

**Problem 1:**

(D)  $Mv = mv'$ ,  $v' = Mv/m$ .  $W = \frac{1}{2}(Mv^2 + mv'^2)$   
 $W = \frac{1}{2}(Mv^2 + (M^2/m)v^2)$

**Problem 2:**

(C) Doppler shift, moving observer,

$$f' = f_0(v - v_{\text{obs}})/(v - v_s)$$

where  $v_{\text{obs}}$  and  $v_s$  are not the speeds, but the components of the observer's and the source's velocity in the direction of the velocity of the sound reaching the observer.

**Problem 3:**

(D) Statements (A), (B), and (E) are true for all central potentials, statement (C) is true for the given potential. Stationary elliptical orbits with the sun at one focus are a signature of an attractive  $1/r^2$  force.

**Problem 4:**

(C) Harmonic oscillator:  $E_n = (n + \frac{1}{2})hf$ .

**Problem 5:**

(A) A mass at  $l$  and a mass at  $l'$  produce a net restoring torque

$$\tau_{\text{net}} = -mgl\sin\theta - mgl'\sin\theta \sim -mg\theta(l + l')$$

Pure rotation:  $\tau = I d^2\theta/dt^2 = m(l^2 + l'^2)d^2\theta/dt^2$ . Here  $\tau = -mg(l + l')\theta$ .

$$d^2\theta/dt^2 = -g(l + l')\theta/(l^2 + l'^2), \quad \omega = (g(l + l')/(l^2 + l'^2))^{1/2}.$$

$$\omega_2/\omega_1 = ((l_1^2 + l_1'^2)(l_2 + l_2')/[(l_2^2 + l_2'^2)(l_1 + l_1')])^{1/2}.$$

$$\omega_2/\omega_1 = (2*3/2)/((5/4)*2)^{1/2} = (6/5)^{1/2}.$$

**Problem 6:**

(C)  $(\hbar/i)\partial\psi/\partial x = p_x$

**Problem 7:**

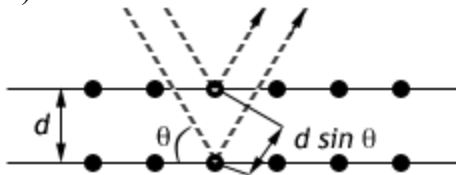
(C) Gauss' law: The magnitude of the gravitational force decreases as  $1/r^2$  outside a spherically symmetric mass distribution.

**Problem 8:**

(C) Gauss' law: inside a homogeneous sphere the magnitude of the force increases linearly.

**Problem 9:**

(D)  $2d\sin\theta = n\lambda$



**Problem 10:**

(C) Invariance of the space-time interval:

 $c^2\Delta t^2 - \Delta x^2$  is the same in every reference frame.

$$0 - c^2 \cdot 9 \text{ min}^2 = c^2 \Delta t'^2 - c^2 \cdot 25 \text{ min}^2. \quad \Delta t' = 4 \text{ min}.$$

**Problem 11:**

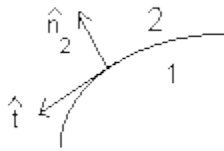
(A) Ampere's law

**Problem 12:**

(D) These equation would contain source terms due to magnetic current and charge densities.

**Problem 13:**

(D) Plane waves at boundaries:



Boundary conditions, SI units:

$$(\mathbf{D}_2 - \mathbf{D}_1) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}}_2 = \sigma_f, \quad (\mathbf{B}_2 - \mathbf{B}_1) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}}_2 = 0, \quad (\mathbf{E}_2 - \mathbf{E}_1) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{t}} = 0, \quad (\mathbf{H}_2 - \mathbf{H}_1) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{t}} = \mathbf{k}_f \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}}.$$

Inside the conducting walls  $\mathbf{E}$  and  $\mathbf{B}$  are zero**Problem 14:**(C) Motion of the center of mass:  $\mathbf{V} = (2mv - mv)/(2m)\mathbf{i} = (v/2)\mathbf{i}$ ,  $X = Vt = vt/2$ ,  $Y = 0$ Motion about the center of mass:  $L = 3m vb/2 = I\omega = (mb^2/2)\omega$ ,  $\omega = 3v/b$ .

$$x' = (b/2)\sin(\omega t), \quad y' = (b/2)\cos(\omega t). \quad x = X + x', \quad y = Y + y'.$$

**Problem 15:**(B)  $25000 \text{ eV} = hc/\lambda \sim 12400 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{\AA}/\lambda$ .  $\lambda = 12400 \text{ \AA}/25000$ **Problem 16:**(C) We have constructive interference when the difference in optical path length (one way) is  $\Delta = m\lambda/2$ . Here  $\Delta = nd - d = 40\lambda/2$ .  $n - 1 = 40 \cdot 500 \cdot 10^{-9} / (2 \cdot 0.05) = 0.0002$ **Problem 17:**(B) density  $\sim 6 \cdot 10^{23}$  molecules /  $22.4 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$ .Cross section  $\sim 8 \cdot 10^{-20} \text{ m}^2$  ( $\pi r^2$  with  $r$  approximately 2 angstrom)Mean free path  $\sim (4 \cdot 10^{-7}) \text{ m}$ .

**Problem 18:**

(E)  $\Delta U = \Delta Q - \Delta W$ , increase in internal energy of a system

= heat put into the system - work done by the system on its surroundings

$\Delta U = 0$ , since we start and end at A,  $\Delta Q = \Delta W$ .

A  $\rightarrow$  B: isothermal process,  $\Delta W = \int_A^B P dV = \int_A^B (RT_h/V) dV = RT_h \ln(V_2/V_1)$

B  $\rightarrow$  C: constant pressure,  $\Delta W = -P(V_2 - V_1) = -R(T_h - T_c)$

$\Delta Q = RT_h \ln(V_2/V_1) - R(T_h - T_c)$

**Problem 19:**

(B) Kinetic energy at large distances = potential energy at distance of closest approach.

$5 \text{ MeV} * 1.6 * 10^{-13} \text{ J/MeV} = 9 * 10^9 * 2 * 50 * (1.6 * 10^{-19})^2 / d$ ,  $d \sim 3 * 10^{-14} \text{ m}$ .

**Problem 20:**

(D) In the CM frame the particle bounces back with the same speed it enters the collision. The CM frame therefore moves with speed  $0.2v$  into the direction of the initial velocity of the particle. In the CM frame the particle of mass  $4u$  moves with speed  $0.8v$  and the atom of mass  $m$  moves with speed  $0.2v$ . The magnitude of the momentum is the same for both. In the CM frame we have  $4u * 0.8v = m * 0.2v$ .  $m = 16u$ .

**Problem 21:**

(D)  $F_N = mg + mv^2/r$

**Problem 22:**

(A) The value of the work will be the same for all of the paths. The electric field is a conservative field.

**Problem 23:**

(D)  $1/x_o + 1/x_i = 1/f$ ,  $1/x_i = 1/6\text{cm} - 1/8\text{cm}$ ,  $x_i = 24 \text{ cm}$ .

**Problem 14:**

(D) Conservation of angular momentum

**Problem 25:**

Snell's law:  $n_1 \sin\theta_1 = n_2 \sin\theta_2$ . The light bends away from the normal in the diagram.

