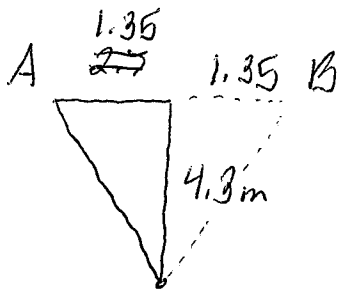


Speakers emit the same frequency, but are  $\pi$  rad out of phase.  
 (Use 343m/s for sound speed)

1) Show that a point on the wall in front of the speakers that is centered between the speakers is a destructive interference point.



$$d_A = \sqrt{(1.35\text{m})^2 + (4.3\text{m})^2}$$

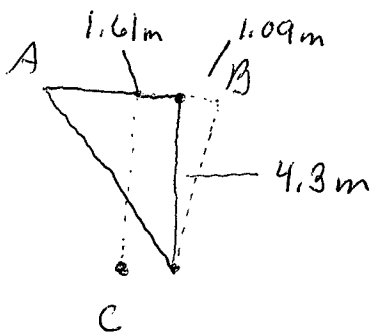
$$d_B = \sqrt{(1.35\text{m})^2 + (4.3\text{m})^2}$$

$$d_A - d_B = 0 \Rightarrow \text{destructive Interference}$$

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2) If a sensor is moved 0.26 m to either side of the central point in part 1, a 1st maximum is obtained. Determine the frequency of the speakers.

$$\text{1st max } \Rightarrow d_A - d_B = \frac{n\lambda}{2} = \frac{\lambda}{2} \quad (n=1)$$



$$d_A = \sqrt{(1.61\text{ m})^2 + (4.3\text{ m})^2} = 4.592\text{ m}$$

$$d_B = \sqrt{(1.09\text{ m})^2 + (4.3\text{ m})^2} = 4.436\text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda &= 2(d_A - d_B) \\ &= 2(4.592\text{ m} - 4.436\text{ m}) \\ &= 0.312\text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

$$v = f\lambda$$

$$f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{343\text{ m/s}}{0.312\text{ m}} = 1.09953\text{ Hz}$$

$$\boxed{1100\text{ Hz}}$$