Chapter 13.

1. Three uniform spheres of masses  $m_1 = 2.00$  kg,  $m_2 = 4.00$  kg, and  $m_3 = 6.00$  kg are placed at the corners of a right triangle as shown in Figure P13.6. Calculate the resultant gravitational force on the object of mass  $m_2$ , assuming the spheres are isolated from the rest of the Universe. Ans:



Figure P13.6

2. Three objects of equal mass are located at three corners of a square of edge length *l*, as shown in Figure P13.15. Find the magnitude and direction of the gravitational field at the fourth corner due to these objects.
Ans:



Figure P13.15

3. The *Explorer VIII* satellite, placed into orbit November 3, 1960, to investigate the ionosphere, had the following orbit parameters: perigee, 459 km; apogee, 2 289 km (both distances above the Earth's surface); period, 112.7 min. Find the ratio  $v_p/v_a$  of the speed at perigee to that at apogee.

Ans:

4. How much work is done by the Moon's gravitational field on a 1 000-kg meteor as it comes in from outer space and impacts on the Moon's surface? Ans: 5. A "treetop satellite" moves in a circular orbit just above the surface of a planet, assumed to offer no air resistance. Show that its orbital speed v and the escape speed from the planet are related

by the expression  $v_{\rm esc} = \sqrt{2}v$ .

Ans:

Chapter 14.

- A large man sits on a four-legged chair with his feet off the floor. The combined mass of the man and chair is 95.0 kg. If the chair legs are circular and have a radius of 0.500 cm at the bottom, what pressure does each leg exert on the floor? Ans:
- The spring of the pressure gauge shown in Figure P14.7 has a force constant of 1 250 N/m, and the piston has a diameter of 1.20 cm. As the gauge is lowered into water in a lake, what change in depth causes the piston to move in by 0.750 cm? Ans:



## Figure P14.7

3. Mercury is poured into a U-tube as shown in Figure P14.22a. The left arm of the tube has cross-sectional area  $A_1$  of 10.0 cm<sup>2</sup>, and the right arm has a cross-sectional area  $A_2$  of 5.00 cm<sup>2</sup>. One hundred grams of water are then poured into the right arm as shown in Figure P14.22b. (a) Determine the length of the water column in the right arm of the U-tube. (b) Given that the density of mercury is 13.6 g/cm<sup>3</sup>, what distance *h* does the mercury rise in the left arm? Ans:



4. Water moves through a constricted pipe in steady, ideal flow. At the lower point shown in Figure P14.42, the pressure is  $P_1 = 1.75 \times 10^4$  Pa and the pipe diameter is 6.00 cm. At another point y = 0.250 m higher, the pressure is  $P_2 = 1.20 \times 10^4$  Pa and the pipe diameter is 3.00 cm. Find the speed of flow (a) in the lower section and (b) in the upper section. (c) Find the volume flow rate through the pipe.

Ans:



Figure P14.42

Chapter 15.

 A 1.00-kg object is attached to a horizontal spring. The spring is initially stretched by 0.100 m, and the object is released from rest there. It proceeds to move without friction. The next time the speed of the object is zero is 0.500 s later. What is the maximum speed of the object? Ans:

 A block of unknown mass is attached to a spring with a spring constant of 6.50 N/m and undergoes simple harmonic motion with an amplitude of 10.0 cm. When the block is halfway between its equilibrium position and the end point, its speed is measured to be 30.0 cm/s. Calculate (a) the mass of the block, (b) the period of the motion, and (c) the maximum acceleration of the block. Ans: A 326-g object is attached to a spring and executes simple harmonic motion with a period of 0.250 s. If the total energy of the system is 5.83 J, find (a) the maximum speed of the object, (b) the force constant of the spring, and (c) the amplitude of the motion. Ans:

4. A simple pendulum makes 120 complete oscillations in 3.00 min at a location where g = 9.80 m/s<sup>2</sup>. Find (a) the period of the pendulum and (b) its length. Ans:

5. An object attached to a spring vibrates with simple harmonic motion as described by Figure P15.64. For this motion, find (a) the amplitude, (b) the period, (c) the angular frequency, (d) the maximum speed, (e) the maximum acceleration, and (f) an equation for its position *x* as a function of time.
Ans:



Figure P15.64