

Geometric Optics: Wave Equations Review

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Quiz Instructions

Question 1

1 pts

A(n) _____ wave requires a medium for propagation and its speed depends on _____.

- electromagnetic, the medium through which its traveling
- mechanical, the amount of energy in the wave
- electromagnetic, the amount of energy in the wave
- mechanical, the medium through which its traveling

Question 2

1 pts

In electromagnetic waves, the _____ of the wave shows how much energy it carries.

- wave speed

- amplitude
- frequency
- medium

Question 3**1 pts**

A wave has a wavelength of 0.5 m and a frequency of 4 Hz. What is the speed of the wave?

- 4 m/s
- 2 m/s
- 12 m/s
- 8 m/s

Question 4**1 pts**

For a wave moving through a given medium, as the frequency _____, the wavelength will _____.

- increases, decrease
- increases, increase
- increases, not change

- decreases, not change

Question 5**1 pts**

Which of the following are the same for X-rays, FM radio waves, and gamma rays traveling through air?

- The waves' wavelengths
- All of the above
- The waves' frequencies
- The waves' speeds

Question 6**1 pts**

Order the following EM waves from least (left) to greatest (right) frequency.

- Visible Light < AM Radio < FM Radio < Ultraviolet Light < Microwaves
- FM Radio < Ultraviolet Light < AM Radio < Microwaves < Visible Light
- Microwaves < Ultraviolet Light < FM Radio < AM Radio < Visible Light
- AM Radio < FM Radio < Microwaves < Visible Light < Ultraviolet Light

Question 7**1 pts**

An EM Wave is made of a(n) _____ field and a(n) _____ field oscillating _____ to each other.

- Magnetic | Mechanical | Perpendicular
- Mechanical | Magnetic | Parallel
- Electric | Magnetic | Parallel
- Electric | Mechanical | Parallel
- Magnetic | Electric | Perpendicular

Question 8**1 pts**

The oscillation of a transverse wave is _____ to its direction of travel and the oscillation of a longitudinal wave is _____ to its direction of travel.

- Parallel | Parallel
- Perpendicular | Perpendicular
- Perpendicular | Parallel
- Parallel | Perpendicular

Question 9**1 pts**

A certain wave has an amplitude of 1.5m and a frequency of 2Hz.

How long does it take in seconds for this wave to move six full wavelengths?

- 3
- 2
- 1
- 4

Question 10**1 pts**

A wave with frequency of 4Hz, an amplitude of 5.0cm, and is at max height (5.0cm) at time $t=0$.

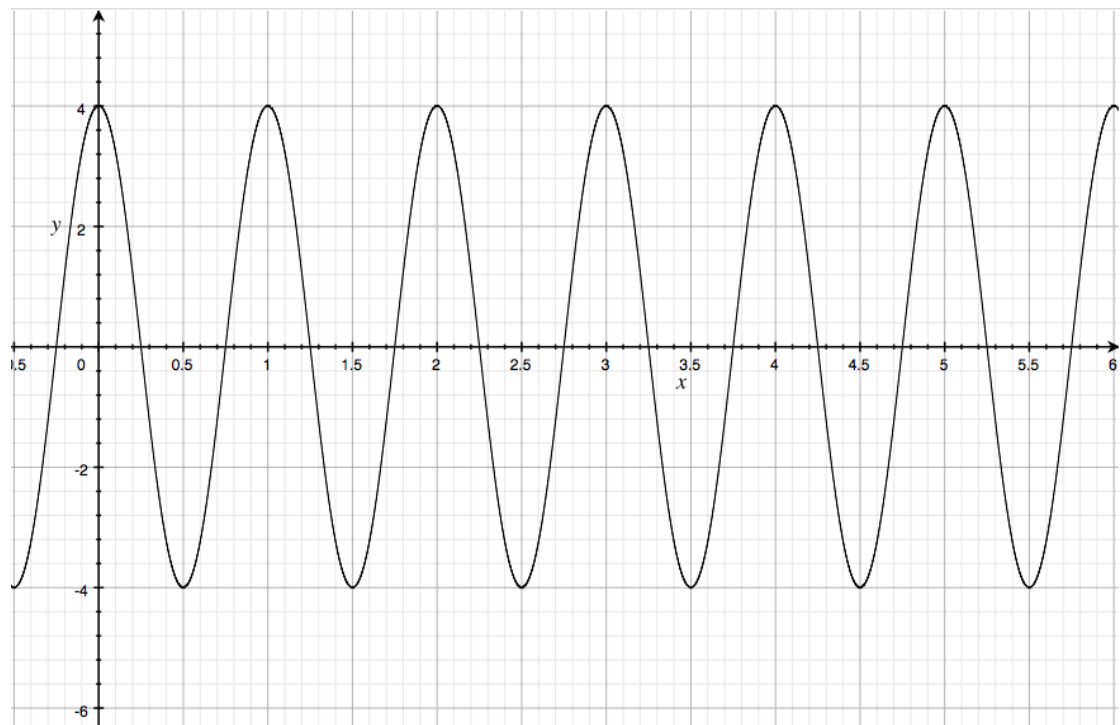
What is the height in cm of the wave at time $t=0.5$ seconds?

- 5
- 3.75
- 1.25
- 0

Question 11

1 pts

What is the equation of the wave shown below?



$y(t)=4\cos(2\pi t)$

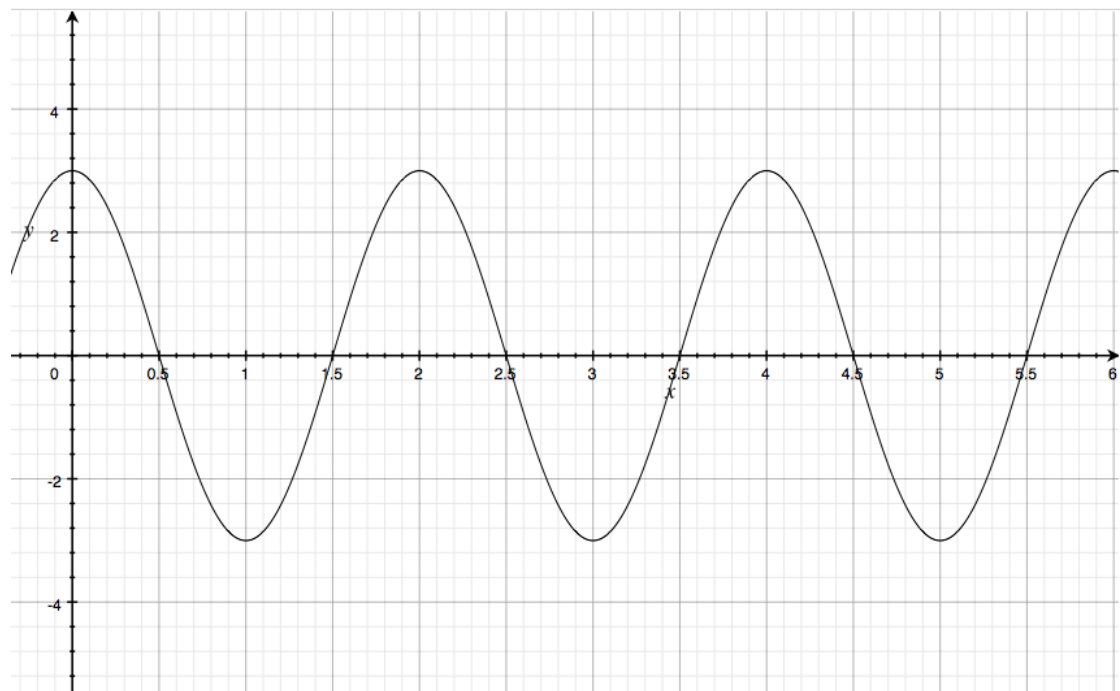
$y(t)=8\cos(4\pi t)$

$y(t)=4\cos(4\pi t)$

$y(t)=8\cos(2\pi t)$

Question 12**1 pts**

What is the equation of the wave shown below?



- $y(t)=3\cos(2\pi t)$
- $y(t)=6\cos(\pi t)$
- $y(t)=6\cos(2\pi t)$
- $y(t)=3\cos(\pi t)$

Question 13**1 pts**

The trough-to-trough or crest-to-crest distance along a wave is called the _____ and is measured in _____.

- Wavelength | Meters
- Wavelength | Seconds
- Period | Meters
- Period | Seconds

Question 14**1 pts**

Wave 1 has a frequency of 2 Hz, an amplitude of 10 cm, and is at max height at time $t = 0$.

Wave 2 has a frequency of 1 Hz, an amplitude of 20 cm, and is at max height at time $t = 0$.

What is the the difference in wave heights in cm between the two waves at time $t = 0.5$ seconds?

- 20
- 0
- 30
- 10

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