

Solutions for Tutorial #1

Example -1

Natural frequency of a SHM is $1/\pi \text{ s}^{-1}$

At $t=0$, displacement from equilibrium position is 0.3m & velocity 0.7 ms $^{-1}$

We have to find phase (ϕ) & Amplitude (A)

$$x = A e^{i(\omega_0 t + \phi)} \quad (1)$$

We can write eqn (1) as $x = A[\cos(\omega_0 t + \phi) + i\sin(\omega_0 t + \phi)]$

At $t=0$, x is 0.3 m $x = A[\cos\phi + i\sin\phi] \quad (2)$

We can take imaginary part as zero $0.3 = A\cos\phi \quad (3)$

Velocity $v = \frac{dx}{dt} = A\omega_0[i\cos\phi - \sin\phi] = 0.7 \text{ (at } t = 0)$

Again imaginary part is zero $0.7 = -A\omega_0\sin\phi \quad (4)$

Now, $\frac{(4)}{(3)}$, we get $\tan\phi = -\frac{0.7}{0.3} \frac{1}{\omega_0} \quad (5)$

We know, $\omega_0 = 2\pi f$ and $f = \frac{1}{\pi}$ thus $\omega_0 = 2$

Therefore from (5) $\phi = \tan^{-1}\left[-\frac{0.7}{0.6}\right] = -49.4^\circ$

Now we can put value of ϕ in (3) and get amplitude $A = 0.46$

Example -2

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

(a) $x^2 = A^2 \cos^2(\omega t + \phi)$

$$\langle x^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x^2 dt = \frac{A^2}{T} \int_0^T \cos^2(\omega t + \phi) dt = \frac{A^2}{T} \frac{T}{2} = \frac{A^2}{2}$$

$$[Using \ 2\cos^2 x = (1 + \cos 2x)]$$

Again,

$$x^4 = A^4 \cos^4(\omega t + \phi) = \frac{A^4}{4} [1 + \cos 2(\omega t + \phi)]^2 = \frac{A^4}{4} [1 + 2\cos 2(\omega t + \phi) + \cos^2 2(\omega t + \phi)]$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle x^4 \rangle &= \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x^4 dt \\ &= \frac{A^4}{4T} \int_0^T [1 + 2\cos 2(\omega t + \phi) + \cos^2 2(\omega t + \phi)] dt \\ &= \frac{A^4}{4T} [T + 0 + \frac{T}{2}] \\ &= \frac{3A^4}{8}\end{aligned}$$

Example -2 Continued

(b) $V(x) = 2e^{a^2x^2} = 2[1 + a^2x^2 + \frac{a^4x^4}{2} + ..]$

For small displacement x is small .. $V(x) \simeq 2[1 + a^2x^2]$

Force, $F = -\frac{dv}{dx} = -4a^2x = -kx$

$F \propto -x \rightarrow S.H.O$

Differential eqn of S.H.O -

$$m\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \omega^2x = 0, \text{ where } \omega = \sqrt{\left(\frac{k}{m}\right)}$$

Time period, $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = 2\pi\sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{k}\right)}$

Here, m=0.3 kg and k = -4 for a=1

Example -3

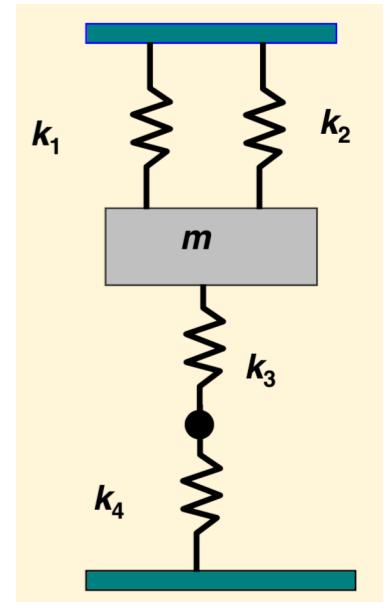
(a) $m = 10Kg; k_1 = 1000N/m, K_2 = 3000N/m; K_3 = K_4 = 0$

In this case since K_3 and $K_4 = 0$, it becomes a **parallel combination** of springs , Unlike resistors in this case spring constants are **added in series**

$$K_{eq} = K_1 + K_2 = 4000N/m$$

Frequency of oscillation is .. $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{K_{eq}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{4000}{10}} = 20 \text{ r.p.s.}$

(b) $m = 10Kg; K_1 = K_2 = 0; K_3 = 1000N/m, K_4 = 3000N/m$



In this case since K_1 and $K_2 = 0$, it becomes a **series combination** of springs , Unlike resistors in this case spring constants are **added in parallel**

$$K_{eq} = \frac{K_3 K_4}{K_3 + K_4} = 750N/m$$

Frequency of oscillation is .. $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{K_{eq}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{750}{10}} = 8.66 \text{ r.p.s.}$

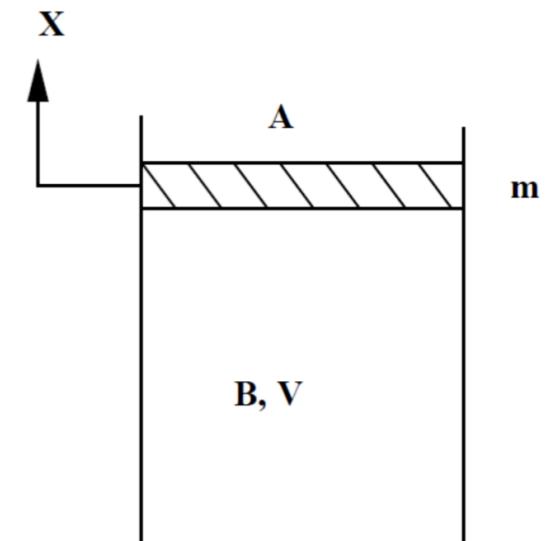
Example -4

Bulk modulus $B = -\frac{dP}{\frac{dV}{V_0}} = -V_0 \frac{dP}{dV}$ V_0 is the initial volume

For a small displacement of piston by an amount of dx , $dV = Adx$

$$\text{So, } B = -\frac{V_0}{A} \frac{dP}{dx} \Rightarrow dP = -\frac{AB}{V_0} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow dF = -\frac{A^2 B}{V_0} dx \Rightarrow F = -\frac{A^2 B}{V_0} x$$



Equation of motion,

$$F = m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} \Rightarrow m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + \frac{A^2 B}{V_0} x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + \omega^2 x = 0$$

So frequency of vibration,

$$\omega = \sqrt{\left(\frac{A^2 B}{V_0}\right)}$$

Example -4 continued

In isothermal process, $PV = \text{Constant}$ $\Rightarrow PdV + VdP = 0$

For small oscillation from equilibrium condition, $P \simeq P_0 = 1 \text{ atm}$ & $V \simeq V_0$

So from , $PdV + VdP = 0 \Rightarrow -V_0 \frac{dP}{dV} = P_0 \Rightarrow B = P_0$

So vibrational frequency (comparing previous case), $\omega = \sqrt{\left(\frac{A^2 P_0}{V_0}\right)}$

In adiabatic process,

$$PV^\gamma = \text{Constant} \Rightarrow P\gamma V^{\gamma-1} dV + V^\gamma dP = 0$$

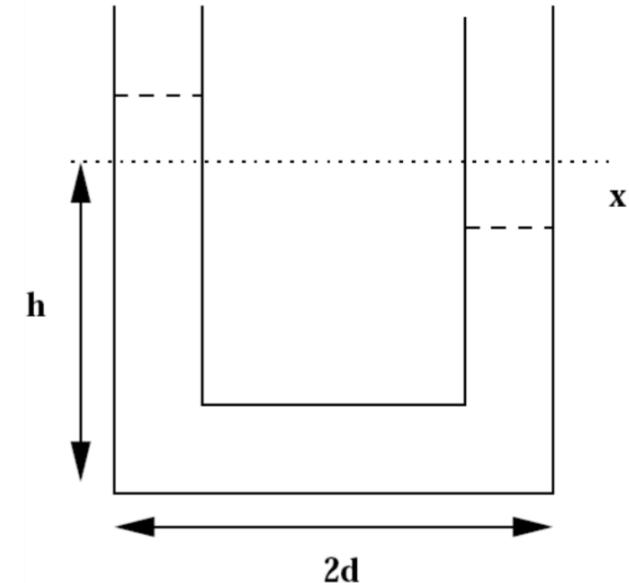
For small oscillation from equilibrium condition, $P \simeq P_0 = 1 \text{ atm}$ & $V \simeq V_0$

$$\Rightarrow P_0 \gamma \frac{dV}{V_0} + dP = 0 \Rightarrow -V_0 \frac{dP}{dV} = \gamma P_0 \Rightarrow B = \gamma P_0$$

So vibrational frequency (comparing previous case), $\omega = \sqrt{\left(\frac{A^2 \gamma P_0}{V_0}\right)}$

Example -5

Let's assume liquid in the U tube has density ρ and
 A is cross-sectional area



Total change in length due to vertical displacement is $(2x)$

Restoring force (F_R) acting on the liquid due to this displacement will be $-mg$,

Where g is acceleration due to gravity and m is the mass of the liquid in column $(2x)$

$$F_R = -mg = -[\text{volume} \times \text{density}]g = -[a \times (2x) \times \rho]g$$

According to work energy principle, F_R must be equal to M [total mass of the entire liquid] times acceleration ..

$$M \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = -\rho A(2x)g \quad (1) \quad \text{Where, } M = \rho A(2h + 2d) = 2\rho A(h + d)$$

From eqn (1) we get,

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \frac{g}{(h + d)}x = 0 \quad (2)$$

Eqn of motion in SHM written as,

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \omega^2x = 0 \quad (3)$$

Comparing (2) & (3) we get ,

$$\omega^2 = \frac{g}{(h + d)}$$

$$\text{Then, } T \text{ (time period)} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \quad \text{And, } f \text{ (frequency)} = \frac{1}{T}$$