

(Simple Harmonic Oscillations, Wave Motion)

3) 1.47 Hz

4) 2.94 Hz

1. If a particle takes 0.5 sec to reach position of minimum velocity from the previous such position, then
- 1) $T = 6$ sec, $v = 1/6$ Hz 2) $T = 2$ sec, $v = 1$ Hz
3) $T = 3$ sec, $v = 3$ Hz 4) $T = 1$ sec, $v = 1$ Hz
2. The angular velocities of three bodies in simple harmonic motion are $\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3$ with their respective amplitudes as A_1, A_2, A_3 . If all the three bodies have the same mass and velocity, then:
- 1) $A_1\omega_1 = A_2\omega_2 = A_3\omega_3$ 2) $A_1\omega_1^2 = A_2\omega_2^2 = A_3\omega_3^2$
3) $A_1^2\omega_1 = A_2^2\omega_2 = A_3^2\omega_3$ 4) $A_1^2\omega_1^2 = A_2^2\omega_2^2 = A_3^2\omega_3^2$
3. A simple pendulum oscillates in a vertical plane. When it passes through the mean position, the tension in the string of 3 times the weight of the pendulum bob. What is the maximum displacement of the string of the pendulum with respect to the vertical?
- 1) 30° 2) 45°
3) 60° 4) 90°
4. A simple pendulum is executing simple harmonic motion with a time period T . If the length of the pendulum is increased by 21%, the increase in the time period of the pendulum of increased length is
- 1) 10% 2) 21%
3) 30% 4) 50%
5. In a sinusoidal wave, the time required for a particular point to move from maximum displacement to zero displacement is 0.17 sec. The frequency of the wave is
- 1) 0.36 Hz 2) 0.73 Hz
6. The potential energy of a simple harmonic oscillator when the particle is half way to its end point is (where E is the total energy)
- 1) $\frac{1}{8}E$ 2) $\frac{1}{4}E$
3) $\frac{1}{2}E$ 4) $\frac{2}{3}E$
7. When a body of mass 1.0 kg is suspended from a certain light spring hanging vertically, its length increases by 5 cm. By suspending 2.0 kg block to the spring and if the block is pulled through 10 cm and released, the maximum velocity of it (in m/s) is
- 1) 0.5
2) 1
3) 2
4) 4
8. An object is attached to the bottom of a light vertical spring and set vibrating. The maximum speed of the object is 15 cm/sec and the time period is 628 milliseconds. The amplitude of the motion (in centimeters) is
- 1) 3.0 2) 2.0
3) 1.5 4) 1.0
9. Two particles A and B of equal masses are suspended from two massless springs of spring constant k_1 and k_2 , respectively. If **maximum** velocities during oscillation are equal the ratio of amplitudes of A and B is
- 1) $\frac{k_1}{k_2}$ 2) $\frac{k_2}{k_1}$
3) $\sqrt{\frac{k_1}{k_2}}$ 4) $\sqrt{\frac{k_2}{k_1}}$

10. Which of the following functions represents a simple harmonic oscillation?

- 1) $\sin \omega t - \cos \omega t$ 2) $\sin^2 \omega t$
 3) $\sin \omega t + \sin 2\omega t$ 4) $\sin(\omega t - \sin 2\omega t)$

11. If the length of a pendulum is made 9 times and mass of the bob is made 4 times, then the value of time period becomes:

- 1) $3T$ 2) $(3/2)T$
 3) $4T$ 4) $2T$

12. A body oscillates with an amplitude of 10 cm on a horizontal platform. The maximum angular frequency with which the platform can vibrate vertically such that the body of mass 10 kg will not leave constant, is

- 1) 1 rad/sec 2) 10 rad/sec
 3) 20 rad/sec 4) None of these

13. A simple pendulum performs simple harmonic motion about $x=0$ with an amplitude a and time period T . The speed of the pendulum at $x = a/2$ will be

- 1) $\frac{\pi a}{T}$ 2) $\frac{3\pi^2 a}{T}$
 3) $\frac{\pi a\sqrt{3}}{T}$ 4) $\frac{\pi a\sqrt{3}}{2T}$

14. A particle executes simple harmonic motion with a period of 8 s and amplitude 4 cm. Its maximum speed (in cm/s) is:

- 1) π 2) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
 3) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ 4) $\frac{\pi}{4}$

15. A uniform spring of force constant (k) is cut into two pieces whose lengths are in the ratio of 1:2. What is the force constant of second piece in terms of k ?

- 1) $\frac{k}{2}$ 2) $\frac{2k}{2}$
 3) $\frac{3k}{2}$ 4) $\frac{4k}{2}$

16. A wave travelling in the +ve direction having displacement along y-direction as 1 m, wavelength 2π m and frequency of $\frac{1}{\pi}$ Hz is represented by

- 1) $y = \sin(2\pi x - 2\pi t)$ 2) $y = \sin(10\pi x - 20\pi t)$
 3) $y = \sin(2\pi x + 2\pi t)$ 4) $y = \sin(x - 2t)$

17. A uniform rope of length L and mass m_1 hangs vertically from a rigid support. A block of mass m_2 is attached to the free end of the rope. A transverse pulse of wavelength λ_1 is produced at the lower end of the rope. The wavelength of pulse when it reaches the top of the rope is λ_2 . The ratio λ_2 / λ_1 is

- 1) $\sqrt{\frac{m_1}{m_2}}$ 2) $\sqrt{\frac{m_1 + m_2}{m_2}}$
 3) $\sqrt{\frac{m_2}{m_1}}$ 4) $\sqrt{\frac{m_1 + m_2}{m_1}}$

18. Stationary waves are so called because in them:

- 1) There occurs no flow of energy along the wave 2) The particles of the medium do not execute SHM
 3) The particles of the medium are not disturbed at all 4) The interference effect cannot be observed

