

Question 1:

Given: $y(t) = 26 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$, $m = 18 \text{ kg}$

Find: Amplitude, period, angular frequency, phase difference, KE at equilibrium

Diagram:



Theory: $\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = 2\pi f$ $\theta = \omega t = 2\pi f t$

$$y(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \phi) \quad KE = \frac{1}{2} m \omega^2 A^2 \sin^2(\omega t + \phi)$$

Assumptions: Motion is simple and harmonic

Solution: Amplitude = 26 cm Period = $\frac{2\pi}{\pi/2} = 4 \text{ seconds}$

$$\text{Angular frequency} = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ s} \quad KE = \frac{1}{2} (18) \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 (0.26)^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

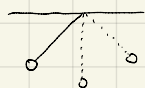
$$\text{Phase difference} = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ s} = 1.5 \text{ J}$$

Question 4:

Given: $T = 3.8 \text{ s}$ $v_{\text{max}} = 0.65 \text{ m/s}$

Find: length of pendulum, max displacement in degrees

Diagram:



Theory: $\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = 2\pi f$ $\theta = \omega t = 2\pi f t$

Assumptions: No external forces

Solution: $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$

$$L = \frac{g T^2}{4\pi^2} = 3.6 \text{ m}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} m v^2 = m g L (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (0.65)^2 = 9.8 (3.6) (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\theta = 6.3^\circ$$

Question 2:

Given: $m = 0.25 \text{ kg}$ $T = 0.50 \text{ s}$

Find: Spring constant

Diagram:



Theory: $k = m \omega^2$ $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$

Assumptions: there are no external forces

Solution: $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$

$$0.5 = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{0.25}{k}}$$

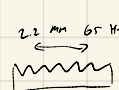
$$k = 40 \text{ N/m}$$

Question 3:

Given: $d = 2.2 \text{ mm}$ $f = 65 \text{ Hz}$

Find: Amplitude, max speed of blade, magnitude of maximum acceleration

Diagram:



Theory: $\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = 2\pi f$ $\theta = \omega t = 2\pi f t$

Assumptions: No nonconservative forces

Solution: $A = \frac{2.2}{2} = 1.1 \text{ mm}$

$$v_{\text{max}} = \omega x_{\text{max}} = (408.407) (1.1 / 1000) = 0.45 \text{ m/s}$$

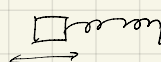
$$a_{\text{max}} = \omega^2 x_{\text{max}} = (408.407)^2 (1.1 / 1000) = 183 \text{ m/s}^2$$

Question 5:

Given: $m = 28 \text{ g}$ $k = 1.4 \text{ N/m}$ damping = 252 g/s

Find: is system under or over damped? Damping coefficient for critical damp?

Diagram:



Theory: Critically damped when $\beta^2 - \omega^2 = 0$

$$\text{underdamped: } \beta^2 - \omega^2 < 0$$

$$\text{overdamped: } \beta^2 - \omega^2 > 0$$

Assumptions: Simple harmonic motion

Solution: $c = 2\sqrt{mk} = 2\sqrt{0.028 (1.4)} = 0.3954 > 0.252 \rightarrow \text{underdamped}$

$$\text{damping coefficient} = 396 \text{ g/s}$$