


**Reminders 1-24-08:**

- Next Webassign Due February 3**
- Wave Motion and Sound Conceptual Questions Due 1/31**
- Read Chapter 14**
- Sign up for Physics 2Y. Homework will be discussed in this class, not (generally) during lecture.**

**Objectives:**

- Energy and Intensity of Sound Waves**
- Properties of Waves**
- Doppler Effect**
- Interference and Standing Waves**



## Physics 2B Old Exams

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**OLD PROBLEMS**

**Note: The above sample exams were used in class periods that were 50 minutes in length. As a result, some of the exams were combined into one exam.**

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**Conceptual Questions**

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- A point source emits sound waves with an average power output of 80.0 W. If the sound intensity is measured to be 0.707 W/m<sup>2</sup> at a particular location, how far is this location from the source?

$$I = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{P}{4\pi r^2}$$

$$r^2 = \frac{P}{4\pi I} \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{\frac{P}{4\pi I}}$$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{80\text{ W}}{4\pi \cdot 0.707\text{ W/m}^2}} = 3.00\text{ m}$$

- 100dB corresponds to an intensity of...
- If the intensity of a siren changes from 0.90 W/m<sup>2</sup> to 0.055 W/m<sup>2</sup>, what is the change in  $\beta$ ?
- What is the change in  $\beta$  when the intensity of a sound doubles?

$$\beta = 10 \log \frac{I}{I_0} \quad I_0 = 10^{-12} \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2}$$

$$100 = 10 \log \frac{I}{I_0} \Rightarrow 10 = \log \frac{I}{10^{-12}}$$

$$10^{10} = \frac{I}{10^{-12}} \quad I = 10^{-2} \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2}$$

$$10^x = 10^6$$

$$\Delta\beta = 10 \log \frac{I_f}{I_o} - 10 \log \frac{I_i}{I_o}$$
$$= 10 \left( \log \frac{I_f}{I_o} - \log \frac{I_i}{I_o} \right)$$

$$10 \left( \log I_f - \cancel{\log I_o} - \log I_i + \cancel{\log I_o} \right)$$

$$\cdot 10 \left( \log \frac{I_f}{I_i} \right) = 10 \log \frac{0.055}{0.9}$$
$$= -12 \text{ dB}$$

$$I_e = 2 I_i$$

$$\Delta B = 10 \log \frac{I_e}{I_i} - 10 \log \frac{I_i}{I_o}$$

$$= 10 \log \frac{I_e}{I_i}$$

$$= 10 \log 2 = \underline{3 \text{ dB}}$$

- Federal regulations have set  $\beta_{\max}$  at 90 dB for the workplace (no ear protection). An office of 128 typewriters was found to have a maximum reading of 92 dB's by a federal inspector when all were in operation. How many typewriters must be removed to be in compliance?

Want  $\Delta B = -2$

$$\Delta B = 10 \log \frac{I_f}{I_i}$$

$$I_i = 128 I_t$$

$$I_f = n I_t$$

$$-2 = 10 \log \left( \frac{n I_t}{128 I_t} \right)$$

$$-2 = 10 \log \left( \frac{n}{128} \right)$$

$$-0.2 = \log \frac{n}{128}$$

$$10^{(-0.2)} = \frac{n}{128}$$

$$n = 128 10^{(-0.2)}$$

$$n = 81$$

# removed

$$128 - 81 = 47$$

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

$$v = f \lambda \quad f = \frac{v}{\lambda}$$

$$f' = \frac{v}{\lambda - v_s T} \quad T = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$f' = \frac{v}{\lambda - v_s \left(\frac{1}{f}\right)} = \frac{v}{\lambda \left(1 - \frac{v_s}{v}\right)}$$

$\frac{v}{\lambda} =$  original frequency  $f$

$$f' = f \left( \frac{1}{1 - \frac{v_s}{v}} \right) = f \left( \frac{v}{v - v_s} \right)$$

source away from  
observer

$$f' = f \left( \frac{v}{v + v_s} \right)$$