

Example 1 Complete the following:

a. Amplitude (A)is the ______displacement from the central position.

b. Frequency (f) is the number of oscillations

per_____. $\left(Hz = \frac{1}{s} or _ s^{-1} \right)$

c. Period (T) – time taken for one complete

Solution

- a. maximum
- b. second
- c. revolution

Example 2 FY13 2018 Q9

Force of simple harmonic motion at centre position is always_____.

Solution: A

A. zero.

B. negative

C minimum

D. maximum

<u>Example 3</u> FY13 2017 Q10

A mass is oscillating horizontally in Simple Harmonic Motion about the point O.



Which of the following describes its acceleration and velocity as the mass passes through the point O?

	Acceleration	Velocity
А	zero	Zero
В	maximum	Zero
С	zero	Maximum
D	maximum	maximum

Solution: C

Student Activity 1. FY13 2019 Q1

When an object is oscillating with simple harmonic motion, its motion through the equilibrium position can be best described by

- A. zero velocity and maximum force
- B. zero acceleration and minimum speed
- C. zero acceleration and maximum speed
- D. zero amplitude and maximum acceleration

2<u>. FY13 2016 Q9</u>

The number of oscillations that a particle undergoes per unit time interval is its

- A. amplitude
- B. frequency
- C. angular frequency
- D. angular acceleration

3. <u>FY13 2015 Q10</u>

In order for an object to move in a simple harmonic motion (SHM) when it is released from its equilibrium position, the object must

- A. be suspended like a pendulum.
- B. experience a gravitational force.
- C. move in a circular path at a constant speed.

D. experience a restoring force proportional to its displacement.

Please check out this video from YouTube explaining the lesson:

- 1. https://youtu.be/N3JV8WDTBc0
- 2. https://youtu.be/C-iz3cHLZdA
- 3. https://youtu.be/NxQQjnpL7U0.



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1. https://youtu.be/f24swwtvTkQ

2. https://youtu.be/y6-NxJz6OEQ



Example 2 :FY13 2015 Q5

An object undergoing simple harmonic motion (SHM) has its displacement, y, at time t seconds given by the equation.

$$y = 5\sin(4t + \frac{\pi}{4})$$

(i) What is the initial phase angle ϕ ? $\frac{\pi}{4}radian \text{ or } \frac{180}{4} = 45^{\circ}$ (ii) Calculate the velocity at time t = 0 sec.

$$v = \omega \sqrt{A^2 - x^2}$$

$$\omega = 4 \frac{rad}{s}, A = 5m$$

$$= 4\sqrt{5^2 - 3.54^2}$$

Calculate x by
substituting $t = 0$ in

$$y = 5 \sin\left(4(0) + \frac{180}{4}\right)$$

$$= 3.54 m$$

= 14. 14 *m/s* Example 3: FY13 2019 Q3

A 0.4 kg mass is connected to a spring with a spring constant of 20 N/m and oscillates on a frictionless horizontal surface with amplitude of 5 cm. Calculate the velocity when the mass is at a displacement of 4 cm.

 $k = 20 N/m, m = 0.4 kg, A = 5cm = \frac{5}{100} = 0.05 m$

Displacement = $x = 4 \ cm = 4 \div 100 = 0.04 \ m$ $v = \omega \sqrt{A^2 - x^2}$ $calculate \omega$ $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{20}{0.4}} = 7.07 \ rad/s$ $v = 7.07 \times \sqrt{0.05^2 - 0.04^2} = 0.21 \ m/s$

Student Activity 1. FY13 2016 Q3a

An object undergoing simple harmonic motion has its displacement, x, at time, t, seconds given by the equation below.

$$x = 5.2\cos(2\pi t + \frac{\pi}{3})$$

(i) Determine the phase constant of the motion.
(ii) Calculate the displacement at time, t = 1 second.

2. <u>FY13 2014 Q8</u>

An object undergoing simple harmonic motion has its displacement, x, at time, t, seconds given by the equation

$$x = 0.5\cos(4\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4})$$

(i) Determine the amplitude and its initial phase angle.(ii) Calculate, T, the period of the motion.(iii) Calculate the manimum encoder

(iii) Calculate the maximum speed.

3. FY13 2014 Q2a

The piston inside a car cylinder oscillates up and down in simple harmonic motion, as shown, at 6000 cycles per minute. It travels up and down through a total distance of 24 cm for each cycle.



(i) What is the amplitude of the piston's motion?

(ii) Calculate the motions angular frequency.

(iii) At what position does the piston have maximum acceleration?

(iv) Calculate the maximum acceleration of the piston.

WEEK 3: MONDAY 19/07 TO FRIDAY 23/07				
Achievement Indicators				
Relate the gradient	Use the expression for period and			
to angular velocity	angular velocity o	of a spring and		
	pendulum to solve related quantities			
Difference between the Spring and the mass System				
	<u>Spring</u>	Pendulum		
Period (T)	m			
Tenou (T)	$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$	$T = 2\pi \left \frac{l}{r} \right $		
		\sqrt{g}		
Frequency (f)	1 k	$f = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$		
	$f = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{m}}$	$2\pi \sqrt{l}$		
Angular	k	$\omega = \left \frac{g}{r} \right $		
frequency (w)	$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{1}{m}}$	Νl		
Factors that	Mass	Length of the		
determines	Spring constant	pendulum		
period		Acceleration		
(dependent)		due to		
		gravity		
Factor that	Amplitude	mass		
does not	-			
determine				
period(indepen				
dent)				

Example 1

A 1 kg block connected to a light spring with a force constant of 100 N/m is free to oscillate on horizontal frictionless surface. The block is displaced 6 cm from equilibrium position and released from rest.

a) Determine the angular frequency

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{100}{1}} = 10 \text{ rad/s}$$

b) Find the period of its motion

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{1}{100}} = 0.628 s$$

c) Calculate maximum speed of the block.

$$v = \omega A$$

 $= 10 \times 0.06 = 0.6 \ m/s$ d) Determine the maximum acceleration $a = \omega^2 A = 10^2 \times 0.06 = 6 \ m/s^2$

Graph of acceleration , a, against displacement , x

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Example 2

The graph below shows the acceleration against displacement for an object performing SHM.



a)_State the relationship between the acceleration and displacement.

Directly proportional to the negative displacement and acceleration is always directed towards the equilibrium position.

$$a \alpha - x$$

 $a = -kx$

b) Calculate the gradient of the graph.

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{4 - -4}{-0.4 - 0.4} = -10$$

c) Calculate angular frequency

$$m = -\omega^{2}$$
$$-10 = -\omega^{2}$$
$$= \sqrt{10} = 3.16 \ rad/s$$

Please check out this video from YouTube explaining the lesson: <u>https://youtu.be/4CFkXeEDjNE</u>

ω

Student Activity	a) Explain clearly how the graph shows that the
1. A pendulum of length 1.8 m oscillates with amplitude of 0.4	object is moving with simple harmonic motion.
m.	
a) What is the period and frequency of the pendulum?	
b) Find the velocity at the mid- point of the spring.	b) Write an expression of the gradient of the graph in terms of ω .
	c) Find the gradient of the graph, and hence, the value of ω .
c) If the mass of the bob is doubled, calculate the new period.	d) Calculate the period of the SHM.
2. The graph given below shows Acceleration against Displacement for an object performing SHM. Acceleration (ms ⁻²)	3. FY13 2012 Q6a A small mass vibrating with SHM has a velocity of 0.5 m/s as it passes through its equilibrium position- the midpoint of the motion a) What is the velocity of the mass at its maximum displacement?
-0.5 -0.25 0 0.25 0.5 Displacement (m)	b) If the amplitude of the vibration is 5 cm, what is the period?



1. https://youtu.be/XjkUcJkGd3Y2. https://youtu.be/XjkUcJkGd3Y

Example 1: FY13 2011 Q5

A pendulum of length 2 m and a mass of 5 kg swings with amplitude of 0.3 m. Calculate the a) period (T)

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{2}{9.8}} = 2.84 s$$

b) total energy of the SHM
$$E_T = \frac{1}{2}kA^2 = \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 A^2$$
$$= \frac{1}{2}(5)(2.21)^2(0.3)^2$$
$$= 1.10 \text{ J}$$
$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T}$$
$$= \frac{2\pi}{2.84}$$
$$= 2.21 \text{ rad /s}$$

c) potential energy at the point where the mass is moving with a speed of 0.5 m/s.

$$E_T = 1.10$$
 J
Velocity is given so means kinetic energy
 $E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$
 $= \frac{1}{2}(5)(0.5)^2 = 0.63$ J
 $E_p = ?$
 $E_T = E_k + E_p$
 $1.10 = 0.63 + E_p$
 $E_p = 1.10 - 0.63 = 0.47$ J

Example 2:FY13 2010 Q5

A 3kg mass is attached to a spring $(k = 300 \frac{N}{m})$

oscillates on a frictionless surface with an amplitude of 0.5 m. $\,$



Calculate the:

a) total energy of the oscillation

$$m = 3 \, kg, k = 300 \frac{N}{m}, A = 0.5 \, m$$
$$E_T = \frac{1}{2} \, kA^2 = \frac{1}{2} \, (300)(0.5^2) = 37.5 \, J$$

b) speed of the mass at the equilibrium position. At equilibrium velocity = maximum A = 0

$$E_{T} = E_{p} + E_{k}$$

$$E_{T} = 0 + E_{k}$$

$$E_{T} = E_{k}$$

$$E_{T} = E_{k} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2}$$

$$37.5 = \frac{1}{2}(3)v^{2}$$

$$37.5 = 1.5v^{2}$$

$$v^{2} = 25$$

$$v = \sqrt{25} = 5 m/s$$

c) kinetic and potential energy, 0.2 m from the equilibrium position



<u>Student Activity</u> <u>1. FY13 2015 Q3c</u>

A 3 kg mass is fastened to a light spring that passes over a pulley. The pulley is frictionless and its inertia can be neglected.



The mass is released from rest when the spring is not stretched. The mass drops 10 cm before coming to rest at the equilibrium. The mass then vibrates with an amplitude of 5 cm after it is pulled and released. (i) Find the force constant of the spring (ii) Find the speed of vibration of spring. (iii) Calculate the total energy of the oscillating mass

(iii) Calculate the total energy of the oscillating mass.(iv) Calculate the velocity of the mass wen it is 3 cm below the equilibrium



I. Calculate the total mechanical energy of the simple harmonic oscillator.

$$m = 3 kg, k = 300 \frac{N}{m}, A = 0.4 m$$
$$E_T = \frac{1}{2} kA^2 = \frac{1}{2} (300)(0.4^2) = 24J$$

b) potential energy of the system varies with the displacement, x?

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<u>Student Activity</u> 1. FY13 2013 Q4a

The diagram below shows a 6 N force exerted on a spring.



(i) Calculate the force constant of the spring The spring balance is removed and is replaced by

a 0.5 kg mass. The spring is then pulled a distance

of 2 cm, releases and is observed to oscillate in SHM.

(ii) Determine the angular frequency of this

oscillation

(iii) Calculate the frequency of the oscillation.

Compute the maximum acceleration of the spring.

(iv) Calculate the total energy of the spring.

2. <u>FY13 2016 Q5a</u>

A spring having a force constant of 240 N/m is loaded with a mass of 10 g.

(i) Find the period of vibration.

(ii) If the mass is displaced 30 cm and then released, find the maximum velocity with which it passes through the equilibrium position.

(iii) Calculate the total energy of the vibrating mass.

3. FY13 2018 Q2a

A 5 kg mass is oscillating at the end of a spring with an amplitude of 12 cm. The spring constant, k, 700 N/m.



Calculate the (i) angular frequency

(ii) maximum velocity of the oscillating mass

(iii) maximum acceleration

(iv) kinetic energy of the mass at the centre/ equilibrium.

4. <u>FY13 2015 Q11</u>

A body executes simple harmonic motion. Which one of the graphs, A to D, best shows the relationship between the kinetic energy of the body and its distance from the centre of oscillation?

