

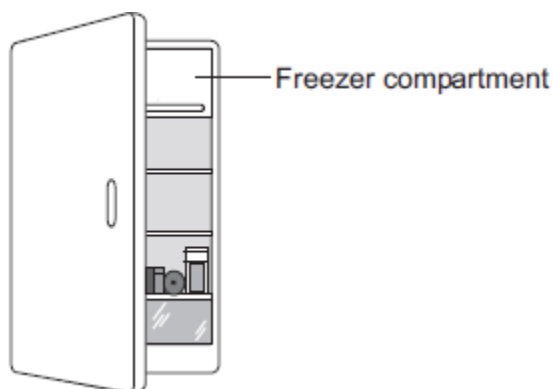
Name of the Student: _____

Max. Marks : 17 Marks

Time : 17 Minutes

Q1.

- (a) The figure below shows a fridge with a freezer compartment.

The temperature of the air inside the freezer compartment is -5°C .

The air inside the fridge forms a convection current when the fridge door is closed.

Explain why.

(4)

- (b) The table below shows information about four fridges.

| Fridge | Volume in litres | Energy used in one year in kWh |
|--------|------------------|--------------------------------|
| A | 250 | 300 |

| | | |
|----------|-----|-----|
| B | 375 | 480 |
| C | 500 | 630 |
| D | 750 | 750 |

A householder concludes that the energy used in one year is directly proportional to the volume of the fridge.

Explain why her conclusion is **not** correct.

Use data from the table in your answer.

(2)

- (c) New fridges are more efficient than fridges made twenty years ago.

Give **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of replacing an old fridge with a new fridge.

Ignore the cost of buying a new fridge.

Advantage _____

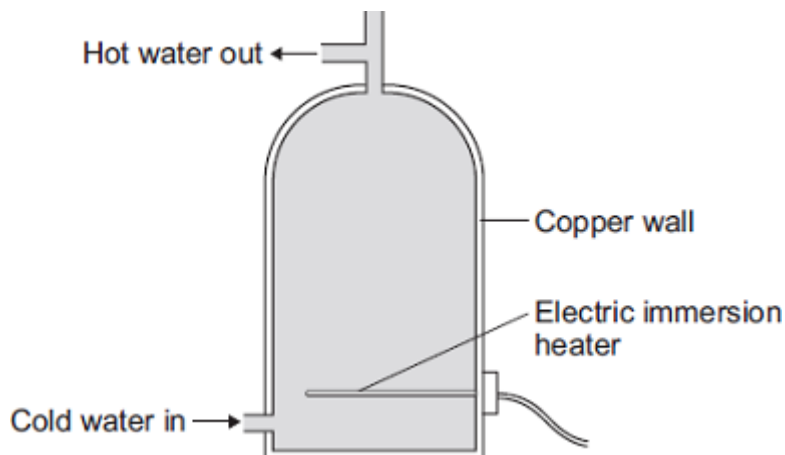
Disadvantage _____

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Q2.

An electric immersion heater is used to heat the water in a domestic hot water tank. When the immersion heater is switched on the water at the bottom of the tank gets hot.



- (a) Complete the following sentence.

The main way the energy is transferred through the copper wall of the water tank is

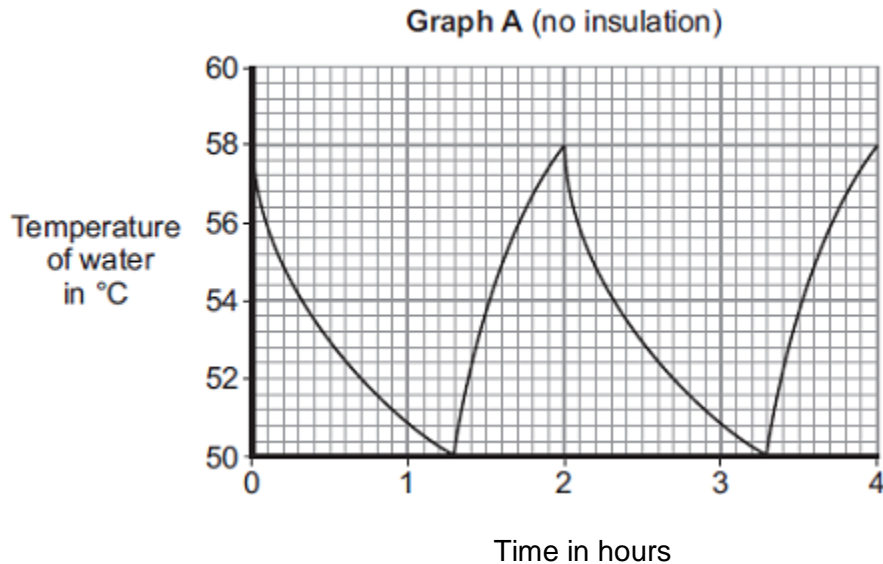
by the process of _____ .

(1)

- (b) The immersion heater has a thermostat to control the water temperature.

When the temperature of the water inside the tank reaches 58°C the thermostat switches the heater off. The thermostat switches the heater back on when the temperature of the water falls to 50°C .

Graph A shows how the temperature of the water inside a hot water tank changes with time. The tank is **not** insulated.



- (i) The temperature of the water falls at the fastest rate just after the heater switches off.

Explain why.

(2)

- (ii) To heat the water in the tank from 50°C to 58°C the immersion heater transfers 4032 kJ of energy to the water.

Calculate the mass of water in the tank.

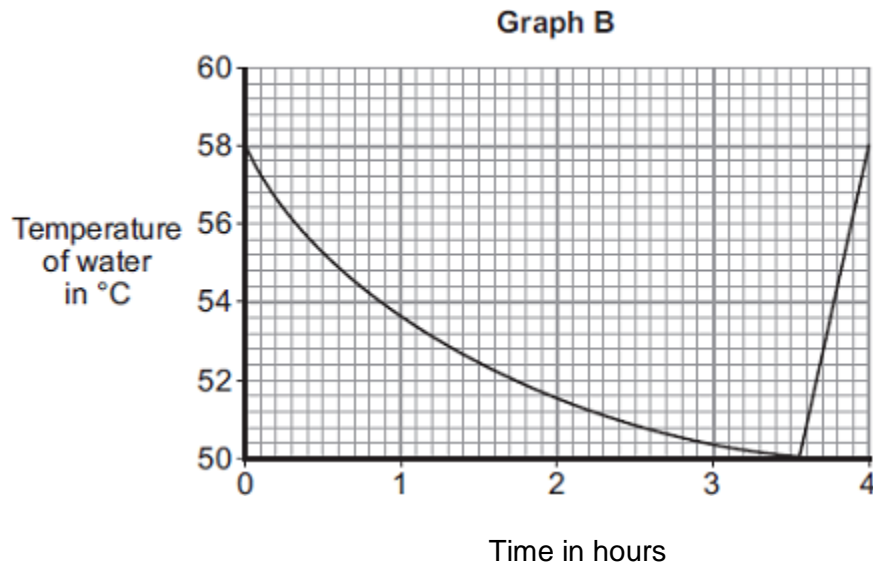
Specific heat capacity of water = $4200 \text{ J/kg}^{\circ}\text{C}$

Mass = _____ kg

(3)

- (iii) An insulating jacket is fitted to the hot water tank.

Graph B shows how the temperature of the water inside the insulated hot water tank changes with time.



An insulating jacket only costs £12.

By comparing **Graph A** with **Graph B**, explain why fitting an insulating jacket to a hot water tank saves money.

(3)

(Total 9 marks)