

■ Hooke's Law --> Simple Harmonic Motion

■ Define the equation of motion and the initial conditions and then combine them

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(Local) In[440]:=
  eq1 = m x''[t] - k x[t];

(Local) In[441]:=
  init = {x[0] == x0, x'[0] == v0};

(Local) In[442]:=
  eq2 = Append[init, eq1];
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■ Now solve for x[t]

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(Local) In[443]:=
  dsol = DSolve[eq2, x[t], t] // Simplify

(Local) Out[443]=
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$$\left\{ \left\{ x[t] \in x_0 \cos\left[\frac{\sqrt{k} t}{\sqrt{m}}\right] + \frac{\sqrt{m} v_0 \sin\left[\frac{\sqrt{k} t}{\sqrt{m}}\right]}{\sqrt{k}} \right\} \right\}$$

■ Define the constants to some useful values (try changing these)

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(Local) In[444]:=
  val = {x0 == 10, v0 == 0, m == 1, k == 1};
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■ Define (t,x) coordinate pairs for the solution and constants

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(Local) In[445]:=
  coord[t_] = {t, x[t]} /. dsol /. val // Simplify

(Local) Out[445]=
  {{t, 10 Cos[t]}}
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■ Make up a graph of a x as a function of t

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(Local) In[446]:=
  curve = ParametricPlot[Evaluate[coord[t] /. val], {t, 0, 4 Pi},
    GridLines == Automatic, Frame == True, PlotStyle == {RGBColor[0, 0, 1]},
    PlotRange == {{0, 4 Pi}, {-10, 10}}, FrameLabel == {"t", "x"}, RotateLabel == False];
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■ Make a set of plots of coordinate pairs (t,x) for ten t values - animate by selecting them and Animate Selected Graphics

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(Local) In[447]:=  
Clear[plot1];  
plot1[t_] := ListPlot[coord[t], PlotStyle  $\{PointSize[0.03], RGBColor[1, 0, 0]\}$ ,  
GridLines  $\{Automatic, Frame \{True, PlotRange \{0, 4 Pi\}, \{-10, 10\}\}$ ,  
FrameLabel  $\{t, x\}$ , RotateLabel  $\{False\}$ 
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■ Combine all the x vs t plots into a single plot

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(Local) In[450]:=  
Show[curve, plotarray];
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