

Final Exam - Part 1 - Question 1

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A 55-cm-long lawn mower blade takes half of a second to reach a full speed of 3500 RPMs (revolutions per minute). The mass of the blade is 450 grams. Model the blade as a uniform rod rotating about its center, which has the moment of inertia in the figure.



(a) When rotating at full speed, what is the angular momentum of the mower blade?

$$L_f = I \omega_f, \quad \omega_f = \frac{3500 \text{ rev}}{\text{min}} \left| \frac{2\pi \text{ rad}}{1 \text{ rev}} \right| \left| \frac{1 \text{ min}}{60 \text{ s}} \right| = 366.5 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\text{So, } L_f = \frac{1}{12} ML^2 \omega_f = \underline{4.16 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}}$$

(b) What is the average net torque applied to the blade while reaching full speed?

$$\sum \tau_{\text{ext}} = \frac{\Delta L}{\Delta t} = \frac{L_f}{\Delta t} = \underline{8.32 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}}, \quad \text{or, } \sum \tau = I \alpha$$

$$= I \frac{\Delta \omega}{\Delta t}$$

$$\sum \tau = I \frac{\omega_f}{\Delta t}$$

(c) How much power is required to accelerate the mower blade while reaching full speed?

$$P = \frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{time}} = \frac{\Delta K}{\Delta t} = \frac{K_f}{\Delta t}, \quad \text{w/ } K_f = \frac{1}{2} I \omega_f^2 = \frac{L_f^2}{2I}$$

$$P = \frac{I \omega_f^2}{2 \Delta t} = \underline{1524 \text{ W}}$$

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Part (a)

1 pt - Angular momentum equation

1 pt - Omega unit conversion

0.5 pt - Application

0.5 pt - Answer and units

Part (b)

1 pt - 2nd law for rotation equation

1 pt - Alpha = delta_W/delta_t eq.

2 pt - Application

0.5 pt - Answer and units

Part (c)

1 pt - power = energy/time eq.

1 pt - rotational energy equation

2 pt - Application

0.5 pt - Answer and units

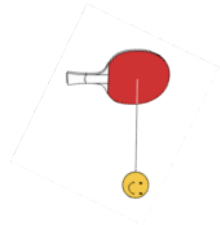
Final Exam - Part 1 - Question 2

Wednesday, March 17, 2021 10:09 AM

A child's game called *paddle ball* consists of a small rubber ball attached to a rubber band, the other end of the rubber band is then attached to a paddle. You notice a small child holding the paddle out in front of them with the ball hanging below. They jerk up on the paddle quickly throwing the ball into a vertical oscillation.

(a) How could you determine, by observing the oscillation of the ball, whether the rubber band acts like a Hooke's Law spring, and thus creates simple harmonic motion?

SHO - period is constant



(b) If you estimate the ball to be about 50 g, and the period of oscillation to be constant 1.2 seconds, what would be an estimate of the spring constant of the rubber band?

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \Rightarrow k = \frac{4\pi^2}{T^2} m = \underline{1.37 \frac{N}{m}}$$

Rubric

Part (a)
1 pt - Answer

Part (b)
1 pt - $\omega = 2\pi/T$ eq.
1 pt - $\omega = \sqrt{k/m}$ eq.
1 pt - Combining and solving
0.5 pt - Answer and units

Part (c)
1.5 pts - Answer

(c) Where did the energy in the oscillation originally come from?

Energy comes from source generating the oscillation.
So it comes from the child when they jerk up on paddle

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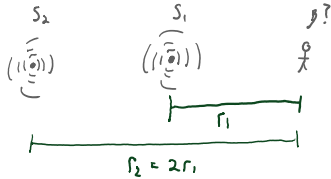
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Physics 202
Final Exam | Part 2 (35 minutes) | Cascades
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1. (6 points) Consider two speakers that emit sound symmetrically in all 3 directions (point source of sound). Speaker 1 has a power of 15.0 W and is 3.00 meters away from your location. Speaker two has twice the power of speaker 1, and is twice the distance away from you compared to speaker 1. The minimum threshold for human hearing is 10^{-12} W/m^2 . What is the sound intensity level (in dB) at the location you are at?



$$\begin{aligned} \sum I &= I_1 + I_2 \\ &= \frac{P_1}{A_1} + \frac{P_2}{A_2} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} P_2 = 2P_1 \\ A = 4\pi r^2 \end{array} \right\} \\ &= \frac{P_1}{4\pi r_1^2} + \frac{2P_1}{4\pi (2r_1)^2} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} A = 4\pi r^2 \\ r_2 = 2r_1 \end{array} \right\} \\ &= \frac{P_1}{4\pi r_1^2} + \frac{2P_1}{16\pi r_1^2} \\ &= \frac{P_1}{4\pi r_1^2} + \frac{P_1}{8\pi r_1^2} \\ \sum I &= \frac{3P_1}{8\pi r_1^2} \\ &= \frac{3(15.0 \text{ W})}{8\pi (3.00 \text{ m})^2} \\ &= 0.1989437 \text{ W/m}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\beta = 10 \text{ dB} \log_{10} \left(\frac{\sum I}{I_0} \right)$$

$$= 10 \text{ dB} \log_{10} \left(\frac{0.1989437}{10^{-12}} \right)$$

$$= 10 \text{ dB} \log_{10} (1.989437 \times 10^{11})$$

$$= 112.987 \text{ dB}$$

$$\beta = 113 \text{ dB}$$

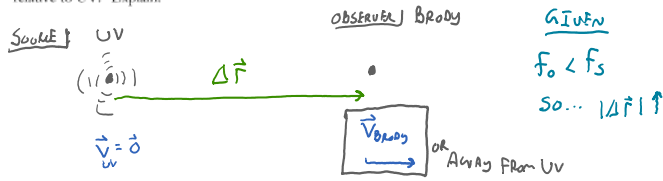
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- (0.5 points) Beta equation
- (3.0 points) Add intensities at persons location (high level)
 - (2.0 points) Adds power at persons location instead of intensities (medium level)
 - (1.0 points) Adds beta at persons location instead of intensities (low level)
- (0.5 points) $P_2 = 2P_1$ used
- (0.5 points) $A = 4\pi r^2$
- (0.5 points) $R_2 = r_1$ used
- (0.5 points) Algebra - uses \log_{base_10} instead of \ln
- (0.5 points) Consistent answer with "units"

2. (6 points) Consider UV the cat sitting at rest purring at 30.0 Hz. A nearby dog, Brody, hears UV's purr and begins to run. The speed of sound is about 343 m/s.

(a) If Brody was to hear UV's purring frequency as 27.5 Hz, what direction (towards or away) is Brody running relative to UV? Explain.



(b) How fast must Brody run to hear a purring frequency of 27.5 Hz?

$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{v \pm v_o}{v \pm v_s} \right)$$

$v_s = 0$
use $-v_o$

$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{v - v_o}{v} \right)$$

$$27.5 \text{ Hz} = 30 \text{ Hz} \left(\frac{343 \text{ m/s} - v_o}{343 \text{ m/s}} \right)$$

$$0.91\bar{6} = \left(\frac{343 \text{ m/s} - v_o}{343 \text{ m/s}} \right)$$

$$314.11\bar{6} \text{ m/s} = 343 \text{ m/s} - v_o$$

$$v_o = 28.58\bar{3} \text{ m/s}$$

$v_o = 28.6 \text{ m/s}$

(c) Brody is an amazing dog, but with regards to running, he can run about as fast as a normal dog can (about 30 miles per hour). Use known quantities sense making to determine if your answer to part (b) makes sense.

$$v_o = 28.6 \text{ m/s} \xrightarrow[\text{CONVERSION}]{\text{UNIT}} 64 \text{ MPH} > 30 \text{ MPH}$$

$v_o > v_{\text{AVERAGE DOG}}$

SO THIS SITUATION DOES NOT MAKE SENSE.

PLUS, I'D LIKE TO BELIEVE BRODY AND UV WOULD BE FRIENDS IF THEY MET, SO BRODY WOULD RUN TOWARDS UV ;)

Question 3 on next page

~Rubric~

Part (a) - 1.5 points

- (0.5 points) indicates observed frequency is less than source
- (0.5 points) indicates distance between obs and source must be increasing
- (0.5 points) concludes that Brody is running away from UV.

Part (b) - 3 points

- (0.5 points) identifies doppler shift equation
- (0.5 points) uses $v_s = 0$
- (0.5 points) uses $-v_o$
- (1.0 points) algebra
- (0.5 points) correct answer with units

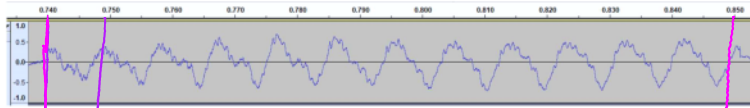
Part (c) - 1.5 points

- (0.5 points) converts v_o and 30mph to same units
- (0.5 points) indicates that v_o is greater than 30 mph
- (0.5 points) Consistent answer with observation if comparing same units

3. (6 points) A guitar has 6 strings, which are characterized by their note (A, B, C, D, E, F, or G), and the frequency. The table summarizes each string's characteristics. The strings on a guitar are fixed on both ends and when played normally, the string vibrates in its 1st harmonic.

String #	Note	Frequency
1	E	330 Hz
2	B	247 Hz
3	G	196 Hz
4	D	147 Hz
5	A	110 Hz
6	E	82.4 Hz

(a) One of the 6 guitar strings was played normally while recording the sound produced. A graph of this sound is shown below, where the vertical axis is the displacement and the horizontal axis is the time in seconds. What is the approximate frequency of the guitar string that was played normally? Which string (1 through 6) was this string?



CAN USE THIS
BUT THE UNCERTAINTY
IS LARGE ... INCLUDE
UNCERTAINTY OR
USE MORE CYCLES

$$12T = (0.850 \text{ sec} - 0.740 \text{ sec})$$

$$12T = 0.11 \text{ SEC}$$

$$T = 0.00916 \text{ SEC}$$

$$f = \frac{1}{T}$$

$$f = 109 \text{ Hz} \rightarrow \text{STRING \# 5 / NOTE A}$$

(b) If the same string from part (a) was played in its 3rd harmonic, what would be the frequency? Which string (1 through 6) would the third harmonic sound closest to?

$$f_1 = 109 \text{ Hz}$$

$$f_m = m f_1 \quad m = 3$$

$$f_3 = 3 f_1$$

$$f_3 = 327 \text{ Hz} \rightarrow \text{STRING \# 1 / NOTE E}$$

~Rubric~

Part (a) - 3.5 points

(1.5 points) uses uncertainty in finding period from single cycle or uses multiple cycles (with or without uncertainty) to find period (high level)

(1.0 points) finds period from one cycle only and mentions something about uncertainty but doesn't attempt to quantify (mid level)

(0.5 points) finds period from one cycle (low level)

(1.0 points) $f = 1/T$

(0.5 points) consistent f with units

(0.5 points) identifies closest string with calculated f

Part (b) - 2.5 points

(1.0 points) $f_m = m f_1$

(0.5 points) $m = 3$

(0.5 points) consistent f_3 with units

(0.5 points) identifies closest string with calculated f_3

Final Exam - Part 3 - Questions 1 & 2

Monday, March 15, 2021 11:00 AM

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1. (6 points) Three particles are in an isolated box with a divider. Particle #1 is initially on the left side, while particles #2 and #3 are initially on the right side. The divider disappears, and we are curious about which side of the box particles inhabit, left or right. The possible macrostates are given in a table below.



- (a) For each macrostate, find the probability that you would find the system in that state. Show your work. Very little credit will be given without work shown.

Macrostate	Probability
3 particles on left, 0 particles on right	$\frac{1}{8} = 12.5\%$
2 particles on left, 1 particle on right	$\frac{3}{8} = 37.5\%$
1 particle on left, 2 particles on right	$\frac{3}{8} = 37.5\%$
0 particles on left, 3 particles on right	$\frac{1}{8} = 12.5\%$

$123 \vdots 0 \leftarrow 1 \text{ microstate}$
 $12 \vdots 3 \quad 13 \vdots 2 \quad 23 \vdots 1 \leftarrow 3 \text{ microstates}$
 $1 \vdots 23 \quad 2 \vdots 13 \quad 3 \vdots 12 \leftarrow 3 \text{ microstates}$
 $0 \vdots 123 \leftarrow 1 \text{ microstate}$

4 pts total

+ 3 pts - Work shown explains possible microstates

+ 1.5 pts - relevant work is shown, incomplete or incorrect

+ 1 pt - correct %s (or fractions)

8 total microstates

$$\text{probability of macrostate} = \frac{\# \text{ microstates that satisfy macrostate}}{\text{total \# of microstates of system}}$$

- (b) Which macrostate(s) has/have the largest entropy? Explain.

microstates $\uparrow \Rightarrow$ entropy $\uparrow \Rightarrow 2:1$ & $1:2$ have the largest entropy

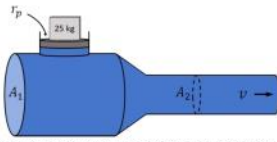
2 pts total

+ 1.5 pts - high level expl. (mentions microstates or entropy)

+ 0.5 pts - attempted expl.

+ 0.5 pts - answer correct (2:1, 1:2)

2. (9 points) Dr. Badroull has invented a new device for measuring the velocity of fluid in a pipe. They discover that a particular pipe, which has water flowing through it, is supporting a 20 kg mass and 5 kg piston. The piston has a radius, r_p , of 4 cm and is in a frictionless opening at the top of the pipe with water exerting a pressure on the underside of the piston. The pipe narrows from a cross sectional area A_1 to cross sectional area A_2 where the water pressure is $P_{\text{atm}} = 101,325 \text{ Pa}$. A_1 is five times larger than A_2 . The pipe diameter is sufficiently small that we can ignore any height/depth differences within the water.



What is the velocity of the water, v , in the smaller diameter section of pipe?

$$P_1 = \frac{F}{A_{\text{pist}}} + P_{\text{atm}} = P_{\text{atm}} + \frac{m g}{\pi r_p^2}$$

↑ also pushes down on piston

} force / Area = pressure

$$A_1 v_1 = A_2 v \Rightarrow v_1 = \frac{A_2}{A_1} v \Rightarrow v_1 = \frac{1}{5} v$$

] Continuity

$$P_1 + \frac{1}{2} \rho v_1^2 + \cancel{\rho g y_1} = P_2 + \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2 + \cancel{\rho g y_2}$$

} Bernoulli's + synthesis

$$P_1 + \frac{1}{2} \rho v_1^2 = P_2 + \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2$$

$$\cancel{P_{\text{atm}}} + \frac{m g}{\pi r_p^2} + \frac{1}{2} \rho \left(\frac{1}{5} v\right)^2 = \cancel{P_{\text{atm}}} + \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2$$

$$\frac{m g}{\pi r_p^2} = \frac{1}{2} \rho \left(v^2 - \frac{1}{25} v^2 \right)$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{25}{24} \frac{2 m g}{\pi r_p^2 \rho}} = 10.1 \text{ m/s}$$

9 pts total

+1.5 pts - Uses $P = \frac{F}{A}$
 +0.5 pts - finds force & Area appropriately
 +0.5 pt - includes P_{atm} in P_1] +2.5 pts

+1.5 pts - Uses continuity
 +0.5 pts - uses correct proportionality argument for area] +2 pts

+1 pt - writes Bernoulli's argument
 +1 pt - Uses Bernoulli's appropriately] +3.5 pts

+1.5 pts - connects $P_1 = \dots$ & $v_1 = \dots$ with Bernoulli's argument

+1 pt - correct answer mag. & units] +1 pt