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## This exam is formed of four obligatory exercises in four pages.

## The use of non-programmable calculator is recommended.

## Exercise 1 (5 pts)

## Torsion pendulum

Consider a torsion pendulum (P) formed by:

- a uniform rod $A B$ suspended from its center of mass $O$ to a vertical torsion wire fixed from its upper end to a point O';
- two identical objects, $\left(\mathrm{S}_{1}\right)$ and $\left(\mathrm{S}_{2}\right)$, taken as particles of same mass $\mathrm{m}=200 \mathrm{~g}$. The two particles are fixed on the rod on opposite sides of O at the same adjustable distance «x » from it (Doc. 1).
Neglect the mass of the torsion wire. The wire has a torsion constant C , and the rod AB has a moment of inertia $\mathrm{I}_{0}$ about an axis ( $\Delta$ ) confounded with ( $\mathrm{OO}^{\prime}$ ).
The rod is rotated from its equilibrium position by an angle $\theta_{\mathrm{m}}$ in the horizontal plane, and then it is released


Doc. 1 from rest.
The rod starts oscillating without friction in a horizontal plane about ( $\Delta$ ). At time $t$, the angular abscissa of the $\operatorname{rod}$ is $\theta$ and its angular velocity is $\theta^{\prime}=\frac{\mathrm{d} \theta}{\mathrm{dt}}$.
The horizontal plane containing the rod is taken as a reference level for gravitational potential energy.
Given: $\pi^{2}=10$

1) Write the expression of the moment of inertia $I$ of $(P)$ about $(\Delta)$ in terms of $I_{0}, m$, and $x$.
2) Write the expression of the mechanical energy ME of the system [(P), Earth] in terms of $I, \theta, C$, and $\theta^{\prime}$.
3) Determine the differential equation that governs the variation of $\theta$.
4) Deduce the expression of the proper (natural) period $\mathrm{T}_{0}$ in terms of I and C .
5) Show that: $\mathrm{T}_{0}^{2}=\frac{4 \pi^{2} \mathrm{I}_{0}}{\mathrm{C}}+\frac{8 \pi^{2} \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{x}^{2}}{\mathrm{C}}$
6) We vary the distance $x$, and we measure the duration of 10 complete oscillations for each value of $x$. We record the measured values in the table of document 2 .

| $\mathrm{x}(\mathrm{cm})$ | 10 | 15 | 20 | 25 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Duration of 10 oscillations (s) | 5.83 | 6.24 | 6.78 | 7.41 |
| $\mathrm{~T}_{0}(\mathrm{~s})$ |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{T}_{0}^{2}\left(\mathrm{~s}^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{x}^{2}\left(\mathrm{~m}^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |
| Doc. 2 |  |  |  |  |

6.1) Copy and complete the table of document 2 .
6.2) Draw on the graph paper the curve that represents $T_{0}^{2}$ as a function of $x^{2}$ using the following drawing scale: On the axis of abscissa: $1 \mathrm{~cm} \leftrightarrow 0.01 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$

On the axis of ordinate: $1 \mathrm{~cm} \leftrightarrow 0.1 \mathrm{~s}^{2}$
6.3) The shape of this curve can be considered in agreement with the expression of $T_{0}^{2}$ in part (5). Justify.
7) Deduce the values of $I_{0}$ and $C$.

## Exercise 2 (5 pts)

## Period of a simple pendulum

A simple pendulum is formed of a sphere ( S ), taken as a particle of mass $\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{s}}=2 \mathrm{~kg}$, suspended from a light inextensible cord of length $\ell=1 \mathrm{~m}$.
A marble (b) of mass $m_{b}=50 \mathrm{~g}$ is launched with a velocity $\vec{V}_{1}=11 \overrightarrow{\mathrm{i}}(\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{s})$ along a horizontal x -axis of unit vector $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{i}}$, and it makes a head-on collision with (S) initially at rest. Just after the collision, marble (b) recoils horizontally with a velocity $\vec{V}_{1}^{\prime}=-10.46 \vec{i}(\mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s})$ and (S) starts moving with a horizontal velocity of magnitude $V_{0}$.
The pendulum [Cord, (S)] oscillates without friction in a vertical plane about a horizontal axis ( $\Delta$ ) passing through the upper end O of the cord (Doc. 3).
The purpose of this exercise is to determine the oscillation period of the pendulum for different values of the marble's
 launch speed.

Take:

- the horizontal plane passing through the lowest position of (S) as a reference level for gravitational potential energy;
- $\sin \theta \cong \theta$ in radians, for $\theta \leq 0.175 \mathrm{rad}$;
- $g=10 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}^{2}$.

1) Collision between (S) and (b)
1.1) Prove that $V_{0}=0.537 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$ by applying the principle of conservation of linear momentum to the system [(S), (b)].
1.2) Show that this collision is elastic.
2) Maximum deflection of the pendulum

After the collision, the pendulum is deflected by a maximum angle $\theta_{\mathrm{m}}$. Show that $\theta_{\mathrm{m}}=0.17 \mathrm{rad}$.

## 3) Oscillation of the pendulum

After the collision, the pendulum [Cord, $(\mathrm{S})$ ] oscillates in the vertical plane about $(\Delta)$. At an instant t , the angular abscissa of the pendulum is $\theta$ and its angular velocity is $\theta^{\prime}=\frac{\mathrm{d} \theta}{\mathrm{dt}}$.
The differential equation the governs the variation of $\theta$ is: $\theta^{\prime \prime}+\frac{\mathrm{g}}{\ell} \sin \theta=0$.
3.1) Deduce that the motion of the pendulum is simple harmonic.
3.2) Deduce the expression of the proper (natural) period $T_{0}$ of the oscillations in terms of $\ell$ and $g$.
3.3) Calculate the value of $T_{0}$.
4) The same experiment is repeated by lunching the marble horizontally with a velocity $\vec{V}_{1}=V_{1} \vec{i}$, where $\mathrm{V}_{1}<11 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$. Specify whether the value of the oscillation period of the pendulum increases, decreases or remains the same.

## Exercise 3 (5 pts)

## Characteristics of a coil

The circuit of document 4 consists of:

- an ideal battery of emf $\mathrm{E}=12 \mathrm{~V}$;
- an ohmic conductor of resistance $\mathrm{R}=15 \Omega$;
- a coil of inductance $L$ and resistance $r$;
- an ammeter (A) of negligible resistance;
- a switch K.

The purpose of this exercise is to determine the values of $L$ and $r$. At the instant $\mathrm{t}_{0}=0$, switch K is closed and the current i in the circuit starts increasing gradually.
At the instant $\mathrm{t}_{1}$ steady state is attained in the circuit, and ammeter (A) reads a current $\mathrm{I}_{1}=0.5 \mathrm{~A}$.


Doc. 4

1) The phenomenon of self-induction takes place in the coil between $t_{0}$ and $t_{1}$. Explain this phenomenon.
2) In steady state, the coil acts as a resistor of resistance r. Justify.
3) Show that the resistance of the coil is $r=9 \Omega$.
4) Show that the differential equation that governs the variation of the voltage $u_{C B}=u_{R}$ is:

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\frac{\mathrm{RE}}{\mathrm{~L}}=\left(\frac{\mathrm{r}+\mathrm{R}}{\mathrm{~L}}\right) \mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{R}}+\frac{\mathrm{du}_{\mathrm{R}}}{\mathrm{dt}}
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5) Verify that $u_{R}=\frac{R E}{r+R}\left(1-e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}\right)$ is a solution of this differential equation where $\tau=\frac{L}{r+R}$.
6) Deduce the expression of the instant $t_{1}$ in terms of $L, r$, and $R$.
7) The curve of document 5 represents $u_{R}$ as a function of time.
$(\mathrm{T})$ is the tangent to the curve $\mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{R}}$ at point $\mathrm{B}(0.024 \mathrm{~s}, 6.82 \mathrm{~V})$.
7.1) Calculate the slope of the tangent ( T ).
7.2) Use document 5 and the differential equation in order to deduce the value of L .


## Exercise 4 (5 pts)

## Electromagnetic induction

Two parallel conducting rails, CD and EF , of negligible resistance and separated by a distance $\ell=15 \mathrm{~cm}$, are placed in a horizontal plane.
A rigid conducting rod MN , of length $\ell$ and perpendicular to the rails, may move without friction on the rails. The center of mass $G$ of the rod moves along an $x$-axis which is parallel to the rails. The resistance of the rod is $\mathrm{R}_{1}=0.5$ $\Omega$. The ends C and E of the rails are connected to a resistor of resistance $\mathrm{R}_{2}=0.5 \Omega$.
The circuit formed by the two rails and the rod is placed in a vertical uniform magnetic field $\vec{B}$ perpendicular to the plane of the rails and of magnitude $\mathrm{B}=0.5 \mathrm{~T}$ (Doc. 6).
 At the instant $t_{0}=0, G$ coincides with the origin $O$ of the $x$-axis, and the rod is displaced at a constant velocity $\vec{V}$ in the positive $x$-direction.
At an instant t , the abscissa of G is $\mathrm{x}=\overline{\mathrm{OG}}=2 \mathrm{t}$ ( x in m and t in s ).

1) The magnetic flux crossing the closed circuit CNME changes.
1.1) Indicate the reason behind the change in the magnetic flux crossing this circuit.
1.2) Explain this statement « The circuit CNME carries an electric current as long as the rod MN is moving ».
2) Show that the expression of the magnetic flux crossing the area CNME is $\phi=-0.15 \mathrm{t}$
3) Determine the value of the electromotive force «e» induced in the rod.
4) Knowing that $u_{N M}=R_{1} i-e$, show that the expression of the induced electric current in the circuit CNME is: $i=\frac{e}{R_{1}+R_{2}}$
5) Deduce the value and the direction of i.
6) An electromagnetic force (Laplace's force) $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{F}}$ is acting on the moving rod MN.
6.1) Indicate the direction of this force.
6.2) Calculate the magnitude $F$ of $\vec{F}$.
7) We move the rod with a constant velocity having the same magnitude as that of $\vec{V}$ but of opposite direction. Indicate in this case the direction and the magnitude of the Laplace force acting on the rod.


| Exercise 2 ( 5 pts) Period of a simple pendulum |  |  |
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| Part | Answer | Mark |
| 1.1 | $\begin{aligned} & \overrightarrow{\mathrm{P}}_{\text {before }}=\overrightarrow{\mathrm{P}}_{\text {after }} \quad ; \quad \mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{b}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{1}=\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{b}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{1}{ }_{1}+\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{s}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{0} \\ & \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{b}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{1}-\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{b}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{1}=\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{s}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{0} \quad ; \mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{b}}\left(\vec{v}_{1}-\overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{1}\right)=\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{s}} \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{0} \\ & 0.05(11 \overrightarrow{\mathrm{i}}+10.46 \mathrm{i})=2 \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{0} \quad ; \quad \overrightarrow{\mathrm{v}}_{0}=0.537 \overrightarrow{\mathrm{i}}(\mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}) \end{aligned}$ | 1 |
| 1.2 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{KE}_{\text {before }}=\frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{b}} \mathrm{v}_{1}^{2}=\frac{1}{2} \times 0.05 \times 11^{2}=3.02 \mathrm{~J} \\ & \mathrm{KE}_{\text {after }}=\frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{b}}^{\prime} \mathrm{v}_{1}^{2}+\frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{S}} \mathrm{v}_{0}^{2}=\frac{1}{2} \times 0.05 \times 10.46^{2}+\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 0.537^{2}=3.02 \mathrm{~J} \\ & \mathrm{KE}_{\text {before }}=\mathrm{KE}_{\text {after }} \text {, then the collision is elastic. } \end{aligned}$ | 1 |
| 2 | ME is constant, then : $\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{s}} \mathrm{v}_{0}^{2}=\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{s}} \mathrm{~g} \ell\left(1-\cos \theta_{\mathrm{m}}\right) \\ & \frac{1}{2}\left(0.537^{2}\right)=10 \times 1 \times\left(1-\cos \theta_{\mathrm{m}}\right) \quad, \text { then } \cos \theta_{\mathrm{m}}=0.986 \text {, so } \theta_{\mathrm{m}}=0.17 \mathrm{rad} \end{aligned}$ | 1 |
| 3.1 | $\theta \mathrm{m} \leq 0.175 \mathrm{rad}$, then $\sin \theta \approx \theta$, so $\theta^{\prime \prime}+\frac{\mathrm{g}}{\ell} \sin \theta=0$. <br> The differential equation is of the form : $\theta^{\prime \prime}+\omega_{0}^{2} \theta=0$ with $\omega_{0}=\sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}}$. <br> Then the motion is simple harmonic. | 0.5 |
| 3.2 | $\mathrm{T}_{0}=\frac{2 \pi}{\omega_{0}}=2 \pi \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{\mathrm{~g}}}$ | 0.5 |
| 3.3 | $\mathrm{T}_{0}=2 \pi \sqrt{\frac{1}{10}}=1.99 \cong 2 \mathrm{~s}$ | 0.5 |
| 4 | $\mathrm{V}_{1}<11 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$, then $\theta \mathrm{m} \leq 0.175 \mathrm{rad}$, therefore the motion is still simple harmonic, hence $\mathrm{T}_{0}=2 \pi \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{\mathrm{~g}}}$ which is independent of $\mathrm{V}_{1}$. <br> Then $\mathrm{T}_{0}$ remains the same. | 0.5 |


| Exercise 3 ( 5 pts) | Characteristics of a coil |  |
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| Part | Answer | Mark |
| 1 | Between $\mathrm{t}_{0}$ and $\mathrm{t}_{1}$, the current increases, then the magnitude of the magnetic field produced inside the coil increases; hence, the coil is crossed by a variable self-flux. Therefore, the coil becomes the seat of induced emf. | 0.5 |
| 2 | $u_{B A}=r i+L \frac{d i}{d t}$ <br> In steady state, $i=I_{1}=$ constant, then $\frac{\mathrm{di}}{\mathrm{dt}}=0$ <br> Then, $\mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{BA}}=$ ri ; therefore, the coil acts as a resistor. | 0.5 |
| 3 | $u_{C A}=u_{C B}+u_{B A}, \text { then } E=R i+r i+L \frac{d i}{d t}$ <br> In steady state : $\mathrm{E}=\mathrm{RI}_{1}+\mathrm{rI}_{1}$ $\mathrm{I}_{1}=\frac{\mathrm{E}}{\mathrm{R}+\mathrm{r}}=\frac{12}{15+\mathrm{r}}=0.5 \text {, then } \quad 15+\mathrm{r}=\frac{12}{0.5}=24 \text {, so } \quad \mathrm{r}=9 \Omega$ | 0.5 |
| 4 | $E=R i++r i+L \frac{d i}{d t} \quad$, then $\quad E=L \frac{d i}{d t}+(R+r) i$ $u_{R}=R i ; \quad$ then $i=\frac{u_{R}}{R}$ and $\quad \frac{d i}{d t}=\frac{1}{R} \frac{d u_{R}}{d t}$ <br> So : $E=\frac{L}{R} \frac{d u_{R}}{d t}+(R+r) \frac{u_{R}}{R}$ <br> Therefore : $\frac{R E}{L}=\left(\frac{r+R}{L}\right) u_{R}+\frac{d u_{R}}{d t}$ | 1 |
| 5 | $\begin{aligned} & u_{R}=\frac{R E}{r+R}\left(1-e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}\right) \\ & \frac{d u_{R}}{d t}=\frac{R E}{r+R} \times \frac{1}{\tau} \times e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}=\frac{R E}{r+R} \times \frac{r+R}{L} \times e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}=\frac{R E}{L} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}} \end{aligned}$ <br> Replace in the differential equation: <br> $\frac{R E}{L}=\left(\frac{r+R}{L}\right)\left(\frac{R E}{r+R}-\frac{R E}{r+R} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}\right)+\frac{R E}{L} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}} \quad$, then $\frac{R E}{L}=\frac{R E}{L}-\frac{R E}{L} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}+\frac{R E}{L} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}$ <br> Then, $\quad 0=0$ <br> So, this is a solution for the differential equation . | 0.75 |
| 6 | $\mathrm{t}_{1}=5 \tau=\frac{5 \mathrm{~L}}{\mathrm{r}+\mathrm{R}}$ | 0.25 |
| 7.1 | slope $=\frac{\Delta u_{\mathrm{R}}}{\Delta \mathrm{t}}=\frac{6.82-5.187}{0.024-0}=68 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{s}$ | 0.5 |
| 7.2 | $\frac{\mathrm{RE}}{\mathrm{~L}}=\left(\frac{\mathrm{r}+\mathrm{R}}{\mathrm{~L}}\right) \mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{R}}+\frac{\mathrm{du}}{\mathrm{R}} \mathrm{dt}$ <br> At $\mathrm{t}=0.024 \mathrm{~s}, \mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{R}}=6.82 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\frac{\mathrm{du}}{\mathrm{dt}}=$ slope $=68 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{s}$ <br> Replace in the differential equation: <br> $\frac{15 \times 12}{\mathrm{~L}}=\left(\frac{24}{\mathrm{~L}}\right) 6.82+68$, then $\mathrm{L}=0.24 \mathrm{H}=240 \mathrm{mH}$ | 1 |


| Exercise 4 (5 pts) |  | (5 pts) Electromagnetic induction |  |
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| Part |  | Answer | Mark |
| 1 | 1.1 | During its motion, the area swept by the rod changes, then the circuit is crossed by a variable magnetic flux. | 0.5 |
|  | 1.2 | During the motion of the rod, the magnetic flux changes, then the rod becomes the seat of emf and the closed circuit carries an induced current. | 0.5 |
| 2 |  | $\phi=\mathrm{B} . \mathrm{S} \cdot \cos (\vec{B}, \vec{n})=\mathrm{B} \cdot\left(e_{\mathrm{x}}\right) \cdot \cos (\pi)=0,5 \times 0,15 \times 2 \mathrm{t}=-0.15 \mathrm{t}$. | 0.5 |
| 3 |  | $\mathrm{e}=-\frac{\mathrm{d} \varnothing}{\mathrm{dt}}=0.15 \mathrm{~V}$ | 0.75 |
| 4 |  | $u_{N M}=R_{1} i-e=u_{C E}=-R_{2} i$, then $e=\left(R_{1}+R_{2}\right) i$, so $i=\frac{e}{R_{1}+R_{2}}$ <br> or: $\bar{u}_{\mathrm{NM}}+\mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{CB}}+\mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{EC}}+\mathrm{u}_{\mathrm{CN}}=0$ $R_{1} i-e+0+R_{2} i+0=0, \text { then } i=\frac{e}{R_{1}+R_{2}}$ | 0.5 |
| 5 |  | $\mathrm{i}=\frac{\mathrm{e}}{\mathrm{R}_{1}+\mathrm{R}_{2}}=\frac{0.15}{1}=0.15 \mathrm{~A}$ <br> i $>0$, then the circuit carries a current in the chosen positive sense (clockwise) | $\begin{aligned} & 0.5 \\ & 0.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 6 | 6.1 | direction : to the left | 0.25 |
|  | 6.2 | $\mathrm{F}=\mathrm{i} \mathrm{B} \ell \sin (\pi / 2)=0.15 \times 0.5 \times 0.15 \times 1=0.011 \mathrm{~N}$ | 0.5 |
| 7 |  | Direction: to the right <br> Value : $\mathrm{F}=0.011 \mathrm{~N}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.25 \\ & 0.25 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |

