

Important Rayleigh's Method Formulas PDF



**Formulas
Examples
with Units**

List of 16 Important Rayleigh's Method Formulas

1) Displacement of Body from Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$s_{\text{body}} = x \cdot \sin(\omega_n \cdot t_{\text{total}})$$

Example with Units

$$0.8539 \text{ m} = 1.25 \text{ m} \cdot \sin(21 \text{ rad/s} \cdot 80 \text{ s})$$

Evaluate Formula

2) Maximum Displacement from Mean Position given Displacement of Body from Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$x = \frac{s_{\text{body}}}{\sin(\omega_n \cdot t_{\text{total}})}$$

Example with Units

$$1.0979 \text{ m} = \frac{0.75 \text{ m}}{\sin(21 \text{ rad/s} \cdot 80 \text{ s})}$$

Evaluate Formula

3) Maximum Displacement from Mean Position given Maximum Kinetic Energy Formula

Formula

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot \text{KE}}{W_{\text{load}} \cdot \omega_n^2}}$$

Example with Units

$$2.1296 \text{ m} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot 5000 \text{ J}}{5 \text{ kg} \cdot 21 \text{ rad/s}^2}}$$

Evaluate Formula

4) Maximum Displacement from Mean Position given Maximum Potential Energy Formula

Formula

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot \text{PE}_{\text{max}}}{s_{\text{constrain}}}}$$

Example with Units

$$2.4807 \text{ m} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot 40 \text{ J}}{13 \text{ N/m}}}$$

Evaluate Formula

5) Maximum Displacement from Mean Position given Maximum Velocity at Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$x = \frac{V_{\text{max}}}{\omega_f}$$

Example with Units

$$1.6667 \text{ m} = \frac{75 \text{ m/s}}{45 \text{ rad/s}}$$

Evaluate Formula



6) Maximum Displacement from Mean Position given Velocity at Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$x = \frac{v}{\omega_f \cdot \cos(\omega_f \cdot t_{\text{total}})}$$

Example with Units

$$1.3816 \text{ m} = \frac{60 \text{ m/s}}{45 \text{ rad/s} \cdot \cos(45 \text{ rad/s} \cdot 80 \text{ s})}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Maximum Kinetic Energy at Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$KE = \frac{W_{\text{load}} \cdot \omega_f^2 \cdot x^2}{2}$$

Example with Units

$$7910.1562 \text{ J} = \frac{5 \text{ kg} \cdot 45 \text{ rad/s}^2 \cdot 1.25 \text{ m}^2}{2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Maximum Potential Energy at Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$PE_{\text{max}} = \frac{s_{\text{constrain}} \cdot x^2}{2}$$

Example with Units

$$10.1562 \text{ J} = \frac{13 \text{ N/m} \cdot 1.25 \text{ m}^2}{2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

9) Maximum Velocity at Mean Position by Rayleigh Method Formula

Formula

$$V_{\text{max}} = \omega_f \cdot x$$

Example with Units

$$56.25 \text{ m/s} = 45 \text{ rad/s} \cdot 1.25 \text{ m}$$

Evaluate Formula 

10) Natural Circular Frequency given Displacement of Body Formula

Formula

$$\omega_n = \frac{a \sin\left(\frac{s_{\text{body}}}{x}\right)}{t_p}$$

Example with Units

$$0.2145 \text{ rad/s} = \frac{a \sin\left(\frac{0.75 \text{ m}}{1.25 \text{ m}}\right)}{3 \text{ s}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

11) Natural Circular Frequency given Maximum Velocity at Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$\omega_n = \frac{V_{\text{max}}}{x}$$

Example with Units

$$60 \text{ rad/s} = \frac{75 \text{ m/s}}{1.25 \text{ m}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

12) Natural Frequency given Natural Circular Frequency Formula

Formula

$$f_n = \frac{\omega_n}{2 \cdot \pi}$$

Example with Units

$$3.3423 \text{ Hz} = \frac{21 \text{ rad/s}}{2 \cdot 3.1416}$$

Evaluate Formula 



13) Potential Energy given Displacement of Body Formula

Formula

$$PE = \frac{s_{\text{constrain}} \cdot (s_{\text{body}})^2}{2}$$

Example with Units

$$3.6562\text{J} = \frac{13\text{N/m} \cdot (0.75\text{m})^2}{2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

14) Time Period given Natural Circular Frequency Formula

Formula

$$t_p = \frac{2 \cdot \pi}{\omega_n}$$

Example with Units

$$0.2992\text{s} = \frac{2 \cdot 3.1416}{21\text{rad/s}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

15) Time Period of Free Longitudinal Vibrations Formula

Formula

$$t_p = 2 \cdot \pi \cdot \sqrt{\frac{W}{s_{\text{constrain}}}}$$

Example with Units

$$4.9289\text{s} = 2 \cdot 3.1416 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{8\text{N}}{13\text{N/m}}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

16) Velocity at Mean Position Formula

Formula

$$v = (\omega_f \cdot x) \cdot \cos(\omega_f \cdot t_{\text{total}})$$

Example with Units

$$54.2838\text{m/s} = (45\text{rad/s} \cdot 1.25\text{m}) \cdot \cos(45\text{rad/s} \cdot 80\text{s})$$










Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Rayleigh's Method Formulas above


- f_n Natural Frequency (Hertz)
- **KE** Maximum Kinetic Energy (Joule)
- **PE** Potential Energy (Joule)
- **PE_{max}** Maximum Potential Energy (Joule)
- **S_{body}** Displacement of Body (Meter)
- **S_{constrain}** Stiffness of Constraint (Newton per Meter)
- **t_p** Time Period (Second)
- **t_{total}** Total Time Taken (Second)
- **v** Velocity (Meter per Second)
- **V_{max}** Maximum Velocity (Meter per Second)
- **W** Weight of Body in Newtons (Newton)
- **W_{load}** Load (Kilogram)
- **x** Maximum Displacement (Meter)
- **ω_f** Cumulative Frequency (Radian per Second)
- **ω_n** Natural Circular Frequency (Radian per Second)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Rayleigh's Method Formulas above

- **constant(s): pi**, 3.14159265358979323846264338327950288
Archimedes' constant
- **Functions: asin**, asin(Number)
The inverse sine function, is a trigonometric function that takes a ratio of two sides of a right triangle and outputs the angle opposite the side with the given ratio.
- **Functions: cos**, cos(Angle)
Cosine of an angle is the ratio of the side adjacent to the angle to the hypotenuse of the triangle.
- **Functions: sin**, sin(Angle)
Sine is a trigonometric function that describes the ratio of the length of the opposite side of a right triangle to the length of the hypotenuse.
- **Functions: sqrt**, sqrt(Number)
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Measurement: Length** in Meter (m)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Weight** in Kilogram (kg)
Weight Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Time** in Second (s)
Time Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Speed** in Meter per Second (m/s)
Speed Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Energy** in Joule (J)
Energy Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Force** in Newton (N)
Force Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Frequency** in Hertz (Hz)
Frequency Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Surface Tension** in Newton per Meter (N/m)
Surface Tension Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Angular Velocity** in Radian per Second (rad/s)
Angular Velocity Unit Conversion 



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