## Experimental Tasks: APhO 2022

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## EQ1: Magnetic Black box

Based on making use of various sensors available on a smartphone.

## Motivation

Hall effect based magnetic sensor to detect the magnetic field.


## Experiment

Blackbox (magnet in a conducting pipe)


To identify different sections of the pipe with the help of a smartphone.

## Theoretical background

The axial magnetic field $B_{x}$ of a point dipole (dipole moment $M$ ) at the distance $x$

$$
B_{x}=\frac{\mu_{0}}{2 \pi} \frac{M}{x^{3}}
$$

When the magnet is moving with a constant non-relativistic velocity

$$
\begin{gathered}
B_{x}(t)=\frac{\mu_{0}}{2 \pi} \frac{M}{(v t)^{3}} \\
\left(\frac{\mu_{0} M}{2 \pi B_{x}(t)}\right)^{1 / 3}=v t
\end{gathered}
$$

Three parts of the experiment:

- Find the location of the magnetometer in the smartphone.
- Determine the dipole moment $M$.
- Determine $v$ of the magnet.


## Simulation



Intergrid spacing: 1 cm
$\mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{w}}:-493.2 \mu \mathrm{~T}$
$\mathrm{B}_{1}:-481.46 \mu \mathrm{~T}$
Rotate mobile:

Rotate magnet:

Rotate scale:

Graph start time:
0

Graph end time:
120

START MEASUREMENT

RESET GRAPH

DROP
RESET POSITIONS

## 1. Find the location of the magnetometer



## 2. Dipole moment of the magnet



$$
B_{w}=\frac{\mu_{0}}{2 \pi} \frac{M}{x^{3}}
$$



## 3. Identify sections of the pipe

When the magnet is dropped in a non magnetic conducting pipe such as aluminium or copper; $m \ddot{y}=m g-k \dot{y}$

## $\mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{w}} \& \mathrm{~B}_{\mathrm{l}}$ vs t graph

CD:Copper


## Length of each section

Identify the entry and exit time stamps in the data for each section and use the obtained velocities to calculate the section lengths.

## EQ2: Accoustic Black box

Doppler effect in waves and an attempt to simulate acoustically the light waves emitted from the rotating planets.

## Question



Sound source starts moving at $A$ and emits frequency $f_{0}$. $S$ is the position of the source at later time $t$.
You are given a detector D which you can place or move in the $x-y$ plane.
Find $f_{0}, \omega, R, v_{s}, \beta$, coordinates of $A$ and $C$.

## EQ2: Acoustic black box

Detector's velocity: $v_{D} \quad$ Vector $\overrightarrow{D S}: \hat{n} \quad$ Source's net velocity: $v_{T}$ Frequency detected by the detector, when $S$ is moving away (or approaching) from $D$

$$
f\left(t^{\prime}\right)=f_{0} \frac{c-\vec{v}_{\mathrm{D}} \cdot \hat{n}(t)}{c \pm \vec{v}_{\mathrm{T}} \cdot \hat{n}(t)}
$$

At large distance (or time)


## Simulation



## Asymptotic limit

Detector position $r_{\mathrm{D}}=10000 \mathrm{~m}, \theta=35^{\circ}$


$$
\frac{f_{\text {max }}+f_{\text {min }}}{f_{\text {max }}-f_{\text {min }}} \frac{c-v_{s}}{\omega R}
$$

$$
\Delta t=\frac{2 \pi}{\omega}\left(1+\frac{v_{s}}{c}\right)
$$

$$
\frac{f_{\text {max }}+f_{\text {min }}}{f_{\text {max }}-f_{\text {min }}}=\frac{c+v_{s}}{\omega R}
$$

Above three equations yield $f_{0}, \omega, R, f_{0}$ and $v_{s}$.

## Source's initial coordinates - Triangulation

| Detector Location $\left(r_{\mathrm{D}}, \theta\right)$ | First signal received $(\mathrm{s})$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $(500,0)$ | 1.535 |
| $(0,500)$ | 1.273 |
| $(0,0)$ | 1.979 |



## Summary

- How to setup an experiment.
- Observational and experimental skills, visualization, data interpretation and analytical skills.

