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### Part 1) Investigate waves

Create a data table identifying a clear relationship between wavelength and frequency. Must include at least four data sets.

Wavelength (cm)	Frequency (Hz)
1378.9	0.067
337.9	0.296
198.5	0.504
106.9	0.936

### Waves Investigation

When the frequency increases then the wavelength decreases.

### Part 2) Answer the following questions and submit.

1) What happens to the speed of the **sound wave** when the wavelengths get shorter?

Nothing-no change

2) What happens to the frequency of the wave when the wavelengths get shorter?

It gets higher

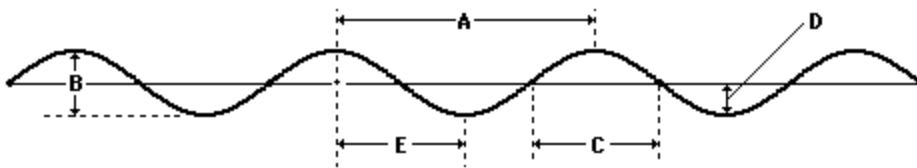
3) What is a wavelength? The distance from crest to crest.--one complete wave cycle or oscillation

4) What is frequency? The number of waves that past a given point in one second

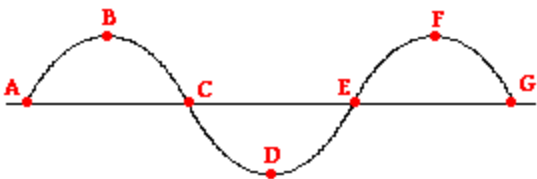
5) What speed does sound travel at? 343m/s What speed does light travel at? $3.8 \times 10^8$ m/s

6) What happens to the energy when the wavelengths get shorter? The energy gets higher

Part 3) Consider the diagram below in order to answer questions #1-2 below.



1. The wavelength of the wave in the diagram above is given by letter   A  .
2. The amplitude of the wave in the diagram above is given by letter   D  .
3. Indicate the interval that represents one full wavelength.



- a. A to C
- b. B to D
- c. A to G
- d. C to G