

Rotational Kinematics

- 1/ Complete the following table of frequency, periodic time, and angular velocity. The first line is done as an example.

Period (s)	Frequency (Hz)	Angular velocity (rad s^{-1})
12	0.0833	0.524
1.6		
		0.6
	45	
1500		

- 2/ Express:
- 550Hz in rads s^{-1}
 - A period of 0.076s in terms of frequency
 - An angular velocity of 120rads s^{-1} in terms of periodic time
 - A period of $9 \times 10^{-5}\text{s}$ in terms of angular velocity
 - A frequency of 30.4Hz in terms of periodic time
- 3/ A turbine spins at 600 RPM. Calculate the frequency of rotation in hertz and the angular velocity in radians per sec.
[10Hz, 62.8rad s⁻¹]
- 4/ An object moves on a circular path of radius 0.04m with a frequency of 8 Hz. Calculate;
- the angular velocity, ω .
 - the velocity, v .
 - the radial acceleration, a_r .
- [50.3 rad s⁻¹, 2.011 ms⁻¹, 101.1 ms⁻²]**
- 5/ A golf ball spins at 3500RPM ($366.5 \text{ rads s}^{-1}$). The ball has a radius of 2.134cm. Calculate the velocity and centripetal acceleration of a point of the equator of the ball as it spins.
[7.82ms⁻¹, 2.87x10³ms⁻²]
- 6/ A 1500kg car takes a corner at 20ms^{-1} . The corner has a turning radius of 65m. Calculate the centripetal acceleration of the car and the friction force needed to make it take the corner.
[6.15ms⁻², 9230N]
- 7/ A pilot flying at 50 ms^{-1} does a loop the loop. At the top of the loop he feels weightless because the centrifugal acceleration just balances out gravity. Calculate the radius of the loop.
[255m]

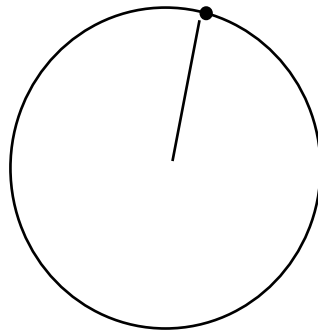
- 8/ During a tennis stroke, the racket accelerates from 0 rads s^{-1} to 18 rads s^{-1} . The execution of the stroke moves the racket through 3 rads . Calculate the angular acceleration and the time for the stroke.

$[54 \text{ rads s}^{-2}, 0.33\text{s}]$

- 9/ A ferris wheel is set in motion by an angular acceleration of $0.015 \text{ rads s}^{-1}$. Calculate the angular velocity of the wheel at 25s and calculate how far the wheel has rotated at this time.

$[0.375 \text{ rads s}^{-1}, 4.69 \text{ rads} = \frac{3}{4} \text{ of a revolution}]$

- 10/ The diagram below shows an object moving in a clockwise direction in a circular path at the end of a string. Draw vectors showing the direction of instantaneous velocity and acceleration of this particle.



- 11/ A basketball shot is released from the fingertips. A force of 4.64N is exerted at the edge of the basketball which has a radius of 0.113m and a mass of 0.6kg . The force is exerted for a time of 0.1s .

- Calculate the acceleration of the ball as it is being thrown.
- Calculate the velocity of the ball just after it has been thrown.
- Calculate the kinetic energy of the ball just after it has been thrown.
- Calculate the torque on the basketball.
- Calculate the ball's moment of inertia.
- Calculate the angular acceleration of the ball as it is being thrown.
- Calculate the angular velocity of the ball just after it has been thrown.
- Why is it advantageous to impart backspin to a basketball shot?

$[7.74\text{ms}^{-2}, 0.774\text{m/s}, 0.18\text{J}, 0.5243\text{Nm}, 5.1 \times 10^{-3}\text{kgm}^2, 103 \text{ rads s}^{-2}, 10.3 \text{ rads s}^{-1}]$