

Phys1110 Exam 3 Review:

Chapters 1 through 7, 12 (see previous reviews)

Chapter 8: Momentum

- $\vec{F}_{\text{net}} = \frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} \Rightarrow \text{Impulse} = \Delta\vec{p} = \vec{F}_{\text{net}} \cdot \Delta t$
- Conservation of Momentum: $\vec{F}_{\text{net}} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{p} = \text{constant}$
for system isolated from outside forces, $\vec{p}_{\text{tot}} = m_1\vec{v}_1 + m_2\vec{v}_2 = \text{constant}$
- Collisions:
 \vec{p}_{tot} *always* conserved.
KE is conserved *only* in perfectly elastic collisions
- 2D collisions: $p_{x,\text{tot}}$ and $p_{y,\text{tot}}$ are separately conserved.

Chapter 9, 10: Rotations

Analogy between rotation about a fixed axis and 1D translation along the x-axis:

- $\theta(\text{rads}) = \frac{s}{r}$, $\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt}$, $\alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}$ (like x , $v = \frac{dx}{dt}$, $a = \frac{dv}{dt}$)
- $v_{\text{tan}} = r\omega$, $a_{\text{tan}} = r\alpha$
- torque $|\tau| = r \cdot F_{\perp}$
- moment of inertia $I = \sum_i m_i r_i^2$
- $\tau_{\text{net}} = I \cdot \alpha$ (like $F_{\text{net}} = m a$)
- $\text{KE}_{\text{rotation}} = (1/2) I \omega^2$ [like $\text{KE}_{\text{trans}} = (1/2) m v^2$]
- Rolling motion: $\text{KE}_{\text{tot}} = \text{KE}_{\text{trans}} + \text{KE}_{\text{rot}} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$

Angular Momentum

- $\vec{\tau} \equiv \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$, $\vec{L} \equiv \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$ (for particle) $\Rightarrow \vec{L} = I\vec{\omega}$ (for rotating object)
- $\vec{\tau}_{\text{net}} = \frac{d\vec{L}}{dt}$ (like $\vec{F}_{\text{net}} = \frac{d\vec{p}}{dt}$)
- Conservation of Angular momentum: If $\vec{\tau}_{\text{net}} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{L} = \text{constant}$

$$L = \text{constant} \Rightarrow I_i \omega_i = I_f \omega_f$$

Chapter 11: Static Equilibrium

$$\sum F_x = 0, \quad \sum F_y = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum \tau = 0 \quad \text{The net torque about any axis must be zero.}$$

Chapter 13: Simple Harmonic Motion

- $F_{\text{restore}} \propto -x$, $PE \propto x^2$,
- period T independent of amplitude A ,
- sinusoidal motion

$$\text{Differential Equation: } F_{\text{net}} = ma = -kx \Rightarrow ma = -kx, \quad \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = -\frac{k}{m}x$$

$$\text{Mass } m \text{ on spring } k, \quad \omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$v(t) = -A \omega \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$a(t) = -A \omega^2 \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$\text{Conservation of Energy: } \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + \frac{1}{2} k x^2 = E_{\text{tot}} \Rightarrow E_{\text{tot}} = \frac{1}{2} k A^2 = \frac{1}{2} m v_{\text{max}}^2$$

$$\text{Simple Pendulum: SHM in limit of small amplitude: } \omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{L}}$$

Remember: to solve any before/after problem in an isolated system, try

Conservation of energy or

Conservation of momentum or

Conservation of angular momentum.

To prepare for Exams:

- Review Concept Tests and CAPA problems. Read question and recall reasoning that gets to the answer. Be able to solve CAPA algebraically.
- Prepare your formula sheet.
- Take the practice exam.
- It is no good to memorize answers. You have to understand and remember how you construct the answers.