

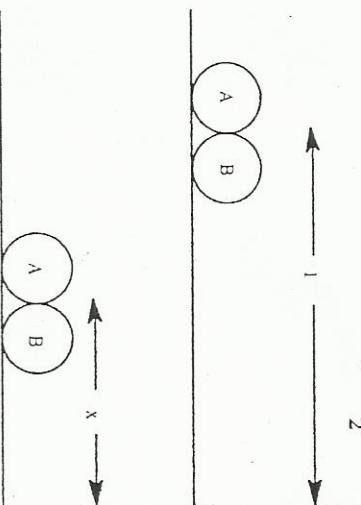
$$\text{PCM} \quad mv_1 + 0 = mv_1 + mv_2 \Rightarrow v_1 + v_2 = u$$

$$\text{NEL} \quad v_1 - v_2 = -e(u - 0) \Rightarrow v_1 - v_2 = -eu$$

$$v_1 = \frac{u(1-e)}{2}$$

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$$v_2 = \frac{u(1+e)}{2}$$



B strikes the wall with velocity  $\frac{u}{2}(1+e)$  and rebounds with velocity  $\frac{eu}{2}(1+e)$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{u(1-x)}{1+e} = \frac{\frac{u}{2}(1+e)}{1+e} + \frac{eu}{2}(1+e)$$

$$x = \frac{2e^2}{1+e^2}$$

OR Time for B to reach the wall =  $\frac{\text{distance}}{\text{speed}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{u}{2}(1+e)} = \frac{2}{u(1+e)}$

In this time A travels  $\frac{u(1-e)}{2}, \frac{2}{\frac{u(1+e)}{1+e}} = \frac{1-e}{1+e}$

and is now  $1 - \frac{1-e}{1+e} = \frac{2e}{1+e}$  from the wall

B's rebound velocity is  $\frac{eu}{2}(1+e)$

$$\frac{x}{\frac{eu}{2}(1+e)} = \frac{\frac{2e}{1+e} - x}{\frac{u}{2}(1-e)}$$

$$x = \frac{2e^2}{1+e^2}$$

amplitude =  $(1.5 - 0.9)/2 = 0.3 \text{ metres}$   
 $\text{Period} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow \omega = 12 \text{ rad/s}$

max speed =  $\omega a = 12 \times 0.3 = 3.6 \text{ m/s}$

(ii) Maximum force that the glue has to exert is at the highest point, when maximum acceleration =  $\omega^2 a$

$$= 144 \times 0.3$$

Let F be the force that the glue exerts on Q

Force = mass  $\times$  acceleration

$$mg + F = ma$$

$$0.2(9.8) + F = 0.2(43.2)$$

$$F = 6.68 \text{ N}$$

(iii) In the absence of glue, Q will leave the pan when R = 0

$$mg = R \approx ml$$

$$mg = 0 = m\omega^2 x$$

$$9.8 = 144x$$

$$x = 0.068 \text{ m}$$

$\Rightarrow$  length of spring =  $1.2 - 0.068 = 1.132 \text{ m}$

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