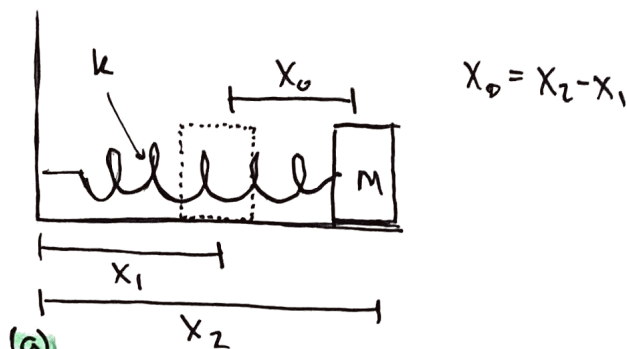


PROBLEM 4 (kck 5.8)



(a)

Energy of m at x_1 : $\frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx_0^2 = \frac{1}{2}k(x_2 - x_1)^2$

Energy of m after one cycle returning to $x_2 - \Delta x$ due to friction: $\frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2 = \frac{1}{2}k(x_2 - x_1 - \Delta x)^2$

$\Delta U = \frac{1}{2}k[(x_2 - x_1 - \Delta x)^2 - (x_2 - x_1)^2]$

Now, due to the definition of work, the work done by friction is $4f(x_2 - x_1)$ for one full cycle. Since $W = -\Delta U$, we can write that:

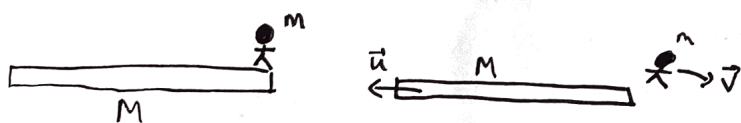
$$4f(x_2 - x_1) = -\frac{1}{2}k[(x_2 - x_1 - \Delta x)^2 - (x_2 - x_1)^2] = k\Delta x(x_2 - x_1)$$

$\therefore 4f = k\Delta x \rightarrow \Delta x = \frac{4f}{k}$ $\therefore \Delta x$ is constant, and therefore the decrease of amplitude is the same for all cycles.

(b)

$n \cdot \Delta x = (x_2 - x_1) \rightarrow n \frac{4f}{k} = (x_2 - x_1) \rightarrow n = \frac{k(x_2 - x_1)}{4f}$

PROBLEM 1



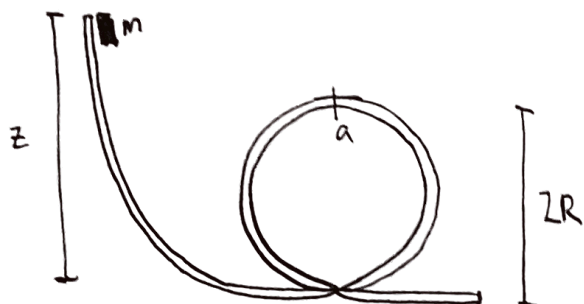
$\vec{P}_i = 0$
 $\vec{P}_f = m\vec{v} + M\vec{u}$ } $\Delta \vec{P} = 0 = m\vec{v} + M\vec{u} \therefore -M\vec{u} = m\vec{v} \rightarrow \vec{u} = -\frac{m\vec{v}}{M}$

$$E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}Mu^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}M\left(-\frac{mv}{M}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2\left(1 + \frac{m}{M}\right)$$

Now, since $E_{\text{man}} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$, $E = E_{\text{man}}\left(1 + \frac{m}{M}\right)$, so the fraction of the energy carried by

the man is $\frac{E_m}{E} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{m}{M}} = \frac{M}{m+M}$. If $m \gg M$, this tends to 0. This means that the man would "carry" a vast part of the total energy. If $M \gg m$, this tends to 1, so nearly 100% of the energy is "carried" by M .

PROBLEM 2. (KK 5.1)



Energy when $t=0$: $\frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 + mgz \rightarrow mgz$ since $v_0=0$.

Energy when m is at point a : $\frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mg(2R)$

Since energy is conserved in this system, we can say that: $\Delta E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mg(2R) - mgz = 0$

$$\therefore v^2 = 2gz - 4gR$$

At point a , $N + mg = \frac{mv^2}{r}$, and $N = mg$, so $2mg = \frac{mv^2}{r}$. By substituting v^2 we get:

$$2mg = \frac{m}{R}(2gz - 4gR) = \frac{2gz}{R} - 4g \rightarrow 6mg = \frac{2gmz}{R} \rightarrow 3 = \frac{z}{R} \rightarrow \boxed{z = 3R}$$

PROBLEM 3 (KK 5.5)

Since all the motion is due to a radial force, we know that tangential acceleration is zero: $a_\theta = r\ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} = 0$ since $\dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \omega$, we can write

$$\int_{\omega_i}^{\omega_f} \frac{d\omega}{\omega} = -2 \int_{r_i}^{r_f} \frac{dr}{r}, \text{ so } \omega_f = \frac{r_i^2 \omega_i}{r_f^2}, \text{ as we can see, the numerator depends on the initial conditions, and it corresponds to } mr^2\dot{\theta}, \text{ so therefore it remains constant.}$$

$$\omega_f = \frac{C}{r_f^2}$$

Now, apply conservation of energy to show that $W_{21} = \Delta KE$.

$$\Delta k^{\text{tangential}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{mC^2}{r_f^2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{mC^2}{r_i^2} \quad \Delta k^{\text{radial}} = \frac{1}{2} mv_f^2 - \frac{1}{2} mv_i^2$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{1}{2} mv_f^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{mC^2}{r_f^2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{mC^2}{r_i^2} - \frac{1}{2} mv_i^2 \quad (1)$$

Now, since $\text{Work} = \int F_{\text{radial}} dr$, find the work. After some integration, we get:

$$W = \frac{1}{2} mv_f^2 - \frac{1}{2} mv_i^2, \text{ and comparing to (1) we see that Work corresponds to the change in KE.}$$