## 1. (2 points) setPHY141_WW6/T.pg

## On superposition and center of mass

Calculate the center of mass of the object shown below.
Assume that the mass density is uniform.


The origin, $O$, is at the lower left. If the positive $x$-axis points to the right along the page, what is the $x$ coordinate of the center of mass in terms of distance $a$ ?
Enter $x$ coordinate of center of mass: $\qquad$ a.

If the positive $y$-axis points up along the page, what is the $y$ coordinate of the center of mass in terms of $a$ ?
Enter $y$ coordinate of center of mass: $\qquad$ a.
(Enter numbers accurate to 1 decimal place).
2. (2 points) setPHY141_WW6/disk.pg

## On superposition and center of mass



A circular steel plate disk of radius $R=1.5 \mathrm{~m}$, thickness
$h=0.01 \mathrm{~m}$, and density $\rho=7000 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ has a circular hole of radius $r=0.8 \mathrm{~m}$ located halfway between the center and circumference of the disk (at $d=R / 2$ from the center of the disk). Find the distance of the center of mass of the steel disk from its center.
Enter $d_{c m}=$ : $\qquad$ m
How far is the center of mass from the center of the hole?
Enter this distance : $\qquad$ m
(Enter numbers correct to 2 decimal places) Check your signs!
3. (2 points) setPHY141_Ww6/driven_harmonic.pg

On a damped driven harmonic oscillator


The amplitude of a damped driven harmonic oscillator as a function of frequency. The $x$ axis in this plot is the frequency ratio $\omega / \omega_{0}$ where $\omega$ is the driving frequency and $\omega_{0}$ is the resonant frequency. The $y$ axis shows the amplitude of the steady state sinusoidal solution (after transients have died away). Here $\zeta$ is a damping parameter. If the damping is low, the oscillator has a very large amplitude. The figure is from Wikimedia Commons.
The equation of motion for the driven harmonic oscillator (where motion is along the coordinate $x$ ) is

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\frac{d^{2} x}{d t^{2}}+2 \zeta \omega_{0} \frac{d x}{d t}+\omega_{0}^{2} x=\frac{F}{m} \sin (\omega t)
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Here $F$ is the driving force amplitude. The harmonic oscillator's natural frequency $\omega_{0}=\sqrt{k / m}$ where $k$ is a spring constant and $m$ is the mass.
After reaching a steady state, the solution can be written like
$x(t)=A \sin (\omega t+\phi)$
with positive amplitude $A$ and phase $\phi$.
How does the amplitude of the peak depend on the damping parameter $\zeta$ ?
To answer this we, drive the oscillator near peak or its resonant frequency, at $\omega=\omega_{0}$.
To make the calculation simpler we set the oscillator's resonant frequency $\omega_{0}=1$.
a) At $\omega=\omega_{0}=1$ what is the amplitude $A$ in terms of $m, F, \zeta$ ?

Enter $A=$ :
You need to enter a formula.
For example $m \zeta$ would be entered as $m^{*}$ zeta
$F / \zeta$ would be entered as F/zeta
$2 F$ would be entered as $2 * \mathrm{~F}$
$2 \pi$ would be entered as $2 *$ pi
$\frac{x}{y z}$ would be entered as $\mathrm{x} /\left(\mathrm{y}^{*} \mathrm{z}\right)$
help (formulas)
You would find $A$ by inserting the solution into the equation of motion.
b) What is the phase $\phi$ ?

Enter $\phi=$ : $\qquad$ radians
Enter an angle in radians within $[0,2 \pi)$

It make be useful to use the sum formula $\sin (x+y)=$ $\sin x \cos y+\cos x \sin y$.

## 4. (2 points) setPHY141_Ww6/jupiter.pg

On the center of mass of a star and planet system
Jupiter is in orbit about the Sun. Assume a mass ratio $M_{J} / M_{\odot}=$ $10^{-3}$ where $M_{J}$ is the mass of Jupiter and $M_{\odot}=2 \times 10^{30} \mathrm{~kg}$ is the mass of the Sun.
The distance between Jupiter and the Sun is approximately constant and is $a_{J}=5.2 \mathrm{AU}$ where AU is an astronomical unit.
$1 \mathrm{AU} \approx 1.5 \times 10^{11} \mathrm{~m}$.
Compute the distance $r_{\odot}$ between the center of mass of the SunJupiter system and the center of the Sun in meters.
Enter the distance $r_{\odot}$ : $\qquad$ m
(Enter numbers correct to 1 decimal places)

