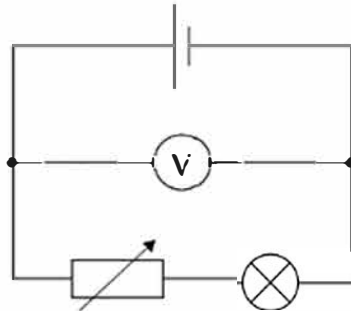


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Figure 9 shows a practical circuit in which a variable resistor is used to control the brightness of a lamp. The voltmeter reading is monitored as the variable resistor is adjusted to make the lamp brighter.

Figure 9



0 7 . 1

Explain why the reading on the voltmeter decreases as the brightness of the lamp increases.

[2 marks]

0 7 . 2

The variable resistor is adjusted so that the lamp is at its brightest. The reading V_1 on the voltmeter is noted. A second identical cell is then connected in parallel with the cell in Figure 9. The new reading V_2 on the voltmeter is noted.

Explain why V_2 is greater than V_1 .

[2 marks]

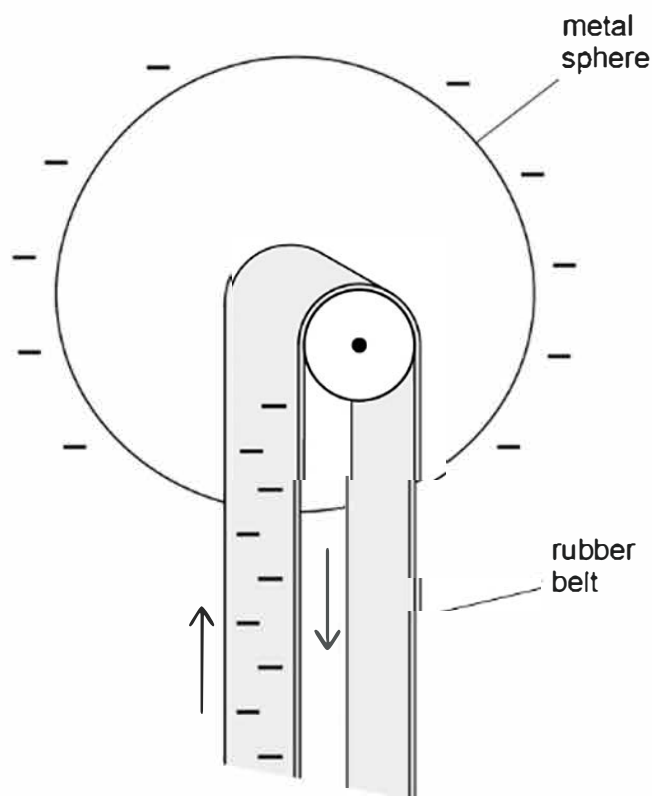
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2 1

A rubber belt in an electrostatic machine has a width of 0.1 m and moves with speed 0.4 m s^{-1} . Each square metre of the belt carries a charge Q coulomb. The charge is removed and transferred to a metal sphere.



What is the charge collected by the sphere each second?

[1 mark]

- A $0.016Q$
- B $0.04Q$
- C $0.25Q$
- D $4Q$



2 2

Charged plates **X** and **Y** have a potential difference 1.5 V between them.



Which particle gains 3.0 eV of kinetic energy when moving from **Y** to **X**?

[1 mark]

A proton

B positron

C electron

D alpha particle

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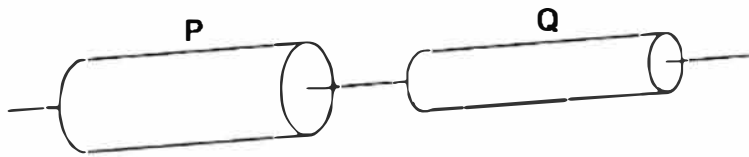
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2 5

Two cylindrical wires **P** and **Q** are of equal length and made of the same material. The diameter of **P** is greater than that of **Q**.

P and **Q** are connected in series and the ends of this arrangement are connected to a power supply.



Which two quantities are the same for **P** and **Q**?

[1 mark]

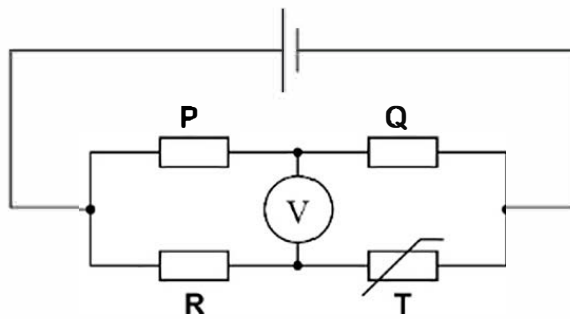
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2 6 In the circuit below, the initial voltmeter reading is zero.



The temperature of the negative temperature coefficient thermistor **T** is then increased.

Which change to the circuit could restore the voltmeter reading to zero?

[1 mark]

- A Decreasing the resistance of **R**.
- B Increasing the resistance of **R**.
- C Decreasing the resistance of **P**.
- D Increasing the resistance of **Q**.

2 7 An electric motor lifts a load of weight W through a vertical height h in time t . The potential difference across the motor is V and the current through it is I .

What is the efficiency of the motor?

[1 mark]

- A $\frac{Wh}{VI}$
- B $\frac{VI}{Wh}$
- C $\frac{Wh}{VI}$
- D $\frac{VI}{Wh}$

