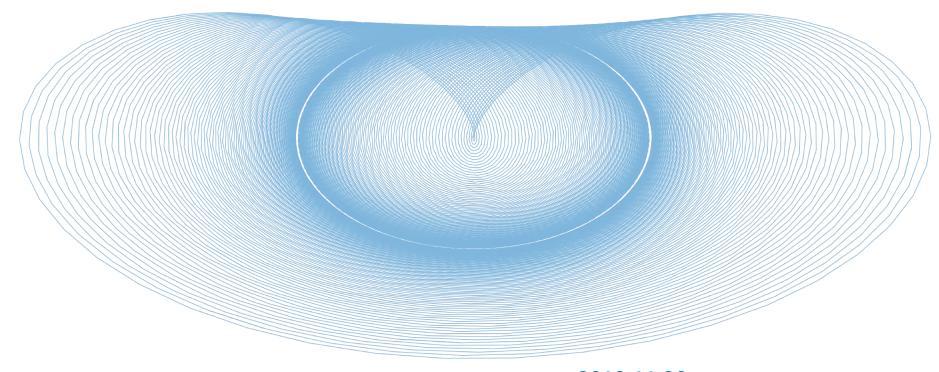
# PHYS 1420 (F19) Physics with Applications to Life Sciences



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Relevant reading:

Kesten & Tauck ch. 12.1-12.4

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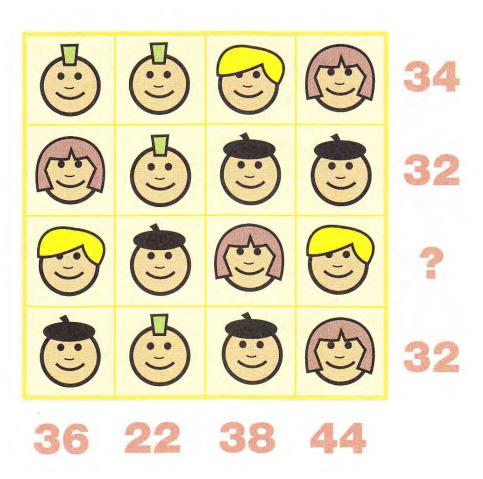
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Ref. (re images): Wolfson (2007), Knight (2017), Kesten & Tauck (2012)

### Sum People

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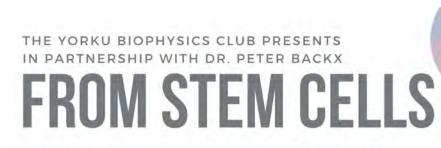


#### Announcements & Key Concepts (re Today)

- → Online HW #8 (re fluids): Posted and due Friday (11/22)
- → Final exam: Saturday, Dec. 14 (start preparing!)

Some relevant underlying concepts of the day...

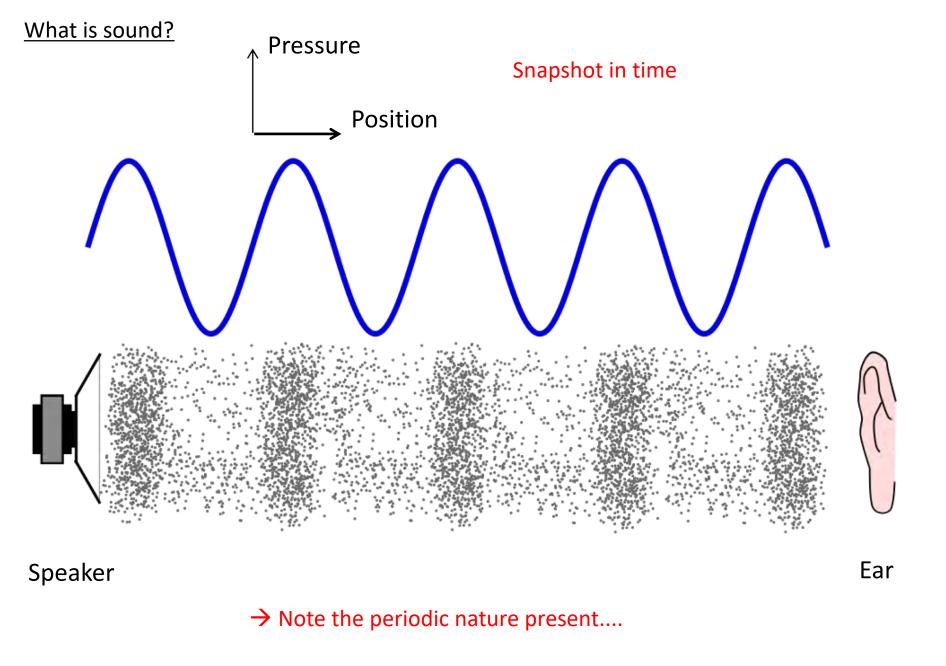
- > Things that oscillate...
- > Harmonic oscillator
- Oscillations: Basics
- > Harmonic oscillator

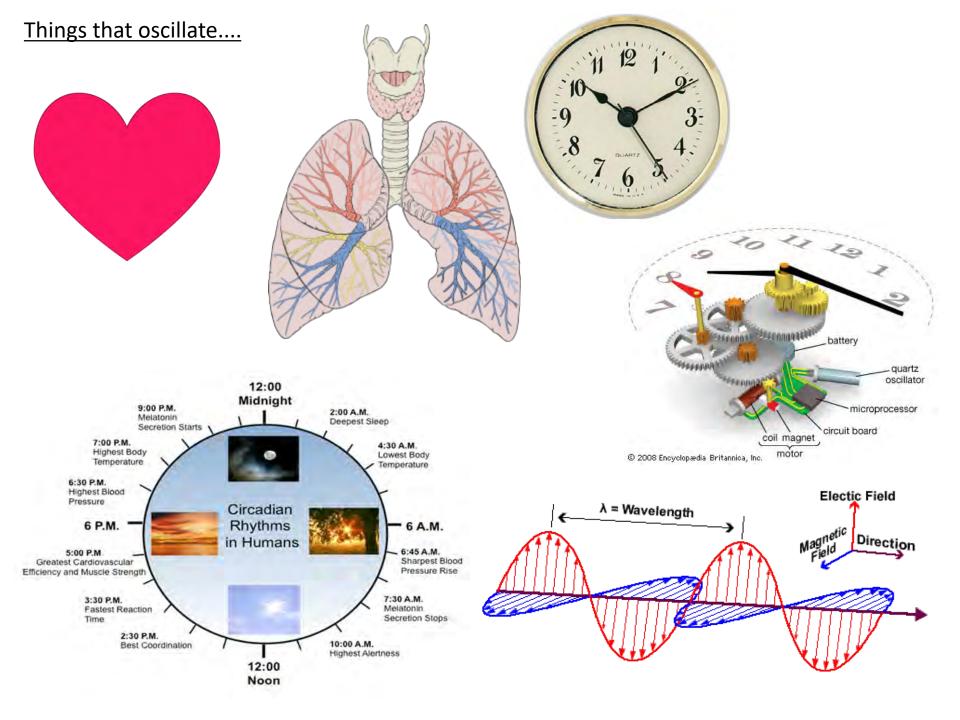


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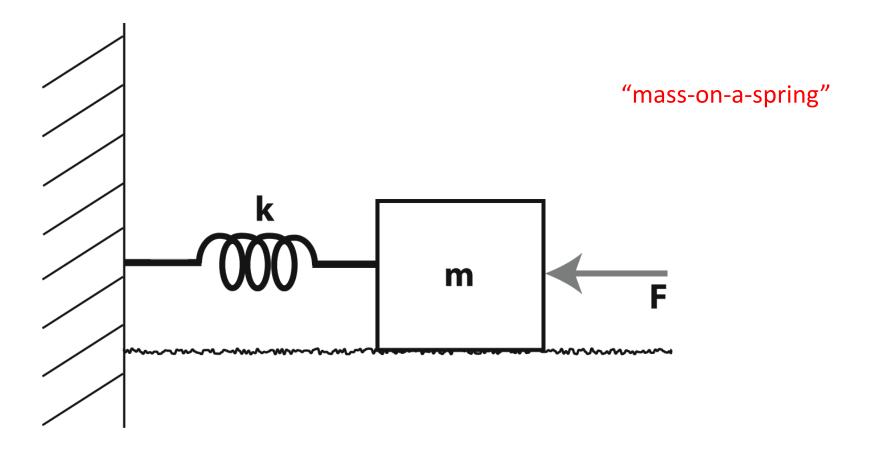
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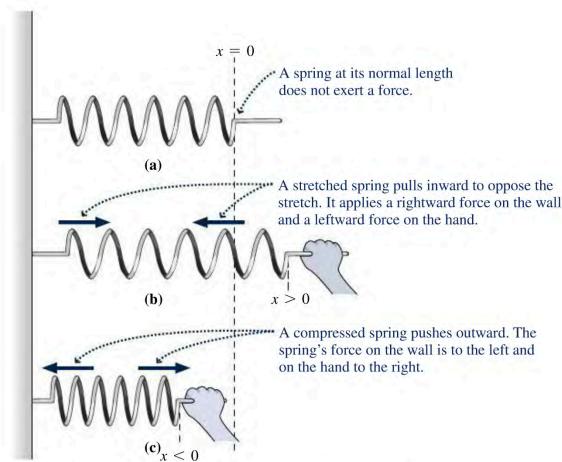


#### **Harmonic oscillator**



> One of the most fundamental/canonical problems in physics

#### **Review** (re "Measuring Force")



**FIGURE 4.19** A spring responds to stretching or compression with an oppositely directed force.

Springs are an intuitive means (i.e., compression/extension)

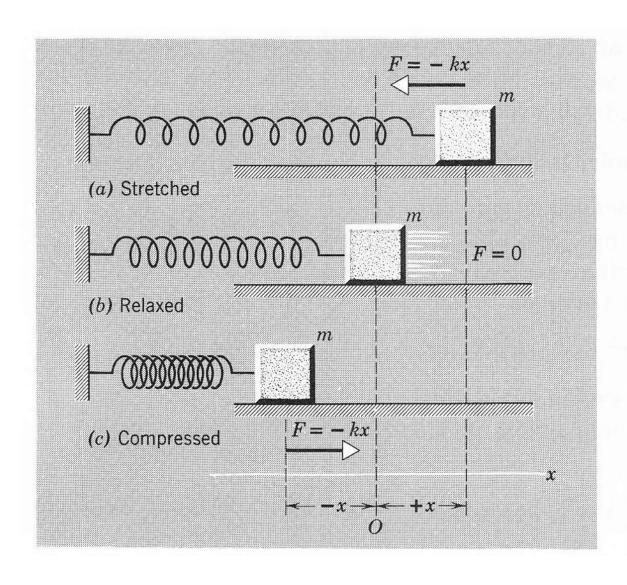
→ Implicit in this idea is the notion of **energy** (e.g., the spring stores energy as it is displaced from equilibrium). We'll revisit this idea soon...

$$F_{\rm s} = -kx$$

Hooke's Law (ideal spring)

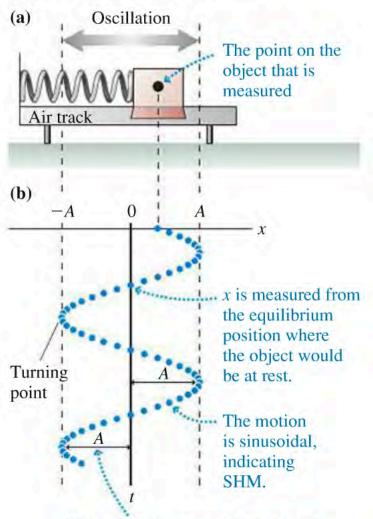
→ *k* is called the *stiffness* (or "spring constant")

If you know k, than measuring how much compression (i.e., x) tells you something about the associated forces



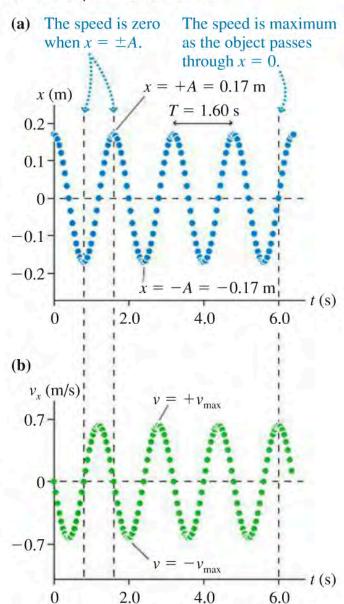
A simple harmonic oscillator. The force exerted by the spring is shown in each case. The block slides on a frictionless horizontal table.

A prototype simpleharmonic-motion experiment.



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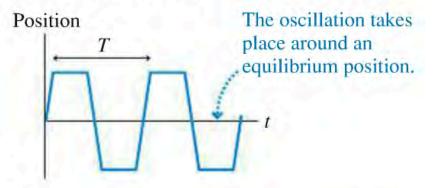
Position and velocity graphs of the experimental data.



#### <u>Periodicity</u>

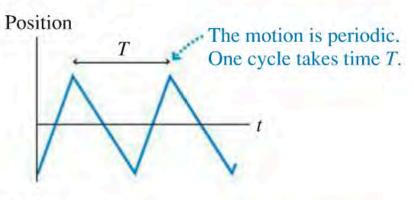
Position

Examples of position-versustime graphs for oscillating systems.





 $1 \text{ Hz} \equiv 1 \text{ cycle per second} = 1 \text{ s}^{-1}$ 



#### Units of frequency

Frequency	Period
$10^3 \text{ Hz} = 1 \text{ kilohertz} = 1 \text{ kHz}$	1 ms
$10^6  \mathrm{Hz} = 1  \mathrm{megahertz} = 1  \mathrm{MHz}$	$1 \mu s$
$10^9  \text{Hz} = 1  \text{gigahertz} = 1  \text{GHz}$	1 ns

### This oscillation .... is sinusoidal.

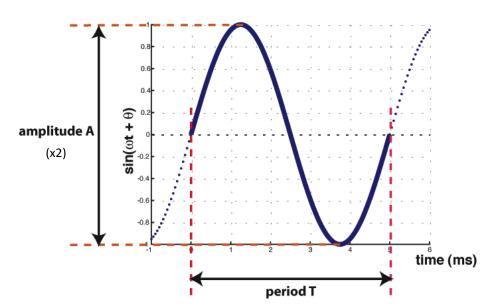
## $\omega$ (in rad/s) = $\frac{2\pi}{T}$ = $2\pi f$ (in Hz)

Angular frequency

**Trigonometry Review: Sinusoids** 

#### Sinusoid has 3 basic properties:

- i. Amplitude height
- ii. Frequency = 1/T [Hz]
- iii. Phase tells you where the peak (needs a reference)

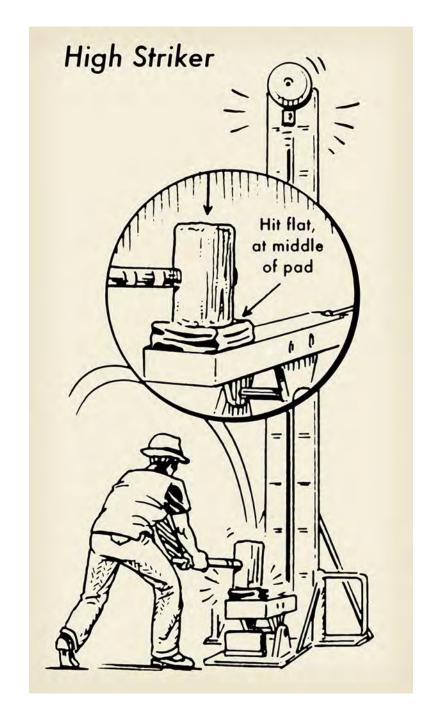


⇒ Phase reveals timing information

<u>Trigonometry Review</u>: Magnitude

→ Size is key here

Magnitude = Amplitude



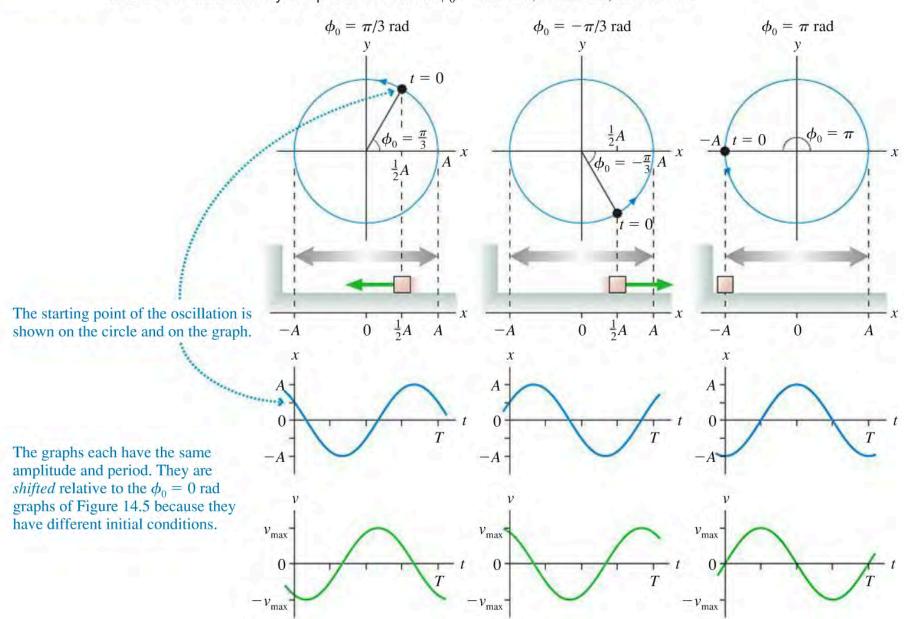
#### **Trigonometry Review: Phase**





→ 'Timing' is key here (on a cycle-by-cycle basis)

Oscillations described by the phase constants  $\phi_0 = \pi/3 \text{ rad}$ ,  $-\pi/3 \text{ rad}$ , and  $\pi \text{ rad}$ .



#### Harmonic oscillator: Theory

> Let's consider the simplest case: Undamped, Undriven (aka "simple harmonic oscillator")

$$F = ma = m\ddot{x} = -kx$$

Newton's Second Law & Hooke's Law

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{k}{m}x = 0$$

Second order differential equation

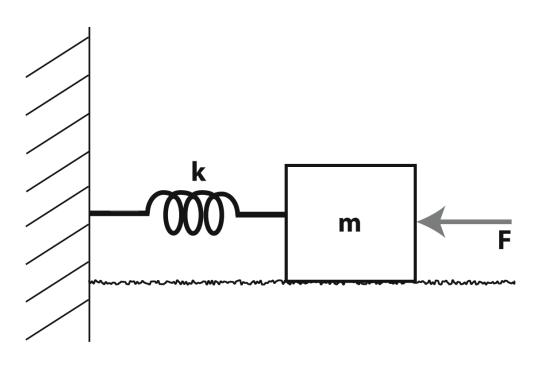
$$x(t) = A\cos\left(\omega_o t + \phi\right)$$

⇒ Solution is oscillatory!

$$\omega_o = \sqrt{k/m}$$

System has a natural frequency

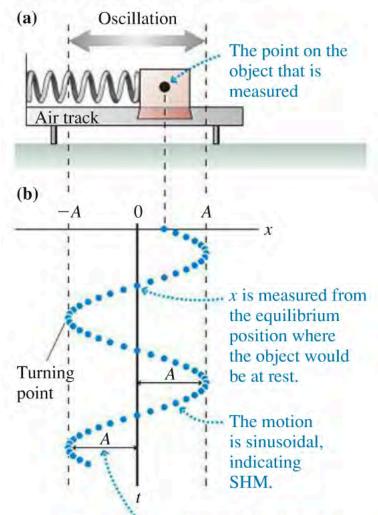
#### **Harmonic oscillator**



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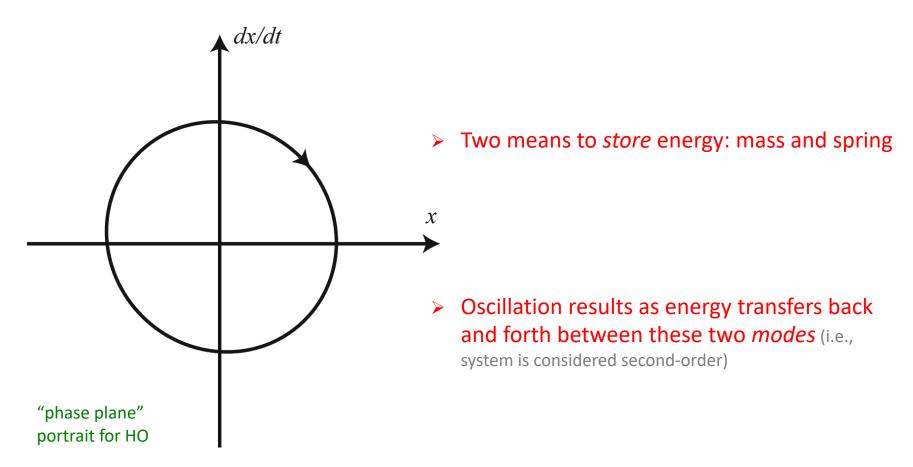
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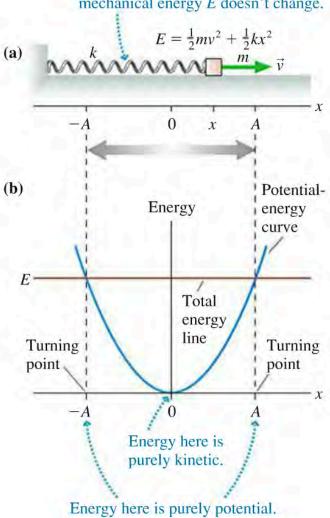
Consider the system's energy: 
$$E = T + U = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$



#### **Harmonic oscillator**: Energy

The energy is transformed between kinetic energy and potential energy as the object oscillates, but the mechanical energy E = K + U doesn't change.

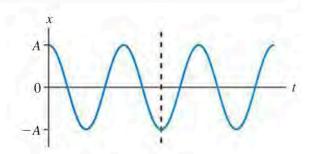
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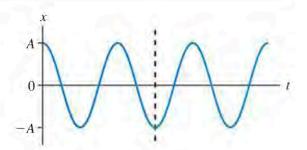
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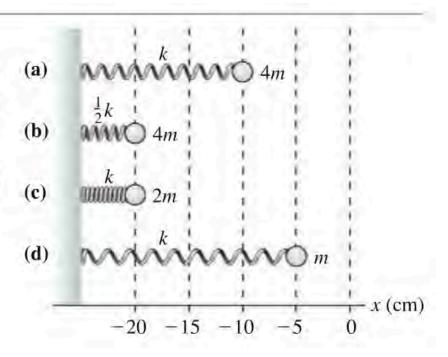
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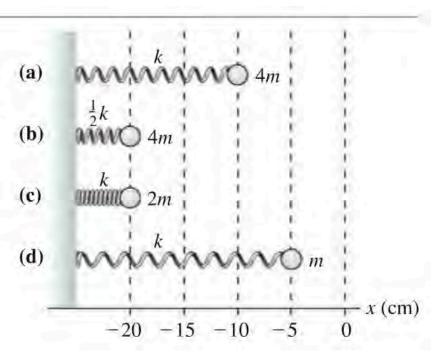
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$$\omega_o = \sqrt{k/m}$$

$$E = T + U = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

$$c > b > a = d$$

 $\mathbf{c} > \mathbf{b} > \mathbf{a} = \mathbf{d}$ . Energy conservation  $\frac{1}{2}kA^2 = \frac{1}{2}m(v_{\text{max}})^2$  gives  $v_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{k/m} A$ . k or m has to be increased or decreased by a factor of 4 to have the same effect as increasing or decreasing A by a factor of 2.

#### Example 12-1 Finding the Phase

Sound causes a frog's eardrum to move back and forth as shown in the plot of displacement versus time in Figure 12-7. In this case, displacement is given as a percentage of the amplitude of the oscillations. At the start of the measurements, the displacement is about 12% of the maximum in the negative direction. Find the phase angle  $\phi$  if the displacement obeys  $x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \phi)$  (Equation 12-4). (We will address the fact that the amplitude of the oscillations changes from one cycle to the next in Section 12-7.)

Note: This example would be better placed in sec.12.8 (as it is both a *forced* and *damped* oscillator situation)

#### Displacement from equilibrium of a frog's eardrum

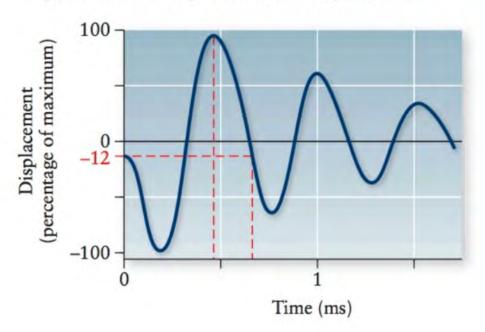


Figure 12-7 Sound causes a frog's eardrum to move back and forth, in (approximately) harmonic motion. The vertical dashed red line marks the beginning of a cosine cycle; the horizontal dashed red line marks -12% of the maximum displacement from equilibrium. The time interval between the two red arrows is just slightly more than one-quarter of a full cycle. (After Chung, Pettigrew, and Anson, (1981) Proc. Royal Soc. London Ser. B Biol. Sci. 212, No. 1189, pp. 459-485.)