

**01 Figure 1** shows four stages in converting sound into a digital form.  
Place the stages in the correct order 1-4, where 1 is the first stage and 4 the last.

**[3 marks]**

**Figure 1**

| Stage  | Order (1-4) |
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| binary representation of audio stored          |             |
| microphone picks up sound waves                |             |
| audio sampled and converted to a digital value |             |
| converted to an electronic analogue signal     |             |

**02** A way of representing sound digitally is to take samples of the original sound.

**02.1** A sound engineer records a 4 second sound recording using a sampling rate of 4000 Hz and a sample resolution of 4 bits.

What is the minimum file size of the recording? Your answer should be given in **bytes**.

You should show your working.

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Answer: .....

**02.2** What does a sampling rate of 4000 Hz mean?

**[1 mark]**

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**02.3** Define the term sampling resolution in the context of representing sound digitally.

**[2 marks]**

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