

# Lab 2 - Hooke's Law + SHM

Hooke's Law

$$F = -kx \leftarrow \text{displacement}$$

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Force of the spring

Ruler		
Mass (g)	Pos (cm)	disp (cm)
10.01	21.7	1.0
19.99	20.7	2.0
49.53	17.5	5.2
99.98 kg	12.4	10.3 ± 0.05

$$0.01001 \text{ kg} (9.806 \text{ m/s}^2) = 0.098 \text{ N}$$

$$0.01999 \text{ kg} (9.806 \text{ m/s}^2) = 0.196 \text{ N}$$

$$0.04953 \text{ kg} (9.806 \text{ m/s}^2) = 0.486 \text{ N}$$

$$0.09998 \text{ kg} (9.806 \text{ m/s}^2) = 0.980 \text{ N}$$

± 0.0005

$$k = 9.80$$

$$0.196 = k(0.020) \quad k = 9.80$$

$$0.486 = k(0.052) \quad k = 9.35$$

$$0.980 = k(0.103) \quad k = 9.51$$

$$\text{AVG} = 9.62$$

9.302 - 115 g

9.254 - 125 g

9.114 - 95 g

9.493 - 105 g

9.194 - 110 g