM} ;
 - b) calculate the phase difference φ between u_{AM} and u_{BM} ;
 - c) determine the expressions of u_{BM} and of u_{AM} as a function of time t .
- 2) Write down the expression of i as a function of time t .
- 3) The voltage across the terminal of the capacitor is:

$$u_C = u_{AD} = \frac{8.9 \times 10^{-5}}{C} \sin \left(125\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4} \right); \text{ [u in V and t in s].}$$

By applying the law of addition of voltages and giving t a particular value, determine the value of C .

C – Use the relation found in part [A-3 (b)] , calculate L .

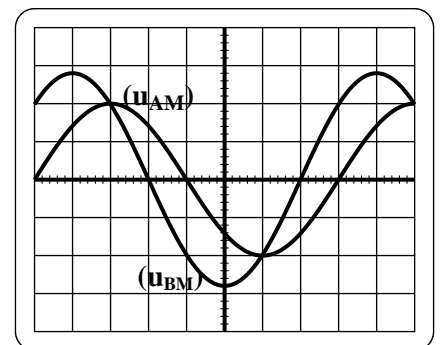
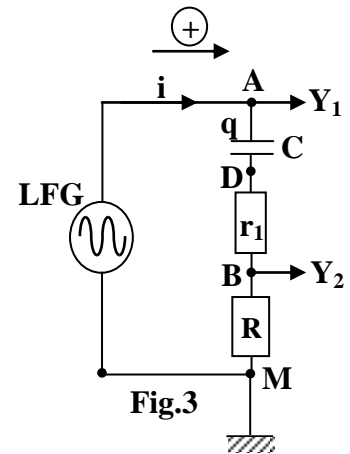


Fig.4

Third exercise: (6 points)

Dating by Carbon 14

The radioactive carbon isotope $^{14}_6\text{C}$ is a β^- emitter. In the atmosphere, $^{14}_6\text{C}$ exists with the carbon 12 in a constant ratio.

When an organism is alive it absorbs carbon dioxide that comes indifferently from carbon 12 and carbon 14. Just after the death of an organism, this absorption stops and carbon 14, that it has, disintegrate with a half life $T = 5700$ years.

In living organisms, the ratio of the number of carbon 14 atoms to that of the number of carbon 12 atoms

$$\text{is: } r_0 = \frac{\text{initial number of carbon 14 atoms}}{\text{number of carbon 12 atoms}} = \frac{N_0(^{14}\text{C})}{N'(^{12}\text{C})} = 10^{-12} .$$

After the death of an organism by a time t , the ratio of the number of carbon 14 atoms to that of the

$$\text{number of carbon 12 atoms becomes: } r = \frac{\text{remaining number of carbon 14 atoms}}{\text{number of carbon 12 atoms}} = \frac{N(^{14}\text{C})}{N'(^{12}\text{C})} .$$

1) The disintegration of $^{14}_6\text{C}$ is given by: $^{14}_6\text{C} \rightarrow \frac{A}{Z}\text{N} + \beta^- + \text{}^0_0\bar{\nu}$.

Calculate Z and A , specifying the laws used.

2) Calculate, in year^{-1} , the radioactive constant λ of carbon 14.

3) Using, the law of radioactive decay of carbon 14, $N(^{14}\text{C}) = N_0(^{14}\text{C}) \times e^{-\lambda t}$.

Show that $r = r_0 e^{-\lambda t}$.

4) Measurements of $\frac{r}{r_0}$, for specimens a, b and c, are given in the following table:

ratio	specimen a	specimen b	specimen c
$\frac{r}{r_0}$	0.914	0.843	0.984

a) Specimen b is the oldest. Why?

b) Determine the age of specimen b.

5) a) Calculate the ratio $\frac{r}{r_0}$ for $t_0 = 0$, $t_1 = 2T$, $t_2 = 4T$ and $t_3 = 6T$.

b) Trace then the curve $\frac{r}{r_0} = f(t)$ by taking the following scales:

- On the abscissa axis: $1 \text{ cm} \rightarrow 2T$
- On the ordinate axis: $1 \text{ cm} \rightarrow \frac{r}{r_0} = 0.2$

c) To determine the date of death of a living organism, it is just enough to measure $\frac{r}{r_0}$.

Explain why we cannot use the traced curve to determine the date of the death of an organism that died several millions years ago.

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Solutions

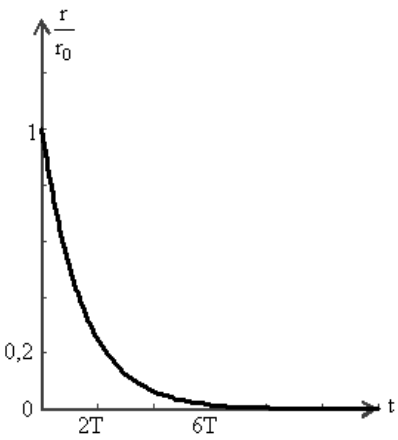
First exercise (7 points)

Part of the Q	Answer	Mark
A-1-a	$ME_i = KE_i + PE_{g_i} = \frac{1}{2}m_1 V_i^2 + m_1 g l = 0.5 \times 0.2 \times 64 + 0.2 \times 10 \times 1.8 = 10 \text{ J}$	0.75
A-1-b	Since there is no friction then ME is conserved so $ME_i = 10 = ME_A = \frac{1}{2} m_1 V_1^2 + 0$ $\Rightarrow 10 = 0.1 V_1^2 + 0 \Rightarrow V_1 = 10 \text{ m/s.}$	0.75
A-2.a	The linear momentum and the kinetic energy.	0.50
A-2.b	Conservation of linear momentum: $m_1 \vec{V}_1 + 0 = m_1 \vec{V}_1' + m_2 \vec{V}_2'$ but no deviation (head-on) $\Rightarrow m_1 V_1 + 0 = m_1 V_1' + m_2 V_2' \Rightarrow m_1 (V_1 - V_1') = m_2 V_2' \dots (1)$ collision is elastic: $\frac{1}{2} m_1 V_1^2 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 (V_1')^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 (V_2')^2$ $\Rightarrow m_1 [V_1^2 - (V_1')^2] = m_2 (V_2')^2 \quad (2)$ Divide (2) by (1) we get: $V_1 + V_1' = V_2' \quad (3)$ Equations (1) and (3) give: $V_2' = 8 \text{ m/s.}$	1.5
B-1	$M.E = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 + \frac{1}{2} mV^2.$	0.5
B-2	$M.E = \text{constant}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dM.E}{dt} = 0$ $\Rightarrow kxx' + mVV' = 0 ; V = x' \neq 0 \text{ and } V' = x''$ $\Rightarrow x'' + \left(\frac{K}{m}\right)x = 0.$ This differential equation has the form of $x'' + \omega_0^2 x = 0 ;$ The motion is simple harmonic.	1
B-3	$ME_{x=0} = ME_{x=x_m} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} mV_o^2 + \frac{1}{2} Kx_o^2 = \frac{1}{2} KX_m^2$ $\frac{1}{2} \times 1.2 \times 2^2 + 0 = \frac{1}{2} \times 120 \times X_m^2 \Rightarrow X_m = 0.2 \text{ m} = 20 \text{ cm.}$ $x = X_m \cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{K}{m}} t + \varphi\right)$ at $t = 0 \text{ s, } x = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = X_m \cos \varphi \Rightarrow \cos \varphi = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$ but at $t = 0$ we have $v = V_o = -X_m \sin \varphi > 0 \Rightarrow \varphi = -\frac{\pi}{2} \text{ rd}$	1 1

Second exercise (7 points)

Part of the Q	Answer	Mark
A-1	$T_0 = 8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ ms} \Rightarrow f_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} = 62.5 \text{ Hz}$ and $\omega_0 = 2\pi f_0 = 125\pi \text{ rd/s}$.	0.5 ; 0.25 0.25
A-2	$U_m = 2 \times 2 = 4\text{V}$ $U_{Rm} = 4 \times 0.25 = 1\text{V} \Rightarrow I_m = \frac{U_{Rm}}{R} = \frac{1}{20} = 0.05 \text{ A}$	0.25 0.75
A-3-a	Current resonance, since u_{AM} and $u_{BM} = Ri$ are in phase	0.25 ; 0.25
A-3-b	Since we have current resonance then $LC\omega_0^2 = 1$ so $LC = 6.49 \times 10^{-6}$.	0.25 ; 0.5
A-4	$U_m = I_m \times R_t \Rightarrow R_t = \frac{4}{0.05} = 80\Omega \Rightarrow r = 80 - 20 = 60 \Omega$	0.25; 0.25
5- B-1-a	Since u_{BM} reaches its maximum before that of u_{AM} .	0.25
B-1-b	$2\pi \text{ rd} \rightarrow 8 \text{ div} \rightarrow T_0$ $\varphi \rightarrow 1 \text{ div} \Rightarrow \varphi = \frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ rd}$.	0.5
B-1-c	$U_{BM\max} = 2.8 \times 0.25 = 0.7 \text{ V}$ $\Rightarrow u_{BM} = 0.7 \cos\left(125\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ (u_{BM} in V, t in s) $U_m = 2 \times 2 = 4\text{V} \Rightarrow u = 4 \cos 125\pi t$ (u in V, t in s).	0.50 0.25
B-2	$I_m = \frac{U_{BM\max}}{R} = \frac{2.8 \times 0.25}{20} = 0.035 \text{ A}$ $\Rightarrow i = 0.035 \cos\left(125\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ (i in A, t in s).	0.5
B-3	The law of addition of voltages gives : $u_{AM} = u_{AD} + u_{DB} + u_{BM}$ $4 \cos 125\pi t = \frac{8.9 \times 10^{-5}}{C} \sin\left(125\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 80 \times 0.035 \cos\left(125\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ For $125\pi t = \frac{\pi}{2}$; $0 = \frac{8.9 \times 10^{-5}}{C} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - 2.8 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{8.9 \times 10^{-5}}{C} = 2.8$ $C = \frac{8.9 \times 10^{-5}}{2.8} = 32 \times 10^{-6} \text{ F} = 32 \mu\text{F}$.	1
C	$LC = 6.49 \times 10^{-6} \Rightarrow L \times 32 \times 10^{-6} = 6.49 \times 10^{-6} \Rightarrow L = \frac{6.49}{32} = 0.2 \text{ H}$	0.25

Third exercise (6 points)

Part of the Q	Answer	Mark
1	${}^{14}_6\text{C} \rightarrow {}^0_{-1}\text{e} + {}^A_Z\text{X} + {}^0_0\bar{\nu}$ law of conservation of mass number: $14 = 0 + A + 0$ then $A = 14$ law of conservation of charge number: $6 = 0 - 1 + Z + 0$ then $Z = 7$.	0.25 ; 0.25 ; 0.25 ; 0.25.
2	$\lambda = \frac{0.693}{T} = 1.216 \times 10^{-4} \text{ year}^{-1}$	0.75
3	$r = \frac{N({}^{14}\text{C})}{N'({}^{12}\text{C})} = \frac{N_o({}^{14}\text{C}) \times e^{-\lambda t}}{N'({}^{12}\text{C})}$ with $r_0 = \frac{N_o({}^{14}\text{C})}{N'({}^{12}\text{C})}$, we can write $r = r_0 e^{-\lambda t}$.	0.75
4-a	$\frac{r}{r_0} = e^{-\lambda t}$ as t increases then $e^{-\lambda t}$ decreases then $\frac{r}{r_0}$ decreases Since specimen b has the lowest ratio then it is the oldest.	0.5
4-b	$\frac{r}{r_0} = e^{-\lambda t} = 0.843$ then $\ln 0.843 = -\lambda \times t$ thus the age of the specimen is $t = \frac{-0.171}{-1.216 \times 10^{-4}} = 1406.25 \text{ years.}$	1
5-a	the ratio $\frac{r}{r_0} = e^{-\lambda t}$ for $t_0 = 0$ $\frac{r}{r_0} = 1$; for $t = 2T$ then $\frac{r}{r_0} = 0.25$; for $t = 4T$ then $\frac{r}{r_0} = 0.0625$ for $t = 6T$ then $\frac{r}{r_0} = 0.015625$.	1
5-b		0.5
5-c	Since after millions of years the ratio $\frac{r}{r_0}$ becomes zero so we cannot determine the age of such organism.	0.5

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First exercise: (7 points)**Charging of a capacitor**

In order to charge a capacitor, we connect up the series circuit that is represented in figure 1. This circuit is formed of:

- a generator of constant e.m.f E and of negligible internal resistance;
- a resistor of resistance R ;
- a capacitor of capacitance $C = 1 \mu\text{F}$;
- a switch K .

The capacitor is initially neutral. At the instant $t_0 = 0$, we close K . At an instant t , the armature A carries a charge q and the circuit is traversed by a current i whose direction is shown on the circuit.

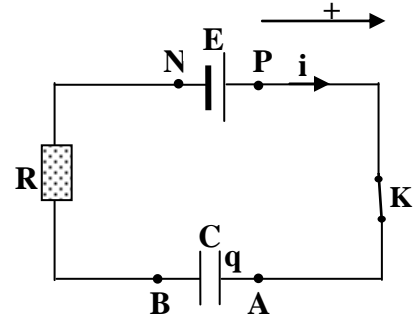


Fig.1

A – Analytical study

- 1) Write the expression of q in terms of u_{AB} and C .
- 2) Derive the differential equation that governs the variation of q as a function of time.
- 3) Using the differential equation, deduce:

- a) that the expression of the current at the instant $t_0 = 0$ is $I_0 = \frac{E}{R}$;
- b) the expression, of the maximum value Q_m of q in terms of C and E .

B – Exploitation of the curve

The variation of the charge q , as a function of time, is represented by the curve of figure 2.

The straight line (OM) represents the tangent to the curve at the instant $t_0 = 0$.

Using figure 2:

- 1) a) indicate the maximum value Q_m of q ;
b) deduce the value of E .
- 2) a) Show that the value of I_0 is 1 mA;
b) deduce the value of R .
- 3) Determine the values of u_{AB} and of i at the instant $t_1 = 10^{-2}\text{s}$.

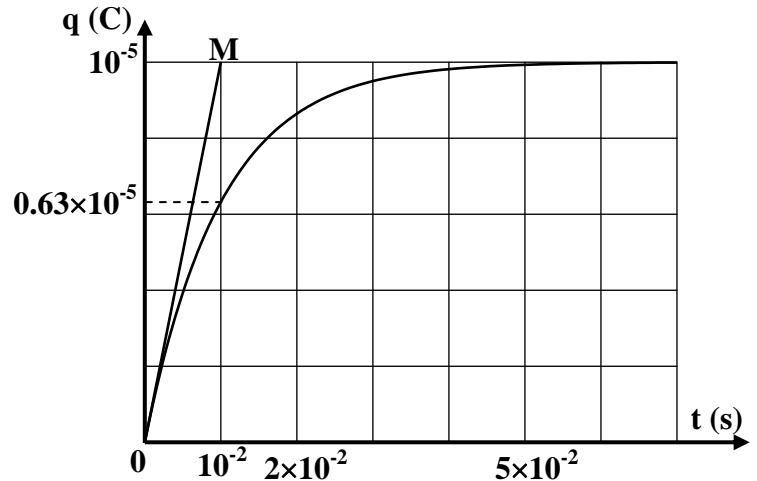


Fig.2

C – Energy stored in the capacitor

Knowing that the energy stored in the

capacitor at an instant t is given by $w = \frac{1}{2} \frac{q^2}{C}$, determine:

- 1) the values of w at $t_0 = 0$ and at $t_1 = 10^{-2}\text{s}$;
- 2) the average electric power received by the capacitor between t_0 and t_1 .

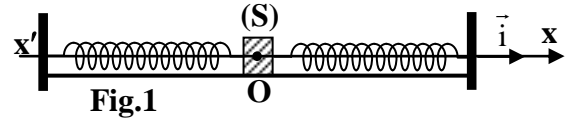
Second exercise: (6 points)

Measurement of the mass of an astronaut

The aim of this exercise is to measure, in a spaceship, the mass of an astronaut using a horizontal mechanical oscillator.

A – Theoretical study

Consider a horizontal mechanical oscillator formed of a solid (S), of mass M, connected to two identical springs of negligible mass and each of stiffness k_1 . The center of inertia G of (S) may slide along a horizontal axis $x'Ox$, where O is confounded with the equilibrium position of G.



At equilibrium, the two springs are neither compressed nor elongated (Fig.1).

The solid (S), is displaced by a distance x_0 from its equilibrium position in the chosen positive direction, then released without initial velocity at the instant $t_0 = 0$. At an instant t, the abscissa of G is x and the

algebraic value of its velocity \vec{v} is $v = \frac{dx}{dt} = \dot{x}$.

Neglect all frictional forces, and take the horizontal plane passing through G as a gravitational potential energy reference.

- 1) Show that the expression of the elastic potential energy of the system [(S), two springs, Earth] is

$$P.E_e = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 \text{ where } k = 2 k_1.$$

- 2) Write, as a function of k, M, v and x, at an instant t, the expression of the mechanical energy of the system [(S), two springs, Earth].
- 3) Derive the differential equation, in x, which describes the motion of G.
- 4) The solution of this differential equation is of the form: $x = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi)$ where A, ω_0 and φ are constants.

Determine the expressions of A and ω_0 in terms of x_0 , M and k and determine the value of φ .

- 5) Deduce, in terms of M and k_1 , the expression of the proper period T_0 of the oscillations of G.

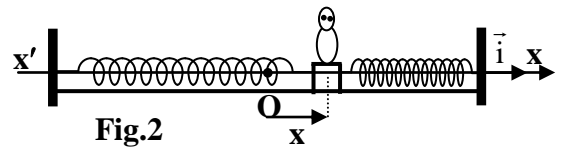
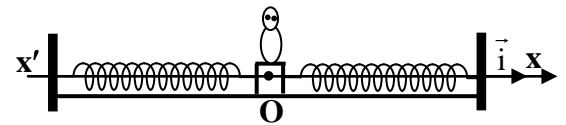
B – Practical study

In spaceships, astronauts measure their masses using a mechanical oscillator as the one above.

An astronaut sits in a chair attached to two identical massless springs each of stiffness $k_1 = 700 \text{ N/m}$ forming a horizontal oscillator (Fig.2).

Let M be the total mass of the astronaut and the chair.

With an appropriate device, we record the variation of the abscissa x of the center of mass of the system [astronaut, chair, 2 springs] as a function of time (Fig.3).



- 1) Indicate:
 - a) the type of the observed oscillations;
 - b) the value of the pseudo-period T of these oscillations.
- 2) The pseudo-period T is approximately equal to the proper period T_0 . Conclude.
- 3) Deduce the mass of the astronaut knowing that the mass of the chair is 6.5 kg.

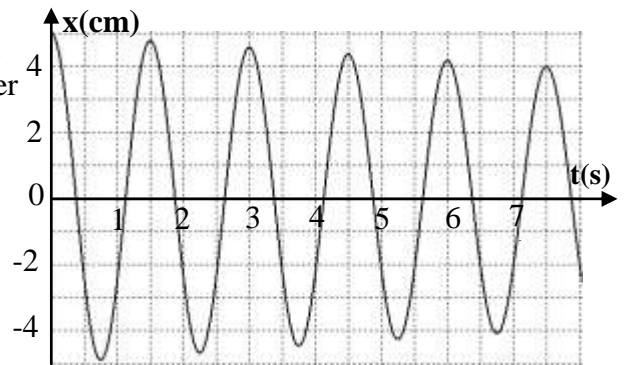


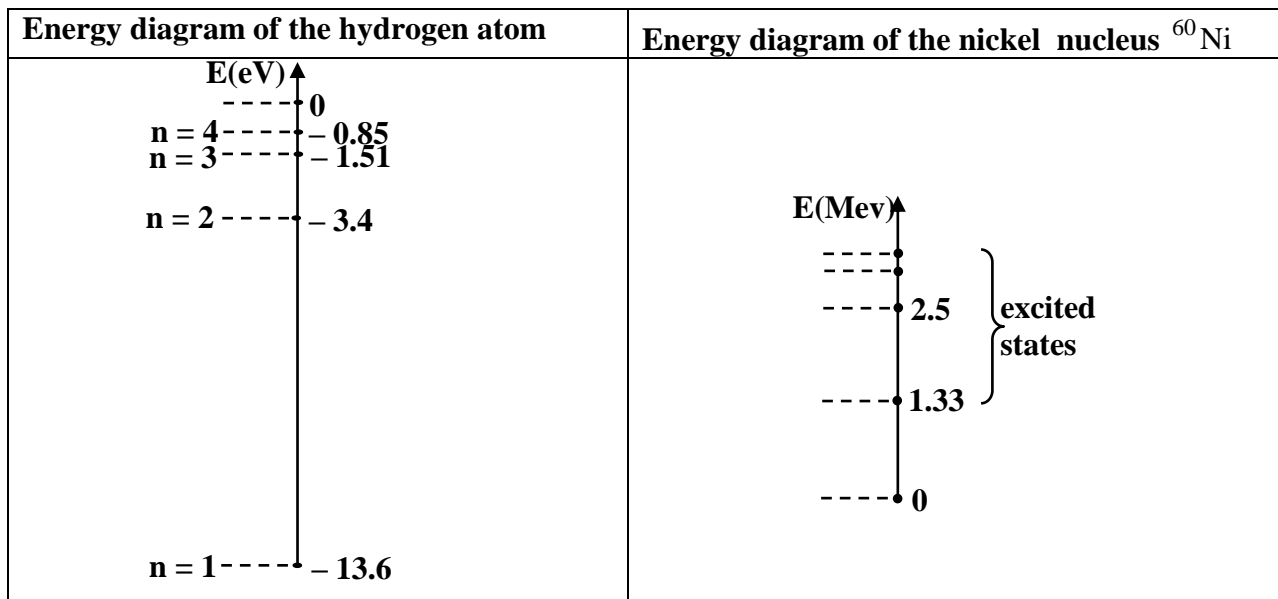
Fig. 3

Third exercise: (7 points)

Energy levels of the hydrogen atom and of the nickel nucleus

The aim of this exercise is to compare and study the energy levels of an atom and a nucleus.

Given: $h = 6.62 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}$; $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$; $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$.



A – Comparison

Referring to the two diagrams:

- 1) Name the state corresponding to the energy $E = 0$ in:
 - a) the hydrogen atom;
 - b) the nickel nucleus.
- 2) Show that the transitions of the nickel nucleus are much more energetic than those of the hydrogen atom;
- 3) Show that the energies of the hydrogen atom and that of the nickel nucleus are quantized.

B – Hydrogen atom

- 1) The hydrogen atom is in the ground level. Determine the minimum energy needed to ionize this atom.
- 2) The Lyman series of the hydrogen atom corresponds to a downward transition to the level $n = 1$. Determine the maximum wavelength λ_m of the emitted photons in this series.
- 3) We send, on a hydrogen atom, separately, three photons a, b and c, whose energies are indicated in the table below, knowing that, in each case, the hydrogen atom is in the ground state.

Photon	a	b	c
Energy in eV	12.09	12.30	14.60

- a) Specify the photons that are absorbed by the hydrogen atom.
- b) Indicate the state of the hydrogen atom in each case.

C – Nickel 60 nucleus

The cobalt isotope $^{60}_{27}\text{Co}$, used for the treatment of certain kinds of cancer, is a

β^- emitter. The daughter nickel nucleus is found in an excited state ($^{60}_{28}\text{Ni}^*$).

- 1) Write down the equation of the β^- decay of cobalt 60.
- 2) Write down the equation of the downward transition of Ni^* .
- 3) Using the energy diagram of the nickel nucleus, determine the maximum wavelength λ'_m of the emitted photon due to the downward transition of the nickel nucleus from an excited state to the ground state.
- 4) Compare λ'_m and λ_m .

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First exercise: (7 points)

Part of the Q	Answer	Mark
A.1	$q_A = C u_{AB}$.	0.25
A.2	$E = u_{AB} + Ri$ where $i = \frac{dq_A}{dt} \Rightarrow E = \frac{q_A}{C} + R \frac{dq_A}{dt}$.	0.75
A.3.a	At $t = 0$; $q_A = 0$ and $i = \frac{dq_A}{dt} = I_0 \Rightarrow E = RI_0 \Rightarrow I_0 = \frac{E}{R}$.	0.75
A.3.b	When t increases indefinitely q_A tends to a constant value $\Rightarrow \frac{dq_A}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow Q_m = CE$	0.50
B.1-a	$Q_m = 10^{-5} C$	0.25
B.1-b	$E = \frac{Q_m}{C} = \frac{10^{-5}}{10^{-6}} = 10 V$	0.25
B.2.a	The slope of the tangent to the curve at the point of abscissa $t = 0$ is : $I_0 = \frac{10^{-5}}{10^{-2}} = 10^{-3} A$	0.75
B.2.b	But $I_0 = \frac{E}{R} \Rightarrow R = \frac{E}{I_0} = \frac{10}{10^{-3}} = 10^4 \Omega$.	0.50
B.3	At the instant $t = 10^{-2} s$, we find graphically $q_A = 0.63 \times 10^{-5} C$ $\Rightarrow u_{AB} = \frac{q_A}{C} = 6.3 V$ $u_{BN} = E - u_{AB} = 10 - 6.3 = 3.7 V$. $i = \frac{u_{BN}}{R} = 3.7 \times 10^{-4} A$.	1.50
C.1	At $t_0 = 0$, $q_0 = 0 \Rightarrow w_0 = 0$ At $t_1 = 10^{-2} s$, $q_1 = 0.63 \times 10^{-5} C \Rightarrow w_1 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{q_1^2}{C} = 0.198 \times 10^{-4} J$	1.00
C.2	$P_m = \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta t} = 0.198 \times 10^{-2} W$	0.50

Second exercise: (7 points)

Part of the Q	Answer	Mark
A.1	The potential energy stored in the spring elongated by x is $P.E_e(1) = \frac{1}{2} k_1 x^2$. The potential energy stored in the spring compressed by x is $PE_e(2) = \frac{1}{2} k_1 x^2$. $\Rightarrow PE_e = P.E_e(1) + P.E_e(2) = \frac{1}{2} kx^2$ with $k = 2k_1$.	0.75
A.2	$ME = \frac{1}{2} mv^2 + \frac{1}{2} kx^2$	0.50
A.3	No friction, $ME = \text{constant} \Rightarrow \frac{dME}{dt} = 0$, $\Rightarrow mv v' + kx x' = 0 \Rightarrow x'' + \frac{k}{m} x = 0$	0.75
A.4	$\dot{x} = -A\omega_0 \sin(\omega_0 t)$ et $x'' = -A\omega_0^2 \cos(\omega_0 t)$. By replacing each term by its value, we obtain: $\Rightarrow \omega_0^2 - \frac{k}{m} = 0 \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$. For $t = 0$: $x = x_0$ and $v_0 = 0 \Rightarrow x_0 = A \cos \varphi$ and $v_0 = -A \cdot \sin \varphi = 0$; $\Rightarrow \varphi = 0$ or π or $x_0 > 0 \Rightarrow \varphi = 0$ and $x_0 = A$	1.50
A.5	The proper period : $T_0 = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{M}{k}} = \pi \sqrt{\frac{2M}{k_1}}$	0.50
B.1-a	Free damped oscillations.	0.25
B.1-b	The period $T = 1.5$ s.	0.50
B.2	$T = T_0$ because of small damping	0.25
B.3	$T_0 = \pi \sqrt{\frac{2M}{k_1}} \Rightarrow M = \frac{k_1 T_0^2}{2\pi^2} \Rightarrow M = 79.87$ kg. The mass of the astronaut is: $M_A = 79.87 - 6.5 = 73.37$ kg.	1.00

Third exercise: (6 points)

Part of the Q	Answer	Mark
A.1.a	For an atom: $E = 0$ corresponds to the ionized state	0.25
A.1.b	For a nucleus: $E = 0$ corresponds to the ground state.	0.25
A.2	For an atom, the energy changes are of the order of eV. For a nucleus, the energy changes are of the order of M eV.	0.50
A.3	Both have specific values of energy.	0.25
B.1	$E_{\min} = E_{\infty} - E_1 = 0 + 13.6 = 13.6 \text{ eV}$.	0.50
B.2	$E_{\text{ph}} = E_n - E_1$ but $E_{\text{ph}} = \frac{hc}{\lambda} \Rightarrow E_{\text{ph}}(\min)$ when λ_{\max} then $n = 2$ so $\frac{6.62 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8}{\lambda_{\max}} = E_2 - E_1 = (-3.4 + 13.6) \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ thus $\lambda_m = 1.216 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$.	0.75
B.3.a	$E_{\text{ph}} = E_n - E_1$ then $E_n = E_{\text{ph}} + E_1$ for photon (a): $E_{\text{ph}} = 12.09 \Rightarrow -13.6 + 12.09 = -1.51 \text{ eV} = E_3$ $E_n = -1.51 \text{ eV} = E_3$ so this photon is absorbed; for photon (b): $E_{\text{ph}} = 12.30 \Rightarrow -13.6 + 12.09 \Rightarrow E_n = -1.3 \text{ eV} \neq E_n$ so this photon cannot be absorbed; for photon (c) $E_{\text{ph}} = 14.6 > E_1$ so this is absorbed.	1.50
B.3.b	For photon (a): 2 nd excited state E_3 ; for photon (b); ground state for photon (c): ionized state.	0.75
C.1	${}_{27}^{60}\text{Co} \rightarrow {}_{-1}^0\text{e} + {}_{28}^{60}\text{Ni}^*$	0.50
C.2	${}_{28}^{60}\text{Ni}^* \rightarrow {}_{28}^{60}\text{Ni} + \gamma$.	0.25
C.3	λ'_m corresponds to the smallest energy: $\Delta E = 1.33 - 0 = 1.33 \text{ MeV} = 2.128 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J}$ $\lambda'_m = \frac{h \cdot c}{\Delta E} = 9.33 \times 10^{-13} \text{ m}$	1.00
C.4	$\frac{\lambda'_m}{\lambda_m} = 7,6 \times 10^{-6} \Rightarrow \lambda'_m \llllll \lambda_m$	0.50