

## Dynamics - Lecture #22

Homework #10: 22-18, 22-23, 22-31, 22-47, 22-50, 22-56, 22-60 (4/2a)

\*NO lab this semester. Test weights ↑ by 5% each

Final exam: Friday, 5/8/2020 6-8 pm US EDT (same format as second exam, 4 problems w/30min to do and upload)

Diagram of a mass-spring system: A mass  $m$  is attached to a spring with stiffness  $k$ , which is fixed to a wall. The displacement  $x(t)$  is indicated by an arrow pointing right from the equilibrium position.

Equation of motion:  $m\ddot{x} + kx = 0$   
or  $\ddot{x} + \frac{k}{m}x = 0$

Let  $\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$     $\omega_n$  = natural frequency  
radian frequency of system

Then  $\ddot{x} + \omega_n^2 x = 0$    (1)

Solution of (1) is

$x(t) = A \sin \omega_n t + B \cos \omega_n t$

2<sup>nd</sup> order DE  
→ constants A, B determined by initial conditions

Assume  $x(0) = x_1$ ,    $x_1$  = initial position of mass  
 $v(0) = \dot{x}(0) = v_1$ ,    $v_1$  = initial velocity of mass

Can determine A, B in terms of  $x_1, v_1$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= A \sin \omega_n t + B \cos \omega_n t \\ \dot{x} &= A \omega_n \cos \omega_n t - B \omega_n \sin \omega_n t \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(0) &= x_1 \Rightarrow x_1 = B \\ \dot{x}(0) &= v_1 \Rightarrow v_1 = A \omega_n, \text{ or } A = v_1 / \omega_n \end{aligned}$$

$$m, \quad x(t) = \frac{v_1}{\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t + x_1 \cos \omega_n t \quad (1)$$

$$\dot{x}(t) = v_1 \cos \omega_n t - x_1 \omega_n \sin \omega_n t \quad (2)$$

Write (1) & (2) in matrix form:

$$\begin{Bmatrix} x \\ \dot{x} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \omega_n t & \frac{1}{\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t \\ -\omega_n \sin \omega_n t & \cos \omega_n t \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ v_1 \end{Bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

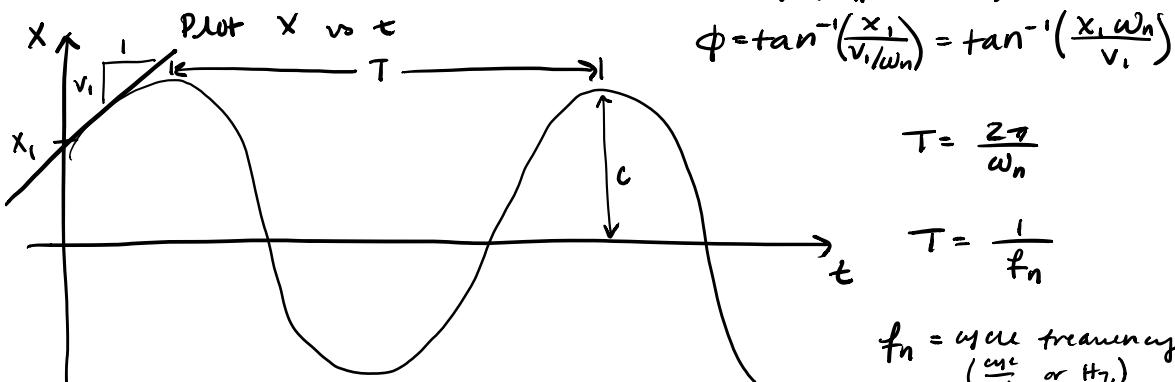
(3) says that  $\begin{Bmatrix} x \\ \dot{x} \end{Bmatrix}$  at  $t$  are determined by  $\begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ v_1 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} x \\ \dot{x} \end{Bmatrix}$  at time  $t = 0$

↑ state at all times (Newtonian Mechanics)

$$x = \frac{v_i}{\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t + x_i \cos \omega_n t \quad (1)$$

can also write (1) using a trig identity as

$$x(t) = C \sin(\omega_n t + \phi), \text{ where } C = \sqrt{\left(\frac{v_i}{\omega_n}\right)^2 + x_i^2},$$



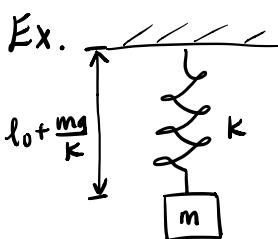
$$T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_n}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{f_n}$$

$$f_n = \text{cycle frequency} \quad \left( \frac{\text{cycles}}{\text{s}} \text{ or Hz} \right)$$

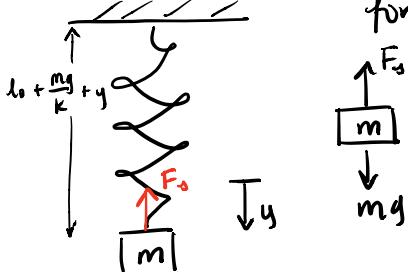
$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{1}{f_n} \quad f_n 2\pi = \omega_n$$

$$\omega_n = \text{radian frequency} \quad (\text{rad/s})$$



Equilibrium

Now spring is pulled down. (Spring is a "restoring force")



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Newton: } m\ddot{y} &= mg - F_s \\ &= mg - k \left( \frac{mg}{k} + y \right) \\ &= -ky \end{aligned}$$

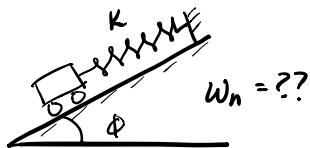
$$\text{so the equation of motion is: } m\ddot{y} + ky = 0$$

$$\ddot{y} + \frac{k}{m}y = 0$$

solution for  $y(t)$  is same as previous solution for  $x(t)$

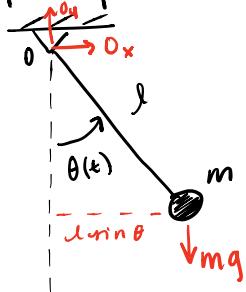
$$\omega_n = \text{natural freq. of system} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \quad \dots \text{just depends on spring constant & mass!}$$

Now imagine spring-mass system now on an inclined plane



### Plane Pendulum

→ point pendulum w/massless string



$$\text{angular momentum principle: } \sum M_O = I_O \ddot{\theta} = ml^2 \ddot{\theta}$$

reaction forces have no moment about O.

$$-mglsin\theta = ml^2 \ddot{\theta}$$

$$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{g}{l} \sin\theta = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{Equation of motion for pointmass pendulum system}$$

... this is not the same form as  $\ddot{x} + \omega_n^2 x = 0$

↳ but can make approximation to be in same form as spring-mass system ...

→ If  $\theta$  is always small (don't swing pendulum too much),  $\sin\theta \approx \theta$

so then, the equation of motion becomes

$$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{g}{l} \theta = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{which is the same form as the spring mass system}$$

For pendulum,  $\omega_n^2 = \frac{g}{l}$  so the natural frequency is  $\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$

then  $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_n} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$  ... longer pendulums have larger period (will swing more slowly than a shorter pendulum)

$$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{g}{l} \theta = 0$$

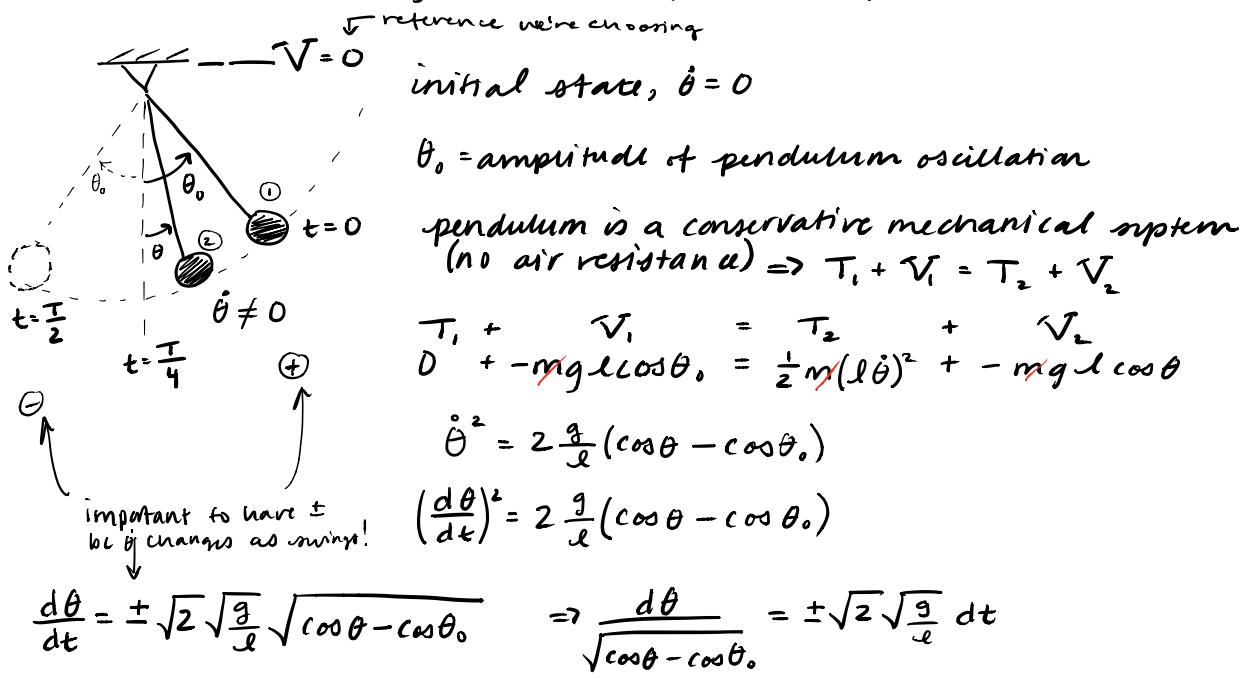
solution is  $\theta = A \sin \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} t + B \cos \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} t$

$$\theta = \frac{\dot{\theta}_0}{\omega_n} \sin \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} t + \theta_0 \cos \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} t$$

in the small angle approximation, the period  $2\pi/\omega_n = 2\pi\sqrt{l/g}$  does not depend on initial conditions or amplitude of amplitude ... only true for approximation!!!

Can compute the period of pendulum without making small angle approximation by using an energy equation

NOT IN TEXTBOOK: Energy Equation w/ point mass pendulum



$$\int_{\theta_0}^0 \frac{d\theta}{\sqrt{\cos\theta - \cos\theta_0}} = \pm \sqrt{2\frac{g}{l}} \int_0^{T/4} dt \quad \dots \text{integrate over one-quarter of the period.}$$

↳ since going from ① to ② and looking at direction of swing, we want to take the negative  $\ominus$ .

$$\int_{\theta_0}^0 \frac{d\theta}{\sqrt{\cos\theta - \cos\theta_0}} = -\sqrt{2\frac{g}{l}} \frac{T}{4} \quad \dots \text{now this is not using small angle approximation}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} T = \int_0^{\theta_0} \frac{d\theta}{\sqrt{\cos\theta - \cos\theta_0}} \quad \text{trig identity} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \cos\theta &= 1 - 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \\ \cos\theta_0 &= 1 - 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} T = \int_0^{\theta_0} \frac{d\theta}{\sqrt{2\sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} - 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}} \quad \text{change variable of integration from } \theta \text{ to } \phi \text{ where} \\ \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \sin \frac{\theta_0}{2} \sin \phi$$

when  $\theta = 0$ ,  $\phi = 0$   
when  $\theta = \theta_0$ ,  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\cos \frac{\theta}{2} d\theta = \sin \frac{\theta_0}{2} \cos \phi d\phi$$

$$d\theta = \frac{2 \sin \frac{\theta_0}{2} \cos \phi d\phi}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}} T = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{2 \sin \frac{\theta_0}{2} \cos \phi d\phi}{\cos \theta \sqrt{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} - 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \sin^2 \phi}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin \frac{\theta_0}{2} \cos \phi d\phi}{\cos \theta \sin \frac{\theta_0}{2} \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \phi}} \Rightarrow \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \phi} = \cos \phi$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}} T = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\phi}{\cos \theta / 2} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\phi}{\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \sin^2 \phi}}$$

$$\frac{2}{8} \sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}} T = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\phi}{\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \sin^2 \phi}} \quad \dots \text{approximation: TAYLOR EXP.}$$

$$(1 - \varepsilon)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 1 + \frac{1}{2}\varepsilon + \frac{1}{8}\varepsilon^2 + \dots$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}} T = \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 + \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \sin^2 \phi) d\phi$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}} T = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$T = 4 \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{g}} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$= 4 \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{g}} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8} \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} \right)$$

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{g}} + 2\pi \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{g}} \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{g}} \left(1 + \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 \frac{\theta_0}{2}\right)$$

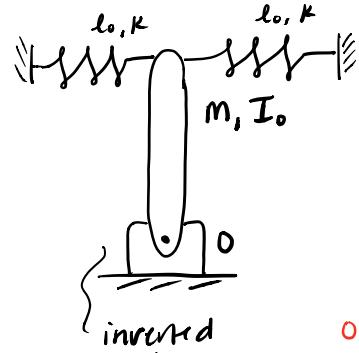
$\xleftrightarrow{\text{small angle period}}$

$\xleftrightarrow{\text{first correction not small angle approximation}}$

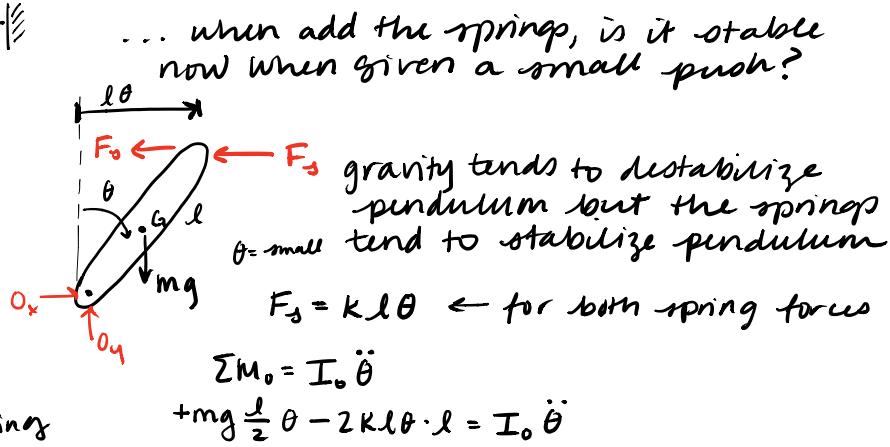
$\xleftrightarrow{\text{first correction}}$

Ex. Rigid bar that pivots at the bottom

... this is NOT an oscillatory system when inverted pendulum



VERTICAL position  
is unstable w/out springs



so the equation of motion for this system is

$$I_0 \ddot{\theta} + \left( 2 k l^2 - mg \frac{l}{2} \right) \theta = 0$$

solution of DE depends on sign of  $(2 k l^2 - mg \frac{l}{2})$

↳ if  $(2 k l^2 - mg \frac{l}{2}) > 0$ , solution is

$$\theta(t) = A \sin \omega_n t + B \cos \omega_n t \quad \theta \text{ is oscillatory in this case}$$

where  $\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{2 k l^2 - mg \frac{l}{2}}{I_0}}$

↳ if  $(2 k l^2 - mg \frac{l}{2}) < 0$  (negative), then

$$\theta(t) = A e^{\lambda t} + B e^{-\lambda t}, \quad \lambda = \sqrt{\frac{mg \frac{l}{2} - 2 k l^2}{I_0}}$$

and  $\theta$  is not oscillatory ... it has an exponential growth and the  $A e^{\lambda t}$  grows with time while  $B$  term is decaying to get exponential growth + decay

... for our purposes, we'll be looking at the oscillatory cases