

# Homework Solutions, Physics 117

## Home Work Problem Set # 12

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Hw Set 12: Ch 15: Q 11, 31, 53; Ex 11, 17, 23;  
Ch 23: Q 4, 9; Ex 1, 6.

15: Q11. It takes 60 seconds for the seconds hand to go around once it has a time period of 60s. Its frequency =  $\frac{1}{\text{period}} = \frac{1}{60} \text{ Hz} = 0.017 \text{ Hz}$ .

15: Q31



15: Q53 There would be a maximum or an anti node at the mid point, because two maxima, or two minima arrive there at the same time

15: Ex 11.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{5 \text{ m}}{10 \text{ m/s}^2}} = 4.44 \text{ sec}$

15: Ex 17.

[NOTE]

15: Ex 23

Ex. 22 was assigned in place of 23, by error, in FO4. The standing-wavelengths correspond to an integer no. of half wave lengths between the posts; therefore


$\frac{\lambda_1}{2} = 3 \text{ m} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 6 \text{ m}; \frac{2\lambda_2}{2} = 3 \Rightarrow \lambda_2 = 3 \text{ m}; \lambda_3 = \frac{6}{3} = 2 \text{ m}; \lambda_4 = \frac{6}{4} = 1.5 \text{ m}.$

and  $\frac{5\lambda_5}{2} = 3 \Rightarrow \lambda_5 = \frac{6}{5} = 1.2 \text{ m}.$

15: Ex 22  $f \cdot \lambda = v \Rightarrow f = \frac{2 \text{ m/sec}}{0.8 \text{ m}} = \frac{1}{T} = 2.5/\text{sec} \Rightarrow T = \frac{1 \text{ sec}}{2.5} = 0.4 \text{ sec}$

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Ch 23: Q 4, 9; Ex 1, 6.

23 Q 4. Since Cl is in Col 7 of the periodic table (inside that of front cover), its chemistry will resemble F, Br, I, and At, all of which lie in Group 7.

23 Q 9. Sample (a) contains elements A & B, but NOT C.  
No, because every line in (a) occurs in either A or B

23: Ex 1 Cathode rays consist of free electrons. Therefore  
$$\frac{\text{charge}}{\text{mass}} = q/m = -e/m_e = \frac{-1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}} = -1.76 \times 10^{11} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{kg}}$$

23: Ex 6 Nucleus is about  $10^{-15} \text{ m}$  across  $\approx r_N$   
Atom is about  $10^{-10} \text{ m}$  "  $\approx r_A$ .  $\Rightarrow \frac{r_A}{r_N} = 10^5 = 100,000$   
[cf p 49 line 1.]

Then if  $r_A$  is scaled up to 10cm,  $r_N$  would be  
scaled up to  $R = 10 \text{ cm} \times 10^{-5} \approx 10^{-6} \text{ cm} \approx 10^{-8} \text{ m} \approx 10 \text{ nm}$

As an order of magnitude estimate, this is in agreement with any value in the range  $3 \text{ nm} < R < 30 \text{ nm}$ .

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