

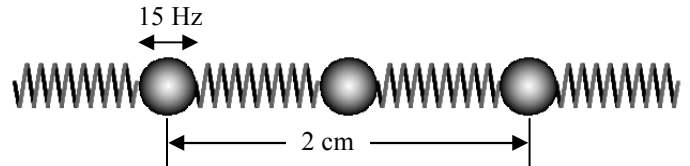
2011 PreAP Harmonic Motion 3

At this point I have to assume that you can find the period of a pendulum and a spring AND that you know what affects their periods. If you need to redo the lab, come in and take care of it.

From the "Waves" notes:

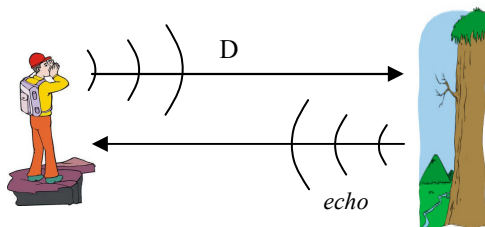
1. What is the medium for water waves? For sound in a room?
2. What moves in wave motion: the actual particles in the medium or the energy?
3. A wave has a wavelength of 45 m and a frequency of 13 Hz, what is its speed?
4. What kind of wave: longitudinal or transverse?
 - A. When the slinky is moved side to side.
 - B. When the slinky is pushed.
 - C. If the slinky vibrates perpendicular to the direction it travels.
5. Which has a faster wave: a loose slinky or a tight slinky?
6. Will a wave move faster if the molecules are close together or far apart?

7. Three ping pong balls are attached by springs. The first of the balls has a frequency of 15 Hz.
 - A. What is the frequency of the third ball?
 - B. What kind of wave is it?
 - C. If it takes 0.6 seconds for the wave to move from ball 1 to ball 3, calculate the speed of the wave. (Notice distance is in cm [hint, hint]).



- D. Now that you have the speed, calculate its wavelength.

8. A wave has a frequency of 120Hz and a wavelength of 9 m.
 - A. What is its speed?
 - B. Using the units for speed, how far does the wave move in 40 seconds?



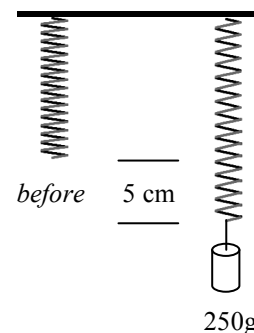
9. Imagine a boy standing in a canyon. He yells at the opposite wall of the canyon. The speed of sound is approximately 340 m/s.
 - A. If the distance to the other side of the canyon is D, how far does the sound actually travel from the boy and back?
 - B. If it takes 1.6 seconds from the moment the boy yells for the echo to get back to the boy, how far wide is the canyon?

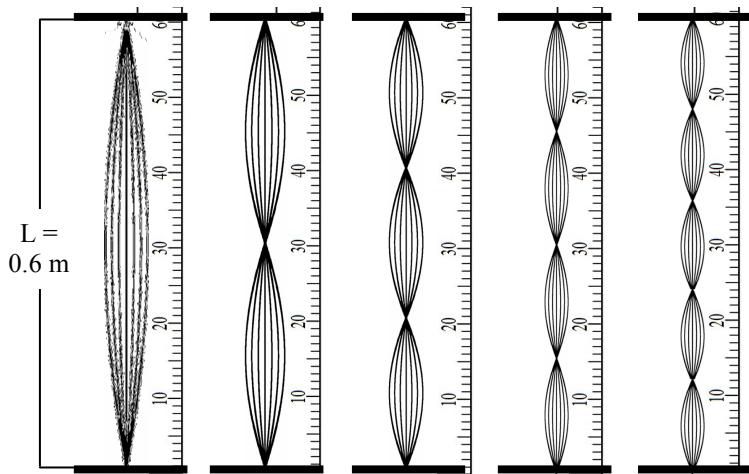
10. A person hits a metal rail with a hammer. The sound travels down the 650 m rail and reflects off of a post at the end. A sensor detects the reflected sound 0.25 seconds after it is struck. What is the speed of sound in the rail?

When using $T = \text{\#sec}/\text{\#cycles}$ (or $f = \text{\#cycles}/\text{\#sec}$), these words can be substituted for cycles: periods, vibrations, waves, wavelengths, crests (top of waves), back-and-forths.

11. A spring bounces up and down 82 times in one minute. Calculate its period.
12. 15 wavelengths pass a point in 22 seconds. If the wave is moving 105m/s, calculate its frequency and wavelength.

13. A 250 g mass is hung on a spring. The spring stretches 5 cm.
 - A. Calculate the spring constant of the spring.
 - B. Calculate the period of the spring.

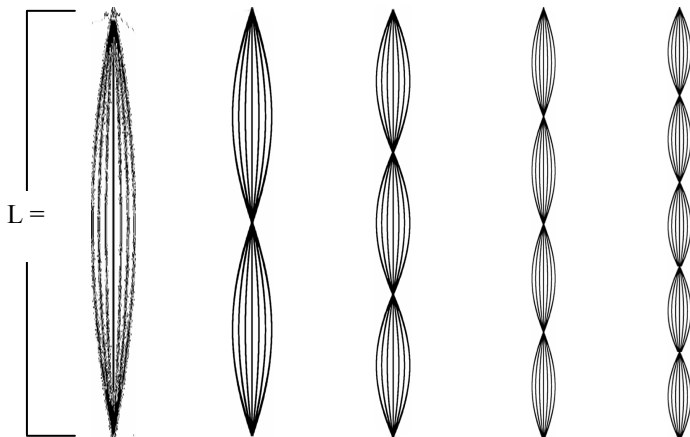




Harm	1	2	3	4	5
Freq	15 Hz	30 Hz	45 Hz	60 Hz	75 Hz
# of λ	$\frac{1}{2}\lambda$	1λ	1.5λ	2λ	2.5λ
λ	1.2 m	0.6 m	0.4 m	0.3 m	0.24 m
$\lambda =$	$\frac{2L}{1}$ or $2L/1$	$\frac{L}{2}$ or $2L/2$	$\frac{(2/3)L}{3}$ or $2L/3$	$\frac{L}{4}$ or $2L/4$	$\frac{(2/5)L}{5}$ or $2L/5$

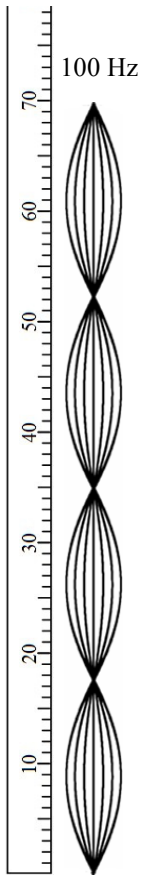
A string is vibrated at different frequencies. At certain frequencies it shows the shapes at the left. These are known as harmonics. (See your "Standing Waves" notes.) H_1 means harmonic 1. f_1 means the frequency of harmonic 1. λ_1 means the wavelength of harmonic 1. Other names for harmonic 1: natural frequency; fundamental. **Study** the table and then answer the following:

14. * To get from H_1 to H_4 you:
15. To get from H_5 to H_1 you:
16. To get from λ_1 to λ_3 you:
17. * To get from λ_4 to λ_1 you:
18. * To get from H_3 to H_2 you (two steps):
19. To get from λ_5 to λ_4 you:
20. * The wavelength of the fundamental is how many L?
21. * If the third harmonic has a frequency of f , what is the frequency of harmonic 6?
22. If H_2 has a wavelength of L , what is the wavelength of harmonic 3?
23. If the fifth harmonic has a frequency of f , what is the frequency of the second harmonic?
24. A string has a length of 40 cm. What is the wavelength of the fundamental (H_1)?
25. * A 30 cm long string has a third harmonic of 120 Hz.
 - A. What is the wavelength of the fundamental?
 - B. What is the fundamental's frequency (this string's natural frequency)?
 - C. Calculate the wave speed.



Harm					
Freq			36 Hz		
# of λ					
λ					

26. A 0.75m string is vibrated at different frequencies.
 - A. These shapes are known as what?
 - B. Give the three names for shape 1.
 - C. Fill in the chart.
 - D. Calculate the period of harmonic 3.
 - E. What is the velocity of harmonic 2's wave?
 - F. What is the velocity of harmonic 5's wave?
 - G. What changes if the string is tightened?

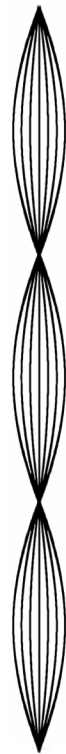


27. A string is vibrated at 100 Hz, as shown at the left.

- A. What harmonic is shown at the left?
- B. How many antinodes does it have?
- C. How many nodes does it have?
- D. What is the wavelength of the harmonic (in m)?
- E. If its frequency is 100 Hz, what is its velocity?
- F. What would be the frequency of the 1st harmonic?

28. The frequency of vibration of the same string is changed until the shape shown at the right is seen.

- A. What harmonic is shown at the right?
- B. Mark the nodes and antinodes.
- C. What do you notice about the number of nodes vs. antinodes?
- D. What must be the frequency of the right harmonic?
- E. What would be the velocity of this harmonic's wave?
- F. During the lab, when the frequency went up (bigger #), the wavelength went _____ and the velocity:
- G. Since the length of the string has not changed, what is the wavelength for this new harmonic?
- H. When you tightened the string, what two things changed?



From the "Slinky" Demo:

- 29. What kind of wave cannot exist in a liquid or gas?
- 30. Sound is what kind of wave?
- 31. If the other end of the slinky is fixed (can't move), how is the pulse wave reflected: inverted or on the same side as the incoming wave?
- 32. If the other end of the slinky is unfixed, how is the pulse wave reflected?

- Q14) multiply by 4 Q17) mult by 4 Q18) Divide by 3 then mult by 2
 Q20) 2L Q21) div by 3 to get to H1, then mult by 6, so $6f/3$ or $2f$
 Q25) A. $2(.30) = 0.6$ m B. $120/3 = 40$ Hz C. $v = f\lambda = 40(0.6) = 24$ m/s