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This exam is formed of four exercises in four pages numbered from 1 to 4

The use of a non-programmable calculator is recommended

# First exercise (7 ½ pts)

#### **Solid** in rotation

Consider a rigid rod AB, of negligible mass and of length AB = L = 80 cm. The rod may rotate around a horizontal axis ( $\Delta$ ), perpendicular to it through its midpoint O. Two identical particles, each of mass m = 10g, may slide along this rod. Take g = 10 m/s<sup>2</sup>;  $0.32\pi = 1$ .

#### I- Work done by the couple of friction

We fix one of the two particles at the end A of the rod while the other particle is fixed at another point D , at a distance  $\frac{L}{4}$  from O .

G being the centre of gravity of the system (S) formed of the rod and the two particles, we suppose OG = a.

Take as a gravitational potential energy reference, the horizontal plane through G when (S) is in the position of stable equilibrium (Fig.1).

1) Show that  $a = \frac{L}{8}$ .

Fig.1

В

D

- 2) (S) is in its stable equilibrium position .At the instant  $t_0 = 0$ , we communicate to (S) an initial kinetic energy  $E_0 = 1.95 \times 10^{-4} \, \text{J}$ ; (S) oscillates then around ( $\Delta$ ), on both sides of its position of stable equilibrium. At an instant t, OG makes an angle  $\theta$  with the vertical through O.
  - a) Neglecting friction, show that:
    - *i.* the expression of the gravitational potential energy of the system [(S),Earth] is P.Eg =  $2mga(1-cos\theta)$ ;
    - ii. the value of the mechanical energy of the system [(S), Earth] is  $E_0$ ;
    - iii. the value of the angular amplitude of the motion of (S) is  $\theta_m = 8^\circ$ .
    - **b**) In reality, the forces of friction form a couple whose moment about the axis ( $\Delta$ ) is  $\mathcal{M}$ . We suppose that  $\mathcal{M}$  is constant .The measurement of the first maximum elongation of (S) is then  $\theta_{lm} = 7^{\circ}$  at the instant  $t_l$ .
      - *i.* Determine the expression giving the variation of the mechanical energy of the system [(S), Earth] between  $t_0$  and  $t_1$  in terms of m, g, a,  $\theta_{1m}$  and  $E_0$ .
    - $\ddot{u}$ . Deduce the value W of the work done by M between  $t_0$  and  $t_1$ .

#### II- Moment of the couple of friction

We fix each particle on an extremity of the rod (figure 2). At the instant  $t_0 = 0$ , and we give (S), a rotational speed  $N_0 = 1$  turn/s and we suppose that  $\mathcal{M}$  keeps the same preceding value.

- 1) Show that the moment of inertia of (S) with respect to ( $\Delta$ ) is I = 32 × 10<sup>4</sup> kg.m<sup>2</sup>.
- 2) Show that the value of the angular momentum of (S) with respect to ( $\Delta$ ), at  $t_0$ , is  $\sigma_0 = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg.m}^2/\text{s}$ .
- 3) a) Give the names of the external forces acting on (S).
  - **b)** Show that the value of the resultant moment of these forces, with respect to  $(\Delta)$ , is equal to  $\mathcal{M}$ .
  - c) Find, applying the theorem of angular momentum, the expression of the angular momentum  $\sigma$  of (S) with respect to ( $\Delta$ ), in terms of M, t and  $\sigma_0$ .
- 4) Launched with the rotational speed  $N_0 = 1$  turn/s, (S) stops at the instant t' = 52.8 s. Determine then the value of  $\mathcal{M}$ .

#### Fig.2

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## III- Relation between W and M

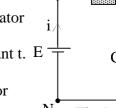
Referring to the parts **I** and **II**, verify that the work W is  $W = \mathcal{M} \times \theta_{1m}$ .

# Second exercise (6 ½ pts) Energy dissipated during the charging of a capacitor

The object of this exercise is to determine the energy dissipated, by Joule's effect, during the charging of a capacitor.

We charge a capacitor of capacitance  $C = 5 \times 10^{-3}$ F, initially neutral, using an ideal generator of constant voltage of e.m.f E through a resistor of resistance  $R = 200 \Omega$  (fig.1).

At the instant  $t_0 = 0$ , the switch K is closed. The circuit thus carries a current i at the instant t. E

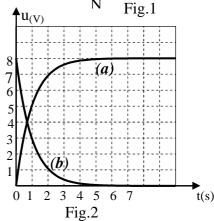


#### I-Exploiting a waveform

Using an oscilloscope, we display the variations of the voltage  $u_R = u_{PA}$  across the resistor and that of  $u_C = u_{AB}$  across the capacitor.

We obtain the waveforms of figure 2.

- 1) The curve (b) represents the variation of  $u_R$  as a function of time. Why?
- 2) Determine, using the waveforms:
  - a) the value of E;
  - **b**) the maximum value I of i;
  - *c*) the time constant  $\tau$  of the RC circuit.
- 3) Give the time at the end of which the capacitor will be practically completely charged.



### II- Theoretical study of charging

- 1) Show that the differential equation in  $u_C$  may be written as:  $E = RC \frac{du_C}{dt} + u_C$
- 2) The solution of this equation has the form  $u_C = A e^{\frac{\tau}{\tau}} + B$  where A, B and  $\tau$  are constants.
  - a) Determine, starting from the differential equation, the expression of B in terms of E and that of  $\tau$  in terms of R and C.
  - b) Using the initial condition, determine the expression of A in terms E.
- 3) Show that:  $i = \frac{E}{R} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}$ .

# III- Energetic study of charging

- 1) Calculate the value of the electric energy W<sub>C</sub> stored in the capacitor at the end of the charging process.
- 2) The instantaneous electric power delivered by the generator at the instant t is  $p = \frac{dW}{dt} = Ei$  where W

is the electric energy delivered by the generator between the instants  $t_0\,$  and  $\,t.\,$ 

- a) Show that the value of the electric energy delivered by the generator during the whole duration of charging is 0.32 J.
- b) Deduce the energy dissipated due to Joule's effect in the resistor.

# **Third exercise** (6 ½ pts) Ionization energy

Given:  $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{J}$ ; Planck's constant  $h = 6.62 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J.s}$ ; speed of light in vacuum  $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$ . The object of this exercise is to compare the ionization energy of the hydrogen atom with that of the helium ion  $\text{He}^+$  and that of the lithium ion  $\text{Li}^{2+}$  each having only one electron in the outermost shell.

The quantized energy levels of each is given by the expression  $E_n = -\frac{E_0}{n^2}$  where  $E_0$  is the ionization energy and n is a non-zero positive whole number.

# I-Interpretation of the existence of spectral lines

- 1) Due to what is the presence of emission spectral lines of an atom or an ion?
- 2) Explain briefly the term "quantized energy levels".
- 3) Is a transition from an energy level m to another energy level p (p < m) a result of an absorption or an emission of a photon? Why?

#### II- Atomic spectrum of hydrogen

For the hydrogen atom  $E_0 = 13.6 \text{ eV}$ .

- 1) A hydrogen atom, found in its ground state, interacts with a photon of energy 14 eV.
  - *a*) Why?
  - b) A particle is thus liberated. Give the name of this particle and calculate its kinetic energy.
- 2) a) Show that the expression of the wavelengths  $\lambda$  of the radiations emitted by the hydrogen atom is:

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_1(\frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{1}{m^2})$$
 where m and p are two positive whole numbers so that m > p and R<sub>1</sub> is a

positive constant to be determined in terms of  $\,E_{o},\,h$  and c. .

**b**) Verify that  $R_1 = 1.096 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ .

#### III- Atomic spectrum of the helium ion He<sup>+</sup>

The spectrum of the ion He<sup>+</sup> is formed, in addition to others, of two lines whose corresponding reciprocal wavelengths  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  are:  $3.292 \times 10^7$  m<sup>-1</sup>;  $3.901 \times 10^7$  m<sup>-1</sup> respectively. These lines correspond, respectively, to the transitions: (m = 2  $\rightarrow$  p = 1) and (m = 3  $\rightarrow$  p = 1).

- 1)a) Show that the values of  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  satisfy the relation  $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_2(\frac{1}{p^2} \frac{1}{m^2})$  where  $R_2$  is a positive constant.
  - **b**) Deduce that  $R_2 = 4.389 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ .
- 2) Find a relation between  $R_2$  and  $R_1$ .

### IV-Atomic spectrum of the lithium ion Li<sup>2+</sup>

Also, the ion  $\text{Li}^{2+}$  may emit radiations whose wavelengths  $\lambda$  are given by :  $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_3(\frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{1}{m^2})$ 

where m and p are two positive whole numbers so that m > p and  $R_3 = 9.860 \times 10^7 \,\text{m}^{-1}$ .

Find a relation between  $R_3$  and  $R_1$ .

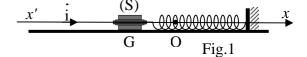
#### V-Charge number and ionization energy

The charge numbers Z of the elements hydrogen, helium and lithium are respectively 1, 2 and 3.

Compare the ionization energy of the hydrogen atom with that of He<sup>+</sup>ion and that of Li<sup>2+</sup> ion. Conclude.

# Fourth exercise (7 pts) An analogy

The object of this exercise is to show evidence of the analogy between a mechanical oscillator and an electric oscillator in the case of free oscillations.



#### A- Mechanical oscillator

A horizontal mechanical oscillator is formed of a solid (S) of mass m=0.546~kg and a spring of un-jointed turns of stiffness k=5.70~N/m and of negligible mass .

The center of mass G of (S) is initially at the equilibrium position O on the axis x'x.

(S), shifted from O by a certain distance, is then released without initial velocity at the instant  $t_0 = 0$ .

G thus performs a rectilinear motion along the axis x'x (fig.1). At the instant t, its abscissa is  $\vec{x}$  ( $\overrightarrow{OG} = \vec{x}$  i)

and its velocity is 
$$\vec{V}$$
 ( $\vec{V} = V\vec{i} = \frac{dx}{dt}\vec{i}$ ).

The horizontal plane through the axis x'x is taken as a gravitational potential energy reference.

#### I – General study

1) Write down the expression of the mechanical energy M.E of the system [oscillator, Earth] in terms of m, k, x and V.

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2) Determine the expression giving  $\frac{d(M.E)}{dt}$ , the derivative of M.E with respect to time.

#### II- Free non-damped oscillations

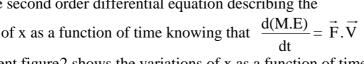
We neglect all friction.

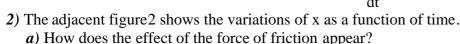
- 1) Derive the second order differential equation that governs the variations of x as a function of time.
- 2) Deduce the expression of the proper frequency  $f_0$  of the oscillator and show that its value is 0.51 Hz.

#### **III- Free damped oscillations**

In reality, the force  $\vec{F}$  of friction is not negligible and its expression is given by:  $\vec{F}$  = -  $\lambda$   $\vec{V}$  at an instant t,  $\lambda$  being a positive constant.

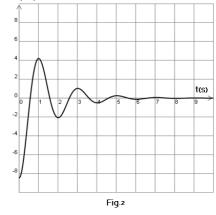
1) Derive the second order differential equation describing the variations of x as a function of time knowing that  $\frac{d(M.E)}{f} = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{V}$ 





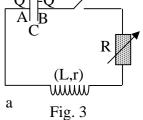
- b) Determine the pseudo-frequency f of the mechanical oscillations
- c) Calculate the value of  $\lambda$ , knowing that f is given by the expression:

$$f^2 = (f_0)^2 - \frac{1}{4\pi^2} (\frac{\lambda}{2m})^2$$
.



#### **B-Electric oscillator**

This oscillator is a series circuit formed of a coil of inductance L= 43 mH and of resistance r =11  $\Omega$ , a resistor of adjustable resistance R, a switch K and a capacitor of capacitance  $C = 4.7 \mu F$  initially charged with a charge Q (Fig.3).



We close the switch K at the instant  $t_0 = 0$ . The circuit is thus the seat of electric oscillations. At the instant t, the armature A carries a charge q and the circuit carries a current i (Fig.4).

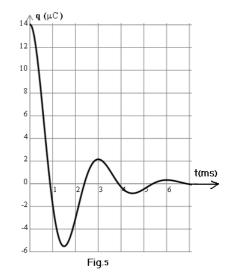
- 1) Write down the expression of the electromagnetic energy E of the circuit at the instant t (total energy of the circuit) as a function of L, i, q and C.
- 2) Knowing that  $\frac{dE}{dt} = -(R+r)i^2$ , derive the second order differential equation of the variations of q as a function of time.
- 3) Give the expression of the proper frequency  $f_0'$  of the electric oscillations and show that its value is 354.2 Hz.
- 4) The figure 5 gives the variations of q as a function of time.
  - a) Due to what is the decrease with time in the amplitude of oscillations?
  - b) Determine the pseudo-frequency f' of the electric oscillations.

# (L,r)

Fig. 4

# C-An analogy

- 1) Match each of the physical mechanical quantities x, V, m,  $\lambda$ and k with its corresponding convenient electric quantity.
- 2) a) Deduce the relation between  $f', f'_0$ , L and (R + r).
  - **b)** Calculate the value of R.



#### **Solution**

First exercise (7 ½ pts)

I- 1) 
$$a = OG = \frac{m^{\frac{L}{2} - m^{\frac{L}{4}}}}{2m} = \frac{L}{s}$$
. (1/2 pt)

**2) a- i)** 
$$PE_g = M_t gh_G = 2mg (a -acos\theta) = 2mga(1-cos\theta)$$
. (1/2pt)

ii) The mechanical energy is conserved because friction is neglected 
$$\Rightarrow$$
 ME<sub>i</sub> = ME<sub>f</sub>  $\Rightarrow$  ME = KE<sub>0</sub> + PE<sub>g0</sub> = KE<sub>0</sub> + 0 (For  $\theta$  = 0).(1/2pt)

iii) 
$$ME_i = ME_f \implies 1.95 \times 10^{-4} = 2 \text{mg.a} (1 - \cos \theta_m) \implies \theta_m = 8^0$$
 (1/2pt)

**b-i**) 
$$\Delta ME = 2mga(1 - \cos \theta_{1m}) - KE_0$$
 (1/2pt)

ii) W = 
$$\Delta$$
ME = 2 × 0.01 ×10 × 0.1( 1- 0.99255) – 1.95 ×10<sup>-4</sup>  
=1.49 ×10<sup>-4</sup>- 1.95 ×10<sup>-4</sup> = -4.6 ×10<sup>-5</sup> J. (1/2 pt)

II- 1) 
$$I = 2m \frac{L^2}{4} = 32 \times 10^4 \text{ kg.m}^2$$
. (1/2 pt)

**2)** 
$$\sigma_0 = I \theta_0' = I \times 2\pi N_0 = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg.m}^2 / \text{s.}$$
 (3/4pt)

- 3) a) The forces applied on (S) are: weight 2 mg the reaction  $\overline{R}$  of axis ( $\Delta$ ) and the couple of friction. (1/2pt)
  - **b)**  $\Sigma \mathcal{M} / \Delta = \mathcal{M} (\vec{R}) / \Delta + M(2 m_g^2) / \Delta + \mathcal{M} \text{ (couple ) } / \Delta;$  or  $\mathcal{M} (\vec{R}) = \mathcal{M} \text{ (weight)} = 0 \text{ (because the 2 forces passes through the axis ) ;}$   $\Rightarrow \Sigma \mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M} (1/2pt)$

c) 
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = \sum \mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M} \implies \sigma = \mathcal{M} t + \sigma_0$$
. (1 pt)

4) 
$$\theta' = 0 \Rightarrow \sigma = 0 = M t' + \sigma_0 \Rightarrow M = -\frac{\sigma_0}{t'} = -3.78 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m.N. (3/4 pt)}$$

III- 
$$\mathcal{M} \theta = -3.78 \times 10^{-4} \times \frac{7 \times \pi}{180} = -4.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ J} \text{ and W} = -4.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ J}$$
  
 $\Rightarrow W = \mathcal{M} \theta \quad (\theta \text{ in rad}).$  (1/2pt)

#### Second exercise (6 ½ pts)

- I- 1) The current i decreases with time, [at the end of charging i = 0]  $\Rightarrow$  the voltage  $u_R = Ri$  is represented by the curve (b). (1/2 pt)
  - 2) a) Explantion : at the end of charging  $u_C = E$ ; E = 8 V. (1/2 pt)

**b)** RI = 8 
$$\Rightarrow$$
 I =  $\frac{8}{200}$  = 0.04 A. (1/2 pt)

c) Method (1/2 pt) 
$$\tau = 1s$$
. (1/4 pt)

3)  $5 \tau = 5 s$  (1/4 pt)

II- 1) 
$$u_R = Ri = R \frac{dq}{dt} = RC \frac{du C}{dt}$$
; thus  $E = u_R + u_C = RC \frac{du C}{dt} + u_C$  (1/2 pt)

**2) a)** 
$$u_C = A_e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + B \implies (-\frac{RCA}{\tau})_e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + A_e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + B = E \implies B = E \text{ and } \tau = RC \text{ (1 pt)}$$

**b)** For 
$$t = 0$$
  $u_C = 0 = A + B \Rightarrow A = -B = -E$ . (1/2 pt)

3) 
$$u_C = E(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}})$$
 thus  $i = c \frac{du_C}{dt} = C \frac{E}{RC} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} = \frac{E}{R} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$ . (1/2 pt)

III- 1) 
$$W_C = \frac{1}{2}C E^2 = 0.16 J (1/2 pt)$$

2) a) 
$$\frac{dW}{dt} = Ei \Rightarrow W = \text{primitive of } Ei = \text{primitive of } E \xrightarrow{E} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \Rightarrow$$

$$W = -CE^{2} e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}} + cte.$$

For t = 0, the electric energy delivered by the generator is zero  $\Rightarrow$ 

 $cte = CE^2 \Rightarrow$  the expression of the dissipated energy as a function of time is :

$$W = CE^2(1 - e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}).$$

For 
$$t = 5RC$$
 (as  $t \to \infty$ ),  $1 - e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}} \to 1$  and  $W = CE^2 = 0.32 \text{ J}$  (3/4 pt)

**b)** 
$$W_R = W_e - W_C = CE^2 - \frac{1}{2} CE^2 = \frac{1}{2} CE^2 = 0.16 J$$
 (1/4 pt)

#### Third exercise (6 ½ pts)

Ι-

- 1) The presence of the lines in this emission spectrum is due to photon, the wavelength is a well determined value that the atom emits it when it undergoes a down ward transition from a higher energy level to a lower energy level. (1/2 pt)
- 2) The atom absorbed a well determined value. (1/2 pt)
- 3)  $E_P < E_m \Rightarrow$  the atom loses energy by emitting one photon. (1/2 pt)

II - 1) a) The energy of the photon (14 eV) greater than the ionization energy (13.6 eV) (1/4pt)

**b**) Electron; 
$$KE = 14 - 13.6 = 0.4 \text{ eV}$$
.

2) a) When an atom of the hydrogenoied pass from a level m to a lower level p, it emits a photon of energy  $h\nu=\frac{hc}{\lambda}=E_m-E_p=-\frac{E_0}{m^2}+\frac{E_0}{p^2}$   $\Longrightarrow$ 

(1/2 pt)

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{E_0}{hc} \left( \frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{1}{m^2} \right) \text{ it has the form of } \frac{1}{\lambda} = R_1 \left( \frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{1}{m^2} \right) \text{ with } R_1 = \frac{E_0}{hc} \text{ (1 1/4 pt)}$$

**b)** 
$$R_1 = \frac{E_0}{hc} = \frac{13.6 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{6.62 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8} = 1.096 \times 10^7 \,\mathrm{m}^{-1}$$
. (1/2 pt)

III - 1) a) We get: 
$$R_2 = \frac{1}{\lambda(\frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{1}{m^2})}$$

For 
$$p = 1$$
 and  $m = 2$  gives  $\frac{3.292 \times 10^7}{(\frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{2^2})} = 4.389 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ 

For 
$$p = 1$$
 and  $m = 3$  gives  $\frac{3.901 \times 10^7}{(\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{3^2})} = 4.389 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ 

The value of  $\frac{1}{\lambda(\frac{1}{p^2}-\frac{1}{m^2})}$  is the same for the two transitions. (1pt)

**b)** The calculation gives  $R_2 = 4.389 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ . (1/4 pt)

2) 
$$\frac{R_2}{R_1}$$
=4 (1/4 pt)

IV - 
$$\frac{R_3}{R_1}$$
=9. (1/4 pt)

**V** - As Z increases, R increases because  $R = \frac{E_0}{hc} \Rightarrow$  the ionization energy  $E_0$  increases as Z increases. (3/4pt)

#### **Fourth exercise** (7pts)

**A- I- 1**) ME = 
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 mV<sup>2</sup> +  $\frac{1}{2}$  kx<sup>2</sup> (1/4 pt)

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$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 mV<sup>2</sup> +  $\frac{1}{2}$  kx<sup>2</sup> (1/4 pt)  
2)  $\frac{dME}{dt}$  = mx'x" + kxx' (1/4 pt)

II-1) in this case 
$$\frac{dME}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow x'' + \frac{k}{m}x = 0$$
 (1/4 pt)

2) The proper angular frequency of oscillations is  $\omega_0=\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$   $\Longrightarrow$  the proper frequency is

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$
. (1/2 pt)

$$f_0 = 0.51 \text{ Hz.}$$
 (1/4 pt)

$$\begin{aligned} f_0 &= 0.51 \text{ Hz.} \qquad \textbf{(1/4 pt)} \\ \textbf{III- 1)} \ \ \frac{\text{dME}}{\text{dt}} &= \ \vec{\textbf{f}} \cdot \vec{\textbf{v}} \Longrightarrow mx'x'' + kxx' = - \ \lambda \, x' \, x' \Longrightarrow x'' + \frac{\lambda}{m} x' + \frac{k}{m} x = 0. \ \textbf{(1/2 pt)} \end{aligned}$$

2) a) The effect of the force of friction is to decrease the amplitude (1/4 pt)

**b)** The pseudo-period is 
$$T = 2$$
 s  $\Rightarrow$  f = 0.5 Hz. (1/2 pt)

c) 
$$\lambda = 0.685 \text{ kg/s.}$$
 (1/2 pt)

**B-** 1) 
$$E = \frac{1}{2} Li^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{q^2}{C}$$
. (1/4 pt)

2) 
$$\frac{dE}{dt} = -(R+r)i^2 = > Lii' + \frac{1}{C}qq'$$
; with  $i = -q'$  and  $i' = -q''$ 

$$\Rightarrow Lq'q'' + \frac{1}{C}qq' = -(R+r)(q')^2 \Rightarrow q'' + \frac{(R+r)}{L}q' + \frac{1}{LC}q = 0.$$
 (1/2 pt)

3) 
$$\mathbf{f'}_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$$
.  $\mathbf{f'}_0 = 354.2 \text{ Hz.}$  (1/2 pt)

4) a) the energy lost in the circuit is due to Joule's effect. (1/4 pt)

**b)** 
$$T = 3 \text{ ms} \Rightarrow f' = 333.3 \text{ Hz.}$$
 (1/2 pt)

**C** –

$$\lambda -----> (R+r)$$
 (1/4 pt)  
 $k ----> \frac{1}{C}$  (1/4 pt)

2) a) 
$$f'^2 = (f'_0)^2 - \frac{1}{4\pi^2} (\frac{R+r}{2L})^2$$
 (1/4 pt)  
b)  $R = 54 \Omega$ . (1/4 pt)