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- 13-1A) A particle will undergo simple harmonic motion if the restoring force acting on the particle is proportional to:
- (a) The square root of the amplitude of motion of the particle.
- (b) The frequency of oscillation of the particle.
- (c) The particle's velocity.
- (d) The particle's displacement from equilibrium.
- (e) The square of the particle's displacement from equilibrium.
- 13-2A) Which one of the following is WRONG?
- (a) A Hooke's law force will give simple harmonic motion.
- (b) The frequency of oscillation is inversely proportional to the period of oscillation.
- (c) For a given mass and Hooke's law spring, the larger the amplitude of oscillation, the larger the maximum speed.
- (d) If you double the amplitude of oscillation of a mass on a Hooke's law spring, you double its maximum kinetic energy.
- (e) The potential energy of a mass on a Hooke's law spring is proportional to the square of its displacement from equilibrium.
- 13-3A) A 5 kg mass is hung on the end of a Hooke's law spring with force constant k = 500 N/m. If the maximum speed of the mass is 5 m/s, what is its maximum displacement?
- (a) 5 m (b) 50 m (c) 0.5 m (d) 0.05 m (e) You don't have enough information to tell.
- 13-4A) The maximum speed of a harmonic oscillator is 6.28 m/s and its period is T = 2 s. What is its maximum amplitude of motion? (a) 12.6 m (b) 0.5 m (c) 2 m (d) 3.14 m (e) You don't have enough information to tell.
- 13-5A) If the mass m at the end of a spring is replaced by a mass 9m, the ratio f_n/f_o of the new to old frequency of oscillation of the vibrating spring should be about:
- (a) 1/9 (b) 1/3 (c) 3 (d) 9 (e) None of these is close.
- 13-6A) An object undergoing simple harmonic motion takes 1 sec to travel from one end point of its motion to the opposite end point. What is the frequency of motion of this object?
- (a) 2 Hz (b) π Hz (c) 2π Hz (d) $2/\pi$ Hz (e) 1/2 Hz
- 13-7A) When a mass m = 36 gm is hung on the end of an unstretched vertical, massless spring, the spring stretches by 0.4 m. If the spring is then compressed by 0.1 m from this latter position, about what should be the amplitude (A) and period (T) of oscillation?
- (a) A = 0.9 m; T = 1.3 s (b) A = 0.9 m; T = 6 s (c) A = 0.1 m; T = 6 s
- (d) A = 0.1 m; T = 1.3 s (e) None of these is correct.
- 13-8A) Which one of the following statements is WRONG?
- (a) The acceleration of a particle undergoing simple harmonic oscillation also varies simple harmonically.
- (b) The total energy of a particle undergoing simple harmonic motion is constant.
- (c) As a particle undergoes simple harmonic motion, its energy oscillates between all potential energy at one limit and all kinetic energy at the other limit.
- (d) If the tension in a string is constant, the speed of a wave on the string should not change when the wavelength doubles.
- (e) If the tension in a string is constant, the frequency of oscillation should double when the wavelength doubles.
- 13-9A) A pendulum of length L undergoes simple harmonic motion at the earth's surface due to the gravitational force mg. Which one of the following is the correct expression for the angular frequency ω of the pendulum?
- (a) $\sqrt{g/L}$ (b) L/g (c) $\sqrt{L/g}$ (d) g/L (e) \sqrt{gL}
- 13-10A) A pendulum of a certain length has a period of 2 s. If you reduce the pendulum's length to 1/4 of its initial value, what is the new period?
- (a) 1 s (b) 2 s (c) 0.5 s (d) 8 s (e) 4 s
- 13-11A The distance between the crest and neighboring trough of a sinusoidal water wave is 3 m. If the frequency of this wave is 2 Hz, what is the speed of the wave?
- (a) 1.5 m/s (b) 12 m/s (c) 6.0 m/s (d) 3 m/s (e) You don't have enough information to tell.
- 13-12A) If you double the tension in a string and simultaneously double its mass per unit length, the ratio of new to old wave speed is:
- (a) 1/2 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) $\frac{1}{4}$ (e) 4

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The location x as a function of time t of a particle undergoing Simple Harmonic Oscillation is given by $x = A\cos(\omega t) = A\cos(2\pi ft)$.

13-13A) If f = 1 Hz, what is the particle's location at t = 0.25 sec?

(a) 0 (b) A (c) A/2 (d) -A (e) 0.87A

13-14A) If $\omega = 1$ rad/sec, what is the particle's location at $t = 2\pi$ sec?

(a) 0 (b) 0.87A (c) A/2 (d) A (e) A

- 13-15A) Which one of the following statements is WRONG?
- (a) If a pendulum clock is running slow, you could speed it up by shortening the length of its pendulum a bit
- (b) If a pendulum clock is running slow, you could speed it up by shaving a bit of material off of the mass at its end.
- (c) You could increase the wave speed in a rubberized string by pulling harder on the string to increase its tension.
- (d) You could increase the wave speed in a rubberized string by decreasing the mass per unit length of the string.
- (e) A pulse that reflects from a fixed end of a string moves back with displacement opposite to that it had coming in.

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- 13-1B) A particle will undergo simple harmonic motion if the potential energy of the particle is proportional to:
- (a) The square of the amplitude of motion of the particle.
- (b) The frequency of oscillation of the particle.
- (c) The particle's velocity.
- (d) The particle's displacement from equilibrium.
- (e) The square of the particle's displacement from equilibrium.
- 13-2B) Which one of the following is WRONG?
- (a) A Hooke's law force will give simple harmonic motion.
- (b) The frequency of oscillation is proportional to the period of oscillation.
- (c) For a given mass and Hooke's law spring, the larger the amplitude of oscillation, the larger the maximum speed.
- (d) If you double the amplitude of oscillation of a mass on a Hooke's law spring, you quadruple its maximum kinetic energy.
- (e) The potential energy of a mass on a Hooke's law spring is proportional to the square of its displacement from equilibrium.
- 13-3B) A mass m = 4.0 kg, hanging from a spring with force constant k = 80 N/m is set into vertical motion, starting from rest with initial displacement of 0.1 m. About what should be the speed of the mass as it passes through the equilibrium point?
- (a) zero (b) 0.45 m/s (c) 2.0 m/s (d) 3.4 m/s (e) 4.0 m/s
- 13-4B) A harmonic oscillator has maximum speed of 6.28 m/s and frequency f = 0.5 Hz. What is its maximum amplitude of motion?
- (a) 12.6 m (b) 0.5 m (c) 2 m (d) 3.14 m (e) You don't have enough information to tell.
- 13-5B) If the force constant of a spring is reduced by a factor of four, the ratio T_n/T_0 of the new to old period of oscillation of the vibrating spring should be about:
- (a) 1/4 (b) 1/2 (c) 2 (d) 4 (e) None of these is close.
- 13-6B) An object undergoing simple harmonic motion takes 1 sec to travel from one end point of its motion to the opposite end point. What is the angular frequency of motion of this object?
- (a) π rad/s (b) 2 rad/s (c) 2π rad/s (d) $2/\pi$ rad/s (e) $1/\pi$ rad/s
- 13-7B) When a mass m = 72 gm is hung on the end of an unstretched vertical, massless spring, the spring stretches by 0.2 m. If the spring is then compressed by 0.2 m from this latter position, about what should be the amplitude (A) and period (T) of oscillation?
- (a) A = 0.2 m; T = 0.9 s (b) A = 1.0 m; T = 0.9 s (c) A = 1.0 m; T = 12 s
- (d) A = 0.2 m; T = 12 s (e) None of these is correct.
- 13-8B) Which one of the following statements is WRONG?
- (a) The acceleration of a particle undergoing simple harmonic oscillation also varies simple harmonically.
- (b) The total energy of a particle undergoing simple harmonic motion is not constant.
- (c) As a particle undergoes simple harmonic motion, its energy oscillates between all potential energy at one limit and all kinetic energy at the other limit.
- (d) If the tension in a string is constant, the period of oscillation should double when the wavelength doubles.
- (e) If the tension in a string is constant, the speed of a wave on the string should not change when the wavelength doubles.
- 13-9B) A pendulum of length L undergoes simple harmonic motion at the earth's surface due to the gravitational force mg. Which one of the following is the correct expression for the frequency f of the pendulum?
- (a) $2\pi \sqrt{g/L}$ (b) L/g (c) $\sqrt{L/g}$ (d) g/L (e) $(1/2\pi) \sqrt{g/L}$
- 13-10B) A pendulum of a certain length has a period of 2 s. If you quadruple the pendulum's length, about what is the new period? (a) 1 s (b) 2 s (c) 0.5 s (d) 4 s (e) 8 s
- 13-11B The distance between the crest and neighboring trough of a sinusoidal water wave is 1.5 m. If the speed of the wave is 3 m/s, about what is the frequency of the wave?
- (a) 1.0 Hz (b) 2.0 Hz (c) 4.5 Hz (d) 3.0 Hz (e) You don't have enough information to tell.
- 13-12B) If you double the tension in a string and simultaneously halve its mass per unit length, the ratio of new to old wave speed is:
- (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) $\frac{1}{2}$ (d) $\frac{1}{4}$ (e) 4

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13-13B) If f = 1 Hz, what is the particle's location at t = 1/6 sec?

(a) 0 (b) A (c) A/2 (d) -A (e) 0.87A

13-14B) If $\omega = 1$ rad/sec, what is the particle's location at $t = \pi$ sec?

(a) 0 (b) A (c) A/2 (d) -A (e) 0.87A

- 13-15B) Which one of the following statements is WRONG?
- (a) If a pendulum clock is running slow, you could speed it up by lengthening its pendulum a bit
- (b) If a pendulum clock is running slow, shaving a bit of material off of the mass at its end doesn't change its period.
- (c) You could increase the wave speed in a rubberized string by pulling harder on the string to increase its tension.
- (d) You could increase the wave speed in a rubberized string by decreasing the mass per unit length of the string.
- (e) A pulse that reflects from a fixed end of a string moves back with displacement opposite to that it had coming in.

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