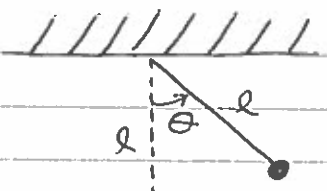


Solutions to Asmt #13



(1a) \*  $L = \frac{1}{2} m l^2 \dot{\theta}^2 - m g l (1 - \cos \theta)$

\*  $P_{\theta} = -m l^2 \dot{\theta} \rightarrow H = \frac{P_{\theta}^2}{2 m l^2} + m g l (1 - \cos \theta)$

\*  $E = m g l (1 - \cos \theta_0) \rightarrow$  full range  $|\theta| \leq \theta_0 = 2 \sin^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{E}{2 m g l}} \right)$

\*  $J(E) = 2 \int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} d\theta \sqrt{2 m^2 g l^3} \sqrt{\cos \theta - \cos \theta_0}$  where  $\cos \theta_0 = 1 - E / m g l$

\*  $dJ = m l \sqrt{g l} \int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} \frac{dE / m g l}{\sqrt{\cos \theta - \cos \theta_0}} \rightarrow f = \frac{dE}{dJ} = \sqrt{\frac{g}{2 l}} \left[ \int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos \theta - \cos \theta_0}} d\theta \right]^{-1}$

(1b) \* for small  $\theta_0 \geq \theta \rightarrow \cos \theta - \cos \theta_0 \approx \frac{1}{2} (\theta_0^2 - \theta^2)$

\*  $\int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos \theta - \cos \theta_0}} d\theta \approx \sqrt{2} \int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\theta_0^2 - \theta^2}} d\theta = \sqrt{2} \pi \rightarrow f = \frac{1}{2 \pi} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$

(1c) \* to next order  $\rightarrow \cos \theta - \cos \theta_0 \approx \frac{1}{2} (\theta_0^2 - \theta^2) - \frac{1}{24} (\theta_0^4 - \theta^4) = \frac{1}{2} (\theta_0^2 - \theta^2) \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{12} (\theta_0^2 + \theta^2) \right]$

\*  $\int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos \theta - \cos \theta_0}} d\theta \approx \sqrt{2} \int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\theta_0^2 - \theta^2}} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{24} (\theta_0^2 + \theta^2) - \dots \right\} d\theta = \sqrt{2} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\theta^2}{24} [1 + \sin^2(\theta)] + \dots \right\} d\theta$

$\rightarrow f(\theta_0) = \frac{1}{2 \pi} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} \left[ 1 - \frac{\theta_0^2}{16} + O(\theta_0^4) \right] = \sqrt{2} \pi \left\{ 1 + \frac{\theta_0^2}{16} + O(\theta_0^4) \right\}$

(2a) \*  $\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta q} = -\frac{m}{\omega} \left[ g \dddot{q} + \omega^2 \ddot{q} + \omega^4 q \right] = 0 \quad q(t) = e^{\pm i k t} \rightarrow q k^4 - \omega^2 k^2 + \omega^4 = 0 \rightarrow k_{\pm}^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{2g} \left[ 1 \pm \sqrt{1+4g} \right]$

\*  $q(t) = \frac{g \omega^2}{\sqrt{1+4g}} \left\{ - (k^2 q_0 + \dot{q}_0) \cos(k t) - \frac{(k^2 \dot{q}_0 + \ddot{q}_0)}{k} \sin(k t) + (k^2 \ddot{q}_0 + \dddot{q}_0) \cos(k t) + \frac{(k^2 \ddot{q}_0 + \dddot{q}_0)}{k} \sin(k t) \right\}$

(2b) \*  $q(t) = q^{(0)}(t) + g q^{(1)}(t) + \dots \rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{q}^{(0)} + \omega^2 q^{(0)} = 0 \\ \ddot{q}^{(1)} + \omega^2 q^{(1)} = -\frac{g}{\omega^2} \ddot{q}^{(0)} \\ \ddot{q}^{(2)} + \omega^2 q^{(2)} = -\frac{g}{\omega^2} \ddot{q}^{(1)} \end{cases}$

\*  $q^{(0)}(t) = q_0 \cos(\omega t) + \frac{\dot{q}_0}{\omega} \sin(\omega t)$

\*  $\ddot{q}^{(1)} + \omega^2 q^{(1)} = +g \ddot{q}^{(0)} = -g \omega^2 q^{(0)} \rightarrow q^{(1)}(t) = \int_0^t \frac{\sin[\omega(t-t')]}{\omega} \times -g \omega^2 q^{(0)}(t') dt'$

\* performing the integrations gives

$q^{(1)}(t) = \frac{1}{2} g t^2 * \ddot{q}^{(0)}(t) - \frac{1}{2} g \frac{\dot{q}_0}{\omega} \sin(\omega t) \rightarrow$  both consistent with  $\omega \rightarrow \omega [1 + \frac{1}{2} g + \dots]$

(2c) \* perturbative solution reverts only  $k_{\pm}^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{2g} [1 - \sqrt{1+4g}] = \omega^2 [1 + g + 2g^2 + \dots]$

$\rightarrow q_{part}(t) = q_0 \cos(k t) + \frac{\dot{q}_0}{k} \sin(k t) \quad \text{NB } \ddot{q}_{part} = -k^2 q_{part}$

(3a) \*  $H = \frac{p^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} m \omega^2 q^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda q^4 = E \rightarrow q^2(E) = \frac{m \omega^2}{\lambda} \left[ \sqrt{1 + \frac{4 \lambda E}{m^2 \omega^4}} - 1 \right]$

\*  $J = 2 \int_{q(E)}^{q(E)} dq \sqrt{2 m E - m^2 \omega^2 q^2 - \frac{1}{2} \lambda m q^4} \rightarrow f = \frac{dE}{dJ} = \frac{1}{2m} \left[ \int_{q(E)}^{q(E)} \frac{dq}{\sqrt{2 m E - m^2 \omega^2 q^2 - \frac{1}{2} \lambda m q^4}} \right]^{-1}$

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3b)  $\epsilon \equiv \frac{2E}{m^2 \omega^2}$

$* q \equiv \sqrt{\frac{2E}{m\omega^2}} \sin(\alpha) \rightarrow$  upper limit is  $\alpha(\epsilon) = \sin^{-1} \left[ \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\epsilon} (\sqrt{1+4\epsilon} - 1)} \right] = \frac{\pi}{2} - \sqrt{\epsilon} \left( 1 - \frac{5}{6}\epsilon + \dots \right)$

$\rightarrow f(\epsilon) = \frac{1}{2} \omega \left[ \int_{-\alpha(\epsilon)}^{+\alpha(\epsilon)} \frac{d(\sin \omega)}{\sqrt{1 - \sin^2(\omega) - \epsilon \sin^4(\omega)}} \right]^{-1}$

\* make one final change of variables  $\sin(\omega) \equiv \sin[\alpha(\epsilon)] + \sin(\beta)$

$\rightarrow f(\epsilon) = \frac{1}{2} \omega \left[ \frac{1}{(1+4\epsilon)^{1/4}} \int_{-\pi/2}^{+\pi/2} \frac{d\beta}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+4\epsilon}} \right) \cos^2(\beta)}} \right]^{-1} = \frac{\omega}{2\pi} \left[ 1 + \frac{3}{4}\epsilon + O(\epsilon^2) \right]$

3c) \* exact eqn is  $\ddot{q} + \omega^2 q = -\frac{1}{m} q^3$

$* q(t) = q^{(0)}(t) + \frac{1}{m} q^{(1)}(t) + \dots \rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{q}^{(0)} + \omega^2 q^{(0)} = 0 \\ \ddot{q}^{(1)} + \omega^2 q^{(1)} = -[q^{(0)}]^3 \end{cases}$

$* q^{(0)}(t) = q_0 \cos(\omega t) + \frac{q_1}{\omega} \sin(\omega t) = A e^{-i\omega t} + A^* e^{i\omega t}$  where  $A = \frac{1}{2} [q_0 + i \frac{q_1}{\omega}]$

$* q^{(1)}(t) = - \int_0^t dt' \frac{\sin[\omega(t-t')]}{\omega} [q^{(0)}(t')]^3 = \frac{-1}{2i\omega} \int_0^t dt' [e^{i\omega(t-t')} - e^{-i\omega(t-t')}] [A e^{-i\omega t'} + A^* e^{i\omega t'}]^3$

\* performing the integrations gives

$q^{(1)}(t) = \frac{3AA^*}{2i\omega} [A e^{-i\omega t} - A^* e^{i\omega t}] t + \frac{e^{-i\omega t}}{8\omega^2} [-2A^3 - 6A^2 A^* + 6AA^{*2} + A^{*3}] + \frac{A^3}{8\omega^2} e^{-3i\omega t}$   
 $+ \frac{e^{i\omega t}}{8\omega^2} [A^3 + 6A^2 A^* - 6AA^{*2} - 2A^{*3}] + \frac{A^{*3}}{8\omega^2} e^{3i\omega t}$

$= \frac{3AA^*}{2\omega^2} \dot{q}^{(0)}(t) + t$

frequency shift

amplitude shift

higher harmonics