

*. (10 points) A half-open organ pipe is tuned to A(440) (i.e., the fundamental frequency is 440 Hz). Air has a density of 1.21 kg/m^3 and a speed of sound of 343 m/s at 20°C .

a. (3 points) What is the length of the pipe?

$$s(x,t) \quad \xrightarrow{\text{closed end}} \quad \lambda_0 = 4L \quad f_0 = \frac{v}{4L} = 440 \text{ Hz}$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \frac{v}{4f_0} = \frac{343 \text{ m/s}}{4(440 \text{ Hz})} = 0.19489 \text{ m}$$

b. (4 points) What is the maximum kinetic energy density (per unit volume) at the open end of the pipe if $s_m = 2.0 \mu\text{m}$? At the closed end?

$$s(x,t) = s_m \sin kx \sin \omega t$$

At closed end, $\sin kx = 0 \Rightarrow p_k = 0 \text{ always.}$

$$\frac{\partial s}{\partial t} = s_m \omega \sin kx \cos \omega t$$

At open end, $\sin kx = \pm 1$

$$\text{so } \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{max}} = s_m \omega$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{max}} = s_m \omega / |\sin kx|$$

$$\Rightarrow p_k = \frac{1}{2} \rho \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial t}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \rho s_m^2 \omega^2$$

$$[\omega = 2\pi f = 2764.6 \text{ rad/s}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (1.21 \text{ kg/m}^3) (2.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m})^2$$

$$(2764.6 \text{ rad/s})^2 = 18.496 \mu\text{J/m}^3$$

c. (3 points) If the ambient temperature were raised from 20°C to 40°C , what would be the new fundamental frequency of the pipe (ignore changes in the length of the pipe due to the temperature change)?

$$T_i = 20^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 293 \text{ K}$$

$$T_f = 40^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 313 \text{ K}$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{8kT}{m}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{v_f}{v_i} = \sqrt{\frac{T_f}{T_i}} = 1.0336$$

$$\Rightarrow v_f = (1.0336)(343 \text{ m/s}) = 354.51 \text{ m/s}$$

$$f_0 = \frac{v}{4L} \Rightarrow \frac{f_f}{f_0} = \frac{v_f}{v_i} = 1.0336$$

$$\Rightarrow f_f = f_0 (440 \text{ Hz})(1.0336)$$

$$= 454.77 \text{ Hz}$$

$$12 \log_2 \left(\frac{454.77}{440} \right) = 0.57 \text{ half-steps} \Rightarrow \geq \text{quarter tone high!}$$