

## PHYSICS

### BOOKS - MARVEL PHYSICS (HINGLISH)

#### OSCILLATIONS

#### MCQ

1. In the differl equation  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \omega^2x = 0$  , for a simple harmonic motion, the term  $\omega^2$  represents

- A. restoring force per unit mass
- B. restoring force per unit displacement

C. restoring force per unit mass per unit displacement

D. acceleration per unit mass per unit displacement

**Answer: C**



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2. The physical quantity whose SI unit is the same as that of the force constant is

A. pressure

B. surface tension

C. potential energy

D. torque

**Answer: B**



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3. A particle moving along the X-axis executes simple harmonic motion, then the force acting on it is given by where, A and K are positive constants.

A.  $F = A \cos(Ky)$

B.  $F = A \sin(Ky)$

C.  $F = -A Ky$

D.  $F = A Ky$

**Answer: C**



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4. The equation of displacement of a harmonic oscillator is  $x = 3 \sin \omega t + 4 \cos \omega t$  amplitude is

A. 2

B. 5

C. 7

D. 12

**Answer: B**



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5. The displacement of a particle varies with time according to the relation  $y = a \sin \omega t + b \cos \omega t$ .

A. it is an oscillatory motion but not a SHM

B. it is a SHM of amplitude A

C. it is a SHM of amplitude 2A

D. it is a SHM of amplitude  $A\sqrt{2}$

**Answer: D**



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6. Two simple harmonic motions are represented as

$$y_1 = 10\sin\omega \quad \text{and} \quad y_2 = 5\sin\omega t + 5\cos\omega t$$

The ration of the amplitudes of  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  is

A. 1 : 1

B. 1 :  $\sqrt{2}$

C.  $\sqrt{2}$  : 1

D. 1 : 4

**Answer: C**



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7. The restoring force  $F$  acting on a particle of mass ( $m$ ) executing a S. H. M. is given by  $F = -Kx$ , where  $x$  is the displacement and  $K$  is a constant. Then the angular velocity of the particle is given by

A.  $\sqrt{\frac{m}{K}}$

B.  $\sqrt{\frac{K}{m}}$

C.  $mK$

D.  $\sqrt{mK}$

**Answer: B**



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8. When a particle performs a U.C.M. of diameter 10cm, its projection along the diameter of the circle, performs a S.H.M. of amplitude

A. 10 cm

B. 5 cm

C. 20 cm

D. 2.5 cm

**Answer: B**



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9. The frequency of a particle performing a linear S.H.M is

$\frac{5}{2\pi}$  Hz. The differential equation of S.H.M. is

A.  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 16x = 0$

B.  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 25x = 0$

C.  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 15x^2 = 0$

D.  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 10x = 0$

**Answer: B**



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**10.** Which one of the following statements about a linear S.H.M. is false ?

A. It is periodic motion

B. Acceleration of the particle is directed towards the extreme position

C. The body moves about the mean position along a straight line

D. Velocity is zero at the extreme position

**Answer: B**



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11. A particle executes a simple harmonic motion of amplitude 1.0 cm along the principle axis of a convex lens of focal length 12 cm. The mean position of oscillation is at 20 cm from the lens. Find the lens amplitude of oscillation of image of the particle. Does the image also execute simple harmonic motion ?

A. 1.5 cm

B. 2.3 cm

C. 2.8 cm

D. 3.2 cm

**Answer: B**

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12. The function  $\sin^2(\omega t)$  represents:

A. a periodic, but not a simple harmonic motion with a

period  $\pi / \omega$

B. a simple harmonic motion with a period  $2\pi / \omega$

C. a simple harmonic motion with a period  $\pi / \omega$

D. a periodic, but not simple harmonic motion with a period  $2\pi / \omega$

**Answer: A**

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**13.** The displacement of a particle varies with time according to the relation  $y = a \sin \omega t + b \cos \omega t$ .

A. The motion is oscillatory but not SHM

B. The motion is SHM with an amplitude  $a+b$

C. The motion is SHM with an amplitude  $a^2 + b^2$

D. The motion is SHM with an amplitude  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$



**Answer: D**



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**14.** If the particle in linear S.H.M. starts from the extreme left position, then its equation of motion is given by

A.  $x = A\sin(\omega t + \pi/2)$

B.  $x = A\sin(\omega t - \pi/2)$

C.  $x = -A\sin(\omega t + \pi/2)$

D.  $x = A\cos\omega t$

**Answer: B**



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15. For a simple harmonic oscillator, the acceleration is  $3\text{m/s}^2$  when the displacement is 0.03 m. The angular frequency of the oscillator is

A.  $1\text{rad/s}$

B.  $0.1\text{rad/s}$

C.  $10\text{rad/s}$

D.  $100\text{rad/s}$

**Answer: C**



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16. A particle executes a linear S.H.M. of amplitude 8 cm and period 2s. The magnitude of its maximum velocity is

- A.  $8\pi$  cm/second
- B.  $16\pi$  cm/second
- C.  $4\pi$  cm/second
- D.  $2\pi$  cm/second

**Answer: A**



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17. A particle moves in such a way that its acceleration  $a = -bx$ , where  $x$  is its displacement from the mean position

and  $b$  is a constant. The period of its oscillation is

A.  $2\pi b$

B.  $\frac{2\pi}{b}$

C.  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{b}}$

D.  $2\pi\sqrt{b}$

**Answer: C**



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**18.** A particle performs a S.H.M. of amplitude  $A$  and period  $T$ . If the particle is half way between the mean position and the extreme position, then its speed at that point will be

A.  $\frac{\pi A\sqrt{3}}{T}$

B.  $\frac{3\pi^2 A}{T}$

C.  $\frac{\pi A}{T}$

D.  $\frac{\pi A\sqrt{3}}{2T}$

**Answer: A**



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**19.** A body performs a S.H.M. of amplitude  $a$ . If the speed of the particle is half of its maximum speed, then the displacement of the particle is

A.  $\frac{a}{2}$

B.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a$

C. a

D. 2a

**Answer: B**



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20. For a particle performing linear SHM, its average speed over one oscillation is (where, a= amplitude of SHM, n=frequency of oscillation)

A.  $\frac{A\omega}{\pi}$

B.  $\frac{2A\omega}{\pi}$

C. Zero

D.  $\frac{2\pi}{A\omega}$

**Answer: B**



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21. The differential equation of a particle performing a S.H.M. is  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 64x = 0$ . The period of oscillation of the particle is

A. 10 sec

B. 5 sec

C.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  sec

D.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  sec

**Answer: D**



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**22.** For a linear harmonic oscillator, period is  $\pi$  second and amplitude is 5 cm. The velocity of the oscillator, when it is at a distance of 1 cm from the extreme position is

A.  $6\text{cm} / \text{s}$

B.  $5\text{cm} / \text{s}$

C.  $4\text{cm} / \text{s}$

D.  $3\text{cm} / \text{s}$



**Answer: A**



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**23.** In a S.H.M., the path length is 4 cm and the maximum acceleration is  $2\pi^2 cm / s^2$ . The periodic time of S.H.M. is

A.  $\frac{1}{2} s$

B.  $\frac{1}{4} s$

C. 2 s

D. 4 s

**Answer: C**



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24. The maximum velocity and the maximum acceleration of a body moving in a simple harmonic oscillator are  $2 \text{ m/s}$  and  $4m / s^2$ . Then angular velocity will be

A.  $4 \text{ rad/s}$

B.  $3 \text{ rad/s}$

C.  $2 \text{ rad/s}$

D.  $1 \text{ rad/s}$

**Answer: C**



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25. A particle executes a S.H.M. of amplitude  $A$  and maximum velocity  $V_m$  then its speed at displacement  $A/2$  is

A.  $\frac{V_{\max}}{2}$

B.  $\frac{V_{\max}}{4}$

C.  $V_{\max}$

D.  $0.866V_{\max}$

**Answer: D**



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26. The amplitude and the time period in a S.H.M. is 0.5 cm and 0.4 sec respectively. If the initial phase is  $\pi/2$  radian, then the equation of S.H.M. will be

A.  $y = 0.5\sin(5\pi t)$

B.  $y = 0.5\cos(5\pi t)$

C.  $y = 0.5\sin(2.5\pi t)$

D.  $y = 0.5\cos(2.5\pi t)$

**Answer: B**



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27. A body of mass 1 gram executes a linear S.H.M. of period 1.57 s. If its maximum velocity is 0.8 m/s, then its maximum displacement from the mean position is

A. 10 cm

B. 20 cm

C. 30 cm

D. 40 cm

**Answer: B**



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28. The displacement of a particle performing a S.H.M is given by  $x=0.25 \cos \left[ 8\pi t + \frac{\pi}{3} \right]$ . The frequency of S.H.M. is

A. 2 Hz

B. 4 Hz

C. 6 Hz

D. 8 Hz

**Answer: B**



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**29.** A linear harmonic oscillator starts from rest at time  $t=0$ . After time  $t=2$  seconds, it again comes to rest, at a distance of 2 cm. The amplitude and period of the harmonic oscillator are given by

A. 2 cm, 2 seconds

B. 1 cm, 4 seconds

C. 2 cm, 4 seconds

D. 1 cm, 2 seconds

**Answer: B**



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**30.** The displacement of particle performing a linear S.H.M. is given by  $x = 5\sin(8\pi t + \pi/3)$ , where  $x$  is in metre and  $t$  is in second. The frequency and period of S.H.M. are given by

A. 4 Hz, 0.5 sec

B. 2 Hz, 0.25 sec

C. 4 Hz, 0.25 sec

D. 4 Hz, 0.75 sec

**Answer: C**



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**31.** A particle performs a linear S.H.M. of period 3 second. The time taken by the particle to cover a distance equal to half the amplitude, from the mean position is

A.  $1/2$  second

B.  $1/4$  second

C.  $3/4$  second

D. 1 second

**Answer: B**



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32. The acceleration of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. is  $16\text{cm} / \text{s}^2$ , when it is at a distance of 4 cm from the mean position. The period of S.H.M. is

A. 6.28 sec

B. 1.57 sec

C. 5 sec

D. 3.14 sec

**Answer: D**



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**33.** A particle performs a S.H.M. of amplitude 10 cm and period 12s. What is the speed of the particle 3s, after passing through its mean position ?

A. 5 cm/s

B. 10 cm/s

C. Zero

D. 7.5 cm/s

**Answer: C**



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34. A particle executes a linear S.H.M. of amplitude  $A$  and period  $T$ . It starts from the mean position. The time required to cover a distance  $A/2$  is

A.  $\frac{T}{4}$

B.  $\frac{T}{3}$

C.  $\frac{T}{8}$

D.  $\frac{T}{12}$

**Answer: D**



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35. The maximum speed of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. is  $0.16 \text{ m/s}$  and the maximum acceleration is  $0.64 \text{ m/s}^2$ . The period of S.H.M. is

- A. 1 second
- B. 2 second
- C. 1.57 second
- D. 3.57 second

**Answer: C**



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**36.** The maximum displacement of a particle executing a linear S.H.M. is 5 cm and its periodic time is 2 sec. If it starts from the mean position then the equation of its displacement is given by

A.  $x = 5\sin 2\pi t$

B.  $x = 5\sin \pi t$

C.  $x = 10\sin 3\pi t$

D.  $x = 5\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}t\right)$

**Answer: B**



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37. The displacement at an instant  $t$ , of a particle executing a linear S.H.M. is given by  $x=5 \sin 31.4(t+0.1)$ . Its periodic time is

A. 2 sec

B. 0.2 sec

C. 0.5 sec

D. 1 sec

**Answer: B**



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38. The amplitude of oscillation of a particle executing a linear S.H.M. is  $\frac{5}{\pi^2}$  cm, If its frequency is 20 Hz, then the magnitude of its maximum acceleration will be

A.  $20m / s^2$

B.  $40m / s^2$

C.  $80m / s^2$

D.  $100m / s^2$

**Answer: C**



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**39.** The acceleration of a particle performing a S.H.M. is  $0.12m / s^2$ , when the particle is at a distance of 3 cm from its equilibrium position. What is the period of S.H.M. ?

A. 3.14 s

B. 6.28 s

C. 1.57 s

D. 10 s

**Answer: A**



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40. The velocity of a particle executing a S.H.M. of frequency 10 oscillations /sec is  $\pi m / s$ , when it is at the mean position, Upto what maximum distance, the particle will be displaced?

A. 2 cm

B. 3 cm

C. 4 cm

D. 5 cm

**Answer: D**



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41. The maximum acceleration of a body moving in SHM is  $a_0$  and maximum velocity is  $v_0$ . The amplitude is given by

A.  $\frac{v_m^2}{a_m}$

B.  $\frac{v_m}{a_m}$

C.  $\frac{a_m^2}{v_m}$

D.  $\frac{a_m}{v_m^2}$

**Answer: A**



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42. What is the displacement of a SHM particle of amplitude 3 cm, where its velocity is  $\frac{1}{3}$  of its maximum

velocity ?

A.  $2\sqrt{2}cm$

B.  $\sqrt{2}cm$

C.  $3\sqrt{2}cm$

D.  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{2}}cm$

**Answer: A**



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**43.** The equation of displacement of a particle performing a S.H.M. is  $x=0.25 \sin(200 t)$  metre. What is the maximum velocity of the particle ?

A.  $200m / s$

B.  $100m / s$

C.  $50m / s$

D.  $25m / s$

**Answer: C**



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**44.** The displacement of a linear simple harmonic oscillator is given by  $y = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{t}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right]$  cm. The maximum acceleration of the oscillator in  $cm s^{-2}$  is

A.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B.  $\frac{\pi^2}{4}$

C.  $\frac{\pi^2}{8}$

D.  $\frac{\pi^2}{16}$

**Answer: D**



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**45.** The instantaneous acceleration ( $a$ ) of a particle executing a linear SHM is given by  $a = -4x$  where  $x$  is the displacement from the mean position. The period of the particle is given by

A.  $\pi s$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{2} s$

C.  $2\pi s$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{4} s$

**Answer: A**

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**46.** The maximum velocity of a linear simple harmonic oscillator represented by  $y = 6\sin(50t + \pi/3)$  is given by [all quantities are in SI units]

A.  $100 \text{ m/s}$

B.  $300 \text{ m/s}$

C.  $6\pi \text{ m/s}$

D.  $\pi / 3m / s$

**Answer: B**



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**47.** The frequency of a linear SHM-oscillator is to be doubled. For this the mass should be

A. doubled

B. halved

C. reduced to one fourth of its original value

D. increased to four times

**Answer: C**





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**48.** A particle executes a SHM of angular velocity  $2 \text{ rad/s}$  and maximum acceleration of  $8 \text{ m/s}^2$ . What is the path length of the oscillator ?

A. 2 m

B. 3 m

C. 4 m

D. 6 m

**Answer: C**



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49. The instantaneous displacement of a simple pendulum oscillator is given by  $x = A \cos\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  Its speed will be maximum at time

A.  $t = \frac{\pi}{\omega}$

B.  $t = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$

C.  $t = \frac{\pi}{4\omega}$

D.  $t = \frac{\omega}{2\pi}$

**Answer: C**



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50. In a linear S.H.M., the acceleration of the particle is zero, when its velocity is

- A. Zero
- B. Maximum
- C. Half of its maximum value
- D. Minimum

**Answer: B**

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51. The displacement of a particle executing a S.H.M. is given by  $x = A \sin \omega t + A \cos \omega t$ . What is the amplitude of

motion ?

A.  $2A$

B.  $\sqrt{2}A$

C.  $\sqrt{3}A$

D.  $A$

**Answer: B**



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**52.** The maximum velocity of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. of amplitude  $1.4 \text{ cm}$  is  $4.4 \text{ m/s}$ . What is the period of S.H.M. ?

A. 0.1 s

B. 0.2 s

C. 2 s

D. 0.02 s

**Answer: D**



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**53.** A particle executes a linear S.H.M. given by  $y = 0.5 \sin 100t$  (metre).

Its amplitude and frequency given in cm and hertz are

A. 50 cm and 100 Hz

B. 5 cm and 50 Hz

C. 50 cm and  $\frac{50}{\pi} Hz$

D. 0.5 and  $\frac{\pi}{50} Hz$

**Answer: C**



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**54.** A body of mass 200 g is executing a S.H.M. of amplitude 50 cm and period 1 s. The magnitude of maximum force acting on the particle is (use  $\pi^2 = 10$ )

A. 1 N

B. 2 N

C. 3 N

D. 4 N

**Answer: D**



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55. The equation of motion of a particle executing a linear S.H.M. is given by  $x = 10\sin(4t - \pi/6) \text{ cm}$ . What is its velocity, when  $x=6$  ?

A. 64 cm/sec

B. 54 cm/sec

C. 32 cm/sec

D. 16 cm/sec

**Answer: C**



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**56.** A particle performs a S.H.M. of period  $2\pi$  sec and amplitude 2 cm. At what distance from the mean position, its velocity and acceleration are numerically equal ?

A.  $\sqrt{2}cm$

B.  $\sqrt{3}cm$

C.  $\sqrt{6}cm$

D.  $\sqrt{5}cm$



**Answer: A**



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57. A particle is executing a simple harmonic motion. Its maximum acceleration is  $\alpha$  and maximum velocity is  $\beta$ .

Then, its time period of vibration will be

A.  $T = \frac{2\pi\beta}{\alpha}$

B.  $T = \frac{2\pi\alpha}{\beta}$

C.  $T = \frac{\beta}{2\pi\alpha}$

D.  $T = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi\beta}$

**Answer: B**



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58. If a body of mass 0.98 kg is made to oscillate on a spring of force constant 4.84 N/m the angular frequency of the body is

A.  $\sqrt{2}rad / s$

B.  $\sqrt{3}rad / s$

C.  $\sqrt{5}rad / s$

D.  $\sqrt{7}rad / s$

**Answer: C**



59. The periodic time of a particle executing a linear S.H.M. is  $\frac{2\pi}{\omega}$ . If its velocity at a distance  $b$  from the mean position is  $\sqrt{3}b\omega$ , then the path length of the particle is

- A.  $b$
- B.  $2b$
- C.  $3b$
- D.  $4b$

**Answer: D**



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60. A body is executing S.H.M. when its displacement from the mean position is 4 cm and 5 cm, the corresponding

velocity of the body is 10 cm/sec and 8 cm/sec. Then the time period of the body is

A.  $\pi$  sec

B.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  sec

C.  $2\pi$  s

D.  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  sec

**Answer: A**



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**61.** A block rests on a horizontal table which is executing SHM in the horizontal plane with an amplitude A. What

will be the frequency of oscillation, the block will just start to slip? Coefficient of friction =  $\mu$ .

A.  $2\pi \sqrt{\frac{A}{\mu g}}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\mu g}{A}}$

C.  $\frac{2\pi \mu g}{A}$

D.  $\frac{1}{4\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\mu g}{A}}$

**Answer: B**



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**62.** A particle is executing simple harmonic motion given

by

$$x = 5 \sin\left(4t - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

The velocity of the particle when its displacement is 3 units is

A.  $16\text{cm} / \text{s}$

B.  $\frac{5\pi}{6}\text{cm} / \text{s}$

C.  $20\text{cm} / \text{s}$

D.  $\frac{2\pi}{3}\text{cm} / \text{s}$

**Answer: A**



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**63.** A particle executes simple harmonic motion with an amplitude of 4 cm . At the mean position the velocity of

the particle is  $10 \text{ cm/s}$ . The distance of the particle from the mean position when its speed becomes  $5 \text{ cm/s}$  is

A.  $2(\sqrt{3}) \text{ cm}$

B.  $2(\sqrt{5}) \text{ cm}$

C.  $\sqrt{5} \text{ cm}$

D.  $\sqrt{3} \text{ cm}$

**Answer: A**



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**64.** The instantaneous displacement of a simple pendulum oscillator is given by  $x = A \cos\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  Its speed will be maximum at time

A.  $\frac{\pi}{2\omega}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4\omega}$

C.  $\frac{2\pi}{\omega}$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{\omega}$

**Answer: B**



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**65.** The height of a swing changes during its motion from 0.1 m to 2.5 m . The minimum velocity of a boy who swings in this swing is

A. 3.14 m/s



B. Zero

C. 5.4 m/s

D. 4.95 m/s

**Answer: B**



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**66.** The maximum velocity for a particle in S.H.M. is 0.16 m/s and the maximum acceleration is  $0.64m/s^2$ . The amplitude of S.H.M. is

A.  $4 \times 10^{-2}m$

B.  $4 \times 10^{-1}m$

C.  $4 \times 10^2 m$

D.  $4 \times 10^{-3} m$

**Answer: A**



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**67.** The periodic time of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. is 12 sec. It starts from the mean position. After 2 seconds, its velocity is found to be  $\pi cm / sec$ . What is the amplitude of S.H.M. ?

A. 12 cm

B. 18 cm

C. 36 cm

D. 24 cm

**Answer: D**



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**68.** A particle is performing a linear S.H.M. of period 24 s. The velocity of the particle is 6.28 m/s after 4 s after crossing the mean position. What is the amplitude of S.H.M. ?

A. 48 cm

B. 36 cm

C. 24 cm

D. 12 cm

**Answer: A**



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69. A particle performing SHM has time period  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$  and path length 4 cm. The displacement from mean position at which acceleration is equal to velocity is

A. 1 cm

B. 2 cm

C. 3 cm

D. 4 cm

**Answer: A**





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70. A particle executes a linear S.H.M. of angular velocity  $4 \text{ rad/s}$  and maximum acceleration of  $8m/s^2$ . What is its path length ?

A. 0.5 m

B. 0.75 m

C. 1 m

D. 2 m

**Answer: C**



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71. A large horizontal surface moves up and down in SHM with an amplitude of 1 cm . If a mass of 10 kg (which is placed on the surface) is to remain continually in contact with it, the maximum frequency of S.H.M. will be

- A. 0.5 Hz
- B. 1.5 Hz
- C. 5.0 Hz
- D. 10.0 Hz

**Answer: C**



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72. A particle is performing a linear S.H.M. If at time  $t=0$ , its displacement is 1 cm, its velocity is  $\pi \text{ cm/sec}$  and its angular frequency is  $\pi \text{ rad/s}$ , then the amplitude of its motions is

A. 1 cm

B.  $\sqrt{2} \text{ cm}$

C. 3 cm

D.  $\pi \text{ cm}$

**Answer: B**



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**73.** The frequency of the sinusoidal wave

$y = 0.40 \cos[2000t + 0.80x]$  would be

A.  $1000\pi \text{ Hz}$

B.  $2000 \text{ Hz}$

C.  $20 \text{ Hz}$

D.  $\frac{1000}{\pi} \text{ Hz}$

**Answer: D**



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**74.** If a simple harmonic oscillator has got a displacement of  $0.02m$  and acceleration equal to  $2.0ms^{-2}$  at any time,



the angular frequency of the oscillator is equal to

A. 10 rad/s

B. 5 rad/s

C. 1 rad/s

D. 20 rad/s

**Answer: A**



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75. A particle is executing simple harmonic motion given

by

$$x = 5 \sin\left(4t - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

The velocity of the particle when its displacement is 3 units is

A.  $6\text{ cm} / \text{s}$

B.  $16\text{ cm} / \text{s}$

C.  $\frac{2\pi}{3}\text{ cm} / \text{s}$

D.  $8\text{ cm} / \text{s}$

**Answer: B**



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**76.** The maximum velocity a particle, executing simple harmonic motion with an amplitude 7 mm, 4.4 m//s. The period of oscillation is.

A. 0.1 s

B. 100 s

C. 0.01 s

D. 10 s

**Answer: A**



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77. The displacement of a particle is represented by the equation

$$y = 0.4 \left\{ \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi t}{2} \right) - \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi t}{2} \right) \right\} \text{metre}$$

The motion of the particle is

A. a S.H.M. with amplitude 0.8 m

B. oscillatory but not S.H.M.

C. a S.H.M. with amplitude 0.4 m

D. a S.H.M. with amplitude  $0.4\sqrt{2}m$

**Answer: C**



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**78.** A person normally weighing  $60kg$  stands on a platform which oscillates up and down harmonically at a frequency  $2.0\text{sec}^{-1}$  and an amplitude  $5.0\text{cm}$ . If a machine on the platform gives the person's weight against time deduce the maximum and minimum reading it will show,  $Take g = 10\text{m} / \text{sec}^2$ .

A. maximum reading of the machine is 90 kg

B. minimum reading of the machine is zero

C. minimum reading of the machine is 32 kg

D. maximum reading of the machine is 108 kg

**Answer: D**



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**79.** Motion of an oscillating liquid column in a U-tube is

A. periodic but not simple harmonic

B. non-periodic

C. simple harmonic and time period is independent of the density of the liquid

D. simple harmonic and time period is directly proportional to the density of the liquid

**Answer: C**

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**80.** A particle executes S.H.M. of amplitude 25 cm and time period 3 s. What is the minimum time required for the particle to move between two points 12.5 cm on either side of the mean position ?

A. 0.6 s

B. 0.5 s

C. 0.4 s

D. 0.2 s

**Answer: B**



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**81.** The average acceleration of a particle performing SHM over one complete oscillation is

A.  $\frac{A\omega^2}{2}$

B.  $\frac{A\omega^2}{\sqrt{2}}$

C.  $A\omega^2$

D. zero

**Answer: D**



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**82.** A linear SHM is represented by

$$x = 5\sqrt{2}(\sin 2\pi t + \cos 2\pi t) \text{ cm.}$$

What is the amplitude of SHM ?

A.  $5\sqrt{2}$

B. 50 cm

C. 10 cm

D. 20 cm



**Answer: C**



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**83.** A particle is executing a linear S.H.M. and its differential equation is  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \alpha x = 0$ . Its time period of motion is

A.  $\frac{2\pi}{\alpha}$

B.  $2\pi\alpha$

C.  $2\pi\sqrt{\alpha}$

D.  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\alpha}}$

**Answer: D**



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**84.** The displacement of a particle in S.H.M. is given by  $x = 5[\cos\pi t + \sin\pi t]$  where  $x$  is in metre. The amplitude of motion of the particle is given by

A. 8 m

B. 10 m

C.  $5\sqrt{2}m$

D.  $10\sqrt{2}m$

**Answer: C**

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85. A small wooden cube is placed on a plank. The plank performs a vertical S.H.M. of frequency  $\frac{3}{\pi} Hz$ . What is the maximum amplitude of its vertical S.H.M., so that the wooden cube does not leave the plank?  $[g = 10m / s^2]$

A.  $\frac{5}{12}m$

B.  $\frac{5}{18}m$

C.  $\frac{7}{12}m$

D.  $\frac{11}{18}m$

**Answer: B**



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86. The maximum speed of a particle in SHM is given by  $mA = V_m$ . The average speed of the particle in terms of maximum speed is given by

A.  $\frac{V_m}{2}$

B.  $\frac{\pi V_m}{2}$

C.  $\frac{2V_m}{\pi}$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{2V_m}$

**Answer: C**



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87. The displacements of two linear simple harmonic oscillators are given by  $x_1 = 3\sin(100t + \theta)$  and  $x_2 = 4\cos(100t)$ . What is the phase difference between the velocities of these oscillators ?

A.  $\theta$

B.  $\theta - \pi/2$

C.  $\theta + \pi/2$

D.  $-\theta$

**Answer: B**



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88. A particle executes a S.H.M. of amplitude 4 cm and period 4 sec. If at time  $t=0$ , the net force acting on the particle is zero, then its velocity at that point is given by

A.  $2\pi cm / s$

B.  $\pi cm / s$

C.  $\pi / 2 cm / s$

D.  $\frac{3\pi}{4} cm / s$

**Answer: A**



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89. A spherical marble of radius  $r$  is made to oscillate in a bowl of radius  $R$ . What is its period of oscillation ?

A.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{g}}$

B.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R - r}{g}}$

C.  $T = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{g}{R - r}}$

D.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{g}{R}}$

**Answer: B**

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90. The maximum velocity and maximum acceleration of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$

respectively. Then the path length of the particle is

A.  $\frac{\alpha(2)}{\beta}$

B.  $\frac{\beta}{2\alpha^2}$

C.  $\frac{2\alpha^2}{\beta}$

D.  $\frac{2\beta}{\alpha^2}$

**Answer: C**



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**91.** The instantaneous displacement of a simple pendulum oscillator is given by  $x = A \cos\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  Its speed will be maximum at time



A.  $\frac{2\pi}{\omega}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4\omega}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{\omega}$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{2\omega}$

**Answer: B**



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**92.** A particle executing a linear S.H.M. performs 1200 oscillations/minute. The velocity at the midpoint of its path is 3.142 m/s. What is its equation of its displacement, if at time  $t=0$ , it is in the extreme right position ?

A.  $y = 0.025\sin(40\pi t)$

B.  $y = 0.05\cos(40\pi t)$

C.  $y = 0.025\cos(40\pi t)$

D.  $y = 0.025\cos(20\pi t)$

**Answer: C**



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**93.** A particle is performing simple harmonic motion along  $x -$  axis with amplitude  $4\text{cm}$  and time period  $1.2\text{sec}$ . The minimum time taken by the particle to move from  $x = 2\text{cm} \rightarrow x = +4\text{cm}$  and back again is given by

A.  $0.6\text{ s}$

B.  $0.4\text{ s}$

C. 0.3 s

D. 0.2 s

**Answer: B**

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**94.** A particle oscillates simple harmonically along a straight line with period 8 seconds and amplitude  $8\sqrt{2}$ m. It starts from the mean position, then the ratio of the distances travelled by it in the second second and first second of its motion is

A.  $\sqrt{2}$

B. 2

C.  $(\sqrt{2} - 1)$

D.  $\sqrt{3}$

**Answer: C**

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**95.** A point mass  $m$  is suspended at the end of a massless wire of length  $l$  and cross section. If  $Y$  is the Young's modulus for the wire, obtain the frequency of oscillation for the simple harmonic motion along the vertical line.

A.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{LA m}{Y}}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{YA}{mL}}$

C.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{mY}{AL}}$

D.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{AL}{mY}}$

**Answer: B**



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**96.** A particle executes a S.H.M. of amplitude 20 cm and period 3 s. What is the minimum time required by the particle to move between two points 10 cm on either side of the mean position ?

A. 1 s

B.  $\frac{3}{4}$  s

C.  $\frac{1}{2}$  s

D.  $\frac{1}{4}$  s

**Answer: C**



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**97.** The displacement of a particle from its mean position (in metre) is given by

$$y = 0.2\sin(10\pi t + 1.5\pi)\cos(10\pi t + 1.5\pi)$$

The motion of the particle is

- A. periodic but not simple harmonic motion
- B. non-periodic
- C. simple harmonic motion with period of 0.1 s
- D. simple harmonic motion with period of 0.2 s

**Answer: C**



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98. A body of mass 0.1 kg is executing a simple harmonic motion of amplitude 0.2 m. When the body passes through the mean position, its kinetic energy is  $8 \times 10^{-3}$  J. The initial phase of oscillation is  $60^\circ$ . What is the equation of motion of the body ?

A.  $y = 0.2\sin\left(\frac{1}{4}t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

B.  $y = 0.2\sin\left(4t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

C.  $y = 0.2\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

D.  $y = 0.2\sin\left(4t - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

**Answer: B**

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99. Two S.H.M. s are represented by the equation

$$x_1 = 3\sin\left(2\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \quad \text{and} \quad x_2 = 3\sqrt{2}[\sin(2\pi t) + \cos(2\pi t)]$$

What is the ratio of the amplitudes of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  ?

A. 2 : 1

B. 1 : 2

C. 1 : 3

D.  $\sqrt{3} : 1$

**Answer: B**

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100. A  $U$  tube of uniform bore of cross sectional area  $A$  has been set up vertically with open ends facing up. Now  $m$  gm of a liquid of density  $d$  is poured into it. The column of liquid in this tube will oscillate with a period  $T$  such that

A.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{MA}{gd}}$

B.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{M}{2Adg}}$

C.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{M}{g}}$

D.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{M}{gdA}}$

**Answer: B**



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101. The displacement of a particle in S.H.M. is given by

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

At time  $t=0$ ,  $x=1$  cm, initial velocity  $= \pi$  cm / s and angular frequency is  $\pi$  per second. What is the amplitude of SHM ?

A. 2.5 cm

B. 2 cm

C.  $\sqrt{2}$  cm

D. 1.5 cm

**Answer: C**



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**102.** Two particles P and Q start from origin and execute simple harmonic motion along X-axis with same amplitude but with periods  $3s$  and  $6s$  respectively. The ratio of the velocities of P and Q when they meet is

A. 3 : 2

B. 2 : 3

C. 1 : 2

D. 2 : 1

**Answer: D**



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**103.** A point mass oscillates along the  $x -$  axis according to the law  $x = x_0 \cos(\omega t - \pi/4)$  if the acceleration of the particle is written as,  $a = A \cos(\omega + \delta)$ , then :

A.  $A = x_0, \delta = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

B.  $A = x_0\omega^2, \delta = \frac{\pi}{4}$

C.  $A = x_0\omega^2, \delta = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

D.  $A = x_0\omega^2, \delta = \frac{3\pi}{4}$

**Answer: D**



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**104.** The displacement of an object attached to a spring and executing simple harmonic motion is given by  $x = 2 \times 100^{-2} \cos \pi t$  metre. The time at which the maximum speed first occurs is.

- A. 0.5 sec
- B. 0.25 sec
- C. 0.75 sec
- D. 0.125 sec

**Answer: A**



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**105.** A coin is placed on a horizontal platform which undergoes vertical simple harmonic motion of angular frequency  $\omega$ . The amplitude of oscillation is gradually increased. The coin will leave contact with the platform for the first time

- A. for an amplitude of  $g^2 / \omega^2$
- B. at the highest position of the platform
- C. at the mean position of the platform
- D. for an amplitude of  $g / \omega^2$

**Answer: D**



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106. A particle executes a linear SHM. In two of its positions the velocities are  $u$  and  $v$  and the corresponding acceleration are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  respectively ( $0 < \alpha < \beta$ ). What is the distance between the positions ?

A.  $\frac{u^2 + v^2}{\alpha + \beta}$

B.  $\frac{u^2 - v^2}{\alpha + \beta}$

C.  $\frac{u^2 + v^2}{\alpha - \beta}$

D.  $\frac{u^2 - v^2}{\alpha - \beta}$

**Answer: B**



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107. The displacement of a particle in S.H.M. is given by

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

At time  $t=0$ ,  $x=1$  cm, initial velocity  $= \pi$  cm / s and angular frequency is  $\pi$  per second. What is the amplitude of SHM

?

A. 1 cm

B. 2 cm

C.  $\pi$  cm

D.  $\sqrt{2}$  cm

**Answer: D**



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**108.** Due to some force  $F_1$  a body oscillates with period  $4/5s$  and due to other force  $F_2$  it oscillates with period  $3/5s$ . If both the forces acts simultaneously in same direction then new period is

A.  $\frac{12}{25} s$

B.  $\frac{35}{24} s$

C.  $\frac{25}{12} s$

D.  $\frac{24}{25} s$

**Answer: A**



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**109.** A particle moves along the  $X$ -axis according to to the

$$\text{law } S = a \sin^2(\omega t - \pi/4)$$

The amplitude of the oscillation is

A.  $\frac{a}{2}$

B.  $\frac{A}{4}$

C.  $\frac{A}{5}$

D. A

**Answer: A**



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**110.** Two simple harmonic motion are represent by the following equations

$$y_1 = 10 \sin(3\pi t + \pi/3)$$

$$y_2 = 5(\sin 3\pi t + \sqrt{3} \cos 3\pi t)$$

Here  $t$  is in seconds.

Find out the ratio of their amplitudes. What are the time period of the two motion?

A.  $n = \frac{3}{2}$

B.  $n=1$

C.  $m = \frac{2}{3}$

D.  $m = \frac{1}{2}$

**Answer: B**

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111. ABCD is a square with side  $AB = 2$ . A point P moves such that its distance from A equals its distance from the line BD. The locus of P meets the line AC at  $T_1$  and the line through A parallel to BD at  $T_2$  and  $T_3$ . The area of the triangle  $T_1T_2T_3$  is :

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4

**Answer: B**

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**112.** An oscillator consists of a block attached to a spring of spring constant  $K=300 \text{ N/m}$ . At some time  $t$  the position (measured from its equilibrium position), velocity and acceleration of the block are

$x = 0.1\text{m}$ ,  $v = -15\text{m/s}$  and  $a = -90\text{m/s}^2$ . What is the amplitude of motion and the mass of the block ?

A.  $0.3 \text{ m}$  and  $0.3 \text{ kg}$

B.  $0.4 \text{ m}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}\text{kg}$

C.  $0.5$  and  $\frac{1}{3}\text{kg}$

D.  $0.5\text{m}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}\text{kg}$

**Answer: C**



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**113.** Time period of a particle executing *SHM* is 8 sec. At  $t = 0$  it is at the mean position. The ratio of the distance covered by the particle in the *1st* second to the *2nd* second is:

A.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2}$

C.  $\frac{1}{(\sqrt{2} - 1)}$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt{2} - 1}{3}$

**Answer: C**



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**114.** A  $0.1\text{kg}$  mass is suspended from a wire of negligible mass. The length of the wire is  $1\text{m}$  and its cross-sectional area is  $4.9 \times 10^{-7}\text{m}^2$ . If the mass is pulled a little in the vertically downward direction and released, it performs *SHM* with angular frequency  $140\text{rads}^{-1}$ . If the young's modulus of the material of the wire is  $p \times 10^9\text{Nm}^{-2}$ , find the value of  $p$ .

A. 3

B. 4

C. 5

D. 7

**Answer: B**



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115. If  $x$ ,  $v$  and  $a$  denote the displacement, the velocity and the acceleration of a particle executing simple harmonic motion of time period  $T$ , then, which of the following does not change with time?

A.  $\frac{aT}{x}$

B.  $aT + 2pv$

C.  $\frac{aT}{v}$

D.  $a^2T^2 + 4p^2v^2$

**Answer: A**



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**116.** A small marble of mass  $m$  oscillates simple harmonically inside a watch glass whose radius of curvature is  $2.5m$ . What is its period of motion. (Take  $g = 10m / s^2$ )

A. 3 s

B. 3.142 s

C. 3.55 s

D. 3.75 s

**Answer: B**



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117. A particle is executing a linear SHM.  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  are its velocities at distance  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  from the equilibrium. What is its period of oscillation ?

$$\text{A. } T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{x_2^2 - x_1^2}{v_1^2 - v_2^2}}$$

$$\text{B. } T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{v_1^2 - v_2^2}{x_2^2 - x_1^2}}$$

$$\text{C. } T = 2\pi \frac{(v_1 - v_2)}{(x_2 - x_1)}$$

$$\text{D. } T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{(x_2 - x_1)^2}{(v_1 - v_2)^2}}$$

**Answer: A**



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118. A particle is executing a linear S.H.M.  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  are as speeds at dis"tan"ces  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  from the equilibrium position. What is its amplitude of oscillation ?

$$\text{A. } A = \sqrt{\frac{v_1^2 x_2^2 - v_2^2 x_1^2}{v_1^2 - v_2^2}}$$

$$\text{B. } A = \sqrt{\frac{v_1^2 - v_2^2}{v_1^2 x_2^2 - v_2^2 x_1^2}}$$

$$\text{C. } A = \frac{v_1^2 x_2^2 - v_2^2 x_1^2}{v_1^2 - v_2^2}$$

$$\text{D. } A = \sqrt{\frac{v_1^2 x_1^2 - v_2^2 x_2^2}{v_1^2 - v_2^2}}$$

**Answer: A**



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**119.** A particle executing a linear SHM has velocities of 8 m/s, 7 m/s and 4 m/s, respectively at three points at distances of  $x$  m,  $(x+1)$  m and  $(x+2)$  m from the mean position. What is the maximum velocity of the particle ?

A.  $\sqrt{50} \frac{m}{s}$

B.  $\sqrt{65} \frac{m}{s}$

C.  $\sqrt{35} \frac{m}{s}$

D.  $\sqrt{20} \frac{m}{s}$

**Answer: B**



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**120.** A mass ( $m$ ) is suspended at the end of a weightless wire of length  $L$ , cross-sectional area  $A$  and Young's modulus  $Y$ . The period of oscillation for the S.H.M. along the vertical direction is

A.  $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{YA}{mL}}$

B.  $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{mL}{YA}}$

C.  $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{mY}{AL}}$

D.  $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{AL}{mY}}$

**Answer: B**



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**121.** A particle is performing a linear S.H.M about the mean position with the equation of velocity given by  $4v^2 - 25 = x^2$ . Then the period of motion is

A.  $2\pi$

B.  $\pi$

C.  $3\pi$

D.  $4\pi$

**Answer: D**



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**122.** A block rests on a horizontal table which is executing SHM in the horizontal plane with an amplitude  $A$ . What will be the frequency of oscillation, the block will just start to slip? Coefficient of friction  $= \mu$ .

A.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\mu g}{A}}$

B.  $\frac{1}{4\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\mu g}{A}}$

C.  $2\pi \sqrt{\frac{A}{\mu g}}$

D.  $4\pi \sqrt{\frac{A}{\mu g}}$

**Answer: A**



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**123.** What is the nature of the graph between K.E. and P.E. of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. ?

A. A straight line passing through the origin.

B. A straight line parallel to the  $E_K$  axis

C. A straight line having intercepts on the  $E_P$  and  $E_K$  axes

D. A straight line parallel to  $E_P$  axis

**Answer: C**



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**124.** What is the nature of the graph between the potential energy and total energy of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. ?

- A. a "sin"ce curve
- B. a "cos"ine curve
- C. a circle
- D. a straight line

**Answer: D**



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**125.** A linear S.H.M is considered as the projection of a U.C.M. on a diameter of the reference circle. The phase angle between the projections of uniform circular motion on two mutually perpendicular diameter is

A. 0

B.  $\pi$

C.  $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

**Answer: D**



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126. The equation of a particle executing a linear S.H.M. is given by  $x = 4\cos\omega t + \sin\omega t$ . The "tan"gent of its initial phase angle is given by

A.  $\tan\alpha = \frac{3}{4}$

B.  $\tan\alpha = \frac{4}{3}$

C.  $\tan\alpha = 1$

D.  $\tan\alpha = \sqrt{3}$

**Answer: B**



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127. A particle performing a linear S.H.M. starts from the positive extremity. Then the epoch of the particle is

- A. Zero
- B.  $\pi$  radian
- C.  $\pi/2$  radian
- D.  $2\pi$  radian

**Answer: C**

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128. The equation of linear S.H.M. of a particle is given by

$x = 0.5\sin\left[4\pi t - \frac{\pi}{3}\right]$ , the term  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  represents

- A. the phase of S.H.M.
- B. the initial of S.H.M.
- C. angular frequency of S.H.M.
- D. period of S.H.M.

**Answer: B**



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**129.** Two simple harmonic motions are represented by  $y_1 = 10\sin\omega t$  and  $y_2 = 15\cos\omega t$ . The phase difference between them is

- A. Zero

B.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  radian

C.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  radian

D.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  radian

**Answer: D**



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**130.** The phase of a linear harmonic oscillator is found to increase by  $10\pi$  in 10 seconds. The frequency of oscillator is

A. 1 Hz

B.  $1/2$  Hz

C. 2 Hz

D.  $3\pi$  Hz

**Answer: B**

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**131.** The equation of a particle executing a S.H.M. is given by  $x = 4\sin\omega t + 5\cos\omega t$ . The "tan"gent of the initial phase angle is given by

A.  $\tan\alpha = \frac{2}{3}$

B.  $\tan\alpha = 1$

C.  $\tan\alpha = \frac{5}{4}$

$$D. \tan\alpha = \frac{4}{5}$$

**Answer: C**



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**132.** A linear SHM is represented by

$$x = 5\sqrt{2}(\sin 2\pi t + \cos 2\pi t) \text{ cm.}$$

What is the amplitude of SHM ?

A. 20 cm

B. 50 cm

C. 10 cm

D.  $5\sqrt{2} \text{ cm}$



**Answer: C**



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**133.** What is the amplitude of the S.H.M. obtained by combining the motions.

$$x_1 = 4\sin\omega t \text{ cm}, \quad x_2 = 4\sin\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \text{ cm}$$

A. 8 cm

B.  $4\sqrt{3}$  cm

C. 6 cm

D.  $2\sqrt{3}$  cm

**Answer: B**



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**134.** The periodic times of two particles P and Q executing S.H.M. s are in the ration of 1 : 5. Both start moving from the mean position at the same ins"tan"t. After how many osicllations of P, the two particles will be again in phase at the mean position ?

A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. 5

**Answer: D**



135. In S.H.M. which one of the following graphs is a straight line ?

- A. P.E. against displacement
- B. acceleration against time
- C. total energy against displacement
- D. velocity against displacement

**Answer: C**



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**136.** The total work done by the restoring force in simple harmonic motion of amplitude  $A$  and angular velocity  $\omega$  in one oscillation is

A.  $\frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 A^2$

B.  $m A^2 \omega^2$

C. Zero

D.  $\frac{1}{2}m A \omega$

**Answer: C**



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**137.** The displacement of a particle performing a S.H.M. is given by  $x = 12\cos(\omega t + \alpha) \text{ cm}$ . If at time  $t$ , the displacement of the particle is 6 cm, then the phase of the particle at that instant is

- A.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  radian
- B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  radian
- C.  $\pi$  radian
- D.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  radian

**Answer: D**



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**138.** The phase of a particle executing simple harmonic motion is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  when it has

- A. Maximum acceleration
- B. Maximum energy
- C. Minimum displacement
- D. Maximum velocity

**Answer: A**



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**139.** Two particles A and B execute simple harmonic motions of period  $T$  and  $5T/4$ . They start from mean

position. The phase difference between them when the particle A complete an oscillation will be

A.  $\frac{\pi}{5}$  rad

B.  $\frac{2\pi}{5}$  rad

C.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  rad

D.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  rad

**Answer: B**



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**140.** when two displacements represented by  $y_1 = a \sin(\omega t)$  and  $y_2 = b \cos(\omega t)$  are superimposed the motion is

A. simple harmonic with amplitude  $\frac{a}{b}$

B. simple harmonic with amplitude  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

C. simple harmonic with amplitude  $\frac{(a + b)}{2}$

D. not a simple harmonic

**Answer: B**



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**141.** A particle is executing a linear SHM. What is the nature of the graph between the velocity and displacement of the particle at any instant ?

A. a straight line



B. a circle

C. an ellipse

D. a parabola

**Answer: C**



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**142.** The S.H.M.s of two particles are given by

$$y_1 = 10\sin\left[2\pi t + \frac{\pi}{6}\right] \quad \text{and} \quad y_2 = 5[\sin 2\pi t + \sqrt{3}\cos 2\pi t]$$

The ratio of their amplitudes is

A. 1 : 2

B. 1 : 1

C. 2: 1

D. 3: 1

**Answer: B**



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**143.** Two simple harmonic are represented by the equation  $y_1 = 0.1 \sin\left(100\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  and  $y_2 = 0.1 \cos \pi t$ .

The phase difference of the velocity of particle 1 with respect to the velocity of particle 2 is.

A.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

B.  $-\frac{\pi}{6}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

D.  $-\frac{\pi}{3}$

**Answer: B**

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**144.** What is the minimum phase difference between two S.H.M.s given by

$$x_2 = \sin\omega t + \cos\omega t \quad \text{and} \quad x_1 = \frac{1}{2}\sin\omega t + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\cos\omega t$$

A.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{12}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D.  $-\frac{\pi}{4}$

**Answer: B**



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**145.** The displacement of a particle in S.H.M. is given by  $x = B\sin(\omega t + \alpha)$ . The initial position (at time  $t=0$ ), of the particle is the initial phase angle if the angular frequency of the particle is  $\pi \text{ rad/s}$  ?

A.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{5}$

**Answer: B**



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**146.** Two particles execute SHM of same amplitude and frequency on parallel lines. They pass one another when moving in opposite directions each time their displacement is one third their amplitude. What is the phase difference between them?

- A.  $90^\circ$
- B.  $30^\circ$
- C.  $120^\circ$
- D.  $60^\circ$

**Answer: C**



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147. What is the minimum phase difference between two simple harmonic oscillations given by

$$y_1 = \frac{1}{2}\sin\omega t + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\cos\omega t$$

$$y_2 = \sin\omega t + \cos\omega t ?$$

A.  $\frac{\pi}{12}$

B.  $\frac{7\pi}{12}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

D.  $-\frac{\pi}{6}$

**Answer: A**



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**148.** The force constant of a linear harmonic oscillator is  $10 \text{ N/m}$ . If its P.E. at a point in its path is  $0.05 \text{ J}$ , its corresponding displacement is

A. 1 metre

B. 0.5 m

C. 0.25 m

D. 0.1 m

**Answer: D**



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**149.** A body executes SHM with an amplitude  $a$ . At what displacement from the mean positions, the potential energy of the body is one-fourth of its total energy?

A.  $\frac{A}{4}$

B.  $\frac{A}{2}$

C.  $\frac{A}{3}$

D.  $\frac{3A}{4}$

**Answer: B**



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150. For a particle performing a S.H.M. the potential and kinetic energies will be equal when the displacement of the particle is

A.  $A$

B.  $\frac{A}{2}$

C.  $A\sqrt{2}$

D.  $\frac{A}{\sqrt{2}}$

**Answer: D**



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**151.** When the displacement in S.H.M. is half the amplitude, the ratio of potential energy to the total energy is

A.  $\frac{1}{2}$

B.  $\frac{1}{8}$

C. 1

D.  $\frac{1}{4}$

**Answer: D**



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**152.** A particle executes a linear S.H.M. of amplitude A. At what distance from the mean position is its K.E. equal to

its P.E. ?

A. 0.51 A

B. 0.61 A

C. 0.81 A

D. 0.71 A

**Answer: D**



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**153.** When a long spring is stretched by 1 cm, the potential energy stored in the spring is  $U$ . What will be the potential energy stored in it if it is stretched by 4 cm ?

A. 4 U

B. 9 U

C. 16 U

D. 25 U

**Answer: C**



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**154.** For a particle executing *S.H.M.*, the kinetic energy  $K$  is given  $K = K_0 \cos^2 \omega t$ . The maximum value of potential energy is:

A.  $\frac{K_0}{2}$

B.  $K_0$

C.  $2K_0$

D. data not sufficient to obtain max P.E.

**Answer: B**



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**155.** When the displacement of a linear harmonic oscillator is  $1/3$  of its amplitude, the ratio of its total energy to its potential energy is

A. 3

B. 4

C. 9

D.  $\frac{1}{9}$

**Answer: C**

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**156.** The potential energies of a linear harmonic oscillator at the mean position, extreme positions and an intermediate position are 0, 0.5J and 0.3 J respectively. Its total energy is given by

A. 0.7 J

B. 0.5 J

C. 0.8 J

D. 0.25 J

**Answer: B**



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**157.** A spring of spring constant  $5 \times 10^3 \text{ N/m}$  is stretched by 4 cm from its unstretched position. Then the work required to stretch it further by 4 cm is

A. 6 N

B. 12 N

C. 18 N

D. 3 N

**Answer: B**



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**158.** The maximum potential energy of a simple harmonic oscillator is  $U_{\max}$ . The the P.E. of the oscillator when it is half way to its end point is

A.  $\frac{U_{\max}}{2}$

B.  $\frac{U_{\max}}{3}$

C.  $\frac{U_{\max}}{4}$

D.  $2U_{\max}$

**Answer: C**



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**159.** When the displacement of a particle in S.H.M. is 0.2m, its Potential energy is equal to 2 J. The force constant of the S.H.M. is

A.  $100N/m$

B.  $50N/m$

C.  $200N/m$

D.  $25N/m$

**Answer: A**



**160.** The total energy of a particle in linear S.H.M. is 20 J.

What is its kinetic energy when its displacement is half of the amplitude ?

A. 10 J

B. 5 J

C. 15 J

D. 25 J

**Answer: C**



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**161.** The P.E. of a linear harmonic oscillator is 4J, when its displacement is equal to half its amplitude. The total

energy of the particle is

A. 8 J

B. 32 J

C. 16 J

D. 24 J

**Answer: C**



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**162.** For a particle performing a linear SHM the ratio of the frequency of oscillation and the frequency of kinetic energy is

A. 1 : 1

B. 2 : 1

C. 1 : 2

D. 1 : 4

**Answer: C**



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**163.** A linear harmonic oscillator of force constant  $10^6 \text{ N/m}$  and amplitude 2 cm has

A. a maximum P.E. of 100 Joule

B. a maximum K.E. of 150 Jule

C. a total energy of 200 J

D. a total energy of 300 J

**Answer: C**

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**164.** The equation of a body of mass  $m$  and performing a linear S.H.M is given by  $x = a\sin\omega t + b\sin\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . The total energy of the particle at any instant is

A.  $\frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 ab$

B.  $\frac{\frac{1}{2}m\omega^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$

C.  $\frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 (a^2 + b^2)$

D.  $\frac{1}{2}m\omega^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

**Answer: C**



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**165.** The potential energy of a particle, executing a simple harmonic motion, at a distance  $x$  from the equilibrium position is proportional to

A.  $\sqrt{x}$

B.  $x$

C.  $x^2$

D.  $x^3$

**Answer: C**

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**166.** If the KE of a particle performing a SHM of amplitude  $A$  is  $\frac{3}{4}$  of its total energy, then the value of its displacement is

A.  $x = \pm \frac{A}{2}$

B.  $x = \pm \frac{A}{4}$

C.  $x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}A}{2}$

D.  $x = \pm \frac{A}{\sqrt{2}}$

**Answer: A**

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**167.** When a particle executing a linear S.H.M. moves from its extreme position to the mean position, its

- A. K.E. decreases and potential energy increases
- B. K.E. increases and potential energy decreases
- C. potential energy becomes zero but kinetic energy remains constant
- D. P.E. increases but the K.E. becomes zero

**Answer: B**



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**168.** When the displacement of a particle executing SHM is one-fourth of its amplitude, what fraction of the total energy is the kinetic energy?

A.  $\frac{3}{4}$

B.  $\frac{2}{3}$

C.  $\frac{1}{2}$

D.  $\frac{2}{5}$

**Answer: A**



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**169.** The kinetic energy of a particle executing SHM is 16J. When it is in its mean position. If the amplitude of

oscillation is 25cm and the mass of the particle is 5.12 kg,

the time period of its oscillation in second is

A.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  sec

B.  $\frac{\pi}{5}$  sec

C.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  sec

D.  $\frac{\pi}{10}$  sec

**Answer: B**



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**170.** The total energy of a body executing a linear S.H.M. is 20 J. What is the maximum velocity of the body, if the mass of the body is 0.4 kg ?

A. 5 m/s

B. 10 m/s

C. 15 m/s

D. 20 m/s

**Answer: B**



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**171.** A simple harmonic oscillator has a period  $T$  and energy  $E$ . the amplitude of the oscillator is doubled.

Choose the correct answer.

- A. the period gets houbled while energy remains the same
- B. the period remains the same and energy becomes for times
- C. both the period and the energy get doubled
- D. energy gets doubled while the period remains the same

**Answer: B**



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**172.** A spring, which is initially in its unstretched condition, is first stretched by a length  $x$  and then again

by a further length  $x$ . The work done in the first case is

$W_1$  and in the second case is  $W_2$ .

A.  $W_2 = 4W_1$

B.  $W_2 = W_1$

C.  $W_2 = 2W_1$

D.  $W_2 = 3W_1$

**Answer: D**



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**173.** When a particle performs a linear S.H.M. the ratio of its K.E. at the mean position to its P.E. at a point midway between the mean and extreme position is

A. 4: 1

B. 1: 4

C. 3: 2

D. 2: 3

**Answer: A**



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**174.** The maximum velocity of a particle performing a S.H.M is  $v$ . If the periodic time is made  $1/3$ rd and the amplitude is doubled, then the new maximum velocity of the particle will be

A.  $3 v$

B.  $6v$

C.  $v/6$

D.  $3v/2$

**Answer: B**



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**175.** A point particle of mass  $0.1\text{kg}$  is executing SHM of amplitude  $0.1\text{m}$ . When the particle passes through the mean position, its kinetic energy is  $8 \times 10^{-3}\text{J}$ . Obtain the equation of motion of this particle if the initial phase of oscillation is  $45^\circ$ .

A.  $y = 0.4\sin(6t + \pi/4)$

B.  $y = 0.1\sin(4t + \pi/4)$

C.  $y = 0.1\sin(2t + \pi/4)$

D.  $y = 0.4\sin(3t + \pi/4)$

**Answer: B**



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**176.** In a simple harmonic oscillator, at the mean position

A. kinetic energy is maximum, potential energy is minimum

B. both kinetic and potential energies are minimum

C. both kinetic and potential energies are maximum



D. kinetic energy is minimum, potential energy is maximum

**Answer: A**

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**177.** A child is swinging a swing. Minimum and maximum heights fo swing from the earth's surface are 0.75 m and 2 m respectively. The maximum velocity of this swing is

A. 8 m/s

B. 10 m/s

C. 15 m/s

D. 5 m/s

**Answer: D**



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**178.** The total energy of a particle executing SHM is directly proportional to the square of the following quantity.

- A. its velocity in equilibrium position
- B. its displacement from equilibrium position
- C. the square of the amplitude of its motion
- D. frequency of oscillation

**Answer: C**



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**179.** A particle executes simple harmonic motion with a frequency. ( $f$ ). The frequency with which its kinetic energy oscillates is.

A.  $f$

B.  $2f$

C.  $f^2$

D.  $4f$

**Answer: B**



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**180.** The total energy of a particle, executing simple harmonic motion is.

where  $x$  is the displacement from the mean position, hence total energy is independent of  $x$ .

- A. proportional to  $x^2$
- B. proportional to  $x$
- C. independent of  $x$
- D. proportional to  $\sqrt{3}$

**Answer: C**

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**181.** A particle executes a S.H.M. Its P.E., K.E. and total energy are measured as function of displacement of  $x$ .

Then its

A. K.E. is maximum, when  $x$  is maximum

B. Total energy is maximum, when  $x=0$

C. P.E. is maximum, when  $x=0$

D. K.E. is maximum, when  $x =0$

**Answer: D**



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**182.** A particle is vibrating in a simple harmonic motion with an amplitude of 4 cm . At what displacement from the equilibrium position, is its energy half potential and half kinetic

A. 1 cm

B. 2 cm

C.  $\sqrt{2}cm$

D.  $2\sqrt{2}cm$

**Answer: D**



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**183.** A linear harmonic oscillator executes a SHM of period 4s. Which of the following quantities associated with the oscillator will exhibit a simple harmonic motion of period 2 second ?

A. velocity

B. phase difference between acceleration and displacement

C. kinetic and potential energies

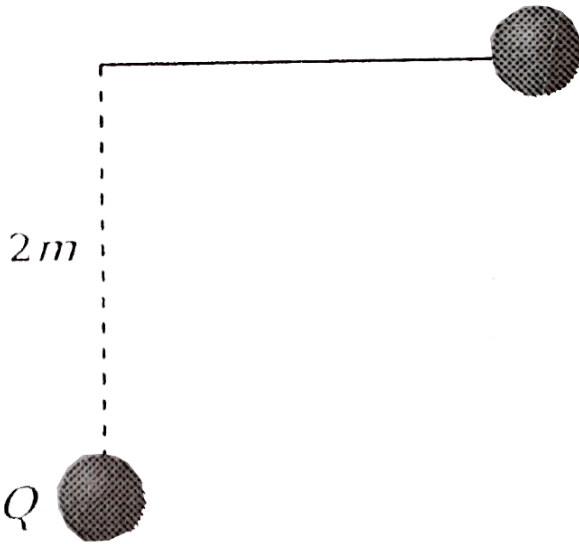
D. total energy

**Answer: C**



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**184.** A pendulum of length 2 m lift at P . When it reaches Q , it losses 10% of its total energy due to air resistance. The velocity at Q is



- A. 2 m/sec
- B. 8 m/sec
- C. 6 m/sec
- D. 1 m/sec



**Answer: C**



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**185.** Two springs of force constants  $K_1 = K_2$  are stretched by the same force. If  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are the energies stored in them respectively, then

- A.  $W_1 < W_2$
- B.  $W_1 > W_2$
- C.  $W_1 = W_2/2$
- D.  $W_1 = W_2$

**Answer: A**



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**186.** Starting from the origin a body oscillates simple harmonically with a period of  $2s$  . After time  $\frac{1}{x}$  second will the kinetic energy be  $75\%$  of its total energy , then value of  $x$  is

A.  $\frac{1}{4}s$

B.  $\frac{1}{2}s$

C.  $\frac{1}{3}s$

D.  $\frac{1}{6}s$

**Answer: C**



**187.** A particle starts oscillating simple harmonically from its equilibrium position then, the ratio of kinetic energy and potential energy of the particle at the time  $T/12$  is:  
( $T =$  time period)

A. 1 : 2

B. 2 : 1

C. 1 : 3

D. 3 : 1

**Answer: D**



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**188.** A simple pendulum of length  $l$  has a maximum angular displacement  $\theta$ . The maximum kinetic energy of the bob of mass  $m$  will be

A.  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{ML}{g}$

B.  $\frac{Mg}{2L}$

C.  $MgL(1 - \cos\alpha)$

D.  $\frac{MgL\sin\alpha}{2}$

**Answer: C**



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**189.** A particle of mass  $m$  executes simple harmonic motion with amplitude  $a$  and frequency  $\nu$ . The average kinetic energy during its motion from the position of equilibrium to the ends is

A.  $2\pi^2 ma^2 \nu^2$

B.  $\pi^2 ma^2 \nu^2$

C.  $\frac{1}{4}\pi^2 ma^2 \nu^2$

D.  $4\pi^2, a^2 \nu^2$

**Answer: B**



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**190.** A body is executing simple harmonic motion. At a displacement  $x$  its potential energy is  $E_1$  and at a displacement  $y$  its potential energy is  $E_2$ . The potential energy  $E$  at displacement  $(x + y)$  is

A.  $\sqrt{E} = \sqrt{E_1} + \sqrt{E_2}$

B.  $E = E_1 + E_2$

C.  $E = E_1 - E_2$

D.  $\sqrt{E} = \sqrt{E_1} - \sqrt{E_2}$

**Answer: A**



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**191.** A particle of mass  $m$  is executing oscillation about the origin on X- axis Its potential energy is  $V(x)=k|x|$  Where  $K$  is a positive constant If the amplitude oscillation is  $a$ , then its time period  $T$  is proportional

A. Proportional to  $a^{3/2}$

B. Independent of  $a$

C. Proportional to  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}$

D. Proportional to  $\sqrt{a}$

**Answer: C**



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**192.** The restoring force and P.E. of a particle executing a S.H.M. are  $F$  and  $U$  respectively when its displacement is  $x$ .

The relation between  $F$ ,  $U$  and  $x$  is

A.  $\frac{F}{U} + x = 0$

B.  $\frac{2U}{F} + x = 0$

C.  $\frac{F}{2U} + x = 0$

D.  $\frac{U}{F} + x = 0$

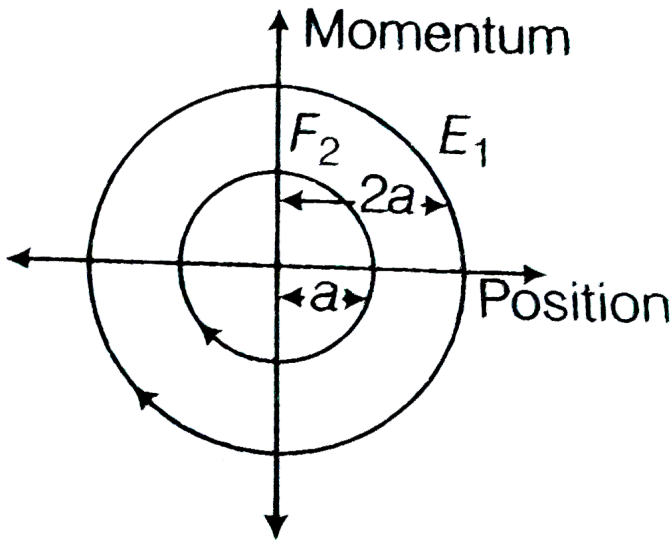
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193. The phase space diagram for harmonic motion is a circle centered at the origin as shown in figure. The two circles represent the same oscillator but for different initial conditions and  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are the total mechanical energy, respectively. Then



A.  $E_1 = \sqrt{2}E_2$

B.  $E_1 = 2E_2$

C.  $E_1 = 4E_2$

D.  $E_1 = 16E_2$

**Answer: C**

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**194.** A linear harmonic oscillator of force constant  $2 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}$  and amplitude (0.01 m) has a total mechanical energy of (160 J). Its.

A. maximum potential energy is 100 J

B. maximum kinetic energy is 160 J

C. maximum potential energy is 160 J

D. maximum potential energy is zero

**Answer: C**



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**195.** A body of mass 0.2 kg executes a linear SHM along the X-axis. When it is at position  $x=0.04$  m, its P.E. =0.4 J and K.E. =0.5 J. What is the amplitude of oscillation ?

A. 0.03 m

B. 0.05 m

C. 0.06 m

D. 0.08 m

**Answer: C**



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**196.** A pendulum clock keeps correct time at  $30^\circ$  latitude.

If it is taken to poles, then

- A. it keeps correct time
- B. it gains time
- C. it loses time
- D. its period increases

**Answer: B**



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**197.** The tension in the string of a simple pendulum is maximum, when the bob of the pendulum

- A. is at the extreme position
- B. midway between the mean position and extreme position
- C. is at the mean position
- D. starts oscillating with very large amplitudes

**Answer: C**



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**198.** For small amplitudes, the force constant of a simple pendulum is

A. directly proportional to the acceleration due to gravity

B. inversely proportional to the acceleration due to gravity

C. independent of the mass of the bob and the length of the pendulum

D. directly proportional to the mass of the bob

**Answer: D**



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**199.** A simple pendulum is attached to the roof of a lift. When the lift is at rest, the frequency of oscillation of the simple pendulum is 1 Hz. What will be its frequency of oscillation, if the cable wires controlling the vertical motion of the lift are broken ?

- A. 2 Hz
- B. zero
- C. infinity
- D. 1 Hz

**Answer: B**



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200. A simple pendulum completes 10 oscillation in 30 second. Another simple pendulum takes 40 seconds to complete 10 oscillations at the same place. The ratio of the lengths of the simple pendulums is

A.  $\frac{5}{16}$

B.  $\frac{9}{16}$

C.  $\frac{3}{16}$

D.  $\frac{13}{16}$

**Answer: B**



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**201.** What is the maximum velocity of the bob of a second's pendulum, if the amplitude of oscillation of the pendulum is 0.1 m ?

A. 0.2 m/s

B. 0.5 m/s

C. 0.3142 m/s

D. 0.6284 m/s

**Answer: C**



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**202.** If the KE of a particle performing a SHM of amplitude  $A$  is  $\frac{3}{4}$  of its total energy, then the value of its displacement is

A.  $x = A$

B.  $x = 2A$

C.  $x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}A$

D.  $x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}A$

**Answer: C**



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**203.** A simple pendulum, suspended from the ceiling of a lift, has a period of oscillation  $T$ , when the lift is at rest. If the lift starts moving upwards with an acceleration  $a = 3g$ , then the new period will be

A.  $2T$

B.  $4T$

C.  $\frac{T}{3}$

D.  $\frac{T}{2}$

**Answer: D**



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**204.** The acceleration due to gravity on the moon is  $\frac{1}{6}$ th the acceleration due to gravity on the surface of the earth. If the length of a second's pendulum is 1 m on the surface of the earth, then its length on the surface of the moon will be

A.  $\frac{1}{2}m$

B. 6 m

C.  $\frac{1}{6}m$

D.  $\frac{1}{4}m$

**Answer: C**



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**205.** The bob of a simple pendulum performs a S.H.M. of amplitude 2 cm. If the mass of the bob is 100 gram and its total energy is  $32 \times 10^{-5}$  J. The periodic time of S.H.M. is

A. 1.2 sec

B. 2 sec

C. 2.5 sec

D. 1.571 sec

**Answer: D**



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**206.** The period of a simple pendulum is double, when its length is increased by 1.2 m. The original length of the simple pendulum is

A. 0.2 m

B. 0.3 m

C. 0.4 m

D. 0.5 m

**Answer: C**



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**207.** When the length of simple pendulum is increased by 22 cm, the period increases by 20 %. The original length of the simple pendulum is

A. 30 cm

B. 50 cm

C. 75 cm

D. 90 cm

**Answer: B**



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**208.** The periodic time of a second's pendulum as seen by an astronaut in a spaceship is

- A. zero
- B. infinity
- C. 2 sec
- D. 20 sec

**Answer: B**



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**209.** If a simple pendulum oscillates with an amplitude of 50 mm and time period of 2 sec, then its maximum



velocity is

A. 0.10 m/s

B. 0.2 m/s

C. 0.157 m/s

D. 0.4 m/s

**Answer: C**



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**210.** What is the percentage change in the periodic time of a simple pendulum, if its amplitude is increased by 2 % ?

A. 0.02

B. 0.04

C. zero percent

D. 0.1

**Answer: C**



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**211.** The bob of a pendulum of length  $l$  is pulled aside from its equilibrium position through an angle  $\theta$  and then released. The bob will then pass through its equilibrium position with a speed  $v$ , where  $v$  equals

A.  $\sqrt{2gl}$

B.  $\sqrt{2gl(1 + \cos\theta)}$

C.  $\sqrt{2gl(1 - \cos\theta)}$

D.  $\sqrt{2gl(1 + \sin\theta)}$

**Answer: C**

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**212.** The periodic time of a simple pendulum is 3 sec. The mass of its hollow spherical bob is 100 gram. The bob is then filled with sand, so that the mass of the bob becomes 200 gram. Then the new period of oscillation of the simple pendulum will be

A. 6 sec

B. 12 sec

C. 3 sec

D. 9 sec

**Answer: C**



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**213.** the period of a simple pendulum in a stationary lift is 3 sec. If the lift accelerates downwards with an acceleration  $\frac{g}{4}$ , its period of oscillation will be

A.  $\sqrt{3}s$

B.  $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}s$

C.  $2\sqrt{3}s$

D.  $6s$

**Answer: C**

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**214.** A wall clock regulated by a seconds pendulum goes slow by 20 second per day. How many oscillation are performed by the faulty pendulum per day ?

A. 43000

B. 43100

C. 43200

**Answer: D**



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**215.** A simple pendulum of length  $L$  is suspended from the roof of a train. If the train moves in a horizontal direction with an acceleration ' $a$ ' then the period of the simple pendulum is given by

A.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$

B.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g + a}}$

C.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{(g^2 + a^2)}}$

$$D. T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g - a}}$$

**Answer: C**



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**216.** The period of a simple pendulum suspended from the ceiling of a car is  $T$  when the car is at rest. If the car moves with a constant acceleration the period of the pendulum

- A.  $T$  is reduced,  $T$  is increased
- B.  $T$  is reduced,  $T$  remains constant
- C.  $T$  is increased,  $T$  remains constant
- D.  $T$  remains constant,  $T$  is decreased

**Answer: B**



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**217.** The bob of a simple pendulum goes from one extremity to another extremity in 2 s and covers a distance of 8 cm. If its motion is assumed to be simple harmonic, then the maximum velocity of the bob is

A. 4 cm/s

B. 6.28 cm/s

C. 15.7 cm/s

D. 12.56 cm/s

**Answer: B**





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**218.** The acceleration due to gravity at a place changes from  $9.8m/s^2$  to  $9.5m/s^2$ . Then the length of the second's pendulum changes by

A. 0.3 m

B. 3 cm

C. 0.3 cm

D. 6 cm

**Answer: B**



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**219.** If a simple pendulum oscillates with an amplitude of 50 mm and time period of 2 sec, then its maximum velocity is

A. 0.04 m/s

B. 0.08 m/s

C. 0.12 m/s

D. 0.16 m/s

**Answer: D**



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**220.** A second's pendulum is mounted in a rocket. Its period of oscillation decreases when the rocket

- A. moves around the earth in a geostationary orbit
- B. moves down with uniform acceleration
- C. moves up with uniform velocity
- D. moves up with uniform acceleration

**Answer: D**

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**221.** As pendulum clock gives correct time at the equator, Will it gain time or loose time as it is taken to the poles?

A. It will lose time

B. It will gain time

C. There will be no change

D. It will gain time on the north pole and lose time on the south pole

**Answer: B**



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**222.** A simple pendulum executing S.H.M. is falling freely along with the support. Then

A. its periodic time increases

- B. its periodic time decreases
- C. its periodic time does not change
- D. it does not oscillate at all

**Answer: D**



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**223.** The length of a simple pendulum is increased by 1%.

Its time period will

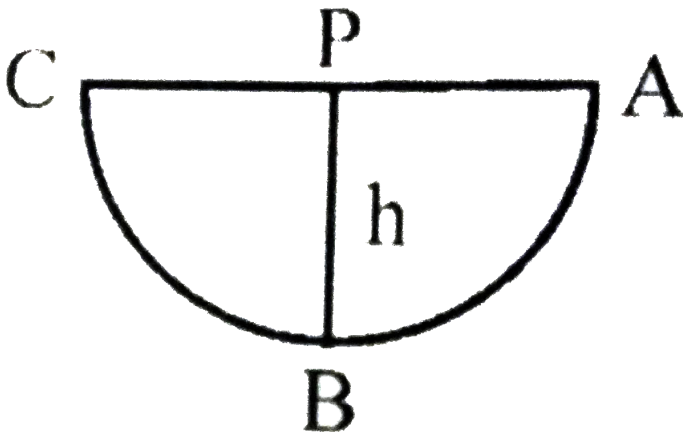
- A. increase by 2%
- B. decrease by 2 %
- C. increase by 0.5 %

D. decrease by 0.5 %

Answer: C

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224. A simple pendulum with a bob of mass  $m$  oscillates from A to C and back to A, such that  $PB=h$ ,



If the acceleration due to gravity is 'g', then the velocity of the bob as it passes through B is

A. zero

B.  $2gh$

C.  $\sqrt{2gh}$

D.  $mgh$

**Answer: C**



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**225.** The periodic time of a simple pendulum is 6.28 sec and the amplitude of oscillation is 3 cm. The maximum acceleration of the pendulum is

A.  $5\text{cm} / \text{s}^2$

B.  $4\text{cm} / \text{s}^2$

C.  $3\text{cm} / \text{s}^2$

D.  $2\text{cm} / \text{s}^2$

**Answer: C**



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**226.** The time period of a simple pendulum measured inside a stationary lift is found to be  $T$ . If the lift starts accelerating upwards with an acceleration  $g/3$ , the time period is

A.  $\frac{T}{3}$



B.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(T)$

C.  $3 T$

D.  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}T$

**Answer: B**



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**227.** The time period of a simple pendulum inside a stationary lift is  $\sqrt{5}$  s. What will be the time period when the lift moves upward with an acceleration  $\frac{g}{4}$ ?

A.  $2\sqrt{5}$  sec

B.  $(2 + \sqrt{5})$  sec

C. 2 sec

D.  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$  sec

**Answer: C**



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**228.** A body falling freely on a planet covers 18 m in 3 s. What is the time period of a simple pendulum of length 1 m on the planet ?

A. 1.57 s

B. 3.14 s

C. 6.28 s

D. 4.5 s

**Answer: B**



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**229.** What effect occurs on the frequency of a pendulum if it is taken from the earth surface to deep into a mine

- A. First increases and then decreases
- B. Increases
- C. Decreases
- D. First decreases and then increases

**Answer: C**



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230. A simple pendulum suspended from the ceiling of a train has a time period  $T$  when the train is at rest. If the train is accelerating uniformly at  $a$  then its time period

- A. Decrease
- B. Remain unaffected
- C. Become infinite
- D. Increase

**Answer: A**



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**231.** A second's pendulum is placed in a space laboratory orbiting around the earth at a height  $3R$ , where  $R$  is the radius of the earth. The time period of the pendulum is

A.  $2\sqrt{3}$  sec

B. 4 sec

C. Infinite

D. zero

**Answer: C**



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**232.** A particle executes a linear S.H.M. of amplitude  $A$  and period  $T$ . It starts from the mean position. The time required to cover a distance  $A/2$  is

A.  $\frac{T}{6}$

B.  $\frac{T}{12}$

C.  $\frac{T}{3}$

D.  $\frac{T}{4}$

**Answer: A**



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**233.** If  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  are the lengths of a seconds pendulum at the poles and the equator of the earth, then

A.  $l_1 > l_2$

B.  $l_1 < l_2$

C.  $l_1 = l_2$

D.  $l_1 = 0.9l_2$

**Answer: A**

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**234.** The velocity of the bob of a simple pendulum in the mean position is  $v$ . If its amplitude is doubled, by keeping

the same length, then its velocity in the mean position will be

A.  $2v$

B.  $v$

C.  $\frac{v}{2}$

D.  $4v$

**Answer: A**

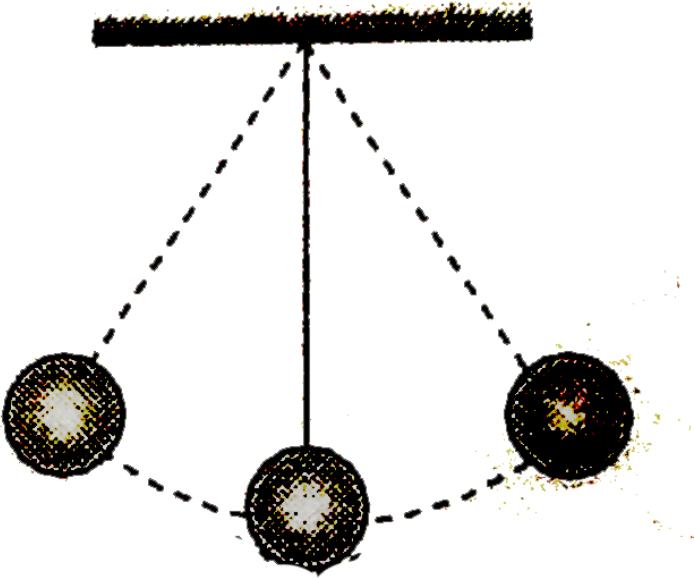


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**235.** What is the velocity of the bob of a simple pendulum at its mean position, if it is able to rise to vertical height



of 10 cm (take  $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ )



A. 0.6 m/s

B. 1.4 m/s

C. 2.2 m/s

D. 1.8 m/s

**Answer: B**

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**236.** A child swinging on a swing in sitting position, stands up, then the time period of the swing will.

- A. will increase
- B. will decrease
- C. will not be affected
- D. will be doubled

**Answer: B**

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**237.** Simple pendulum is executing simple harmonic motion with time period  $T$ . If the length of the pendulum is increased by 21 % , then the increase in the time period of the pendulum of the increased length is:

A. 0.5

B. 0.4

C. 0.2

D. 0.1

**Answer: D**



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**238.** The bob of a simple pendulum of length  $L$ , is displaced through  $90^\circ$ , from its mean position and then released. What will be the tension in the string when the bob of mass  $m$  will be its lowest position ?

- A.  $mg$
- B.  $2 mg$
- C.  $3 mg$
- D.  $6 mg$

**Answer: C**



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**239.** The bob of a simple pendulum is a hollow cylinder, with a small hole in the bottom. It is filled with sand and set into oscillation. Its periodic time ( $T$ ) is measured at regular intervals. As the sand starts coming out we find that

- A.  $T$  increases with time
- B.  $T$  does not change with time
- C.  $T$  first decreases and then increases
- D.  $T$  first increases and then decreases

**Answer: D**



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**240.** Two pendulums  $X$  and  $Y$  of time periods  $4s$  and  $4.2s$  are made to vibrate simultaneously. They are initially in same phase. After how many vibration of  $X$ , they will be in the same phase again ?

A. 7

B. 14

C. 21

D. 28

**Answer: C**



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241. A particle is performing a linear simple harmonic motion of amplitude 'A'. When it is midway between its mean and extreme position, the magnitudes of its velocity and acceleration are equal. What is the periodic time of the motion ?

A.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\pi}$  sec

B.  $\frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{3}}$  sec

C.  $2\pi\sqrt{3}$  sec

D.  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$  sec

**Answer: D**



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242. Two simple pendulums have time periods  $T$  and  $\frac{5T}{4}$ . They start vibrating at the same instant from the mean position in the same phase. The phase difference between them when the bigger pendulum completes one oscillation will be

A.  $90^\circ$

B.  $60^\circ$

C.  $45^\circ$

D.  $30^\circ$

**Answer: A**



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**243.** A simple pendulum has time period  $T$ . The bob is given negative charge and surface below it is given positive charge. New time period will be

- A. Infinite
- B. Equal to  $T$
- C. Greater than  $T$
- D. Less than  $T$

**Answer: D**



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**244.** A simple pendulum of length  $l$  has a brass bob attached at its lower end. Its period is  $T$ . If a steel bob of

same size, having density  $x$  times that of brass, replaces the brass bob and its length is changed so that period becomes  $2T$ , then new length is

A.  $4/x$

B.  $\frac{4l}{x}$

C.  $4l$

D.  $2l$

**Answer: C**



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**245.** If the length of a simple pendulum is halved, then its energy becomes

A. double

B. half

C. 4 times of the initial

D. 3 times of the initial

**Answer: A**



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**246.** Two simple pendulums of length 0.4 m and 1.6 m respectively are given small linear displacements in one direction at the same instant. After how many complete oscillations of the pendulum of the shorter length, they will again be in phase ?

A. 1

B. 2

C. 4

D. 6

**Answer: B**



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**247.** The periodic time of a simple pendulum, oscillating in air is  $T$ . But if the bob of the simple pendulum is completely immersed in a nonviscous liquid, whose density is  $\frac{1}{20}$  th of the material of the bob, then its new period will be

A. T

B.  $\frac{19}{20}T$

C.  $\frac{20}{19}T$

D.  $\sqrt{\frac{20}{19}}T$

**Answer: D**



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**248.** The bob of a simple pendulum of length  $L$  is released at time  $t = 0$  from a position of small angular displacement  $\theta_0$ . Its linear displacement at time  $t$  is given by:

A.  $x = A \sin 2\pi \sqrt{l/g} \times t$

B.  $x = A \cos 2\pi \sqrt{l/g} \times t$

C.  $x = A \cos \sqrt{g/l} \times t$

D.  $x = A \sin \sqrt{g/l} \times t$

**Answer: C**



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**249.** A pendulum clock is running fast. In order to correct it we should

A. reduce the amplitude of oscillation

B. reduce the mass of the bob

C. reduce the length of pendulum

D. increase the length of the pendulum

**Answer: D**



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**250.** A simple pendulum oscillates with an angular amplitude of  $\theta$ . If the maximum tension in the string is 3 times the minimum tension, then the value of  $\cos \theta$  is

A.  $\frac{1}{2}$

B.  $\frac{2}{3}$

C.  $\frac{3}{4}$

D.  $\frac{3}{5}$

Answer: D



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251. A simple pendulum has time period  $T_1$ . The point of suspension is now moved upward according to the relation  $y = kt^2$  ( $k = 1\text{m/s}^2$ ) where  $y$  is vertical displacement, the time period now becomes  $T_2$ . The ratio of  $\left(\frac{T_1}{T_2}\right)^2$  is : ( $g = 10\text{m/s}^2$ )

A.  $\frac{5}{6}$

B.  $\frac{6}{3}$

C.  $\frac{4}{5}$

D.  $\frac{5}{4}$



**Answer: B**



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**252.** At a particular place, a simple pendulum of length 1m, makes 400 oscillations in 13 minute. What is the length of a second's pendulum at this place ?

- A. 98 cm
- B. 100 cm
- C. 102 cm
- D. 105 cm

**Answer: D**



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**253.** The angular velocity and amplitude of simple pendulum are  $\omega$  and  $r$  respectively. At a displacement  $x$  from the mean position, if its kinetic energy is  $T$  and potential energy is  $U$ , find the ration of  $T$  to  $U$ .

A.  $\left( \frac{a^2 - x^2\omega^2}{x^2\omega^2} \right)$

B.  $\frac{x^2\omega^2}{(a^2 - x^2\omega^2)}$

C.  $\frac{(a^2 - x^2)}{x^2}$

D.  $\frac{x^2}{(a^2 - x^2)}$

**Answer: C**



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**254.** A simple pendulum is set up in a trolley which moves to the right with an acceleration  $a$  on a horizontal plane. Then the thread of the pendulum in the mean position makes an angle  $\theta$  with the vertical

A.  $\tan^{-1} \frac{g}{a}$  in the forward direction

B.  $\tan^{-1} \frac{g}{a}$  in the backward direction

C.  $\tan^{-1} \frac{a}{g}$  in the backward direction

D.  $\tan^{-1} \frac{a}{g}$  in the forward direction

**Answer: C**



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255. A pendulum bob has a speed of  $3ms^{-1}$  at its lowest position. The pendulum is 0.5 m long. The speed of the bob, when string makes an angle of  $60^\circ$  to the vertical is (take,  $g = 10ms^{-1}$ )

A.  $\frac{1}{2}m/s$

B.  $2m/s$

C.  $\frac{1}{3}m/s$

D.  $3m/s$

**Answer: B**



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**256.** A simple pendulum has a time period of 3 s. If the point of suspension of the pendulum starts moving vertically upwards with a velocity  $=v=kt$  where  $k = 4.4m/s^2$ , the new time period will be (Take  $g = 10m/s^2$ )

A.  $\frac{5}{3}s$

B. 2.5 s

C. 4.4 s

D.  $\frac{9}{4}s$

**Answer: B**



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**257.** A simple pendulum is constructed by attaching a bob of mass  $m$  to a string of length  $L$  fixed at its upper end. The bob oscillates in a vertical circle. It is found that the speed of the bob is  $v$  when the string makes an angle  $\theta$  with the vertical. Find the tension in the string at this instant.

$$\text{A. } T = m \left( \frac{v^2}{L} + g \cos \alpha \right),$$

$$F = m \sqrt{g^2 \sin^2 \alpha + \frac{v^4}{L^2}}$$

$$\text{B. } T = m \left( \frac{v^2}{L} + g \cos \alpha \right),$$

$$F = m \sqrt{g^2 \cos^2 \alpha + \frac{v^4}{L^2}}$$

$$\text{C. } T = m \left( \frac{v^2}{L} + g \cos \alpha \right),$$

$$F = m \sqrt{g^2 \sin^2 \alpha - \frac{v^4}{L^2}}$$

$$D. T = m \left( \frac{v^2}{L} + g \cos \alpha \right),$$

$$F = m \sqrt{g^2 \cos^2 \alpha - \frac{v^4}{L^2}}$$

**Answer: A**



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**258.** The length of a second's pendulum on the surface of earth is 1 m. What will be the length of a second's pendulum on the moon?

A.  $\frac{1}{3}m$

B. 6 m

C.  $\frac{1}{6}m$

D. 3 m

**Answer: C**



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**259.** A simple pendulum has a time period  $T_1$  when on the earth's surface and  $T_2$  when taken to a height  $R$  above the earth's surface, where  $R$  is the radius of the earth. The value of  $\frac{T_2}{T_1}$  is

A. 0.5

B. 2

C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

D.  $\sqrt{2}$



**Answer: A**



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**260.** A simple pendulum has a length  $L$  and a bob of mass  $M$ . The bob is vibrating with amplitude  $a$ . What is the maximum tension in the string?

A.  $T_{\max} = mg \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{A}{l} \right)^2 \right]$

B.  $T_{\max} = mg \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{A}{l} \right)^2 \right]$

C.  $T_{\max} = mg \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{l}{A} \right)^2 \right]$

D.  $T_{\max} = mg \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{l}{A} \right)^2 \right]$

**Answer: A**

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**261.** The equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + b\frac{dy}{dt} + \omega^2y = 0$$

represents the equation of motion for a

- A. Free vibrator
- B. Damped harmonic oscillator
- C. Forced oscillator
- D. Resonant oscillator

**Answer: B**

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**262.** The amplitude of a vibrating body situated in a resisting medium

- A. remains constant with time
- B. increases with time
- C. decreases exponentially with time
- D. decreases linearly with time

**Answer: C**



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**263.** In case of a forced vibration, the resonance wave becomes very sharp when the

A. quality factor is small

B. damping force is small

C. restoring force is small

D. applied periodic force is small

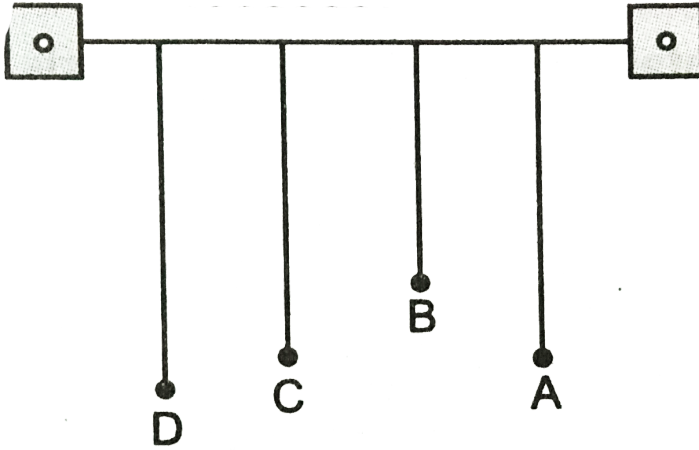
**Answer: B**



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**264.** Four pendulums A,B,C and D are suspended from the same elastic support as shown in figure. A and C are of the same length , while B is smaller than A and D is

larger than A. If A is given a transverse displacement,



- A. All the four pendulums will oscillate with equal amplitudes
- B. B will oscillate with maximum amplitude
- C. C will oscillate with maximum amplitude
- D. D will oscillate with maximum amplitude

**Answer: C**

**265.** When a damped harmonic oscillator completes 100 oscillations, its amplitude is reduced to  $\frac{1}{3}$  of its initial value. What will be its amplitude when it completes 200 oscillations?

A.  $\frac{1}{5}$

B.  $\frac{2}{3}$

C.  $\frac{1}{6}$

D.  $\frac{1}{9}$

**Answer: D**

**266.** A body of mass 0.25 kg is attached to a vertical spring. The spring is executing damped simple harmonic motion. The displacement of the spring will drop to half its initial value ? [The damping constant  $b = 0.05 \text{ kg/s}$ ]

A.  $4 \log_{10} 2$

B.  $4 \log_e 2$

C.  $5 \log_e 2$

D.  $5 \log_{10} 2$

**Answer: C**



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267. Amplitude of a wave is represented by  $A \frac{c}{a + b + c}$

Then resonance will occur when

A.  $b = -\frac{a}{2}$

B.  $b = 0$  and  $a = -c$

C.  $b = -\frac{c}{2}$

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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268. The amplitude of damped oscillator becomes half in one minute. The amplitude after 3 minutes will be  $1/x$  times the original, where  $x$  is



A.  $3^2$

B.  $2 \times 3$

C.  $3 \times 2^2$

D.  $2^3$

**Answer: D**



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**269.** When a tuning fork of frequency 262 Hz is struck, it loses half of its energy after 4s. What is the decay time  $t$  ?

A. 3 s

B. 4.5 s

C. 5.77 s

D. 6.28 s

**Answer: C**



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**270.** A block of mass 200 g executing SHM under the influence of a spring of spring constant  $k = 90Nm^{-1}$  and a damping constant  $gb = 40gs^{-1}$ . The time elapsed for its amplitude to drop to half of its initial value is (Given,  $\ln(1/2) = -0.693$ )

A. 7s

B. 9s

C. 4s

D. 11s

**Answer: A**



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**271.** A block of mass one kg is fastened to a spring with a spring constant  $50Nm^{-1}$ . The block is pulled to a distance  $x = 10cm$  from its equilibrium position at  $x = 0$  on a frictionless surface from rest at  $t = 0$ . Write the expression for its  $x(t)$  and  $v(t)$ .

A.  $5 \cos(5t)$

B.  $5 \sin(5t)$

C.  $0.5 \cos(5t)$

D.  $2 \times 10^{-2} \cos(10t)$

**Answer: C**

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**272.** A particle which is attached to a spring oscillates in a horizontal plane with a frequency of  $\frac{1}{\pi} Hz$  and total energy of 5 J. What is the force constant of the spring, if its maximum speed during oscillation is 40 cm/s ?

A.  $150 N/m$

B.  $200 N/m$

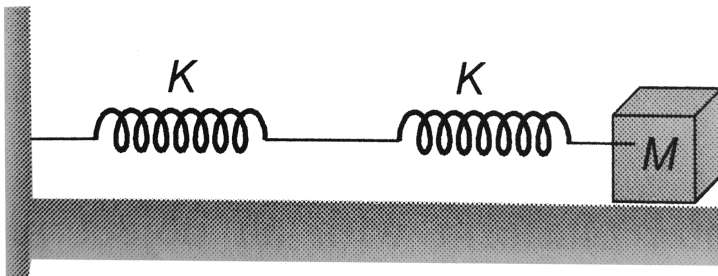
C.  $225 N/m$

D.  $250N/m$

Answer: D

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273. Two spring are connected to a block of mass  $M$  placed on a frictionless surface as shown. If both the springs have a spring constant  $k$  the frequency of oscillation of the block is



A.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{2m}{K}}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{m}{K}}$

C.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K}{2m}}$

D.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K}{m}}$

**Answer: C**



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**274.** A rubber band (two parallel strands of elastic material) has a force constant of 1 N/m. If the band is cut in one place such that it now forms a "single" long strand of elastic material, then the new spring constant will be

A. 5 N/m

B. 0.5 N/m

C. 0.25 N/m

D. 2 N/m

**Answer: C**



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**275.** A body of mass of 4 kg is mounted on four vertical springs each having a spring constant of 400 N/m. The period with which the body vibrates vertically is

A. 3.14 s

B. 0.314 s

C. 0.628 s

D. 0.157 s

**Answer: B**



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**276.** Three mass 0.1 kg ,0.3 kg and 0.4 kg are suspended at end of a spring. When is 0.4 kg mass is removed , the system oscillates with a period 2 s . When the 0.3 kg mass is also removed , the system will oscillates with a period

A. 1 s

B. 2s

C. 3 s

D. 4 s



**Answer: A**



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**277.** Two springs fixed at one end are stretched by 4 cm and 12 cm, respectively, when masses of 0.5 kg and 1 kg are suspended at their lower ends. They are displaced slightly from their mean positions and released. What is the ratio of their periods of oscillation ?

A.  $1 : \sqrt{2}$

B.  $1 : 2$

C.  $1 : \sqrt{3}$

D.  $2 : 5$

**Answer: C**



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**278.** When a spring is compressed by 0.05 m a restoring force of 10 N is developed in it. Then the force constant of the spring is

- A. 50 N/m
- B. 100 N/m
- C. 150 N/m
- D. 200 N/m

**Answer: D**



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**279.** Two identical springs, each of force constant  $k$  are connected I (a) series (b) parallel and they support a mass  $M$ . Calculate the ratio of the frequency of oscillation of the mass in two systems.

A. 1 : 1

B. 1 : 2

C. 2 : 1

D. 4 : 1

**Answer: C**



**280.** When a mass  $M$  is suspended from a spring, its period of oscillation is 2 second. If a mass  $4M$  is suspended from the same spring, then its period of oscillation will be

A. 2 sec

B. 1 sec

C. 4 sec

D. 8 sec

**Answer: C**



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**281.** What provides the restoring force for simple harmonic oscillations in the following cases? (i) simple pendulum (ii) spring (iii) column of mercury in U tube.

A. Gravitational force

B. Elasticity

C. Viscous forces

D. Centripetal force

**Answer: B**



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**282.** The time period of a mass suspended from a spring is  $T$ . If the spring is cut into four equal parts and the same mass is suspended from one of the parts, then the new time period will be

A.  $\frac{T}{4}$

B.  $\frac{T}{2}$

C.  $2T$

D.  $4T$

**Answer: B**



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**283.** Force constant of two wires  $A$  and  $B$  of the same material are  $K$  and  $2K$  respectively. If the two wires are stretched equally, then the ratio of work done in stretching  $\left(\frac{W_A}{W_B}\right)$  is

A.  $w_1 = w_2$

B.  $w_1 = 2w_2$

C.  $w_1 = 1/2w_2$

D.  $w_1 = 1/4w_2$

**Answer: B**



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**284.** A mass  $m$  is suspended from the two coupled springs connected in series. The force constant for springs are  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ . The time period of the suspended mass will be

A.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left(\frac{m(K_1 + K_2)}{K_1 + K_2}\right)}$

B.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{K_1 + K_2}\right)}$

C.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left(\frac{mK_1 + K_2}{(K_1 + K_2)}\right)}$

D.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{K_1 - K_2}\right)}$

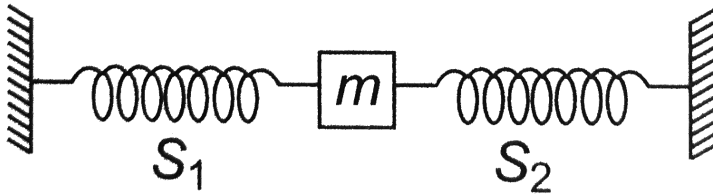
**Answer: A**



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285. In figure  $S_1$  and  $S_1$  are identical springs. The oscillation frequency of the mass  $m$  is  $f$ . if one spring is removed, the frequency will become



- A.  $f \times \sqrt{2}$
- B.  $\frac{f}{\sqrt{2}}$
- C.  $f \times 2$
- D.  $f$

**Answer: B**



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**286.** The length of a spring is  $l$  and its force constant is  $k$ . When a weight  $W$  is suspended from it, its length increases by  $x$ . If the spring is cut into two equal parts and put in parallel and the same weight  $W$  is suspended from them, then the extension will be

A.  $\frac{x}{4}$

B.  $x$

C.  $\frac{x}{2}$

D.  $2x$

**Answer: A**



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**287.** A spring of certain length and having spring constant  $k$  is cut into two pieces of length in a ratio 1:2. The spring constants of the two pieces are in a ratio :

A. 1:2

B. 2:3

C. 2:1

D. 1:3

**Answer: C**



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**288.** Two springs have their force constants  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  and they are stretched to the same extension. If  $K_2 > K_1$  work done is

- A. More in spring B
- B. Nothing can be said
- C. More in spring A
- D. Equal in both

**Answer: C**



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**289.** The scale of a spring balance reading from 0 to 10 kg is 0.25 m long. A body suspended from the balance oscillates vertically with a period of  $\pi/10$  second. The mass suspended is (neglect the mass of the spring)

- A. 20 kg
- B. 10 kg
- C. 0.98 kg
- D. 5 kg

**Answer: C**



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**290.** Two springs with spring constants  $K_1 = 1500\text{N/m}$  and  $K_2 = 3000\text{N/m}$  are stretched by the same force. The ratio of potential energy stored in spring will be

A. 1:4

B. 4:1

C. 2:1

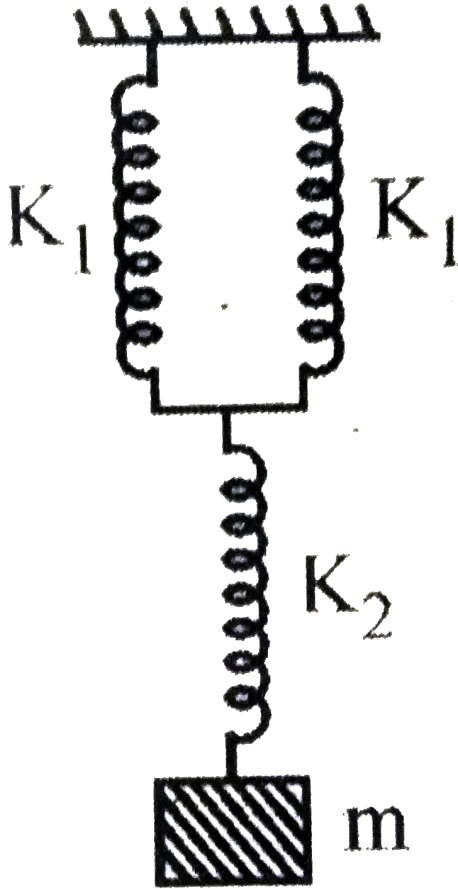
D. 1:2

**Answer: C**



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291. What will be the equivalent spring constant of the spring system shown in the figure ?



A.  $\frac{1}{2K_1} + \frac{K}{K_2}$

B.  $\frac{K_1}{2} + K_2$

$$C. \left[ \frac{2}{K_1} + \frac{1}{K_2} \right]^{-1}$$

$$D. \left[ \frac{1}{2K_1} + \frac{1}{K_2} \right]^{-1}$$

**Answer: D**

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**292.** A mass  $M$  is suspended from a light spring. An additional mass  $m$  added to it displaces the spring further by distance  $x$  then its time period is

$$A. T = \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \sqrt{\left( \frac{mg}{x(M+m)} \right)}$$

$$B. T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left( \frac{(M+m)}{mgx} \right)}$$

$$C. T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left( \frac{mg}{x(M+m)} \right)}$$



$$D. T = 2\pi \sqrt{\left(\frac{(M + m)x}{mg}\right)}$$

**Answer: D**



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**293.** A load of mass 100 gm increases the length of wire by 10 cm. If the system is kept in oscillation, its time period is ( $g = 10m/s^2$ )

A. 0.314 s

B. 3.14 s

C. 0.628 s

D. 6.28 s

**Answer: C**



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**294.** When a mass of 5 kg is suspended from a spring of negligible mass and spring constant  $K$ , it oscillates with a periodic time  $2\pi$ . If the mass is removed, the length of the spring will decrease by

A.  $\frac{g}{K}$  metre

B.  $g$  metre

C.  $2\pi$  metre

D.  $\frac{m}{K}$  metre

**Answer: B**



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**295.** A mass  $M$  suspended from a spring of negligible mass executes a vertical S.H.M. of period  $3\sqrt{2}$  sec. If the mass is doubled, then the new period will be

A. 3 s

B. 6 s

C.  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} s$

D.  $2\sqrt{3}s$

**Answer: B**



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**296.** A spring of length 0.4 m, fixed at one end in the vertical direction is extended by 5 cm, by attaching a mass of 2 kg. Then it is further pulled by 5 cm and left to itself. What is the final potential energy ? What is the amplitude of oscillation ? ( $g = 10\text{ m/s}^2$ )

A. 2 J, 10 cm

B. 1 J, 10 cm

C. 2 J, 5 cm

D. 3 J, 10 cm

**Answer: C**



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297. When a mass of 1 kg is suspended from a spring, it is stretched by 0.4m. A mass of 0.25 kg is suspended from the spring and the spring is allowed to oscillate. If  $g = 10m / s^2$ , then its period of oscillation will be

- A. 0.5 sec
- B. 0.4 sec
- C. 0.628 sec
- D. 1.5 sec

**Answer: C**



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**298.** A mass  $M$  attached to a spring oscillates with a period of 1s. If the mass is increased by 3 kg the period increases by 1s. What is the value of  $M$ , assuming that Hooke's law is obeyed ?

A. 3 kg

B. 2 kg

C. 1 kg

D. 5 kg

**Answer: C**



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**299.** A mass is suspended from a spring having spring constant  $k$  is displaced vertically and released. It oscillates with period  $T$  the weight of the mass suspended is ( $g$  = gravitational acceleration)

A.  $\frac{KTg}{4\pi^2}$

B.  $\frac{KT^2g}{4\pi^2}$

C.  $\frac{KTg}{2\pi^2}$

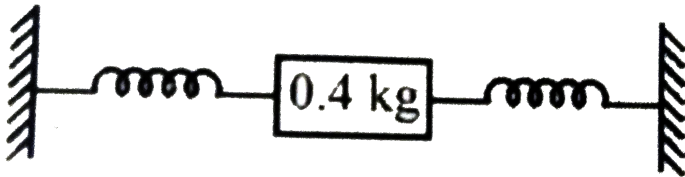
D.  $\frac{KT^2g}{2\pi^2}$

**Answer: B**



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300. A body of mass  $0.4 \text{ kg}$  is held between two massless springs whose ends are fixed to rigid walls as shown in the figure. The spring constants are  $8 \text{ N/m}$  and  $2 \text{ N/m}$ . If the body is displaced along the direction of the lengths of the springs and released, the time period (in second) of the oscillations will be (ignore vertical oscillation, if any )



- A.  $2\pi$
- B.  $4\pi$
- C.  $0.2\pi$
- D.  $0.4\pi$



**Answer: D**



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**301.** Which of the following graph depicts spring constant  $k$  versus length  $l$  of the spring correctly

- A. a straight line
- B. an ellipse
- C. a parabola
- D. a hyperbola

**Answer: D**



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**302.** A spring has length ' $l$ ' and spring constant ' $k$ '. It is cut into two pieces of lengths  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  such that  $l_1 = nl_2$ .

The force constant of the spring of length  $l_1$  is

A.  $\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)K$

B.  $K$

C.  $\frac{K}{n+1}$

D.  $K(1+n)$

**Answer: A**



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**303.** When a mass  $m$  is attached to a spring, it normally extends by  $0.2\text{ m}$ . The mass  $m$  is given a slight additional extension and released, then its time period will be

A.  $\frac{2\pi}{7}\text{ sec}$

B.  $\frac{2}{3\pi}\text{ sec}$

C.  $1\text{ sec}$

D.  $\frac{1}{7}\text{ sec}$

**Answer: A**



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**304.** A flat spiral spring of force constant  $K$  is loaded with mass  $M$  and oscillates vertically with a time period  $T$ . Then the mass suspended to the free end is

A.  $\frac{4\pi^2}{KT^2}$

B.  $\frac{KT^2}{4\pi^2}$

C.  $\frac{KT}{4\pi^2}$

D.  $\frac{KT}{4\pi}$

**Answer: B**



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**305.** If a spring has time period  $T$ , and is cut into  $(n)$  equal parts, then the time period of each part will be.

A.  $nT$

B.  $\frac{T}{\sqrt{n}}$

C.  $T\sqrt{n}$

D.  $T$

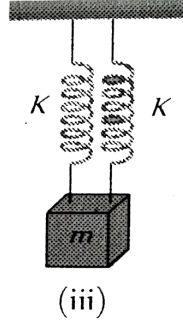
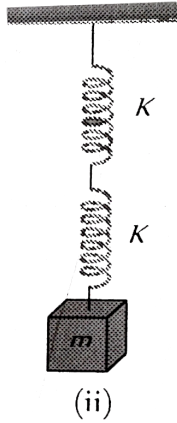
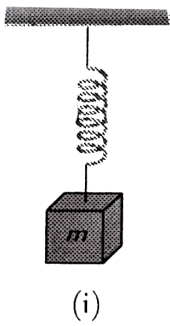
**Answer: B**



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**306.** Five identical springs are used in the following three configurations. The time periods of vertical oscillations in

configurations (i), (ii) and (iii) are in the ratio



A.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} : 2 : 1$

B.  $2 : \sqrt{2} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

C.  $2 : \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} : 1$

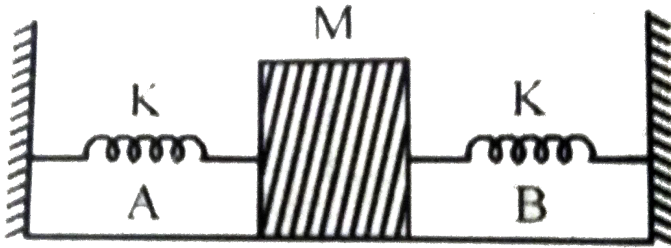
D.  $1 : \sqrt{2} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

**Answer: D**



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**307.** Two identical springs A and B each of spring constant  $K$  are attached to a block of mass  $M$  and to two fixed supports as shown in the figure. When the mass  $M$  is displaced through a small distance from its equilibrium position, it executes a S.H.M. What is its frequency of oscillation ?



A.  $n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K}{M}}$

B.  $n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K}{2M}}$

C.  $n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{2K}{M}}$

D.  $n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K^2}{M}}$

Answer: C

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**308.** Two bodies  $P$  and  $Q$  of equal masses are suspended from two separate massless springs of force constants  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  respectively. If the two bodies oscillate vertically such that their maximum velocities are equal. The ratio of the amplitude of  $P$  to that of  $Q$  is

A.  $\frac{K_2}{K_1}$

B.  $\sqrt{\frac{K_1}{K_2}}$

C.  $\frac{K_1}{K_2}$

D.  $\sqrt{\frac{K_2}{K_1}}$



**Answer: D**



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**309.** An ideal spring with spring constant  $k$  is hung from the ceiling and a block of mass  $M$  is attached to its lower end. The mass is released with the spring initially unstretched. Then the maximum extension in the spring is

A.  $\frac{Mg}{K}$

B.  $\frac{Mg}{2K}$

C.  $\frac{4Mg}{K}$

D.  $\frac{2Mg}{K}$

**Answer: D**



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**310.** A spring of force constant  $k$  is cut into two pieces such that one piece is double the length of the other.

Then the long piece will have a force constant of:

A.  $2K$

B.  $3K$

C.  $\frac{3}{2}K$

D.  $\frac{2}{3}K$

**Answer: C**



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**311.** A spring executes SHM with mass of 10 kg attached to it. The force constant of spring is 10 N/m. If at any instant its velocity is 40 cm/sec, the displacement will be (where amplitude is 0.5 m )

A. 0.3 m

B. 0.9 m

C. 0.03 m

D. 0.09 m

**Answer: A**



**312.** A mass  $M$  is suspended from a spring of negligible mass. The spring is pulled a little then released, so that the mass executes simple harmonic motion of time period  $T$ . If the mass is increased by  $m$ , the time period becomes  $\frac{5T}{3}$ . Find the ratio of  $m / M$ .

A.  $\frac{9}{16}$

B.  $\frac{25}{16}$

C.  $\frac{4}{5}$

D.  $\frac{5}{4}$

**Answer: A**



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**313.** A spring balance having a scale of length 10 cm is used to measure weights from 0 to 5 kg. When a small stone of mass  $m$  is suspended from the spring, the spring performs 50 vertical oscillation in 10 second. What is the mass of the stone ? [ use  $g = 10m/s^2$  and  $\pi^2 = 10$  ].

A. 100 gram

B. 250 gram

C. 500 gram

D. 750 gram

**Answer: C**



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**314.** A mass  $m$  suspended from a vertical spring oscillates with a period of 4 s. The mass is then kept at rest. Through what distance the spring will be stretched ?

[Take  $\pi^2=10$ ]

A. 3 m

B. 4 m

C. 5 m

D. 6 m

**Answer: B**



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**315.** A particle at the end of a spring executes simple harmonic motion with a period  $t_1$  while the corresponding period for another spring is  $t_2$  if the oscillation with the two springs in series is  $T$  then

A.  $T = T_1 + T_2$

B.  $T^2 = T_1^2 + T_2^2$

C.  $\frac{1}{T^2} = \frac{1}{T_1^2} + \frac{1}{T_2^2}$

D.  $\frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{T_1} + \frac{1}{T_2}$

**Answer: B**



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**316.** A block of mass  $m$ , attached to a string of spring constant  $k$ , oscillates on a smooth horizontal table. The other end of the spring is fixed to a wall. The block has a speed  $v$  when the spring is at its natural length. Before coming to an instantaneous rest. If the block moves a distance  $x$  from the mean position, then

A.  $x = \sqrt{\frac{mv}{K}}$

B.  $x = v\sqrt{\frac{m}{K}}$

C.  $x = \frac{1}{v}\sqrt{\frac{m}{K}}$

D.  $x = \sqrt{\frac{m}{K}}$

**Answer: B**



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**317.** The force constants of two springs are  $K_1$  and  $K_2$ . Both are stretched till their elastic energies are equal. If the stretching forces are  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  then  $F_1 : F_2$  is

A.  $\sqrt{K_1} : \sqrt{K_2}$

B.  $K_2 : K_1$

C.  $K_1^2 : K_2^2$

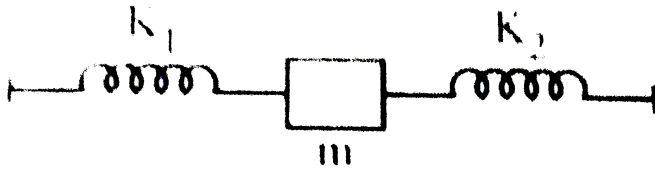
D.  $K_1 : K_2$

**Answer: A**



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318. Two springs of force constants  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  are connected to a mass  $m$  as shown in the figure.



If both  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  are made four times their original values, the frequency of oscillation becomes,

A.  $2f$

B.  $4f$

C.  $\frac{f}{2}$

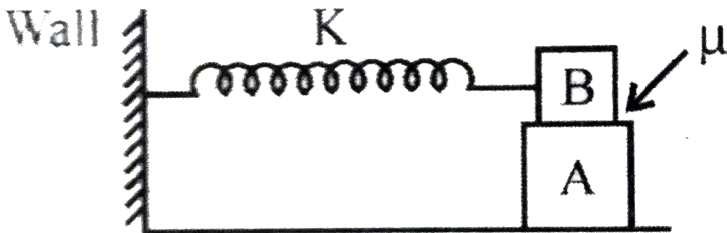
D.  $\frac{f}{4}$

**Answer: A**



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**319.** A block A of mass  $m$  is placed on a frictionless horizontal surface. Another block B of the same mass is kept on A and connected to the wall with the help of a spring of force constant  $K$  as shown in the figure. The coefficient of friction between the blocks A and B is  $\mu$ . The blocks move together executing simple harmonic motion of amplitude ' $a$ '. What is the maximum value of the frictional force between A and B ?



A.  $\mu mg$

B. zero

C.  $Ka$

D.  $\frac{Ka}{2}$

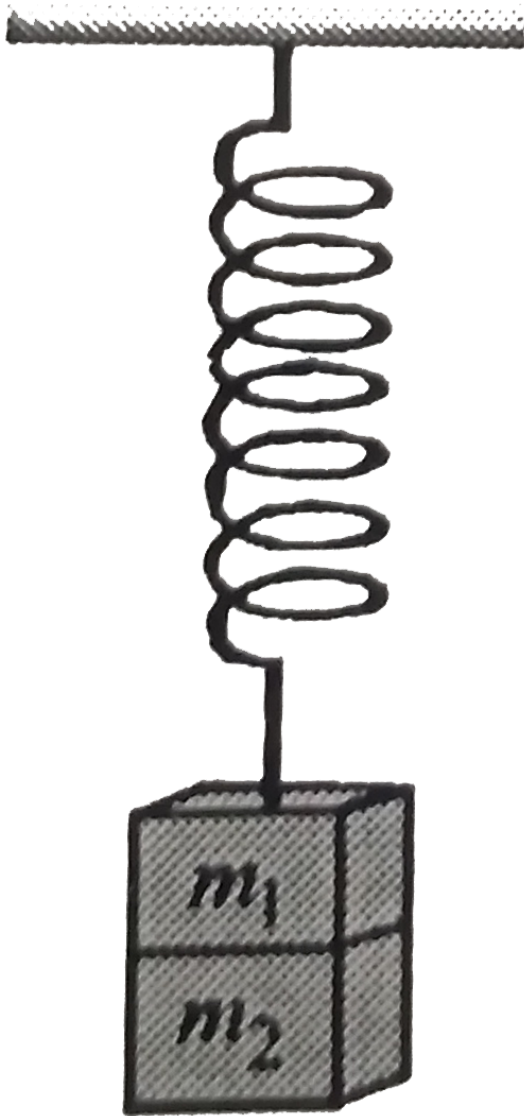
**Answer: D**



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**320.** Two masses  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  are suspended together by a massless spring of constant  $k$ . When the masses are in equilibrium,  $m_1$  is removed without disturbing the

system. The amplitude of oscillations is



A.  $\frac{m_2 g}{K}$

B.  $\frac{m_1 g}{K}$

C.  $\frac{K}{m_1 g}$

D.  $\frac{K}{m_2 g}$

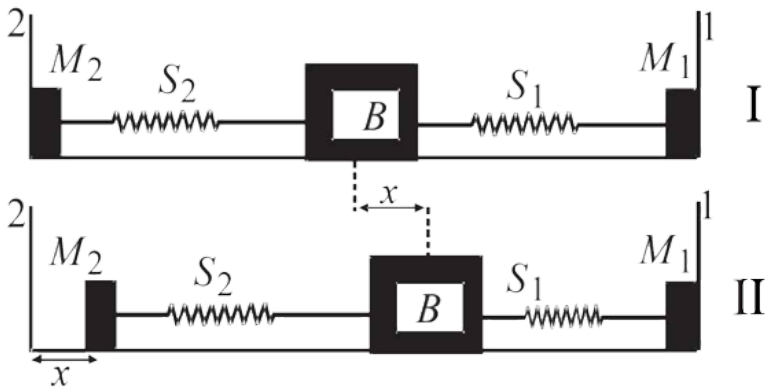
**Answer: B**



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**321.** A block ( $B$ ) is attached to two unstriched sprig  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  with spring constant  $K$  and  $4K$ , respectively (see fig 1) The other ends are attached in identical support  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  not attached in the walls. The springs and supports have negligible mass. There is no

friction anywhere . The block  $B$  is displaced toward wall 1 by a small distance  $z$  (figure (ii)) and released . The block return and moves a maximum displacements  $x$  and  $y$  are measured with respect to the equilibrium of the block  $B$  and the ratio  $y/x$  is



A. 4

B. 2

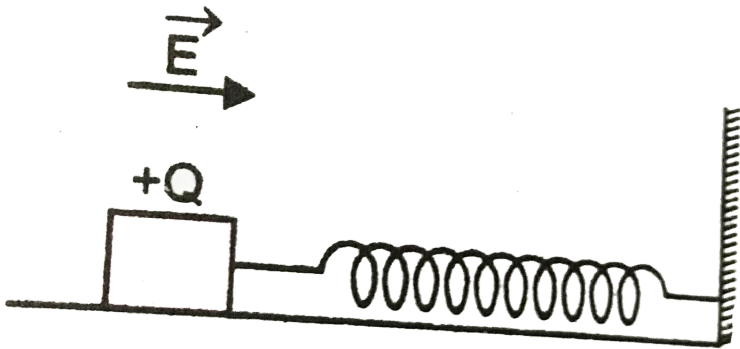
C.  $\frac{1}{2}$

D.  $\frac{1}{4}$

Answer: C

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322. A wooden block performs SHM on a frictionless surface with frequency,  $\nu_0$ . The block carries a charge  $+Q$  on its surface. If now a uniform electric field  $\vec{E}$  is switched on as shown in figure., then the SHM of the block will be





A. of the same frequency and with shifted mean position

B. of the same frequency and with the same mean position

C. of changed frequency and with shifted mean position

D. of changed frequency and with the same mean position

**Answer: A**



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**323.** Two similar springs  $P$  and  $Q$  have spring constant  $K_P$  and  $K_Q$  such that  $K_P > K_Q$ . They are stretched, first by the same amount (case a), then the same force (case b). The work done by the spring  $W_P$  and  $W_Q$  are related as, in case (b), respectively

A.  $W_P = W_Q, W_P = W_Q$

B.  $W_P > W_Q, W_Q > W_P$

C.  $W_p < W_Q, W_Q < W_P$

D.  $W_p = W_Q, W_P > W_Q$

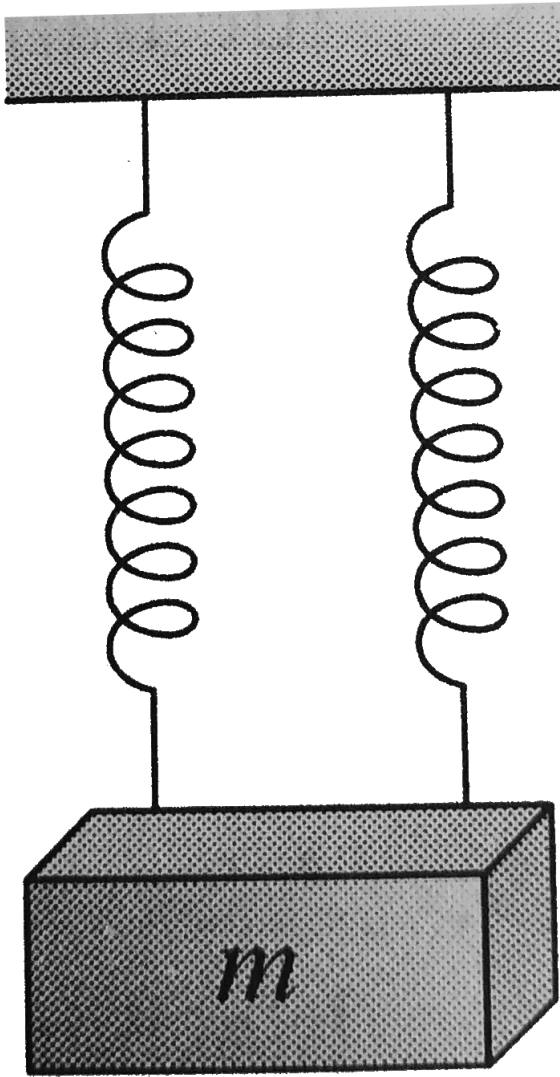
**Answer: B**



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**324.** A mass  $m$  is suspended separately by two different spring of spring constant  $K_1$  and  $k_2$  given the time period  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  respectively if the same mass  $m$  is shown

in the figure then time period  $t$  is given by the relation



A.  $t = \frac{t_1 t_2}{t_1 + t_2}$

B.  $t^2 = t_1^2 + t_2^2$

$$C. t = t_1 + t_2$$

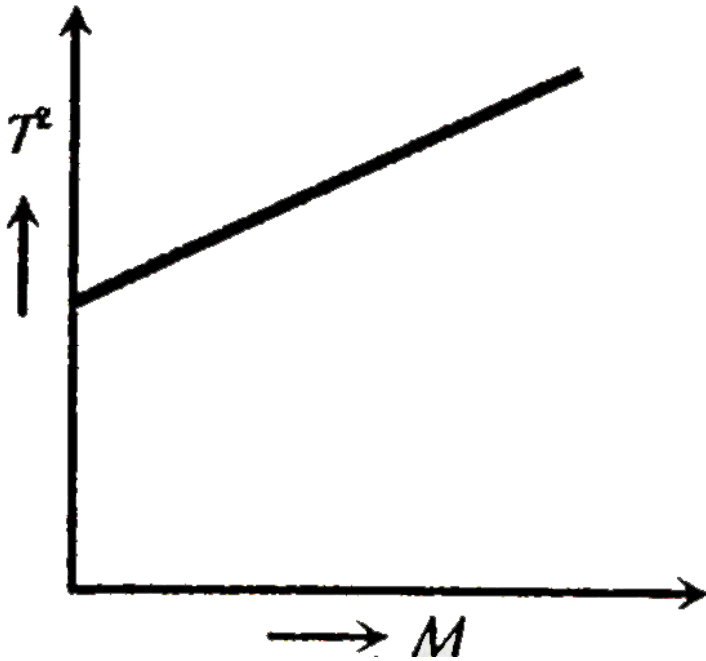
$$D. t^{-2} = t_1^{-2} + t_2^{-2}$$

**Answer: D**

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**325.** The graph shown was obtained from experimental measurements of the period of oscillations  $T$  for different masses  $M$  placed in the scale pan on the lower end of the spring balance. The most likely reason for the line not

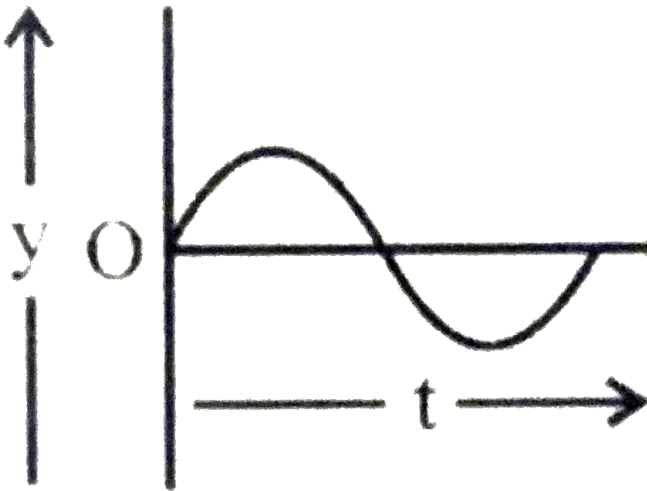
passing through the origin is that the



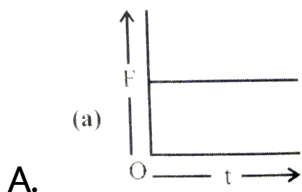
- A. Stopclock was not regulated
- B. Spring did not obey Hook's law
- C. Mass of the pan was not taken into account
- D. Amplitude of the oscillations was too large

**Answer: C**

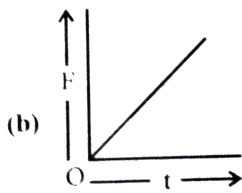
326. The displacement-time graph of a particle executing simple harmonic motion is shown in the figure



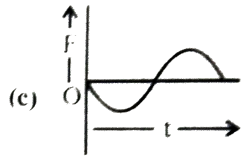
Which one of the following graphs is the correct force-time graph for the motion of the particle ?



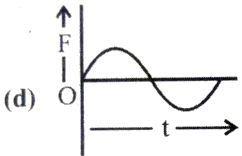
B.



C.



D.



**Answer: C**

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**327.** The graph of  $l$  against  $T$  for a simple pendulum is

A. a curve



B. a straight line

C. a parabola

D. an ellipse

**Answer: C**



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**328.** The period (T) of a simple pendulum is measured for different length (L), then graph of Log T against log L is

A. a parabola

B. a circle

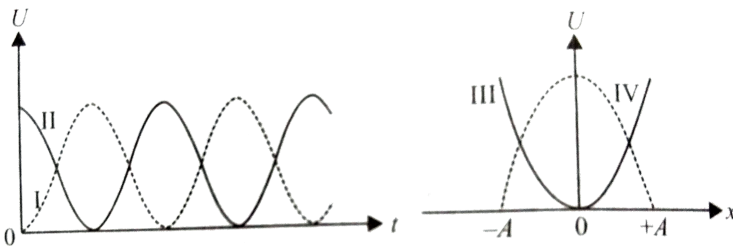
C. a straight line with a slope  $\frac{1}{2}$

D. a straight line with a slope 2

Answer: C

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**329.** For a particle executing simple harmonic motion, the displacement  $x$  is given by  $x=A \cos \omega t$ . Identify the graph, which represents the variation of potential energy ( $U$ ) as a function of time  $t$  and displacement  $x$ .



A. I, IV

B. I, III

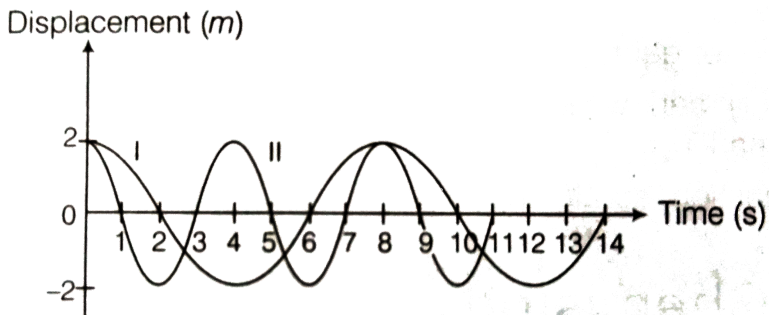
C. II, IV

D. II, III

**Answer: B**

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**330.** Figure shows the displacement time graphs of two simple harmonic motions I and II. From the graph it follows that



- A. curve I has same frequency as that of curve II
- B. curve I has a frequency twice that of curve II
- C. curve I has a frequency half that of curve II
- D. curve I has frequency four times that of curve II

**Answer: C**

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**331.** A particle executing linear SHM has velocities  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  at distance  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ , respectively from the mean position. The angular velocity of the particle is

A.  $\sqrt{\frac{x_1^2 - x_2^2}{v_2^2 - v_1^2}}$

B.  $\sqrt{\frac{v_2^2 - v_1^2}{x_1^2 - x_2^2}}$

C.  $\sqrt{\frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2}{v_2^2 + v_1^2}}$

D.  $\sqrt{\frac{v_2^2 + v_1^2}{x_1^2 + x_2^2}}$

**Answer: B**



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**332.** If the metal bob of a simple pendulum is replaced by a wooden bob, then its time period will

A. increase

B. remain the same

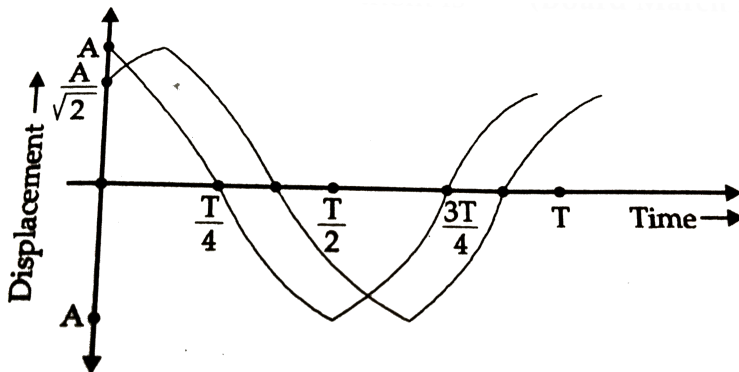
C. decrease

D. first increase and then decrease

**Answer: B**

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**333.** Two particles perform linear simple harmonic motion along the same path of length  $2A$  and period  $T$  as shown in the graph below. The phase difference between them is



A. Zero rad

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  rad

C.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  rad

D.  $\frac{3\pi}{4}$  rad

**Answer: B**



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**334.** The average displacement over a period of SHM is

\_\_\_\_ (A = amplitude of SHM )

A. 0

B. A

C. 2A

D. 4A

**Answer: A**



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**335.** A particle executing SHM. The phase difference between acceleration and displacement is

A.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  rad

B.  $\pi$  rad

C.  $2\pi$  rad

D.  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  rad



**Answer: B**



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**336.** Two springs have their force constants  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  and they are stretched to the same extension. If  $K_2 > K_1$  work done is

A.  $W_1 = W_2$

B.  $W_1 < W_2$

C.  $W_1 > W_2$

D.  $W_1 = W_2 = 0$

**Answer: B**



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**337.** A mass  $m_1$  connected to a horizontal spring performs a S.H.M. with an amplitude  $A$ . While the mass  $m_1$  is passing through the mean position, another mass  $m_2$  is placed on it so that both the masses move together with amplitude  $A_1$ . The ratio of  $\frac{A_1}{A}$  is ( $m_2 < m_1$ ).

A.  $\left[ \frac{m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right]^{1/2}$

B.  $\left[ \frac{m_1 + m_2}{m_1} \right]^{1/2}$

C.  $\left[ \frac{m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right]^{1/2}$

D.  $\left[ \frac{m_1 + m_2}{m_2} \right]^{1/2}$

**Answer: A**



**338.** The bob of a simple pendulum performs SHM with period  $T$  in air and with period  $T_1$  in water. Relation between  $T$  and  $T_1$  is (neglect friction due to water, density of the material of the bob is  $= \frac{9}{8} \times 10^3 \frac{kg}{m^3}$ , density of water  $= 10^3 \frac{kg}{m^3}$ )

A.  $T_1 = 3T$

B.  $T_1 = 2T$

C.  $T_1 = T$

D.  $T_1 = \frac{T}{2}$

**Answer: A**



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**339.** Which of the following quantity does not change due to damping of oscillations?

A. Angular frequency

B. Time period

C. Initial phase

D. Amplitude

**Answer: C**



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**340.** A simple pendulum of length  $l$  has a maximum angular displacement  $\theta$ . The maximum kinetic energy of the bob of mass  $m$  will be

A.  $mgl(1 + \cos\theta)$

B.  $mg(1 + \cos^2\theta)$

C.  $mgl(1 - \cos\theta)$

D.  $mgl(\cos\theta - 1)$

**Answer: C**



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**341.** A particle performing SHM starts equilibrium position and its time period is 16 seconds. After 2 seconds its velocity is  $\pi m / s$ . Amplitude of oscillation is

$$\left( \cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

A.  $2\sqrt{2}m$

B.  $4\sqrt{2}m$

C.  $6\sqrt{2}m$

D.  $8\sqrt{2}m$

**Answer: D**



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**342.** A particle performing SHM starting extreme position. Graphical representation shows that, between displacement and acceleration, there is a phase difference of

A. 0 rad

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4} \text{ rad}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{2} \text{ rad}$

D.  $\pi \text{ rad}$

**Answer: D**



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**343.** A simple pendulum of length 'L' has mass 'M' and it oscillates freely with amplitude energy is

(g = acceleration due to gravity)

A.  $\frac{MgA^2}{2L}$

B.  $\frac{MgA}{2L}$

C.  $\frac{MgA^2}{L}$

D.  $\frac{2MgA^2}{L}$

**Answer: A**



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**344.** A particle executes a linear SHM. In two of its positions the velocities are  $u$  and  $v$  and the corresponding acceleration are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  respectively ( $0 < \alpha < \beta$ ). What is the distance between the positions ?

A.  $\frac{u^2 - v^2}{\alpha + \beta}$

B.  $\frac{u^2 + v^2}{\alpha + \beta}$

C.  $\frac{u^2 - v^2}{\alpha - \beta}$

D.  $\frac{u^2 + v^2}{\alpha - \beta}$

**Answer: A**



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**345.** We draw the reference circle of a particle (M) performing a linear S.H.M. If the period of M is 2 sec, then the angular velocity of the reference particle will be

A.  $2\pi$  radian/sec

B.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  radian/sec

C.  $\pi$  radian/sec

D.  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  radian/sec

**Answer: C**



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**346.** Which of the following expressions does not represent a simple harmonic motion ?

A.  $x = A \tan(\omega t + \phi)$

B.  $x = A \sin(\omega t + \delta)$

C.  $x = A \sin \omega t \cos \omega t$

D.  $x = B \cos(\omega t + \phi)$

**Answer: A**



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**347.** The displacement of a particle performing a S.H.M. is given by  $x = 0.5 \sin 100\pi(t + 0.05)$ , where  $x$  is in metres

and  $t$  is in second. Its periodic time in second is

A. 0.01s

B. 0.02s

C. 0.1s

D. 0.5s

**Answer: B**



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**348.** The displacement of a particle executing a S.h.M. at any instant  $t$  is  $x = 4\sin(2\pi t)$ . The acceleration produced in the particle is given by

A.  $-16\pi^2 \sin 2\pi t$

B.  $-16\pi^2 \cos 2\pi t$

C.  $12\pi \cos 2\pi t$

D.  $16\pi \sin(2\pi)^2 t$

**Answer: A**



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**349.** The displacement of a particle executing a linear

S.H.M. is given by

$$x = 0.5 \sin [44t + 0.25] \text{ metre.}$$

Then the period and the maximum velocity of the particle

are given by

A.  $\frac{1}{3}s, 44m/s$

B.  $\frac{1}{5}s, 66m/s$

C.  $\frac{1}{7}s, 22m/s$

D.  $\frac{1}{2}s, 33m/s$

**Answer: C**

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**350.** A horizontal platform with a small object placed on it executes a linear SHM in the vertical direction. The amplitude of oscillation is 40 cm. What should be the least period of these oscillation, so that the object is not detached from the platform ? [ Use  $g = 10m/s^2$  ]

A.  $0.2\pi s$

B.  $0.3\pi s$

C.  $0.4\pi s$

D.  $0.5\pi s$

**Answer: C**



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**351.** A particle is executing a linear S.H.M. Its velocity at a distance  $x$  from the mean position is given by

$$v^2 = 144 - 9x^2. \text{ [x is in metre]}$$

What is the amplitude of S.H.M. ?

A. 2m

B. 4m

C. 3m

D. 5m

**Answer: B**



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**352.** The periodic time of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. is 12 sec. It starts from the mean position. After 2 seconds, its velocity is found to be  $\pi \text{ cm/sec}$ . What is the amplitude of S.H.M. ?

A. 4cm

B. 8cm



C. 12 cm

D. 16cm

**Answer: C**

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**353.** A particle executes a linear S.H.M. of amplitude 2 cm.

When it is at 1cm from the mean position, the magnitudes of its velocity and acceleration are equal.

What is its maximum velocity ? [ $\sqrt{3} = 1.732$ ]

A.  $2.5\text{cm} / \text{s}$

B.  $1.4\text{cm} / \text{s}$

C.  $3.464\text{cm} / \text{s}$

D.  $4.322\text{cm} / \text{s}$

**Answer: C**



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**354.** A particle performs a S.H.M. and starts from the mean position. The graph of restoring force against time for the particle is a

A. straight line

B. circle

C. sine curve

D. cosine curve

**Answer: C**



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**355.** The displacement of a particle performing S.H.M. is given by  $x = 10\sin(\omega t + \alpha)$  metre. If the displacement of the particle is 5m, then the phase of S.H.M. is

- A.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  radian
- B.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  radian
- C.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  radian
- D.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  radian

**Answer: B**



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**356.** The phase of a particle performing a linear S.H.M. increases by  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  after every 5 sec. What is the frequency of its oscillation ?

A.  $\frac{1}{10} Hz$

B.  $\frac{1}{20} Hz$

C.  $\frac{1}{30} Hz$

D.  $\frac{1}{40} Hz$

**Answer: D**



**357.** What is the relation between the potential energy and total energy ( $E$ ) of a particle performing a S.H.M., when it is at half way between the mean and extreme positions ?

A. P.E. =  $E$

B.  $P. E. = \frac{E}{2}$

C.  $P. E. = \frac{E}{4}$

D.  $P. E. = \frac{3}{4}E$

**Answer: C**



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**358.** When the displacement of a simple harmonic oscillator is half of its amplitude, its potential energy is 3J. Its total energy is

A. 6J

B. 12 J

C. 15 J

D. 20 J

**Answer: B**



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**359.** For a linear harmonic oscillator, its potential energy, kinetic energy and total energy given by  $E_P$ ,  $K_K$  and  $E_T$  respectively. Its maximum acceleration is given by

A.  $\sqrt{\frac{2E_P}{m}}$

B.  $\sqrt{\frac{2E_K}{m}}$

C.  $\sqrt{\frac{2E}{mA}}$

D.  $\frac{2E}{mA}$

**Answer: D**



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**360.** The length of a second's pendulum on the surface of the earth, where  $g = 9.8m / s^2$ , is approximately equal to

A. 0.8 m

B. 1 m

C. 1.2m

D. 1.1 m

**Answer: B**



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**361.** A simple pendulum is suspended from the ceiling of a lift. When the lift is at rest, its time period is  $T$ . With



what acceleration should lift be accelerated upwards in order to reduce its time period to  $\frac{T}{2}$ .

A.  $g$

B.  $2g$

C.  $3g$

D.  $-2g$

**Answer: C**



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**362.** What is the relation between the period  $T_s$  and  $T_e$  of a simple pendulum and a conical pendulum respectively, if they have the same length ?

A.  $T_e = T_s$

B.  $T_e > T_s$

C.  $T_e / 2T_s$

D.  $T_e < T_s$

**Answer: D**



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**363.** A simple pendulum attached to the ceiling of a stationary lift has a time period  $T$ . The distance  $y$  covered by the lift moving upwards varies with time  $t$  as  $y = t^2$  where  $y$  is in metres and  $t$  in seconds. If  $g = 10m/s^2$ , the time period of pendulum will be

A.  $\sqrt{\frac{4}{5}}T$

B.  $\sqrt{\frac{5}{6}}T$

C.  $\sqrt{\frac{5}{4}}T$

D.  $\sqrt{\frac{6}{5}}T$

**Answer: B**



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**364.** The amplitude of a damped oscillator becomes  $\frac{1}{(27)^{th}}$  of its initial value after 6 minutes. Its amplitude after 2 minutes is

A.  $\frac{A_0}{6}$

B.  $\frac{A_0}{9}$

C.  $\frac{A_0}{4}$

D.  $\frac{A_0}{3}$

**Answer: D**



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**365.** A simple pendulum is vibrating in an evacuated chamber, it will oscillate with

A. Increasing amplitude

B. Decreasing amplitude

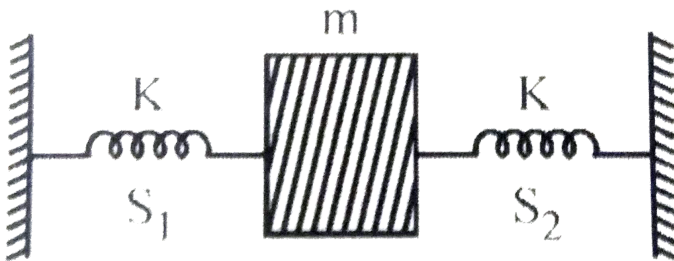
C. Constant amplitude

D. First (b) then (a)

Answer: C

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**366.** Two identical springs  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  are joined as shown in the figure. The oscillation frequency of the mass  $m$  is  $v$ . What will be the frequency of mass  $m$ , if one spring is removed ?



A.  $\sqrt{2}v$

B.  $v$

C.  $\frac{v}{\sqrt{2}}$

D.  $2v$

**Answer: C**



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**367.** A toy used for firing a ball vertically consists of a vertical spring which is compressed by 0.1 m by using a force of 10 N. A ball of mass 0.050 kg is placed on the compressed spring and the spring is released. The ball will reach a height of ( Use  $g = 10\text{m} / \text{s}^2$ )

A. 0.5 m

B. 0.75 m

C. 1 m

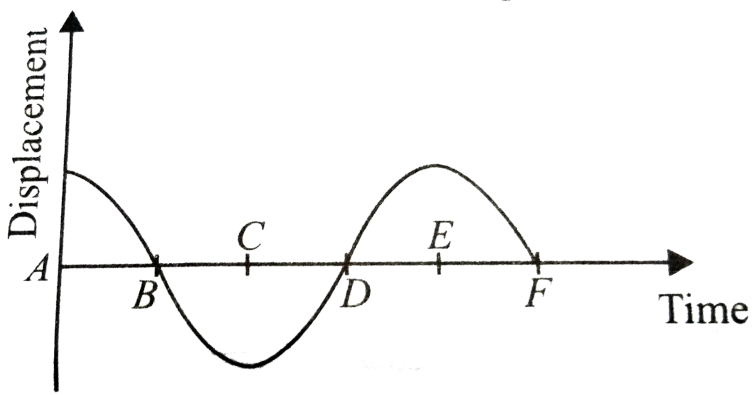
D. 1.25 m

**Answer: C**



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**368.** displacement versus time curve for a particle executing SHM is as shown in figure.



At what points the velocity of the particle is zero?

A. A,C,E

B. B,D,F

C. A,D,F

D. C,E,F

**Answer: A**



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