Sound & Light (1)

1.1 Miscellaneous

$$\% \text{ error} = \frac{\text{observed} - \text{theoretical}}{\text{theoretical}} * 100\%$$

1.2 Kinematics

$$x = \frac{a}{2}(\Delta t)^2 + v_0 \Delta t + x_0 \qquad v = v_0 + a\Delta t$$

$$v^2 = v_0^2 + 2a\Delta x \qquad \Delta x = \frac{v_0 + v}{2} * \Delta t$$

1.3 Simple Harmonic Motion

$$x = A\cos(\omega t + \varphi) \qquad v = -\omega A\cos(\omega t + \varphi) \qquad a = -\omega^2 A\cos(\omega t + \varphi)$$

$$x_{\max} = A \qquad v_{\max} = \omega A \qquad a_{\max} = \omega^2 A \qquad F_{\max} = m\omega^2 A$$

1.3.1 Springs and Slinkies

$$F_s = kx \qquad F_{s_{\max}} = kx_0 = mg$$

$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi}\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \qquad T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} \qquad \omega = 2\pi f = \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$$

$$SPE = \frac{1}{2}kx^2 \qquad KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$TME = \frac{1}{2}kx^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}kA^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv_{\max}^2$$

1.3.2 Pendulums

$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi}\sqrt{\frac{g}{L}} \qquad T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$$

1.4 Waves

$$T = \frac{1}{f} \qquad v = \lambda f \qquad v = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$

1.4.1 Slinkies and strings with fixed ends

$$F_T = F_s = kx \qquad \mu = \frac{m}{L} \qquad v = \sqrt{\frac{F_T}{\mu}}$$

Given mass m_T hanging below a pulley, $F_T = m_T g$.

1.5 Standing waves

1.5.1 Open-open, closed-closed

n is the number of antinodes, or the n^{th} harmonic.

$$f_n = f_1 n = \frac{nv}{2L} \qquad f_1 = \frac{v}{2L} \qquad \lambda_n = \frac{2L}{n}$$

1.5.2 Open-closed

$$f_n = f_1 n = \frac{nv}{4L} \qquad f_1 = \frac{v}{4L} \qquad \lambda_n = \frac{2L}{n}$$

1.6 Sound

1.6.1 Speed of sound

$$v = 331\sqrt{\frac{T_{^\circ\text{C}} + 273}{273}} \qquad v \approx 331 + 0.59T$$

1.6.2 Sound intensity

$$I = \frac{\text{Power (W)}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{\text{Power (W)}}{4\pi r^2}$$

$$I_{\text{dB}} = 10\log_{10}\left(\frac{I}{10^{-12}}\right) \qquad I = 10^{\frac{I_{\text{dB}}}{10} - 12}$$

1.6.3 Doppler effect

$$\boxed{S}\!\rightarrow \ \boxed{O} \qquad f_o = f_s\frac{v}{v - v_s} \qquad\qquad \boxed{O}\ \boxed{S}\!\rightarrow \qquad f_o = f_s\frac{v}{v + v_s}$$

$$\boxed{S}\!\rightarrow\ \leftarrow\!\boxed{O} \qquad f_o = f_s\frac{v + v_o}{v - v_s} \qquad\qquad \boxed{O}\!\rightarrow\ \boxed{S}\!\rightarrow \qquad f_o = f_s\frac{v + v_o}{v + v_s}$$

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