

Exercise 1

a) $v = \lambda f = 0.5 \text{ m} \cdot 2 \text{ Hz} = 1 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$

b) $y(x, t) = A \sin(kx - \omega t)$

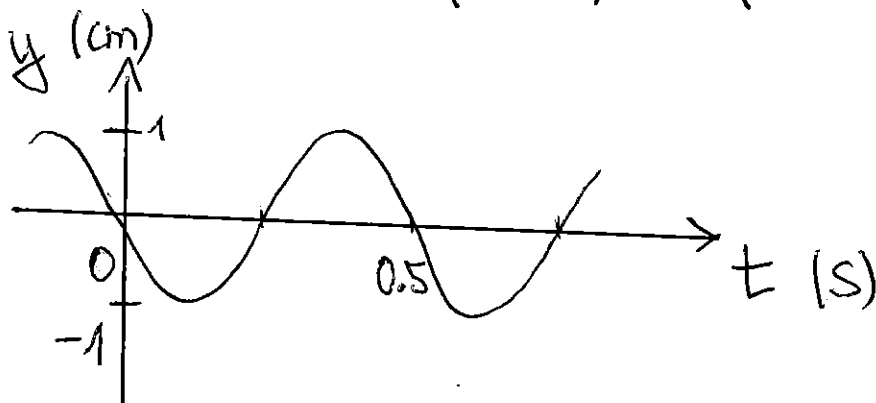
with $A = 1 \text{ cm}$

$$k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{2\pi}{0.5 \text{ m}} = 4\pi \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\omega = 2\pi f = 4\pi \text{ Hz}$$

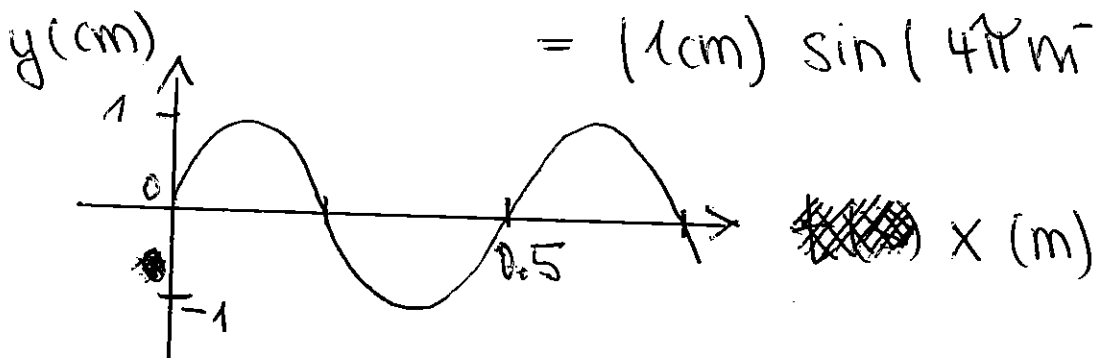
c) $x = 1 \text{ m} \Rightarrow kx = 4\pi$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y(1 \text{ m}, t) &= (1 \text{ cm}) \sin(4\pi - 4\pi \text{ Hz} \cdot t) \\ &= (1 \text{ cm}) \sin(-4\pi \text{ Hz} \cdot t) \end{aligned}$$



d) $t = 2.5 \text{ s} \Rightarrow \omega t = 10\pi$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y(x, 2.5 \text{ s}) &= (1 \text{ cm}) \sin(4\pi \text{ m}^{-1} x - 10\pi) \\ &= (1 \text{ cm}) \sin(4\pi \text{ m}^{-1} x) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 e) \quad p &= \frac{1}{2} \mu A^2 \omega^2 v \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} 0.01 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}} (0.01 \text{m})^2 (4\pi \text{Hz})^2 1 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \\
 &= 8\pi^2 \cdot 10^{-6} \frac{\text{kg m}^2}{\text{s}^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

f) fundamental mode frequency

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{2L} \sqrt{\frac{F}{\mu}} = \frac{1}{1\text{m}} \sqrt{\frac{9\text{N}}{0.01 \text{kg/m}}} = 30 \text{Hz}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_1 = 2f_0 = 60 \text{Hz}$$

$$f_2 = 3f_0 = 90 \text{Hz}$$

Exercise 2

a) frequency observed by runner

$$f = \frac{v_s + v}{v_s} f_0 \implies v = \frac{f}{f_0} v_s - v_s$$
$$= \frac{346 \text{ Hz}}{340 \text{ Hz}} 340 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 340 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$
$$= 6 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

b) power is distributed on spheres $\implies I \propto \frac{1}{d^2}$

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distance

$$\frac{I(3\text{s})}{I(0\text{s})} = \frac{\frac{1}{d_{3s}^2}}{\frac{1}{d_{0s}^2}} = \left(\frac{d_{0s}}{d_{3s}} \right)^2 = 100 \stackrel{+20\text{dB}}{=} 100$$

↖ 20m
↙ (20 - 3·6)m = 2m

c) we examine path length difference Δ with

$$\Delta = \text{dist}(\text{speaker B, observer})$$
$$- \text{dist}(\text{speaker A, observer})$$

at $d=0$: $\Delta = 4\text{m} \implies$ constructive interference

$$\text{at } d=20\text{m}: \Delta = \sqrt{(20\text{m})^2 + (4\text{m})^2} - 20\text{m}$$
$$= \sqrt{416} \text{ m} - 20\text{m} < 1\text{m}$$

$\implies$ constructive interference occurs at
 $\Delta = (4, 3, 2, 1) \text{ m}$

$\implies$ 4 maxima

Exercise 3

a) step 1: water from 10°C to 0°C

energy that needs to be removed:

$$Q_1 = c_{\text{water}} \cdot m \cdot \Delta T = 4.2 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{kg K}} \cdot 1 \text{ kg} \cdot 10 \text{ K} = 42 \text{ kJ}$$

step 2: freezing

$$Q_2 = H \cdot m = 330 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{kg}} \cdot 1 \text{ kg} = 330 \text{ kJ}$$

step 3: ice from 0°C to -10°C

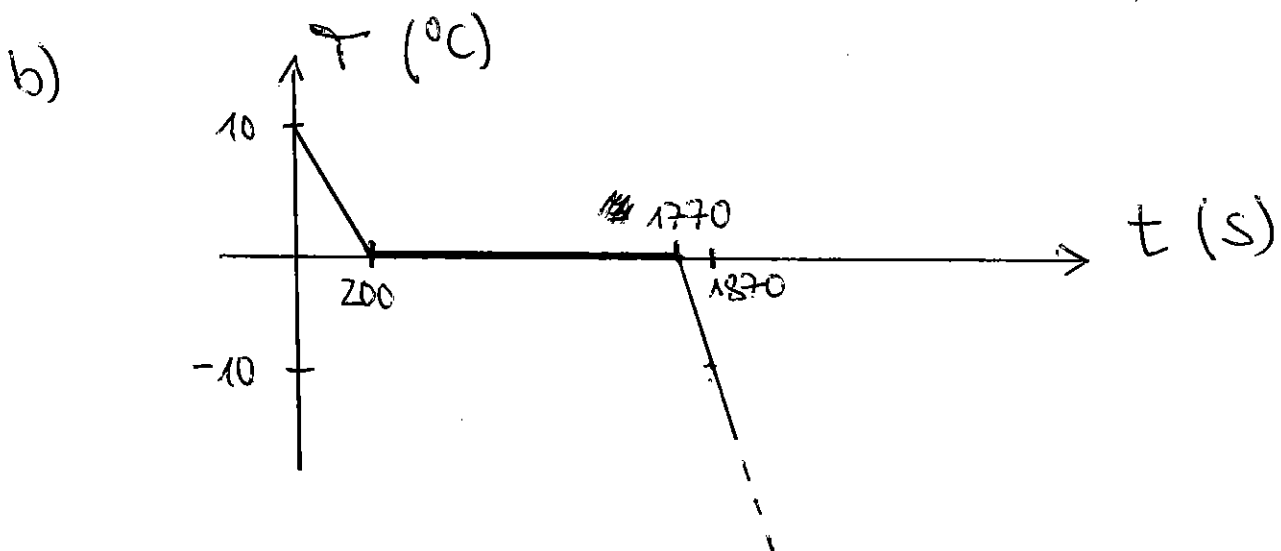
$$Q_3 = c_{\text{ice}} \cdot m \cdot \Delta T = 2.1 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{kg K}} \cdot 1 \text{ kg} \cdot 10 \text{ K} = 21 \text{ kJ}$$

refridgerator removes heat with power:

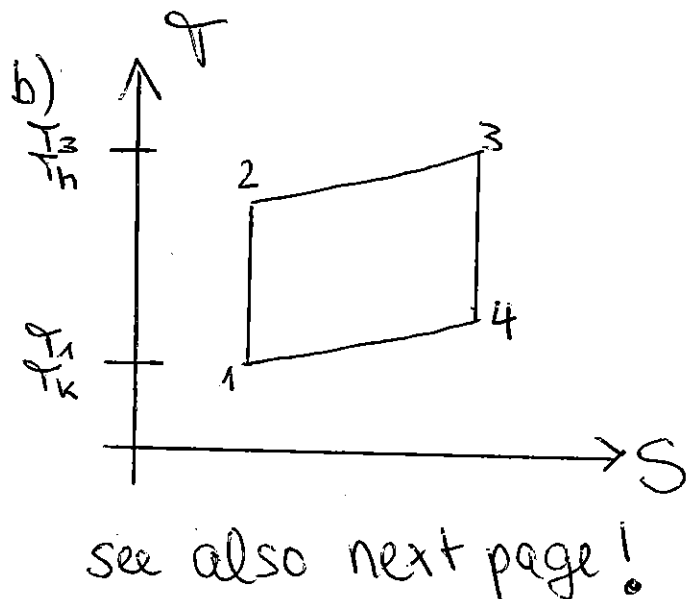
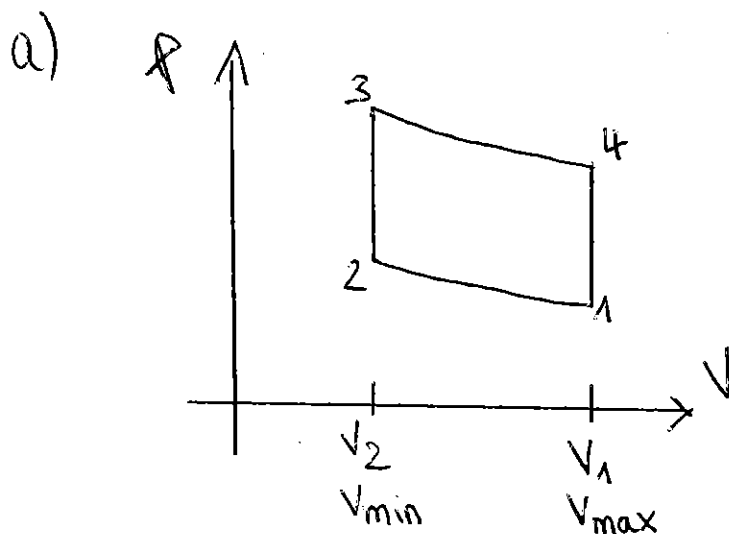
$$p_{\text{cool}} = 4.2 \cdot 50 \text{ W} = 210 \text{ W}$$

time to reach $T = -10^{\circ}\text{C}$:

$$t = \frac{Q_1 + Q_2 + Q_3}{p_{\text{cool}}} = \frac{393 \text{ kJ}}{0.21 \text{ kW}} \approx 1870 \text{ s}$$



Exercise 4



c) * no work done during isochoric steps ($dV=0$)
 $\Rightarrow W_{2 \rightarrow 3} = W_{4 \rightarrow 1} = 0$

* no heat transfer during adiabatic steps

$$\Rightarrow W_{1 \rightarrow 2} \stackrel{\text{1st law}}{=} U_2 - U_1 = \frac{3}{2} nR (T_2 - T_1)$$

$$W_{3 \rightarrow 4} = U_4 - U_3 = \frac{3}{2} nR (T_4 - T_3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma W = \frac{3}{2} nR (T_2 - T_1 + T_4 - T_3)$$

d) heat is taken from hot reservoir in step $2 \rightarrow 3$

$$\Rightarrow Q_h \stackrel{\text{1st law}}{=} U_3 - U_2 = \frac{3}{2} nR (T_3 - T_2)$$

$$e) \eta = \frac{-\Sigma W}{Q_h} = \frac{-T_2 + T_1 - T_4 + T_3}{T_3 - T_2} = 1 - \frac{T_4 - T_1}{T_3 - T_2} = 1 - \frac{T_1}{T_2} \frac{\frac{T_4}{T_1} - 1}{\frac{T_3}{T_2} - 1}$$

$$\left| \frac{T_4}{T_1} \stackrel{\text{ideal gas}}{=} \frac{p_4 V_4}{p_1 V_1} \stackrel{V_1=V_4}{=} \frac{p_4 V_4}{p_1 V_1} \stackrel{\text{adiabaticity}}{=} \frac{p_3 V_3}{p_2 V_2} \stackrel{V_2=V_3}{=} \frac{p_3 V_3}{p_2 V_2} = \frac{T_3}{T_2} \right|$$

with $\gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_v}$

$$\Rightarrow \eta = 1 - \frac{T_1}{T_2} \underbrace{\frac{T_4/T_1 - 1}{T_3/T_2 - 1}}_1 = 1 - \frac{T_1}{T_2} \overset{\text{adiabaticity}}{=} 1 - \frac{1}{\left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^{\gamma-1}}$$

equations for adiabatic processes :

$$pV^\gamma = \text{const}$$

$$TV^{\gamma-1} = \text{const}$$

b) entropy per cycle :

it is not clearly specified, if the entropy of the machine or the entropy of the universe is meant here

We therefore regard this question as a bonus question, which gives 1 additional point (the maximum number of point however stays at 16 for the full exercise)

correct answers are :

- * $\Delta S = 0$ for engine (cycle process, S is state variable) ← intended answer
- * $\Delta S > 0$ for universe (due to isochoric steps)

entropy change of ~~process~~ ^{reservoirs}:

$$\Delta S_{\text{cycle}} = \Delta S_{1 \rightarrow 2} + \Delta S_{2 \rightarrow 3} + \Delta S_{3 \rightarrow 4} + \Delta S_{4 \rightarrow 1}$$

$$\Delta S_{1 \rightarrow 2} = \Delta S_{3 \rightarrow 4} = 0 \quad (\text{adiabatic})$$

$$\Delta S_{2 \rightarrow 3} = - \frac{C_v (T_3 - T_2)}{T_3}$$

$$\Delta S_{4 \rightarrow 1} = - \frac{C_v (T_1 - T_4)}{T_1}$$

Exercise 5

a) duration in reference frame of observer on earth

$$t = \frac{s}{v} = \frac{16.7 \text{ ly}}{0.954 c} = \frac{16.7 c \cdot y}{0.954 c} \cong 17.5 \text{ y}$$

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year

b) distance to star in ref. frame of obs. in spaceship

$$\begin{aligned} s' &= \frac{s}{\gamma} = s \sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2} \\ &= 16.7 \text{ ly} \sqrt{1 - (\sqrt{0.91})^2} \\ &= 16.7 \text{ ly} \cdot 0.3 \\ &\cong 5.0 \text{ ly} \end{aligned}$$

c) duration in ref. frame of obs. in spaceship

$$t' = \frac{s'}{v} = \frac{5.0 \text{ ly}}{0.954 c} = 5.25 \text{ y}$$

or via

$$t' = t/\gamma = t \sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2} = 5.25 \text{ y}$$