



## LABORATORY WORK SHEET

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Exp No: 10 Experiment Name: longitudinal vibration of helical spring

### DAY TO DAY EVALUATION:

	Preparation	Algorithm	Source Code	Program Execution	Viva voce	Total
		Performance in the Laboratory	Calculations and Graphs	Results and Error Analysis		
Max. Marks	5	5	10	5	5	30
Obtained	4	4	4	4	3	19

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### START WRITING FROM HERE:

Aim: To study the longitudinal vibration of helical spring and to determine the frequency and time period of oscillation.

### Description:

One end of open coil spring is fixed to the nut having a hole which itself is mounted on a mastrip fixed on one side of the main frame the lower end of the spring is attached to the platform carrying the weight.

### Procedure:

- fix one end of the helical spring to upper screw
- Determine free length
- put some weight to platform and notedown the deflection.
- stretch the spring through some distance and relax.

### Calculation:

$$* \text{stiffness } (\mu) = \frac{W}{S} \quad \begin{aligned} K_1 &= 3.75 \\ K_2 &= 12.0 \\ K_3 &= 14.95 \end{aligned}$$

$$* \text{Mean stiffness } (\mu_m) = \frac{3.75 + 12 + 14.95}{3} = 10.23$$

$$* \text{ Theoretical time } = \sqrt{\frac{W}{K_m} \times g}$$

$$* \text{ Actual time Period } = t/n \text{ sec}$$

$$* \text{ Actual frequency } f_{act} = \frac{1}{T_{act}}$$

\* count the time required in sec for say 10-20 oscillation

\* Determine the actual Period

\* Repeat the Procedure for different weights.

Formula:

$$\rightarrow \text{stiffness } (K) = \frac{W}{S} \text{ kg/cm}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{mean stiffness } (K_m) = K_1 + K_2 + K_3 / 3$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Theoretical time Period } (T_{act}) = \text{sec} = \sqrt{\frac{W}{K_m} \times g}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Actual time Period } (T_{act}) = t/n \text{ sec}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Actual frequency } (F_{act}) = \frac{1}{T_{act}}$$

Observation:

S.No	Weight attached (g)	Deflection in spring (m) (cm)	stiffness (K) (kg/cm)	mean stiffness (K <sub>m</sub> ) (kg)
1.	150	110	3.75	10.23
2.	500	41.4	12.0	
3.	650	43.5	14.94	

S.No	weight attached (g)	no. of oscillation	Time recorded for (n) (sec)	Theo exp (sec)	Theo exp (sec)	F the (Hz)	F exp (Hz)
1.	150	10	4	1.49	4	0.4	2.5
2.	500	10	4.65	4.48	4.65	0.465	2.15
3.	650	10	5.72	6.47	5.7	0.37	1.75

### Precautions:

- \* Do the experiment properly
- \* Keep the loads accordingly
- \* stay focus, while the load is been oscillated.

### Result:

The frequency and time-period oscillation of the longitudinal helical spring is being determined.

S.No	weight	Deflection	Time (sec)	mean (km)	T act	T th	F act	F th
1.	500	4	5.3	9.1	0.53	4.61	1.8	0.2
2.	1000	6	5.7	9.1	0.57	6.52	1.75	0.2

$$k_m = \frac{W}{\delta} = \frac{k_1 + k_2}{2} = \frac{10.75 + 7.5}{2} = 9.1$$

$$k_1 = \frac{W}{\delta} = \frac{43}{4} = 10.75$$

$$k_2 = \frac{45}{6} = 7.5$$

$$\text{Time theoretical (T}_{th}) = 2\pi \times \sqrt{\frac{W}{k_m} \times g}$$

$$T_{act} = \frac{T}{n} = \frac{53}{10} = 0.53 \text{ sec}$$

$$= 2\pi \times \sqrt{\frac{500 \times 10^{-3}}{9.1} \times 9.81} = 4$$

$$F_{th} = \frac{1}{T_{th}} = \frac{1}{4.61} = 0.21$$

$$F_{act} = \frac{1}{T_{act}} = \frac{1}{0.53} = 1.88 \text{ Hz}$$