

Assignment 15

PHY1001

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7 Two identical piano wires have a fundamental frequency of 600 Hz when kept under the same tension. What fractional increase in the tension of one wire will lead to the occurrence of 8.0 beats/s when both wires oscillate simultaneously?

19 A point source emits 30.0 W of sound isotropically. A small microphone intercepts the sound in an area of 0.750 cm^2 , 180 m from the source. Calculate (a) the sound intensity there and (b) the power intercepted by the microphone.

20 A plane flies at 2.00 times the speed of sound. Its sonic boom reaches a man on the ground 35.4 s after the plane passes directly overhead. What is the altitude of the plane? Assume the speed of sound to be 330 m/s.

22 A tube 0.900 m long is closed at one end. A stretched wire is placed near the open end. The wire is 0.330 m long and has a mass of 9.60 g. It is fixed at both ends and oscillates in its fundamental mode. By resonance, it sets the air column in the tube into oscillation at that column's second lowest harmonic frequency. Find (a) that frequency and (b) the tension in the wire.

26 Figure 17-27 shows the output from a pressure monitor mounted at a point along the path taken by a sound wave of a single frequency traveling at 343 m/s through air with a uniform density of 1.21 kg/m^3 . The vertical axis scale is set by $\Delta p_s = 5.0 \text{ mPa}$. If the *displacement* function of the wave is $s(x, t) = s_m \cos(kx - \omega t)$, what are (a) s_m , (b) k , and

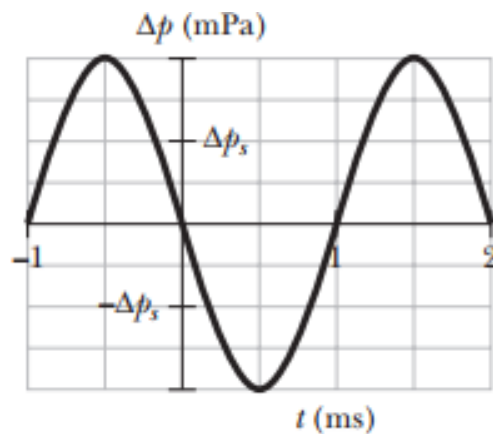


Figure 17-27 Problem 26.

(c) ω ? The air is then cooled so that its density is 1.35 kg/m^3 and the speed of a sound wave through it is 320 m/s. The sound source again emits the sound wave at the same frequency and same pressure amplitude. What now are (d) s_m , (e) k , and (f) ω ?

31 In Fig. 17-29, a French submarine and a U.S. submarine move toward each other during maneuvers in motionless water in the North Atlantic. The French sub moves at the speed $v_F = 48.00$ km/h, and the U.S. sub at $v_{US} = 72.00$ km/h. The French sub sends out a sonar signal (sound wave in water) at 1.560×10^3 Hz. Sonar waves travel at 5470 km/h. (a) What is the signal's frequency as detected by the U.S. sub? (b) What frequency is detected by the French sub in the signal reflected back to it by the U.S. sub?

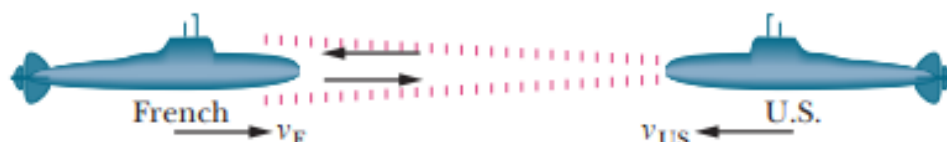


Figure 17-29 Problem 31.

36 *Hot chocolate effect.* Tap a metal spoon inside a mug of water and note the frequency f_i you hear. Then add a spoonful of powder (say, chocolate mix or instant coffee) and tap again as you stir the powder. The frequency you hear has a lower value f_s because the tiny air bubbles released by the powder change the water's bulk modulus. As the bubbles reach the water surface and disappear, the frequency gradually shifts back to its initial value. During the effect, the bubbles don't appreciably change the water's density or volume or the sound's wavelength. Rather, they change the value of dV/dp —that is, the differential change in volume due to the differential change in the pressure caused by the sound wave in the water. If $f_s/f_i = 0.500$, what is the ratio $(dV/dp)_s/(dV/dp)_i$?

50 Approximately a third of people with normal hearing have ears that continuously emit a low-intensity sound outward through the ear canal. A person with such *spontaneous otoacoustic emission* is rarely aware of the sound, except perhaps in a noise-free environment, but occasionally the emission is loud enough to be heard by someone else nearby. In one observation, the sound wave had a frequency of 1200 Hz and a pressure amplitude of 2.50×10^{-3} Pa. What were (a) the displacement amplitude and (b) the intensity of the wave emitted by the ear?

58 In Fig. 17-35, sound waves A and B , both of wavelength λ , are initially in phase and traveling rightward, as indicated by the two rays. Wave A is reflected from four surfaces but ends up traveling in its original direction. Wave B ends in that direction after reflecting from two surfaces. Let distance L in the figure be expressed as a multiple q of λ : $L = q\lambda$. What are the (a) smallest and (b) third smallest values of q that put A and B exactly out of phase with each other after the reflections?

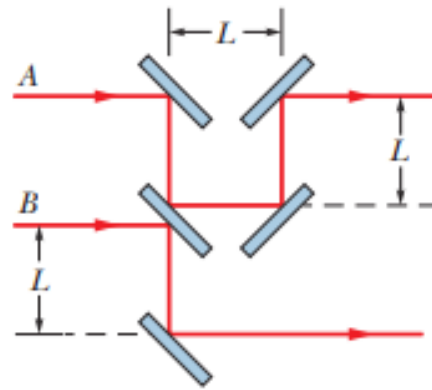


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