

Vibrations and Waves

Vibrations and Waves, Practice A

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1. $x = -36 \text{ cm}$
 $m = 0.55 \text{ kg}$
 $g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

Solutions

a. $F_g + F_{\text{elastic}} = 0$
 $F_g = -mg$
 $F_{\text{elastic}} = -kx$
 $-mg - kx = 0$
 $k = \frac{-mg}{x} = \frac{-(0.55 \text{ kg})(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)}{-0.36 \text{ m}} = \boxed{15 \text{ N/m}}$

2. $F_g = -45 \text{ N}$
 $x = -0.14 \text{ m}$

$F_g + F_{\text{elastic}} = 0$
 $F_g + (-kx) = 0$
 $k = \frac{F_g}{x} = \frac{-45 \text{ N}}{-0.14 \text{ m}} = \boxed{3.2 \times 10^2 \text{ N/m}}$

3. $F_1 = 32 \text{ N}$
 $x_1 = -1.2 \text{ cm}$

$k = \frac{-F_1}{x_1} = \frac{-32 \text{ N}}{-0.012 \text{ m}} = \boxed{2.7 \times 10^3 \text{ N/m}}$

4. $x_2 = -3.0 \text{ cm}$

$F_2 = -kx_2$
 $F_2 = -(2.7 \times 10^3 \text{ N/m})(-0.030 \text{ m}) = \boxed{81 \text{ N}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Section 1 Review

2. $x = -4.0 \text{ cm}$
 $k = 13 \text{ N/m}$

$F = -kx = -(13 \text{ N/m})(-0.040 \text{ m})$
 $F = \boxed{0.52 \text{ N}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Practice B

1. $T = 24 \text{ s}$
 $a_g = g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}$
 $L = a_g\left(\frac{T}{2\pi}\right)^2 = (9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)\left(\frac{24 \text{ s}}{2\pi}\right)^2 = \boxed{1.4 \times 10^2 \text{ m}}$

2. $T = 1.0 \text{ s}$
 $a_g = g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}$
 $L = a_g\left(\frac{T}{2\pi}\right)^2 = (9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)\left(\frac{1.0 \text{ s}}{2\pi}\right)^2 = 0.25 \text{ m} = \boxed{25 \text{ cm}}$

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3. $T = 3.8 \text{ s}$
 $a_g = g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

Solutions

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}$$

$$L = a_g\left(\frac{T}{2\pi}\right)^2 = (9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)\left(\frac{3.8 \text{ s}}{2\pi}\right)^2 = \boxed{3.6 \text{ m}}$$

4. $L = 3.500 \text{ m}$
 $a_g = 9.832 \text{ m/s}^2$

a. $T_1 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{3.500 \text{ m}}{9.832 \text{ m/s}^2}} = \boxed{3.749 \text{ s}}$
 $f_1 = \frac{1}{T_1} = \frac{1}{3.749 \text{ s}} = \boxed{0.2667 \text{ Hz}}$

$a_g = 9.803 \text{ m/s}^2$

b. $T_2 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{3.500 \text{ m}}{9.803 \text{ m/s}^2}} = \boxed{3.754 \text{ s}}$
 $f_2 = \frac{1}{T_2} = \frac{1}{3.754 \text{ s}} = \boxed{0.2664 \text{ Hz}}$

$a_g = 9.782 \text{ m/s}^2$

c. $T_3 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{3.500 \text{ m}}{9.782 \text{ m/s}^2}} = \boxed{3.758 \text{ s}}$
 $f_3 = \frac{1}{T_3} = \frac{1}{3.758 \text{ s}} = \boxed{0.2661 \text{ Hz}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Practice C

1. $T = 0.24 \text{ s}$
 $m = 0.30 \text{ kg}$

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$$

$$k = \frac{4\pi^2 m}{T^2} = \frac{4\pi^2 (0.30 \text{ kg})}{(0.24 \text{ s})^2} = \boxed{2.1 \times 10^2 \text{ N/m}}$$

2. $m = 25 \text{ g} = 0.025 \text{ kg}$
 $f = \frac{20 \text{ vibrations}}{4.0 \text{ s}} = 5.0 \text{ Hz}$

$$T = \frac{1}{f} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$$

$$k = 4\pi^2 m f^2 = 4\pi^2 (0.025 \text{ kg})(5.0 \text{ Hz})^2 = \boxed{25 \text{ N/m}}$$

3. $F = 125 \text{ N}$
 $g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$
 $T = 3.56 \text{ s}$

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{F}{gk}}$$

$$k = \frac{4\pi^2 F}{g T^2} = \frac{(4\pi^2)(125 \text{ N})}{(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)(3.56 \text{ s})^2}$$

$$k = \boxed{39.7 \text{ N/m}}$$

4. $m_p = 255 \text{ kg}$
 $m_c = 1275 \text{ kg}$
 $k = 2.00 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m}$

$$m = \frac{m_p + m_c}{4} = \frac{255 \text{ kg} + 1275 \text{ kg}}{4} = \frac{1.530 \times 10^3 \text{ kg}}{4} = 382.5 \text{ kg}$$

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{382.5 \text{ kg}}{2.00 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m}}} = \boxed{0.869 \text{ s}}$$

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5. $k = 30.0 \text{ N/m}$

$m_1 = 2.3 \text{ kg}$

$m_2 = 15 \text{ g}$

$m_3 = 1.9 \text{ kg}$

Solutions

a. $T_1 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m_1}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{2.3 \text{ kg}}{30.0 \text{ N/m}}}$

$T_1 = \boxed{1.7 \text{ s}}$

$f_1 = \frac{1}{T_1} = \frac{1}{1.7 \text{ s}} = \boxed{0.59 \text{ Hz}}$

b. $T_2 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m_2}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{0.015 \text{ kg}}{30.0 \text{ N/m}}}$

$T_2 = \boxed{0.14 \text{ s}}$

$f_2 = \frac{1}{T_2} = \frac{1}{0.14 \text{ s}} = \boxed{7.1 \text{ Hz}}$

c. $T_3 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m_3}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{1.9 \text{ kg}}{30.0 \text{ N/m}}}$

$T_3 = \boxed{1.6 \text{ s}}$

$f_3 = \frac{1}{T_3} = \frac{1}{1.6 \text{ s}} = \boxed{0.62 \text{ Hz}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Section 2 Review

1. $f = 180 \text{ oscillations/min}$

$f = (180 \text{ oscillations/min})(1 \text{ min}/60 \text{ s})$

$f = \boxed{3.0 \text{ Hz}}$

$T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{3.0 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.33 \text{ s}}$

2. $L = 2.5 \text{ m}$

$a_g = g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

a. $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{2.5 \text{ m}}{9.81 \text{ m/s}^2}}$

$T = \boxed{3.2 \text{ s}}$

b. $f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{3.2 \text{ s}} = \boxed{0.31 \text{ Hz}}$

3. $m = 0.75 \text{ kg}$

$x = -0.30 \text{ m}$

$g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

a. $-kx - mg = 0$

$k = \frac{-mg}{x} = \frac{-(0.75 \text{ kg})(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)}{-0.30 \text{ m}}$

$k = \boxed{25 \text{ N/m}}$

b. $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{0.75 \text{ kg}}{25 \text{ N/m}}}$

$T = \boxed{1.1 \text{ s}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Practice D

1. $f_1 = 28 \text{ Hz}$

$f_2 = 4200 \text{ Hz}$

$v = 340 \text{ m/s}$

$\lambda_1 = \frac{v}{f_1} = \frac{340 \text{ m/s}}{28 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{12 \text{ m}}$

$\lambda_2 = \frac{v}{f_2} = \frac{340 \text{ m/s}}{4200 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.081 \text{ m}}$

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2. $v = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$
 $f_1 = 88.0 \text{ MHz}$

$f_2 = 6.0 \times 10^8 \text{ MHz}$

$f_3 = 3.0 \times 10^{12} \text{ MHz}$

Solutions

a. $\lambda_1 = \frac{v}{f_1} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{8.80 \times 10^7 \text{ Hz}}$
 $\lambda_1 = \boxed{3.41 \text{ m}}$

b. $\lambda_2 = \frac{v}{f_2} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{6.0 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}}$
 $\lambda_2 = \boxed{5.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}}$

c. $\lambda_3 = \frac{v}{f_3} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{3.0 \times 10^{18} \text{ Hz}}$
 $\lambda_3 = \boxed{1.0 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}}$

3. $\lambda = 633 \text{ nm}$
 $= 6.33 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$
 $v = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

$f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{6.33 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}}$
 $f = \boxed{4.74 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}}$

4. $f = 256 \text{ Hz}$
 $\lambda_{\text{air}} = 1.35 \text{ m}$
 $v_{\text{water}} = 1500 \text{ m/s}$

a. $v_{\text{air}} = \lambda_{\text{air}} f = (1.35 \text{ m})(256 \text{ Hz})$
 $v_{\text{air}} = \boxed{346 \text{ m/s}}$

b. $\lambda_{\text{water}} = \frac{v_{\text{water}}}{f} = \frac{1500 \text{ m/s}}{256 \text{ Hz}}$
 $\lambda_{\text{water}} = \boxed{5.86 \text{ m}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Section 3 Review

5. $\lambda = 0.57 \text{ cm} = 5.7 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$
 $v = 340 \text{ m/s}$

$f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{340 \text{ m/s}}{5.7 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}}$
 $f = \boxed{6.0 \times 10^4 \text{ Hz}}$

Vibrations and Waves, Chapter Review

8. $m = 0.40 \text{ kg}$
 $x = -3.0 \text{ cm}$
 $g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$-kx - mg = 0$
 $k = \frac{-mg}{x} = \frac{-(0.40 \text{ kg})(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)}{-0.030 \text{ m}}$
 $k = \boxed{130 \text{ N/m}}$

9. $x = -0.40 \text{ m}$
 $F = 230 \text{ N}$

$k = \frac{-F}{x} = \frac{-230 \text{ N}}{-0.40 \text{ m}} = \boxed{580 \text{ N/m}}$

19. $f = 0.16 \text{ Hz}$
 $a_g = g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$T = \frac{1}{f} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}$
 $L = \frac{a_g}{(2\pi f)^2} = \frac{(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)}{(4\pi^2)(0.16 \text{ Hz})^2}$
 $L = \boxed{9.7 \text{ m}}$

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20.

$$L_1 = 0.9942 \text{ m}$$

$$L_2 = 0.9927 \text{ m}$$

21. $k = 1.8 \times 10^2 \text{ N/m}$

$$m = 1.5 \text{ kg}$$

34. $f = 25.0 \text{ Hz}$

$$\frac{1}{2}\lambda = 10.0 \text{ cm}$$

$$2(\text{amplitude}) = 18 \text{ cm}$$

35. $v = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

$$f = 9.00 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}$$

44. $k = 230 \text{ N/m}$

$$x = -6.0 \text{ cm}$$

45. $x = -2.0 \text{ cm}$

$$k = 85 \text{ N/m}$$

46. $\lambda = 0.15 \text{ m}$

Solutions

a. Because a pendulum passes through its equilibrium position twice each cycle,

$$T = (2)(1.000 \text{ s}) = \boxed{2.000 \text{ s}}$$

b. $a_g = \frac{4\pi^2 L_1}{T^2} = \frac{(4\pi^2)(0.9942 \text{ m})}{(2.000 \text{ s})^2}$

$$a_g = \boxed{9.812 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

c. $a_g = \frac{4\pi^2 L_2}{T^2} = \frac{(4\pi^2)(0.9927 \text{ m})}{(2.000 \text{ s})^2}$

$$a_g = \boxed{9.798 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

a. $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{1.5 \text{ kg}}{1.8 \times 10^2 \text{ N/m}}}$

$$T = \boxed{0.57 \text{ s}}$$

b. $f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{0.57 \text{ s}} = \boxed{1.8 \text{ Hz}}$

a. amplitude = $\frac{18 \text{ cm}}{2} = \boxed{9.0 \text{ cm}}$

b. $\lambda = (2)(10.0 \text{ cm}) = \boxed{20.0 \text{ cm}}$

c. $T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{25.0 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.0400 \text{ s}}$

d. $v = \lambda f = (0.200 \text{ m})(25.0 \text{ Hz}) = \boxed{5.00 \text{ m/s}}$

$$\lambda = \frac{v}{f} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{9.00 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.0333 \text{ m}}$$

$$F = -kx$$

$$F = -(230 \text{ N/m})(-0.060 \text{ m})$$

$$F = \boxed{14 \text{ N}}$$

$$F = -kx = -(85 \text{ N/m})(-0.020 \text{ m})$$

$$F = \boxed{1.7 \text{ N}}$$

Because a wave is generated twice each second, $f = \boxed{2.0 \text{ Hz}}$.

$$T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{2.0 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.50 \text{ s}}$$

$$v = \lambda f = (0.15 \text{ m})(2.0 \text{ Hz}) = \boxed{0.30 \text{ m/s}}$$

47. $v = 343 \text{ m/s}$
 $\Delta t = 2.60 \text{ s}$

$$\Delta x = \frac{v\Delta t}{2} = \frac{(343 \text{ m/s})(2.60 \text{ s})}{2} = \boxed{446 \text{ m}}$$

48. $f_1 = 196 \text{ Hz}$
 $f_2 = 2637 \text{ Hz}$
 $v = 340 \text{ m/s}$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{v}{f_1} = \frac{340 \text{ m/s}}{196 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{1.73 \text{ m}}$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{v}{f_2} = \frac{340 \text{ m/s}}{2637 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.129 \text{ m}}$$

49. $L = 0.850 \text{ m}$
 $T = 1.86 \text{ s}$

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}$$

$$a_g = \frac{4\pi^2 L}{T^2} = \frac{(4\pi^2)(0.850 \text{ m})}{(1.86 \text{ s})^2} = \boxed{9.70 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

50. $v = 1.97 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$
 $\lambda = 3.81 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$

$$f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{1.97 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{3.81 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}} = \boxed{5.17 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}}$$

51. $a_{g\text{moon}} = 1.63 \text{ m/s}^2$
 $\Delta t = 24 \text{ h}$
 $a_{g\text{Earth}} = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$$T_{\text{Earth}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_{g\text{Earth}}}}$$

$$T_{\text{moon}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_{g\text{moon}}}}$$

$$\frac{T_{\text{moon}}}{T_{\text{Earth}}} = \sqrt{\frac{a_{g\text{Earth}}}{a_{g\text{moon}}}} = \sqrt{\frac{9.81 \text{ m/s}^2}{1.63 \text{ m/s}^2}} = 2.45$$

The clock on the moon runs slower than the same clock on Earth by a factor of 2.45. Thus, after 24.0 h Earth time, the clock on the moon will have advanced by

$$\frac{24.0 \text{ h}}{2.45} = 9.80 \text{ h} = 9 \text{ h} + (0.80 \text{ h})(60 \text{ min/h}) = 9 \text{ h}, 48 \text{ min}$$

Thus, the clock will read $\boxed{9:48 \text{ A.M.}}$

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2. $F = 7.0 \text{ N}$
 $x = -0.35 \text{ m}$

$$F = -kx$$

$$k = -\frac{F}{x} = -\frac{(7.0 \text{ N})}{(-0.35 \text{ m})} = \boxed{2.0 \times 10^1 \text{ N/m}}$$

6. $m = 48 \text{ kg}$
 $k = 12 \text{ N/m}$

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{48 \text{ kg}}{12 \text{ N/m}}} = 2\pi \times 2 \text{ s} = \boxed{4\pi \text{ s}}$$

9. $t = 2.0 \text{ min}$

$$f = 12 \text{ cycles}/120 \text{ s} = \boxed{0.10 \text{ Hz}}$$

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10. $L = 2.00 \text{ m}$
 $a_g = 9.80 \text{ m/s}^2$
 $\Delta t = 5.00 \text{ min}$

Solutions

$$\text{oscillations} = \frac{\Delta t}{T} = \frac{\Delta t}{2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}}$$

$$\text{oscillations} = \frac{(5.00 \text{ min})(60 \text{ s/min})}{(2\pi)\left(\sqrt{\frac{2.00 \text{ m}}{9.80 \text{ m/s}^2}}\right)}$$

$$\text{oscillations} = \boxed{106}$$

16. $\lambda = 1.20 \text{ m}$

$$f = \frac{8}{12.0 \text{ s}}$$

$$v = \lambda f = (1.20 \text{ m})\left(\frac{8}{12.0 \text{ s}}\right) = \boxed{0.800 \text{ m/s}}$$

17. $\lambda = 5.20 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$

$$v = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{5.20 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}} = \boxed{5.77 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{5.77 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{1.73 \times 10^{-15} \text{ s}}$$

20. $T = 9.49 \text{ s}$

$$a_g = g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{a_g}}$$
$$L = \frac{T^2 a_g}{4\pi^2} = \frac{(9.49 \text{ s})^2 (9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)}{4\pi^2}$$

$$L = \boxed{22.4 \text{ m}}$$

21. $f = \left(\frac{40.0}{30.0}\right) \text{ Hz}$

$$v = \left(\frac{425 \text{ cm}}{10.0 \text{ s}}\right) = \left(\frac{4.25}{10.0}\right) \text{ m/s}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{v}{f} = \frac{\left(\frac{4.25}{10.0}\right) \text{ m/s}}{\left(\frac{40.0}{30.0}\right) \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{0.319 \text{ m}}$$