PCS 125 — Formula sheet

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Equations

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \qquad \omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{L}}, \quad \omega = \sqrt{\frac{mgd}{I}} \qquad T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \left(\frac{b}{2m}\right)^2} \qquad A = \frac{F_0/m}{\sqrt{(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)^2 + \left(\frac{b\omega}{m}\right)^2}} \qquad x(t) = Ac^{-\frac{bt}{2m}}\cos(\omega t)$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}} \qquad v = f\lambda \qquad v = \sqrt{\frac{B}{\rho}}$$

$$B = -\frac{\Delta P}{\Delta V/V_i} \qquad s(x,t) = s_{\max}\cos(kx - \omega t) \qquad \Delta P_{\max} = \rho v \omega s_{\max}$$

$$Power_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\rho A \omega^2 s_{\max}^2 v}{2} \qquad I = \frac{Power}{A} = \frac{Power}{4\pi r^2} \qquad I = \frac{\Delta P_{\max}^2}{2\rho v}$$

$$Power = \frac{1}{2}\mu \omega^2 A^2 v \qquad f' = \left(\frac{v + v_O}{v - v_S}\right) f$$

$$v = (331 \text{ m/s})\sqrt{1 + \frac{T_C}{273 \text{ °C}}} \qquad \sin(a \pm b) = \sin a \cos b \pm \cos a \sin b \qquad f_{\text{beat}} = |f_2 - f_1|$$

$$\beta = (10 \text{ dB}) \log_{10}\left(\frac{I}{I_0}\right) \qquad \sin a \pm \sin b = 2\cos\left(\frac{a \mp b}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{a \pm b}{2}\right)$$

$$F = \frac{Gm_1 m_2}{r^2} \qquad U(r) = -\frac{GMm}{r} \qquad F = \frac{kq_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

$$|\vec{E}| = \frac{\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0} \qquad \Phi_E = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{q_{\text{in}}}{\varepsilon_0} \qquad U(r) = \frac{kq_1 q_2}{r}$$

$$E = -\frac{dV}{dx} \qquad U_B - U_A = q(V_B - V_A) = -W_{A \to B}^{\text{field}} \qquad W_{A \to B}^{\text{field}} = \int_A^B \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$V_B - V_A = -\vec{E} \cdot \vec{r}_{AB} = -El\cos\theta = -Ed$$

$$I_{\text{avg}} = nqv_D A \qquad F = I\vec{L} \times \vec{B}$$

$$V_B = \frac{IB}{nqt} \qquad \vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0 I_1 I_2}{r^2} \qquad F_B = \frac{\mu_0 I_1 I_2}{L^2}$$

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi a}$$
 (at a distance a from an infinitely long wire)

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I \theta}{4\pi a}$$
 (at the centre of an arc wire of radius a subtended by an angle θ)

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I a^2}{2 (a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}}$$
 (at a distance x along the centre line axis of a circular loop of wire of radius a)

Constants

Grav. accel. on Earth	$g = 9.81 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-2}$
Speed of light in vacuum	$c = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$
Gravitational constant	$G = 6.6742 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2 \cdot \text{kg}^{-2}$
Coulomb constant	$k_e = 8.9876 \times 10^9 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2 \cdot \text{C}^{-2}$
Elementary charge	$e = 1.6022 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
Electron volt	$eV = 1.6022 \times 10^{-19} J$
Mass of electron	$m_e = 9.1094 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$
Mass of proton	$m_p = 1.6726 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Permeability of vacuum	$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m} \cdot \mathrm{A}^{-1}$

Permittivity of vacuum $\begin{aligned} \varepsilon_0 &= 8.8542 \times 10^{-12} \; \mathrm{C^2 \cdot N^{-1} \cdot m^{-2}} \\ \mathrm{Density of \ air} & \rho_{\mathrm{air}} &= 1.2 \; \mathrm{kg \cdot m^{-3}} \\ \mathrm{Threshold \ of \ hearing} & I_0 &= 1 \times 10^{-12} \; \mathrm{W \cdot m^{-2}} \end{aligned}$