Waves 1120

Waves



- Average speed of cord particle is zero, just moves up and down.
- We are interested in wave velocity
- Waves carry energy, momentum, but not mass

Demo

• <u>http://phet.colorado.edu/sims/wave-on-a-</u> <u>string/wave-on-a-string_en.html</u> • Oscillator (person or machine) controls A and f and initial phase

Initial Phase



You can start off equilibrium to get any initial phase constant you want.

• Speed *v* depends on medium and is independent of *A* and *f*

$$v_{string} = \sqrt{rac{Tension}{mass/length}}$$

$$\mu = \frac{mass}{length} \quad \text{linear density}$$

 $v_{air} = 340$ m/s but varies with temperature and pressure.



Disturbance $\perp \vec{v}$



Longitudinal Wave Disturbance || \vec{v}



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Sound – Air is compressed/rarefied



All waves can be described by a sinusoidal curve. The amplitude can be displacement of medium (transverse) or density (longitudinal).



Determining k and ω

- Snapshot is periodic in wavelength $\boldsymbol{\lambda}$
- $y = Asin(kx) = Asin(k[x + \lambda]) \Rightarrow k\lambda = 2\pi$
- k called wavenumber
- History is periodic in period T
- $y = Asin(\omega t) = Asin(\omega [t + T]) \Rightarrow \omega T = 2\pi$
- ω called angular frequency



In one period T, wave moves one wavelength λ

$$\mathbf{v} = \lambda / \mathbf{T} = \lambda \mathbf{f}$$



Reference Circle



Motion of dot depends on direction of wave!

$$y = Dsin(\theta)$$

wave moving right $\rightarrow \theta = kx - \omega t + \phi_0$

if $x \uparrow$, $\theta \uparrow$ (move ccw). if $t \uparrow$, $\theta \downarrow$ (move cw).

wave moving left $\leftarrow \theta = kx + \omega t + \phi_0$

if $x \uparrow$, $\theta \uparrow$ (move ccw). if $t \uparrow$, $\theta \uparrow$ (move ccw).

Questions

Waves in 2D and 3D

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Wave fronts are the crests of the wave. They are spaced one wavelength apart.



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Wave

fronts

Superposition











Constructive Interference

Destructive Interference



Constructive Interference



Destructive Interference



Inbetween Interference



Conditions for Interference

$$\delta = \begin{cases} n2\pi & n = 0, 1, 2, \cdots & CI \\ m\pi & m = 1, 3, 5, \cdots & DI \end{cases}$$

How do we create a phase difference δ ?

Interference by Differing Initial Phase



$$\delta = \phi_{\text{bottom}} - \phi_{\text{top}} = \pi - 0 = \pi$$

You can start off equilibrium to get and initial phase constant you want.

(a) The sources are out of phase.



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(**b**) Identical sources are separated by half a wavelength.



Path difference $\delta = 2\pi \Delta x / \lambda$



Their superposition produces a wave with amplitude 2a. This is constructive interference.

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(b) Destructive interference



Their superposition produces a wave with zero amplitude. This is destructive interference.

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(b) Two overlapped sound waves





The two waves are in phase ($\Delta \phi = 2\pi$ rad) and interfere constructively.

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(c) The sources are both separated and partially out of phase.



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Superposition in 2D





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Beats





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16.9 The Doppler Effect



The **Doppler effect** is the change in frequency or pitch of the sound detected by an observer because the sound source and the observer have different velocities with respect to the medium of sound propagation.

MOVING SOURCE



$$\lambda' = \lambda - v_s T$$

$$f_o = \frac{v}{\lambda'} = \frac{v}{\lambda - v_s T} = \frac{v}{v/f_s - v_s/f_s}$$

$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{1}{1 - v_s / v} \right)$$

source moving toward a stationary observer



source moving away from a stationary observer



MOVING OBSERVER



$$f_o = f_s + \frac{v_o}{\lambda} = f_s \left(1 + \frac{v_o}{f_s \lambda} \right)$$

$$= f_s \left(1 + \frac{v_o}{v} \right)$$

 $f_o = f_s \left(1 + \frac{v_o}{v} \right)$

Observer moving towards stationary source

> Observer moving away from stationary source

 $f_o = f_s \left(1 - \frac{v_o}{v} \right)$

GENERAL CASE



Know when observed frequency is high or low Denominator: minus sign applies when source moves towards the observer



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By scanning ultrasonic waves across the body and detecting the echoes from various locations, it is possible to obtain an image.



16.10 Applications of Sound in Medicine

Ultrasonic sound waves cause the tip of the probe to vibrate at 23 kHz and shatter sections of the tumor that it touches.



When the sound is reflected from the red blood cells, its frequency is changed in a kind of Doppler effect because the cells are moving.

